



MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
ADULT PASSENGER MODIFIED RAISED ROOF VAN
WITH CURB SIDE/WHEELCHAIR LIFT VEHICLE SPECIFICATIONS

1. The intent of these specifications is to describe a standard width type vehicle that will be modified, restructured and assembled by using best quality materials, components and workmanship in accordance with sound engineering principles and manufacturing practices to provide safe and reliable transportation for ambulatory and non-ambulatory adult passengers.

SHODDY AND INFERIOR QUALITY MATERIALS AND WORKMANSHIP WILL NOT BE ACCEPTABLE.

MoDOT reserves the right to conduct in-plant inspections.

2. Chassis Types:

2009 or 2010 Chevrolet or GMC model 30 or G3500 extended van with 155" wheelbase or approved equal.

2009 or 2010 Model Ford E350 Cargo or Window Super Van with 138" wheelbase or approved equal.

Minimum 60% domestic content, final assembly point in USA

3. Body, Exterior: Shall have manufacturers standard items for the grill; grill frame, hubcaps, moldings around windows, doors, lamps, etc. Drip rails shall be installed above all doors to prevent water leakage into van. Each vehicle will be thoroughly water tested before delivery.
4. Body, Interior: Standard comfort and convenience items. They shall be all manufacturers standard items and equipment, plus all additions or substitutions listed. If special option package is required with minor items not specified, include in your bid price.

Headliner or Ceiling - Shall be full length for driver and passenger area. This headliner shall have longitudinal and cross member supports where needed to prevent flexing and vibrations. The supports shall not be visible from the interior.

Side and End Panels - To be complete on all doors, sidewalls, ends, and corners. Only side panels and trim similar to OEM quality will be acceptable.

The ceiling interiors shall be of metal, fiberglass or similar type material. The material shall be fire resistant, sanitary and easily cleaned. Home type wall paneling or carpeting will not be acceptable.

Floor and Floor Coverings - The entire floor except driver's area, is to be made level with plywood or fiberglass re-enforced plywood a minimum of 1/2" thick securely placed over the metal floor by glue, screws or a combination of methods that will assure a permanent fitted floor. The subfloor shall be covered with a minimum of 2.2 mm thick vinyl transit type floor covering. All seams will be heat welded. Heat welding only applies when mating of similar surfaces. The rear wheel housings will be covered with a quality type of carpet or rubber to help deaden sound from road debris. Any sound deadening material is acceptable.

The entranceway and aisle will be smooth with anti-skid properties. Flooring under the seats will have anti-skid properties. The aisleway will be made of a high visibility yellow or white.

The floor covering color shall be contrasting to the vehicle interior, including seat-covering material.

All exposed edges around the wall, doors and entranceways shall be trimmed with a metal molding securely screwed or glued in place. The driver area shall have insulated floor covering and mat. The meeting point of the wall and floor shall be properly trimmed with metal, ABS, or rubber material. A waterproof seal between floor and wall junction is acceptable.

Insulation - The interior dash firewall, engine cover, lower panels, doors, floor, sidewalls, headliner, etc. shall be insulated. Insulation shall be 1" thick fiberglass or polyethylene. OEM insulation is acceptable for OEM retained components.

Insulation must be completely enclosed by the ceiling, wall panels, window moldings, etc.

Grab Rails and Stanchions- A floor to ceiling stanchion shall be installed near the aisle and immediately left of the entrance door. This stanchion shall be connected to the vehicle right hand sidewall by a guardrail. This panel shall be padded on the side facing the passenger seating positions.

An upright supporting type stanchion or grab handle shall be installed from the floor to the ceiling at the right of the entrance door, within easy reach of boarding passengers. This supporting stanchion shall provide passenger-boarding assistance. This grab rail can also be mounted to the door opener, if desired.

There will also be a floor to ceiling stanchion and modesty panel installed directly behind the driver's seat. This stanchion and modesty panel will not interfere with the adjustment of the driver's seat. This modesty panel may be deleted if there is a fold-a-way seat directly behind the driver.

