

**13981 Interstate Lawn & Ground Maintenance for Rest Areas,
Parking Only and Weigh Scale Groups
Iowa Dot Response to Vendor RFP Questions**

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1. I have a question about the proposal guaranty amount for this letting. Do I have to submit a proposal guaranty for the Weigh Scales and Parking Only groups?

Answer: Yes, you must submit a proposal guaranty for ALL groups bid; Rest Area, Weigh Scale and Parking only groups.

2. How long do you hold the guaranty and when or is it ever returned?

Answer: The proposal guaranty is kept as a performance bond if a contract is issued against the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder for the Rest Area groups and will be returned upon successful completion of all contract specifications at the end of the contract.

If a contract is issued against the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder for the Weigh Scale/Parking Only groups, the proposal guaranty will be returned since no performance bond is required for these groups.

The proposal guaranty is returned to the non-awarded bidder(s) within a few days of the bid opening.

3. What are the current rates for last year?

<i>Groups 2015-2016</i>	<i>Current Month Price</i>
5B	\$1,267.70
6A	none
6B	\$423.63
10A	\$390.00
10B	\$495.00
2Ca-Salix	\$1,160.00
4C	\$514.00
5C	\$820.78
6C	\$381.15
9C	\$371.04