

SOIL & WATER



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Columbus Soil and Water Conservation District

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Columbus SWCD is receiving our annual bids for stream debris removal projects. The bids that will be submitted are not for a specific project, rather the type of project, i.e.; hand work, boat work, etc.

These bids will be utilized on a “as needed basis” by Columbus SWCD (when our office receives funding). All submitted bids will be valid for a **12-month period**. The process on how the bids will be selected and awarded is listed below:

Review Process:

- Contractor submits the bid sheet to Columbus SWCD by February 3, 2025 by 5pm.
- Columbus SWCD and the Board of Supervisors will open the bids on Thursday February 6, 2025 immediately following the Board of Supervisors Meeting that begins at 8am.
- All submitted bids will be compared to Columbus SWCD’s price estimate for each type of project. All bids that are greater than 10% of the price that Columbus SWCD has estimated, will be rejected automatically. All remaining bids will be awarded an eligibility notification, stating that the contractor could potentially receive work. **(Note: This is not a guarantee that you will receive work!)**
- The awarded eligible bids will be utilized on an as needed basis (when our office receives funding.)
- When Columbus SWCD has the resources available to award projects, we will contact the lowest **qualified** bidder first. The contractor will then have 10 business days to accept or decline the job. If declined, Columbus SWCD will contact the second **lowest qualified** bidder and so forth.
- The beaver dam removal bid will utilize funding from our Beaver Bounty Program. **This is not for a beaver dam that a contractor removes during a stream debris removal project.** Therefore, please be aware of this when submitting this bid that you will be asked to come and remove a beaver dam only!

Thank you for your continued support and interest in Stream Restoration / Debris Removal in Columbus County, NC.

If you have any questions about this process, please contact Columbus SWCD.

Sincerely,

District Watershed Coordinator
Columbus SWCD

Columbus SWCD Project Bid Sheet

Description	Bid	Bid	Bid	Bid	Bid	Bid
Type of Work	Hand Work Only	Hand & Machine Work	Barge Work	Boat Work	Single Trees	Debris Blockages
Bid Per Linear Foot						
Mobilization Fee (One time fee)						
Isolated Debris (see last 2 columns)						
Beaver Dam Removal (Through Beaver Program)						
Any questions should be directed to Columbus SWCD at 910-642-2196 ext. 3						
Comments:						