All stanchions shall be securely attached to the ceiling and floor with at least two screws at top and two at bottom. These screws will go into some substantial material to reduce the chance of coming loose. The stanchions and guardrail shall be tubular, bright finish metal, covered and durable, premolded, high-density energy absorbing padding.

There will be an exterior grab handle securely mounted on the left door pillar by the driver's

entrance door. Approximate length will be 9".

Certification - All materials including insulation used in the interior shall be the latest fire resistant type that meets or exceeds all State and Federal requirements on the date of manufacture. (FMVSS 302) A certification shall be fixed to the vehicle and be plainly visible. FMVSS 302 compliance includes, but is not limited to, items such as raised roof, headliner, insulation and plywood sub floor.

5. **Seats, Seating Arrangement and Seat Belts (See Exhibits C and D)** - This arrangement shall provide seating as listed below and shown on the appropriate exhibit. If there is a conflict between the written specification narrative and the floor plan diagram, the written narrative controls.

Floor Plan C - This floor plan will provide permanent ambulatory seating capacity for four adults and two wheelchair positions. Both wheelchair positions will be an interchangeable arrangement between wheelchair tie downs and two, 2-passenger folding seats. The hardware for mounting the seats will be sufficiently recessed to eliminate the possibility of tripping or stumbling. Note seat spacing changes to diagram.

Floor Plan D – total capacity 8 ambulatory with no wheelchair or 2 ambulatory with 3 wheelchairs. There will be 3 fold-a-way seats on driver's side and two single seats on curbside.

The driver's seat shall be an electrically power adjustable high back bucket type with cloth covered full depth foam padded seat cushion and backrest. Include a folding armrest on RH side.

Fold-A-Way Seat Requirements:

Fold-A-Way type seats shall meet all dimensional, structural, and testing requirement of the standard seat specification.

All folding seats shall be forward facing for ambulatory passengers and fold against the wall when wheelchair space is required.

In the folded position, the seat may extend into the bus no further than 10" installed at 90 degrees to maximize space for wheelchair loading and positioning.

In the down, fixed position, the seat may not extend into the aisle more than 36".

Fold-A-Way type seats shall be Freedman 3 PT, or approved equal.

Two-passenger seats shall be a minimum width of 35"; one-passenger seats shall be a minimum width of 17".

All seats shall be a minimum depth of 16"; the backrests shall be a minimum thickness of 2".

All passenger seat cushions and backrests shall be covered with Level 3 vinyl material. Seat

cushions and backrests shall have full depth foam padding. The seat cushion padding shall have a density (4" minimum) sufficient to support occupants.

Seats will be placed to allow adequate shoulder room for passengers sitting next to the wall. The walk-through aisle between right and left hand seats shall be a minimum of 10" when measured between cushions.

Seat spacing shall be a minimum of 30" centers and/or 24" hip to knee room, providing adequate adult knee room. All seat frames will be painted or powder coated to prevent corrosion.

Fixed Seats

Fixed seats shall be a Freedman 3 PT or approved equal. Wall mount shoulder harnesses are acceptable.

The driver and all passenger seats shall have best quality seat belts. The driver and all passenger seats shall have equal length, two-piece belts and retractors with a minimum usable extension of 60", adequate to encircle and secure at the hips from the smallest to the largest size passenger that will be expected to use the belt, regardless of where the belts are anchored. The belts shall latch at the points as described in FMVSS 208. All passenger seats will have shoulder straps. Include three 8" seat belt extensions with each vehicle. These extensions will interchange with each type seat used in vehicle.

Floor Plans C and D will have at least three (3) seating positions that meet the FMVSS 225 latch system requirement for child safety seats. They may be located on either fixed seats, or folding seats and must be designated child safety seat locations. The preferred location of these positions will be on the aisle side of two-passenger seats.

