



11 February 2026

TO Commissioners' Court

FROM Jon Kleinheksel *JK*

RE Award Vehicle, Trailers for Road & Bridge
Contract No. 2026-143

Public Works recommends awarding one Brush Chipper Trailer to Morbark, LLC. The offer utilizes the Sourcewell Cooperative Contract # 010925-MBI are to be considered.

This recommendation is based upon consideration of the three quotes received for the (1) Brush Chipper Trailer:

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| Morbark, LLC | Sourcewell # 010925-MBI | \$123,068.30 |
| Vermeer Equipment of TX | Sourcewell # 010925-VRM | \$139,706.46 |
| Bobcat of North Texas | Sourcewell # 010925-BAN | \$108,024.40 |

While multiple bids were received, the lowest bid did not meet the minimum specifications outlined in the bid requirements. Specifically, the submitted equipment did not satisfy the required specifications required for departmental use. Therefore, the contract to be awarded to the lowest bidder whose proposal met all required specifications.

The FY2026 budget approved funding for the replacement and purchase of the recommended R&B vehicles. Should you require additional information, please contact me and I will respond accordingly.