

**Colby Community College (CCC) Welding Machine
RFP (Submission deadline is noon on 2 November 2023)**

Overview and Background:

Colby Community College is located in the northwest corner of Kansas, approximately 50 miles from the Colorado and Nebraska borders. The college was established in 1964; it is a dynamic institution of more than 2,400 students. In addition to a main campus of approximately 60 acres, CCC operates a 60-acre farm for students to use as a hands-on laboratory and training facility.

CCC is seeking bids for four (4) new Welding Machines for their new Feedlot Certificate program on their 60-acre farm. 612 792 reW* nBT/F1 12 Tf1 0 0 1 72.504 457.27 Tm0 G{p143Tf1 0 0 12 Tf1 0

Amperage Range: 40 A - 260 A

Current Type: AC | DC

Weldable Metals: Aluminum | Stainless Steel | Steel

Engine: Gas engine drive with remote start

Flowmeter: Regular with hose

Cable: Welding 1/0 reel black flex-e-prene, 96 feet

Connector Set: LC-40, 8 total

Electrode Holder: AF-3

Ground Clamp: 9205-1130

Lines: 3 – assembled as 12ft 300 amp ground and electrode holder

Package: suitcase 12RD KDD with meters, T H, Q300 AMP gun

Any questions can be directed to Adalaide Kline, Beef Director, at (785) 460-5465 or adalaide.kline@colbycc.edu.

The RFP will be posted on CCC's website, <https://www.colbycc.edu/vendors>, and can be downloaded from there directly as of 5:00 p.m. on 18 October 2023.

Project Timeline:

The Welding Machine bids proposed **MUST** include an ETA for delivery. Classes are being taught in the fall semester, and it is desired to have the Welding Machines for instruction by 1 January 2024. If you are not able to meet or exceed this deadline, please provide a timeline that you are able to accommodate.

Submission of Proposals:

Respondents to this RFP must submit their sealed proposal – by hand or email – no later than 12:00 p.m. (CST) on 2 November 2023

Elements of Proposal: