

### **SCHOOL ADMINISTRATIVE UNIT #51**

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# Request for Bids – Snow and Ice Removal, Sanding, and Spring Sand Removal from Roadways and Parking Areas

Bid Deadline: October 15, 2025 - 4:00 p.m.

## I. Introduction

The Pittsfield School District invites sealed bids from qualified contractors for **snow and ice removal**, **sanding**, **and spring sand removal** for roadway and parking areas on the Pittsfield School District campus for the **2025–2026 winter season**. Work will include services at **Pittsfield Middle High School**, **Pittsfield Elementary School**, **and the School District Office building**, with requirements for full district-wide coverage.

# **II. Scope of Services**

## A. Pittsfield Middle High School

- Three (3) parking areas
- Loop around the entire school
- Main entrance walkway
- Sidewalk behind the school leading to the Elementary School

## **B. Pittsfield Elementary School**

- Driveway loop in front of the school
- Two (2) parking areas
- Asphalt areas in front of the school, including:
  - Main entrance areas
  - Kindergarten entrance area
  - Sidewalks around bus pickup and drop-off loop
- Dumpster area
- Fire lane extending the entire length of the school

## C. District-Wide Requirements

- Snow removal shall be performed for any snow event of two (2) inches or more.
- All lots, driveways, sidewalks, and travel ways must be cleared and treated prior to the start of the school day (7:00 a.m.) following any snow event. If snow continues during school hours, the contractor must provide return visits to maintain safe conditions for buses, staff, and emergency vehicles.

- Evening and weekend coverage is required to ensure safe access for school-sponsored and community events, including athletics, concerts, and meetings. Coordination with school administration will be expected.
- Removal of accumulated snow from parking areas with a front loader as needed.
- Application of a sand/salt mix to all areas during and after events where asphalt surfaces become hazardous.
- Complete removal of sand in April 2026 following the conclusion of the snow season.

Note: This bid includes all entrances previously noted and:

- The two entrances at the back of PES
- The boiler room door near the dumpster at PMHS
- The walkways from PMHS to the SAU
- The walkways within the Head Start fence

# **III. Bid Submission Requirements**

#### Bids must include:

- 1. Pricing for plowing, sanding, loader work, and spring sand removal (see Bid Response Form).
- 2. Description of equipment available, including plows, loaders, and sanding/salting units.
- 3. Approximate response times for snow events.
- 4. Contractor contact information and references for similar contracts, if available.
- 5. Certificate of Insurance.

## **IV. Submission Instructions**

Bids will be accepted until October 15, 2025, at 4:00 p.m. Submit sealed bids to:

#### Sandie MacDonald - Snow Removal Bid

Superintendent of Schools Pittsfield School District 23 Oneida Street Pittsfield, NH 03263

## V. Conditions

- The Pittsfield School District reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid that appears to be in the best interest of the District.
- The District may waive any formalities or reject any part of any bid.
- Bids may be withdrawn prior to the submission deadline.
- Bids received after 4:00 p.m. on October 15, 2025 will not be considered.
- If all bids exceed the budgeted appropriation, the District reserves the right to negotiate with bidders.

# Bid Response Form – Pittsfield School District

Snow Removal, Sanding, and Spring Sand Removal – 2025–2026 Season

Service Description	Unit Cost	Notes (e.g., per storm, per hour, per application)
Snow plowing – parking areas		
Snow plowing – driveways/loops		
Sidewalk clearing		
Loader work (snow removal from lots)		
Sand/salt mix application		
Sand removal – April cleanup		
Other charges (specify)		
Company Name:		
Contact Person:		
Phone/Email:		
Signature:		
Date:		



