

**TOWN OF ISLE AU HAUT, SELECTBOARD
INVITATION TO BID: TRASH AND RECYCLING COLLECTION CONTRACT
and/
or PROPOSAL FOR TRASH AND RECYCLING**

The Selectboard is seeking bids for the trash and recycling collection contract. Trash is to be picked up every week in the months of July and August and the first three weeks in September. Pick-up for the remaining months would be every two weeks. During summer months, trash must be taken to the Stonington Transfer Station (or other licensed Transfer Station) during normal hours within a 3-day period from pick-up weather permitting.

If the trash is stored for a period of time in the winter, it is to be stored in a weatherproof-critter proof building on the contractor's property. Pick-up is at the discretion of the contractor, but a consistent schedule must be kept, (for example: every Saturday being the pick-up day through the contract) weather permitting. Bidders must explain how they will have all the following:

*A truck on Isle au Haut for pick-up and their own boat to transport materials. If they do not own their own boat, a signature on the contract of the owner of the transporting boat as co-bidder. **The Isle au Haut Ferry Services is open to transporting trash in sealed "Lift Bags" Mid-September through May. Please factor this extra cost into your bid.*

*A licensed truck on the mainland to transport material to Stonington Transfer Station or other arranged Transfer station.

*The winning bidder must provide their own vehicle and general liability insurance as they will not be considered a town employee. Please consider these in your bid costs.

*All drivers under contract must have a valid Maine driver's license and be covered by insurance and submit proof of both upon signing the contract.

*This contract is for the time period: June 1, 2025 thru May 31, 2026, for a minimum of 32 collections. Contractor can choose to do more collections.

OR

The Selectboard is open to other proposals for Trash and Recycling Collection and Transportation.

All bids are due May 31st, 2025 by 5:00 pm. Bids need to be in writing in a sealed envelope and postmarked by the due date. They should include a lump sum for the contract, name, email, or phone number and insurance to make the bid. Proof of insurance is not needed until contract signing. The Selectboard address is:

Town of Isle au Haut, Selectboard, P. O. Box 71, Isle au Haut, ME 04645

Selectboard reserves the right to reject any or all bids. If you have any questions, please contact Selectboard.

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