6. Roof - The standard roof shall be removed and replaced with a steel, aluminum or fiberglass raised roof or roof and side panels. The replacement roof will be 30" high. The raised roof or roof and side panels shall be completely joined and be integral with the basic body and front and rear ends, side panels, and underbody structure by welding, riveting or bolting, or combining these methods to prevent separation at any point between the modification and basic body. Sheet metal screws will not be allowed.

Restructure and modification must be done in a manner that will not destroy the structural integrity of the basic vehicle. The material used and construction method must prevent vibration and drumming. Vehicle must meet FMVSS 220 for rollover.

All exterior and interior surface edges shall be turned, rounded or closed off and all protrusions must be either eliminated or adequately padded.

The roof must be supported and reinforced by a collapse resistant steel rollover protective structure (ROPS) that will be an integral part of the complete body.

The roof and ROPS structure must be capable of supporting the fully loaded vehicle if overturned. This structure must encompass the entire driver and passenger compartment.

The installation must provide complete weather and dust proofing.

The interior height from floor to ceiling for the entire van, within approximately 12" from each side, shall be a minimum of 72".

The exterior roof height, while providing maximum interior headroom, must not cause the vehicle to be top heavy and unstable. The roof should be aerodynamically designed to allow for minimum wind resistance.

7. Roof Ventilator/Emergency Exit: A dual purpose manually operated roof ventilator/emergency exit shall be installed in the extended roof of the vehicle at approximately the center of the passenger compartment. The hatch shall be 23" x 23" minimum and shall be installed so that when it is open and the vehicle in a forward motion fresh air will be provided inside the vehicle. The hatch may be a Transpec Inc. Model 1000 regular profile, Transpect Model 1075 Low profile, or an approved equal. Econo Model not acceptable.

8. Windshield and Window Glass - Safety plate windshield and window glass all around.

RH dual side load doors FMVSS safety glass in the upper half. Fixed glass in each rear quarter panel. OEM glass is acceptable.

Standard factory installed windows requiring no body modifications are the only acceptable windows. (Except in aftermarket doors)

All windows will have inside latches and locks for security.

RH side service door will have FMVSS safety glass in the upper and lower portions.

The windshield and front door glass will be tinted; all other windows will have privacy glass. (Approximately 30% light transfers on passenger windows). Only factory sunscreen will be acceptable on OEM windows.

9. Doors

Front – Driver’s side (LH) standard van door with roll down window.

Entrance RH – Curb side lift models only - Standard OEM door will be removed and replaced with a Transit style single or double forward folding, in-out or out-out opening type. This door shall provide no stoop entry headroom with a minimum of 80" entrance height from the top of the first entrance step to the door headliners. The minimum width shall be a 23". The top of the door entrance shall be fully enclosed and protected from weather and other elements. It shall have protective padding to prevent head injury when entering or exiting. Door will meet ADA requirements 49 CFR 38.25.

All vehicles will have an electrically operated door. The door will be forward folding, in-out or out-out opening type. A switch from the driver’s areas will operate this door. The door

and control arms will be located above the door area, or center mounted.

Door shall have a below floor level entrance stepwell, with a minimum of two steps. These steps shall be stationary, corrosion resistant steel, adequately braced and be an integral part of the basic structure. The height from ground to top of first step of empty vehicle will be a maximum of 13-1/2" and a minimum of 10". Additional step heights will be a maximum of 11"; the head depth for all steps shall be a minimum of 8". All of the steps shall be level and the risers shall be vertical and not angled. Step width will be a minimum of 24".

Each step will be covered with molded rubber or vinyl. The step covering will be non-skid type tread with white or yellow nosing. The riser shall be covered, painted or coated with scuff resistant material. Galvanized steel is acceptable. Metal under covered step may be galvanized steel.

Steps will be fully recessed, enclosed and protected from weather and other elements.

A stepwell light shall be provided and automatically operated by door control.

The entire door shall be weather stripped to provide a water and airtight seal. The door edge seals will be the over-lapping type to provide maximum sealing ability. Sweeps will be installed on the lower edges of door.

