

FORSYTH COUNTY
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

MEETING DATE: OCTOBER 10, 2019

AGENDA ITEM NUMBER: 14

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PUBLICATION OF AN OFFER TO PURCHASE COUNTY OWNED REAL PROPERTY BY NEGOTIATED OFFER, ADVERTISEMENT, AND UPSET BIDS PROCEDURE - 129 N. GRAHAM AVENUE (GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT)

COUNTY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION OR COMMENTS: Recommend Approval

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION: See Attached

ATTACHMENTS: YES NO

SIGNATURE: J. Dudley Watts, Jr. /AMS
COUNTY MANAGER

October 3, 2019

DATE: _____

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COUNTY OWNED REAL PROPERTY BY NEGOTIATED OFFER,
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(GENERAL SERVICES DEPARTMENT)**

WHEREAS as a result of a property tax foreclosure proceeding, Forsyth County currently owns real property located at 129 N. Graham Avenue, Winston-Salem, N.C., and further identified as Parcel Identification Number 6835-86-2596.00 for which the County has no use and wishes to sell to the highest bidder;

WHEREAS Forsyth County received and proposes to accept an offer in the amount of \$4,580.00 by Mr. Curtis Cazoe to purchase the above-described real property subject to advertisement and upset bids;

WHEREAS pursuant to the provisions of N.C.G.S. 160A-269, Forsyth County must require the offeror to deposit five percent (5%) of his bid with the Clerk to the Board and the County is required to publish a notice of the offer for upset bids before accepting any offer; and

WHEREAS Mr. Curtis Cazoe has deposited \$229.00 with the Clerk to the Board, which is the required five percent (5%) deposit;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners, pursuant to the provisions of N.C.G.S. 153A-176 and 160A-269, that Forsyth County plans to sell the above-described real property by negotiated offer, advertisement, and upset bids procedure and has received an offer as described above and the Board proposes to accept the said offer or any qualifying upset bid received as provided by law, and to sell the property to the highest bidder;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the County Manager is hereby authorized to publish a notice of said offer as required by N.C.G.S. 160A-269 and to re-advertise the offer at any qualifying upset bid received until no further qualifying upset bids are received, at which time the Board of Commissioners may accept the final offer and sell the property to the highest bidder; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that Forsyth County may at any time reject any and all offers.

Adopted this the 10th day of October 2019.



Forsyth County Government

Surplus Property

OFFER TO PURCHASE

I hereby submit a bid and offer to purchase certain real property owned by Forsyth County.

The property is identified as:

Lot & Parcel Identification Number(s): 6835-86-2576-00 Block 0535-026

Street Address: 129 N. GRAHAM AVE

My bid for the property listed above is \$ 4,580. I understand that I will be required to deposit 5% of my bid amount in the form of certified funds made payable to Forsyth County with the Clerk to the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners prior to advertisement of my bid for upset bids as required by North Carolina law.

If my bid is the highest bid after all qualifying upset bids have been received, I request the Forsyth County Board of Commissioners accept my offer and sell the above listed property to me. I request Forsyth County prepare a quitclaim deed for the property listed above in the following name(s) as Grantee(s):

Upon notification that my offer has been accepted, I will pay the purchase price in full by certified check or money order payable to Forsyth County. I understand that I will be responsible for recording the deed and all expenses associated therewith. I further understand that should my bid be accepted and I fail to pay the purchase price in full, I will forfeit to Forsyth County the amount of any deposit I have paid on the property.

Name: CURTIS CAZOE

Title (if submitting on behalf of an LLC or business organization): _____

Address: 8510 POINT DAK DR

COLFAX N.C. 27235

Telephone: 336-253-3191

Email: ccazoe@hotmail.com

Signature: *C. Cazoe*

Date: 8/17/2019

Please note:

The 5% deposit of the bid amount will be required only after a bid is accepted. Not all bids received will be accepted for advertisement. Should your bid not be accepted, you will receive written notification as soon as a decision has been reached. Please mail all bid forms to:

Forsyth County General Services
Attention: Chelsea Swaim, Property Manager
201 N. Chestnut Street
Winston-Salem, NC 27101