

City of Buffalo



329 Dodge Street Buffalo IA 52728

(563) 381-2226

Date 5/19/2026

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)

The City of Buffalo will receive proposals for the replacement of 9 red tagged power poles by OSMOSE.

Sealed proposals will be accepted until 4:00 p.m., June 5, 2026, at the City Hall in Buffalo, Iowa. If mailed, the proposals should be mailed to:

City of Buffalo

P.O. Box 557

Buffalo, Iowa 52728-0557

Those submitting sealed proposals should indicate on the outside of the envelope in the lower left-hand corner that it is a sealed proposal for the RFP pole replacement quote and the name of the Company submitting the proposal.

The contract for services will be opened and awarded on June 8, 2026, at the Council Meeting at 6:00pm in City Hall Council Chambers.

Further information may be obtained from Josh Ferkel Director of Public Works at 563-370-1092 or email to: bufpublicworks@mchsi.com

Specific requirements.

- 1) Contractor is required to supply all new materials required for the replacement of all 9 power poles.
- 2) Transformers will be reused.
- 3) Cross arms to be replaced with new poly.
- 4) Cut offs and lighting arrestors to be installed on poles with transformers.
- 5) Disposal of old poles will be the responsibility of the contractor.
- 6) If materials cannot be sourced such as power poles and crossarms and need to be supplied by the city clearly address that in the quote and

specify the length and class power poles being requested from the city's stock supply.

- 7) Poles to be replaced:
 - 2-42 Chestnut Street.
 - 2-45 Chestnut Street.
 - 2-22 alley north of Chestnut Street.
 - 2-27 alley north of Chestnut Street.
 - 1-41 alley north of Walnut Street.
 - 1-25 alley north of Walnut street.
 - 1-16 Oak Street.
 - 1-13 Spruce Street.
 - 2-39 Maple street.

Indemnification. The CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to indemnify and protect the CITY OF BUFFALO from all suits, claims, and actions brought against it, and all costs or damages, which the CITY OF BUFFALO may be put to by reason on injury, to the person or property of another in the execution of this contract, or the performance of said work, and to this end the CONTRACTOR agrees at all times hereunder to keep itself insured against liability in the following amounts:

1. Workmen's Compensation as required by statute.
2. Public Liability and Property Damage:
 - \$500,000
 - Each combined single incident
 - \$250,000
 - \$500,000
 - \$1,000,000
 - \$1,000,000
 - Motor Vehicle Bodily Injury per person
 - Each accident
 - Property damage
 - Excess, Blanket Basis, Liability Umbrella

Prior to work, the CONTRACTOR shall name the CITY as a co-insured and file with the CITY Clerk certificates of insurance evidencing such coverage. Such certificates, or their replacements, shall be continuously on file with the CITY during the full term of this contract.