The door opening shall be structurally reinforced to have the same structural integrity as the body.

RH side lift door or doors – Standard cargo doors will be removed and replaced with single or dual swing-out type door or doors (single preferred). Gas cylinders will be provided to keep doors open during lift operations.

The door(s) height and width shall provide adequate clearance for the wheelchair entry. (60" minimum height and 40" minimum width)

This entranceway will be located forward in the right hand side of the body, across from the wheelchair securement area along the curbside. Lift door will meet all requirements of ADA 49 CFR 38.25.

The entranceway shall be protected from weather and other elements and be padded to prevent head and other injuries to passengers when exiting or entering.

There will be keyed switch located on the RH side of the vehicle to allow the operator to open and close the passenger entrance door from the outside.

Rear Door - This door shall be double type with fixed glass and will remain fully functional. This door will be lighted and marked as an emergency exit. After market doors are acceptable as long as they meet OEM quality.

The rear door must have an inside handle and lock, conveniently located.

All doors will have factory installed position hold and check arms.

All doors will have factory installed exterior and interior handles and locks.

All OEM doors must retain factory exterior and interior locks and handles.

10. Instrument Panel and Instruments – Standard panel with speedometer, odometer and needle type gauges for fuel, oil pressure, water temperature, etc.
11. Mirrors, Rearview - Interior, Day-Night type. Exterior LH and RH below eye-line type power adjusted. Approximate size 6" x 9". Also include left-rear mounted convex mirror to allow driver view directly behind the vehicle. (approximate 8" in diameter). This mirror will have a telescoping post to facilitate adjustment. Include a 6" x 12" interior rear-view mirror above the driver to facilitate a better view of the passenger area.
12. Hood Release Lock - In cab operated.
13. Windshield Wipers and Washers - Electric, two-speed intermittent option.
14. Miscellaneous Interior Items - Armrest for front driver door and padded sun visor for driver, ashtray for front driver area, cigar lighter, tilt steering wheel and cruise control.
15. Radio - AM-FM, manufacturers standard.
16. Lights and Signals

Exterior - High and low beam headlights, parking, tail, stop, backup, front and side marker lights or reflectors license plate, hazard warning flashers, directional signals, daytime running lights and back-up warning beeper. No exterior lights will be mounted that could be torn off during normal operation. There will be two red strobe type lights mounted on the rear end cap of the van that will be visible when both doors are open. They will be 6" in diameter. The strobe lights will be activated only by a dash-mounted switch with a pilot light to indicate activation.

The add-on roof will be marked with 2" wide by 6' long diamond grade reflective sheeting in the following manner;

- A. Across the top rear red/white
- B. Along both sides - center - white

Interior - Instrument panel, front and rear overhead lights, and all doors. Overhead lighting, activated by a dash-mounted switch, shall provide lighting intensity at a reading level. All door lights and RH front door stepwell shall illuminate automatically when doors are open.

All interior lights shall be adequately recessed or a type that will not be a hazard to occupants. Interior light fixtures shall be operable with or without engine running. All interior lights run on their own circuit.

All interior wiring shall be insulated and covered.

Any conversion electrical access panel will be mounted in a convenient location.

Each vehicle will be equipped with a reverse alarm or backing alarm. This alarm will be mounted in a location that will protect it from road debris.

17. Wheelchair Lift

The lift shall be an electrohydraulic type providing power-up, power or gravity down and power or automatic fold. The power source shall be the vehicle 12-volt electrical system. The lift will be mounted within the body with access through the right side load door. Modifications for the lift installation must not affect the structural integrity of the basic vehicle.

The lift shall have a minimum rated working load capacity of 800 lbs.

The lift will have no dirty or greasy surfaces that will contact the wheelchair occupant during normal operation.

The lift platform shall be constructed of expanded metal with a minimum usable width of 33" and a minimum depth of 51" and be painted high visibility yellow.

The lift shall have the following:

A manual override to lower or raise plus an emergency platform release for use in the event of power failure. Manual override by handle will be able to function without interference from interior obstructions.

