

Belcourt School District #7
Bid Request

Open Date: October 5, 2026

The Belcourt School District is calling for sealed bids for both:

- **One (1) new 71-passenger route bus with gas powered engine and automatic transmission and**
- **One (1) new 38 + 2-wheel chair position passenger bus with Cummins diesel engine, automatic transmission, air conditioning and wheel chair lift equipped**

The bidder will be required to specify a trade-in amount for (2) used Bluebird 71-passenger buses which can be viewed at the Belcourt School Bus Garage.

Pricing for each bus must be listed. Successful bidders must be a licensed, bonded, franchised dealer with warranty and parts availability. Any offers by the bidders of warranties, options, or assumed costs must be listed in the bids. For exact bid specification questions or information on used buses, contact Mr. Ray Trotter Jr. or Andrew Poitra at (701)/477-6471 ext. 3307.

All interested businesses or parties submitting bids must comply with the Turtle Mountain Band of Chippewa Indians Tribal Employment Rights Ordinance (TERO) Requirements. All parties must have or acquire a tribal business license before the final purchase is made. For further information on TERO or EPA fees, call (701)/477-2600.

Sealed bids must be submitted to Duane Poitra at the school Business Office by the closing date of **October 15, 2026 at 4:00 pm**. The mailing address is Belcourt School District #7, Attn: Duane Poitra, PO Box 440, Belcourt, ND 58316. The bid will be opened at the school Business Office and will be presented to the School Board at its next regular meeting. The Belcourt School District #7 Board reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or any part of the bid or to waive any formalities in the bidding. For further information contact:

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