

Legal Advertisement Request for Bids Sale of Used Vehicles

Revised January 20, 2026

The Cape Ann Transportation Authority (CATA) is seeking bids for the sale of used vehicles, including ~~five (5)~~ four (4) 16 passenger Ford E-450 body-on-chassis vans, two (2) Gillig low floor 29' transit buses, and three (3) 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. A separate check is required for each vehicle bid upon. 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 Friday February 6, 2026**. 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, December 19, 2025.**
2. Vehicles can be viewed until bid receipt deadline.
3. Bid receipt deadline, **11 a.m. Friday, February 6, 2026.**
4. Award Bid no later than **Friday, February 13, 2026.**
5. Remove vehicles no later than **Friday, February 27, 2026.**

CAPE ANN TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY VEHICLE BID FORM REVISED 1/20/2026

Year	Make/Model	VIN	Number	Bid Amount
2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FSXGDC50307	255	\$
2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS1DGDC50308	256	\$
2017	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS0HDC46266	258	\$
2017	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS2HDC46267	259	\$
2018	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS2JDC23979	262	\$
2010	GILLIG / Low Floor Bus	15GGE2717A1091427	1001	\$
2010	GILLIG / Low Floor Bus	15GGE2719A1091428	1002	\$
2016	INTERNATIONAL	4DRASAAN2GH103250	1501	\$
2016	INTERNATIONAL	4DRASAAN9GH090299	1502	\$
2016	INTERNATIONAL	4DRASAAN9GH413719	1602	\$
Total Bid Amount				\$

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- 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 REVISED 1/20/2026

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 _____ 202__.

PURCHASER:

WITNESS:

PURCHASE AND SALES AGREEMENT REVISED 1/20/2026

On this _____ day of _____, 2026, 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	VIN	Number	Bid Amount
2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FSXGDC50307	255	\$ _____
2016	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS1DGDC50308	256	\$ _____
2017	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS0HDC46266	258	\$ _____
2017	FORD/E-450	1FDFE4FS2HDC46267	259	\$ _____
2018	FORD/E-450	4FDFE4FS2JDC23979	262	\$ _____
2010	GILLIG / Low Floor Bus	15GGE2717A1091427	1001	\$ _____
2010	GILLIG / Low Floor Bus	15GGE2719A1091428	1002	\$ _____
2016	INTERNATIONAL	4DRASAAN2GH103250	1501	\$ _____
2016	INTERNATIONAL	4DRASAAN9GH090299	1502	\$ _____
2016	INTERNATIONAL	4DRASAAN9GH413719	1602	\$ _____
Total Bid Amount				\$ _____

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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
