

Legal Advertisement

Request for Bids Sale of Used Vehicles

The Cape Ann Transportation Authority (CATA) is seeking bids for the sale of used vehicles, including five (5) 16 passenger Ford E-450 body-on-chassis vans and one (1) International/HC Series. The vehicles are being sold as is with no warranty expressed or implied. The vehicles may be bid on individually.

To view vehicles, or for further information, contact Jackie LaFlam, 978-283-1886, ext. 102 or laflamj@cantran.com.

All bids must be accompanied by certified bank checks in the amount of the bids. All bids must be addressed to **Jackie LaFlam** and received at the **CATA Administrative offices, 3 Pond Road, Gloucester, MA 01930**, no later than **11a.m. on Thursday, August 15, 2025**. Bids must be submitted on the form available from CATA. Bid envelope must be sealed and marked **A Vehicle Bid**.

The CATA reserves the right to accept or reject any and all bids and to waive informalities and irregularities, as it deems in its best interest.

CAPE ANN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY

SCHEDULE FOR SALE OF USED VEHICLES

1. Send copy of Ad and Bid Form to interested private parties, newspaper (ad only), CATA website **Friday, August 1, 2025.**
2. Vehicles can be viewed until bid receipt deadline.
3. Bid receipt deadline, **11 a.m. Thursday, August 15, 2025**
4. Award Bid no later than **Tuesday, August 19, 2025**
5. Remove vehicles no later than **Friday, September 5, 2025**

CAPE ANN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY VEHICLE BID FORM

Year	Make/Model	Vehicle ID Number	CATA Vehicle #	Bid Amount
2013	FORD/E-450	Vehicle ID Number	250	\$ _____
2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS5GDC08384	252	\$ _____
2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS7GDC08385	253	\$ _____
2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS6GDC50305	254	\$ _____
2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS1GDC50308	256	\$ _____
2016	INTERNATIONAL / HC Series	4DRASAAN2GH103250	1501	\$ _____
Total Bid Amount				\$ _____

- Bidders must complete and submit the Vehicle Bid Form (pgs 3 & 4)
- Bidders must submit a separate check for each vehicle bid

IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT THE CAPE ANN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY IS SELLING THE VEHICLES AS-IS AND WHERE-IS AND THAT THERE IS NO WARRANTY EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED AS TO VEHICLE CONDITION OR ANY PART THEREOF. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER(S) AGREE TO REMOVE THE STRIPING, LOGO, AND NAME OF THE CAPE ANN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY ON THE VEHICLE(S) BEFORE THE VEHICLE(S) ARE PUT TO ANY USE. THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER(S) WILL BE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE REMOVAL OF THE VEHICLE(S). THE SUCCESSFUL BIDDER(S) IS REQUIRED TO FURNISH A CERTIFIED BANK CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF THE AWARDED BID TO COMPLETE THE SALE OF THE VEHICLE(S).

NAME OF BIDDER _____

ADDRESS _____

TELEPHONE _____

SIGNATURE _____ DATE: _____

RELEASE FORM

I,

of _____

have inspected the vehicle(s) as advertised for sale by the Cape Ann Transportation Authority, which I am purchasing from the Authority. In consideration of the sale of said vehicle(s) by the Authority to me, and signing over the title to me, I hereby agree that:

1. It shall be my responsibility to repair any defects and deficiencies and my responsibility to remove the striping and logo from the vehicles prior to registering and using said vehicle(s);
2. I shall cause such repairs to be performed and said defects and deficiencies cured prior to my registering and using said vehicle(s);
3. It shall be my sole responsibility to remove the vehicle(s) from the CATA property; and it shall be within two (2) weeks after signing the purchasing and sales documents.
4. I forever release, discharge, hold harmless and indemnify the Cape Ann Transportation Authority from any claims, demands, damages and liabilities whatsoever of every name and nature as a result of any failure on my part to do so.

WITNESS BY HAND AND SEAL THIS _____ DAY OF _____ 2025.

PURCHASER:

WITNESS:

PURCHASE AND SALES AGREEMENT

On this _____ day of _____, 2025, it is hereby agreed between the **Cape Ann Transportation Authority (CATA)**, the "SELLER" and _____, the "Buyer", that for and in consideration of the sum of \$_____ dollars, CATA shall sell and transfer to the BUYER the following property:

Year	Make/Model	Vehicle ID Number	CATA Vehicle #	Sale Amount
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2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS5GDC08384	252	\$ _____
2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS7GDC08385	253	\$ _____
2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS6GDC50305	254	\$ _____
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Total Sale Amount				\$ _____

These vehicles have been inspected by the BUYER, and it is agreed between the SELLER and BUYER that said vehicles will be rendered and accepted on an "as is" basis.

Upon the SELLER'S receipt of the consideration described above, the BUYER agrees to remove these vehicles from the CATA's facility at 3 Pond Road, Gloucester, MA no later than two (2) weeks after signing the purchasing and sales agreement. The BUYER further agrees to hold the SELLER harmless during the transport of the vehicles to the BUYER'S destination point.

A removal schedule must be arranged through CATA's Transit Supervisor, Mr. Jeff Howard, at the CATA Facility, 3 Pond Road, Gloucester, MA telephone 978-281-8315 extension 212.

CAPE ANN TRANSPORTATION
AUTHORITY

BUYER
