1.01 CITY OF DULUTH - ADVERTISEMENT FOR PROPOSALS

Sealed proposals will be received by the City of Duluth, Minnesota for RFP #11-03DS for the provision and installation of a Global Positioning System/Automatic Vehicle Location (GPS/AVL) system with commercial wireless (cellular/mobile data) communications.

There will be a Pre-Proposal Meeting on February 25, 2011 starting at 10:00 AM at Duluth City Hall Room 405, 411 1st Street, Duluth, MN 55802. Any entity that wishes to submit a proposal is urged to have a representative present at this Pre-Proposal Meeting.

Questions about this RFP will be due by 5:00 PM CST on March 3, 2011

Responses will be due by 2:00 PM CST on March 15, 2011. Responses received after that time will be returned unopened.

Documents containing responses must be sealed and marked with the Proposer's name and "Response to RFP11-03DS - GPS/AVL System for the City of Duluth". No faxed responses will be accepted.

Three (3) sealed written responses (1 original and 2 copies) and one (1) electronic copy (CD/DVD) must be delivered as follows:

Original (with bond) and One Written Copy:	One Written Copy and One Electronic version (on CD or DVD):
Mr. Dennis Sears Purchasing Agent City of Duluth Purchasing Office City Hall Room #100 411 West 1 st Street Duluth, MN 55802 (218) 730-5003	Elert & Associates Attn: Wendy Chretien 140 Third Street South Stillwater, MN 55082 (651) 705-1227

Copies of the specifications may be obtained from the City of Duluth website at http://www.duluthmn.gov/purchasing/bid_information.cfm

The City of Duluth reserves the right to accept any proposal or reject any or all proposals or parts of such proposals, and waive formalities or irregularities in the competitive acquisition process.

Dennis Sears, Purchasing Agent City of Duluth