The platform device shall lock in an upward position acting as a curb before the platform has departed ground level and pivots downward upon ground contact, acting as an entry ramp. There will also be a similar safety barrier located on the inboard side of the lift platform. Both of these barriers will be a minimum 6" in height.

There shall be door activated power cutoff device to prevent movement of the lift when vehicle doors are closed.

Two handrails for use by the wheelchair occupant or standee. These rails shall automatically fold up or down with platform movement and shall fold flat against the platform during transport.

An automatic down pressure cutoff device shall stop downward movement of the platform upon contact with any obstruction or the ground.

The lift shall have automatic controls to perform all functions. The control shall be a hand held, cord mounted console control, with sufficient cord length to allow operator to control the lift from inside or outside the vehicle.

Any part of the lift assembly protruding into the body that could be hazardous must be

properly padded for passenger protection. This will include the lift end barrier. Manufacture's flexible end barrier meets padding requirements.

The electro hydraulic lift system shall have a monitoring device requiring no tools to allow for a fluid level check.

The lift system and mechanism must be easily accessible for repair and maintenance without dismantling and removal from body.

The lift may be a Ricon S-2010 Series, Maxon WL-7, Braun Millennium Series, or approved equal.

Descriptive literature and detailed specifications must be included with your bid. The lift must meet all requirements of ADA, 49 CFR 38.23.

The lift must provide either a safety belt occupant restraint system inter-locked to lift operation or an outside end barrier that locks in place before the lift platform leaves the ground. Both systems are to reduce the chances of a lift passenger falling or rolling off the lift platform during lift operation.

18. Wheelchair Securement System and Area

Positive fastening wheelchair lock-in devices shall be provided for each wheelchair position. All securement devices will be easy to attach to floor with mobility aid in place and will meet 30 miles per hour 20g impact test criteria.

Each securement device will consist of a four point, belt hold down system complete with all belts, hardware and fittings required to make a complete wheelchair securement device.

The wheelchair securement tie down belts shall be retractable into a protected steel housing and eliminate the need for belt cleaning and storage. The belt housing and mechanical retractor shall be designed for a minimum five (5) year life. Belts will incorporate a S-hook or J-hook design to secure belts to the mobility aid.

The location of the rear belts shall be positioned to allow the driver to secure the wheelchair frame between the rear wheelchair wheels. The retractable belts shall feature positive locking mechanisms. The belts shall be equipped with a release tab to release tension on the belts when unfastening the wheelchair and to take up the excess belt when securing the wheelchair.

The retractable belts shall feature positive locking fully automatic mechanisms with knobs. Once the front belts have been attached to the wheelchair frame, a tension knob attached to the belt housing shall be applied to bring the wheelchair passenger and chair into securement. The front belts shall be designed for a minimum life of five (5) years. Floor tracks shall be a minimum of 44" apart (center to center). Sure-Lok Titan or Q Straint Deluxe tie-downs are "approved equals".

The four belts will attach to the wheelchair frame and to a series of tracks securely attached

to, and recessed into, the floor of the van. Each track will have evenly spaced slots for adapting to any size wheelchair. All wheelchair securement tracks will be attached to the floor with Grade 5 or higher bolts that go through the floor. These tracks will be securely attached with adequate nuts and washers to meet all requirements of ADA, 49 CFR 38.23 and will run the entire width of securement area(s). Tracks maybe welded, providing they meet all pull test certification.

There shall be provisions for storing all of the hardware and belts in pouches on the wall of the van. Floor mounted, durable metal or plastic boxes will also be acceptable.

On floor plans with two or more wheelchair positions, there will be two tracks next to each other to avoid having to “share” a track.

Easy to secure and release seat belts and shoulder straps which will encompass both the wheelchair and occupant shall be included. Easy to secure and release torso pads which encompass both the wheelchair and occupant shall be included for each wheelchair position. Include four (4) 16” “quick straps” (or approved equal) for each securement location and one (1) 12” occupant restraint extension to assist in wheelchair securement. Belts will encompass any size passenger.

