

SWANAGE TOWN COUNCIL



TENDER

FOR

SUPPLY AND DELIVERY OF A RIDE-ON MOWER

2017

**TOWN HALL
SWANAGE
DORSET
BH19 2NZ**

Specification

Swanage Town Council is seeking prices for a new ride on cylinder mower to be used for maintaining its parks and open spaces. We would like a quotation which includes a trade in of our current machine. Please see mower details at the end of this document.

We have a weekly grass round mainly comprising of open space cutting and some roadside verges.

Our current Ransome Highway 3 has proved to be reliable and effective and we would like to remain with a similar set up. The main specification requirements are listed below:

Operator requirements:

The mower should be able to be driven on a standard category B UK driving licence.

Noise levels:

The council is obliged by law to minimise risk to hearing of operators so requires machinery noise to be as low as practicably possible. An operator noise level under 85dB would be advantageous.

Drivetrain:

Permanent or optional 4 wheel drive as some terrain and ground conditions warrant 4wd.

Dimensions:

We have many narrow entrances to our open spaces and would like the width with the units up/in transport mode to be no more than 1.4m wide.

ROPS:

A ROPS system fitted which can be lowered for transport purposes.

Engine:

A suitably powered diesel motor.

Weight:

To not weigh more than 1250kg with full tank and all operating equipment attached.

Machine specifics:

To have 3 cylinder units of 8inch diameter or larger.

To have a fuel tank sufficient to last for 8 hours of use.

To have an amber beacon with on/off switch or removable 12v plug.

To have a small storage box/cuddy for operator personal belongings e.g. PPE, 2-way radio, lunchbox.

To have as wide a cut as possible while fitting the above dimensions!

Aftercare:

To have a minimum 2 year warranty including parts and labour with an optional 3rd years warranty price.

Vehicle requirement

Vehicle and associated parts supplied shall fully comply with current Health and Safety legislation and should have suitable noise suppression to comply with Environmental noise emissions standards and meet all requirements of the CE regulations and safety requirements.

1 years servicing at manufacturer specified intervals either done on site or collection and delivery inclusive of price.

Trade in mower specification

Please provide one quote detailing the trade-in value for the machine described inclusive of VAT, the purchase price for the new machine and any extras requested, a total net cost and an estimated delivery date.

Ransome Highway 3 purchased as an ex demo model in 2010 registration AY10 EWX with:

ROPS

Road lights

Storage box

TST electronic stability system

3 x Sport 200 cutting units

Kubota diesel engine

It has done circa 3300 hours as of 20/04/17

Well looked after and regularly maintained as per manufacturers service schedule

Any questions or queries regarding this machine may be directed to -

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Viewing welcome by prior arrangement.



