



## *Gilford Fire-Rescue*

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***Community, Safety, Professional Service***

### **Request for Proposals 2019 Ford F450 4x4 Super Cab and Chassis**

Gilford Fire-Rescue Department is requesting proposals for a Ford F450 to serve as a Forest Fire Fighting vehicle for the Town of Gilford. Performance requirements must meet manufacturer's recommendations and/or Gilford Fire-Rescue requirements.

Proposals submitted by the vendor must be specific in terms of method of construction and specification of materials used. All vendor/dealer contact information must be included.

Gilford Fire-Rescue will thoroughly review each proposal submitted and reserves the right to select or reject any proposal regardless of price.

#### ***General Scope:***

This truck will function as the primary forest fire fighting vehicle within the Town of Gilford. It will respond to wildland fires in the Town and in to wildland fires in other communities, as a subsequent responder. The truck will be outfitted with an aluminum body and compartments and will carry a forestry skid unit (which includes a pump, water tank, and hose). It is the intent of the buyer to have the rear dual wheel axle changed to a single wheel axle.

#### ***Required Specifications:***

168" Wheel Base.  
Air Conditioning.  
6.8L EFI V-10 Engine.  
6 Speed Auto Transmission.  
225 Traction Tires.



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Power Equipment Group.  
Platform Running Boards.  
Snow Plow Prep Package.  
Upfitter Switches.  
Payload Plus Upgrade Package.  
16,500 GVWR.  
50 State Emissions.  
Trailer Brake Controller.  
Jack.  
XL Value Package.  
Cruise Control.  
AM/FM/MP3/Clock.  
Sync.

### ***Paint and Finish:***

Race Red Exterior.  
Finished to a White over Red Exterior.  
Vinyl 40/20/40 Gray Interior.  
XL Trim.  
Graphics, Emergency lighting, and radios will be handled by Gilford Fire-Rescue post-delivery.

### ***RFP Advertisement***

- Gilford Fire-Rescue is accepting proposals for a new Ford F450 to serve as a forest fire fighting vehicle. Proposals will be accepted until April 15, 2019 at 1600 hrs, when they will be opened. The best proposal will be chosen on April 16, 2018 at 0815 hrs. The proposal should be addressed to or dropped off at Gilford Fire-Rescue, 39 Cherry Valley Road, Gilford, NH, 03249. It may also be e-mailed to: [scarrier@gilfordnh.org](mailto:scarrier@gilfordnh.org)