All bolts used in wheelchair securement installation shall be a grade 5 or higher. All wheelchair securement devices and installation will meet ADA requirement 49 CFR 38.23.

19. Air Conditioning, Heating and Cooling - Front and Rear

Front integral deluxe high-output cooling, heating and defrosting unit with integral auxiliary rear cooling and separate heating for rear passenger area. Three-position speed controls for front and rear operation shall be front mounted accessible to driver and adjustable, unrestricted by air flow outlets that are to be located front and rear providing heating and cooling throughout the vehicle. Heaters are to be floor mounted and air conditioning is to be roof mounted. Roof mounted air conditioning to be adequately padded to prevent injury, and rear heaters are to be mounted behind rear wheel wells. Rear a/c unit is to have vents so passengers sitting directly below can receive cool air. Include a 6" two-speed (off, low, high) auxiliary fan mounted in the driver's area.

There shall also be a skirt-mounted air conditioner condenser to attain the required BTU cooling output. There will be two rust proof shields provided to protect condenser from rocks, etc. thrown from tires, one located at the front and one located at the rear of the condenser. This unit is to be horizontally mounted and installed flush within the lower body panel. This will be accomplished by cutting a hole in the lower body panel.

If, for modification purposes, a different type of heating and cooling system is required, the reason must be fully explained and the system proposed for use described in the bid.

The vendor must certify that the heating and cooling system proposed will provide passenger and driver comfort. Rear air conditioning will have a minimum capacity of 32,000 BTU's. Front A/C is to have a minimum capacity of 12,000 BTU's. Rear heater capacity will be a minimum of 30,000 BTU's. Include with the bid all information regarding the air-

conditioning and heating system to be installed. (i.e. make, model number, BTU output, etc.)

20. Chassis Requirements

Include a Power Group Option. This required option package will include power windows/locks, keyless, and power mirrors.

Engine - Gasoline V8, minimum 240 hp, providing necessary horsepower and torque at governed R.P.M. for road speed and grade ability. The engine shall have a full flow replaceable or spin on type oil filter and meet all current emission standards.

Trailer Towing Package or equal. Delete hitch assembly.

Cooling System - Heavy duty or maximum cooling radiator with overflow recovery reservoir and permanent type anti-freeze installed to protect the vehicle to at least 20 degrees F below zero.

Transmission - Automatic, 4-speed overdrive with an auxiliary exterior oil cooler.

Alternator - Minimum 200 amperes.

Chassis to be equipped with a Pentax automatic or InterMotive AFIS fast idle solenoid control (or approved equal). Fast idle shall be automatic, activated when a low voltage situation is detected and only when the transmission is in park.

Battery - HD with adequate CCA and reserve capacity for operating electrical options (minimum 600 CCA).

Steering – Power steering with tilt wheel.

Brakes - Power

Axle, Front - Minimum 4,000 lbs. capacity.

Axle, Rear - Minimum 6,000 lbs, capacity, ratio approximately 4.00 to 1. Include Roll Guard or approved equal.

Drive Shaft Guard - Minimum one shaft guard per drive shaft section (FMCSR 393.89).

Springs, Front - Heavy-duty coil with a front stabilizer bar.

Springs, Rear - Heavy duty, leaf type.

Shock Absorbers - Heavy duty, front and rear.

Fuel Tank or Tanks - Minimum capacity 31 gallons.

Tires and Wheels - The tires and wheels will conform to the tire and rim association

standards. They will be factory installed by the truck manufacturing company. Acceptable tire makes will be those listed as being available in the tire section of manufacturer's Truck Data Book on specification date.

Tires - Tires will be a major brand (not Firestone), factory installed, and meeting manufacturer's specifications. Five (front, rear and spare), minimum size 245 x 75 R16, steel belt radial, blackwall tubeless, all season tread. Spare tire and wheel are to be factory mounted under vehicle.

