

PUBLIC NOTICE TREE REMOVAL

- The City of Rolfe is accepting sealed bids for the removal of 159 diseased Ash Trees from City right of ways in Calendar Year 2025.
- The trees generally range from 13 to 32 DBH (diameter at breast height) and have been marked with a double orange ring around the trunk.
- The City is without a facility to handle, store or dispose the volume of trees requiring removal.
- For a list of addresses and the variety of estimated DBH sizes, please refer to City sources below.
- Two bids are requested:
 1. One shall include the cost for removing the trees at four (4) inches above ground level - leaving a flatly cut stump, cleaning and hauling away all debris to the winning bidder's facility for proper disposal methods, and reasonable repair of any collateral damage made to adjacent property or right of ways.
 2. The second bid shall include the costs of grinding related stumps below ground level, reasonable repair of any collateral damage made to adjacent property or right of ways and cleaning hauling away all associated debris, also to the winning bidder's facility for proper disposal methods.
- Backfill of dirt and re-seeding of each will not be required.
- The number of trees may increase or decrease depending upon the bid award prices per the DBH bid, but bid award will be considered on the trees listed and the total bid for this project.

Only bids from registered contractors authorized to work in the state of Iowa will be considered. Bids must contain the Contractor's registration with the State of Iowa as well as Certificate of Liability Insurance in an amount not less than the following:

- ✓ **\$1,000,000 Each Occurrence**
- ✓ **\$2,000,000 General Aggregate**
- ✓ **\$1,000,000 Auto Liability**
- ✓ **Workers Compensation State Statutory Limits**

Bid Forms, list of addresses, and affected trees may be downloaded from the City of Rolfe website at <https://rolfeiowa.com> This and additional information bidders may require may be gotten from Rolfe City Hall, 319 Garfield Street, Rolfe, IA 50581, Monday to Friday, 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Bids shall be placed on the Bid Form, sealed in an envelope containing the required information, labeled "City of Rolfe - Tree Removal Bid" and received at Rolfe City Hall by 4:00 p.m., Wednesday May 7, 2025.

Bid opening shall occur at 5:30 p.m., Wednesday May 7, 2025, at Rolfe City Hall. The contract shall be awarded based on lump sum price from the lowest responsive bidder at the May 12, 2025, Regular City Council Meeting.

The City of Rolfe reserves the right to reject any and all bids, as well as right to waive technicalities in the bids received.