Wheels - Five 16" x 6.5", 8 stud disc wheels

Tire Changing Tools - The jack will be of the best quality and have adequate capacity to raise a loaded vehicle and will allow for easy removal of wheel and tire from under the raised vehicle. The wheel wrench will be the best quality tool of sufficient length to permit removal of wheels. Adequate and safe storage will be provided for these tools.

Bumpers - Front and Rear

Undercoating - The entire body and chassis understructure shall have a heavy, long lasting undercoating material meeting FMVSS 302. Automotive quality undercoating will not be acceptable.

Running Boards - Vehicle will be equipped with (1) one 8" wide by 36" long aluminum or galvanized steel running board mounted at the drivers door location. It will be a minimum of 1/8" thick and will have a diamond embossed or other anti-slip design on the footing area. This running board will be securely mounted with at least 3 braces made of galvanized steel to resist rust. A non-skid expanded metal will be installed on the entire step surface to prevent slipping. Diamond embossed only will not be acceptable.

Safety Equipment

This equipment shall include a 5 pound 10 BC Class fire extinguisher, a standard size first aid kit containing an assortment of bandages and medications suitable for the care of minor cuts, burns, and three reflective bi-directional triangles, of which are securely mounted in the driver's area. These triangles will include 3 LED lights (Tri Alert or approved equal). Also include an assortment of spare fuses for use in the vehicle and an emergency seat belt cutter.

Each vehicle will have a blood borne disease kit including the following items: latex gloves, CPR mask, goggles, apron, disinfectant wipes, absorbent and scoop, I.D. tag and red plastic bag. All first-aid and bloodborne disease kits will be packaged in durable metal or hard plastic cases.

All bidders shall describe and furnish a complete detailed listing of the vehicle, requested drawings and modifications of the equipment he proposes to furnish.

A detailed drawing, showing interior floor plan and seating arrangements shall be included.

A detailed drawing for RH front door entrance stepwell.

A detailed drawing for the RH front door and wheelchair access doors modifications.

A SCHEMATIC OF ANY INSTALLED WIRING SHALL BE FURNISHED WITH EACH VEHICLE.

A guarantee that the chassis manufacturer's warranty (3 years, 36,000 mile minimum) will be in effect at the time of delivery and acceptance, regardless of odometer reading or date of original purchase by supplier.

A list of dealers or service centers for all add on equipment used during the modification.

A copy of the warranty on the air conditioning, alternator, heating if other than chassis manufacturer's optional and on the wheelchair lift and securement devices. All components will have minimum of 24 month or 24,000 mile warranty.

Heating and cooling system guarantee. Description of heating and cooling and air-conditioning system.

To be furnished with each vehicle at time of delivery:

An operator's manual for the basic chassis and other systems.

A parts book and a service manual for all add-on equipment used in modification.

21. Color

Exterior - Standard available solid white – chassis and roof.

Interior - Interior trim, upholstery, seat belts, visors, etc., will be color keyed to exterior color.

22. Advertisements - Decals and all other forms of dealer advertisement will not be allowed.

23. If a 2009 Model cannot be supplied, then a 2010 Model must be supplied at the quoted price. This will only be exercised in the event of the successful bidder received a purchase order in time to order a 2009 Model year vehicle and fails to do so.

24. Bidder guarantees that any paint applied during van modification will not show through with rust for a minimum 3 (three) years from date of delivery.

25. Bidder will certify that the vehicle meets all Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations.

26. Buy American Certification – Final Assembly Point. The final assembly point for the Buy-American requirement is the location of the final conversion. The bidder will supply with the bid an itemized list of domestic produced parts or components used in the manufacturing of the vehicle; the estimated cost of each item, and the estimated total percent of the domestic components used in manufacturing the vehicle.

27. Include as an option on all floor plans. Safety Vision SV 5000, Backing Vision BV 1350, (or approved equal) backing vision system.
28. Include as an option on all floor plans. Overhead storage shelf (with netting) located above the seats on the driver's side.

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