

# LEGAL NOTICE

## INVITATION to BID

The **Town of Ridgefield** invites all interested parties to submit sealed bids on the following :

**Bid DUE DATE:** June 21, 2016  
**Bid DUE TIME:** 11:30 am  
**Bid ITEM:** Scag Mower – 61 “ Tiger Cat II  
**Bid NUMBER:** 16-40

Terms and conditions as well as the description of items being bid are stated in the specifications.  
**Specifications may be obtained at the following address:**

**Town Of Ridgefield  
Jerry Gay  
400 Main Street  
Ridgefield, CT. 06877  
203 - 431 – 2720**

Or downloaded from [www.ridgefieldct.org](http://www.ridgefieldct.org) in Purchasing section under Departments

The return bid envelope must be marked and addressed to the following:

**TOWN OF RIDGEFIELD  
DIRECTOR OF PURCHASING  
Bid NUMBER: 16-40  
400 MAIN STREET  
RIDGEFIELD, CT. 06877**

Proposals must be received no later than the date and time stated above at the Purchasing Director's office on the second floor. **For further information, please call Jerry Gay at (203) 431-2720 or E-Mail at [purchasing@ridgefieldct.org](mailto:purchasing@ridgefieldct.org)**

**Bid Documents available at [www.ridgefieldct.org](http://www.ridgefieldct.org) in Purchasing section under Departments**

**Results may be viewed at [www.ridgefieldct.org](http://www.ridgefieldct.org) in the Purchasing Section under Departments**

# TOWN OF RIDGEFIELD CONNECTICUT

## BOARD OF SELECTMAN

### INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Submit proposals in a sealed envelope plainly marked with bid number to identify this particular proposal.
2. Withdrawals of or amendments to bids received later than the time and date specified for bid opening will not be considered.
3. The Board of Selectman of the Town of Ridgefield reserves the right to accept or reject any or all options, bids or proposals; to waive any technicality in any bid or part thereof, and to accept any bid deemed to be in the best interest of the Town of Ridgefield, Connecticut.
4. Bidders may be present at the opening of bids.
5. Bids may be held by the Town of Ridgefield for a period not to exceed sixty (60) days from the opening of bids for the purpose of reviewing the bids and investigating the qualifications of bidders prior to the awarding of the contract.
6. Insurance requirements, if any, must be submitted with the bid. This includes any Hold Harmless requirements as well as Certificates of Insurance, if required, for the full amounts specified. **Unauthorized changes** to these forms, i.e. adding, striking out and/or changing any words, language or limits **will cause the bidder to be disqualified**.

**Please Note** : Certificates of Insurance, if required, **MUST** name the Town of Ridgefield as "**Additional Insured**". Failure to do so may mean disqualification from the Bid.

**APPENDIX - HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT**

To the fullest extent permitted by law, the undersigned Contractor shall defend, indemnify and Hold Harmless the Town of Ridgefield, it's affiliated entities, and their employees and agents (collectively "the indemnified parties") , with respect to all losses, damages, fines, penalties, costs and expenses and liabilities, including, but not limited to, costs and expenses of defending against any of the foregoing, arising from any claim, suit or action in which it is alleged or determined that any injury to or death of any person, or damage or destruction to the property of any person caused, in whole or part by : (i) the acts or omissions, whether negligent, willful or otherwise, of Contractor, it's employees or agents; (ii) the violation of any statute, rule, ordinance or regulation, by Contractor, it's employees or agents; or (iii) Contractors agents or employees performance of, non-performance of, or failure to properly perform, its obligations and duties under this contract.

The forgoing obligations to defend and indemnify shall apply regardless of any allegation or determination that an Indemnified Party caused or contributed to, or was liable for, in whole or in part, the death, injuries or damages alleged. Contractor hereby acknowledges its assumption of full and complete responsibility and liability for losses, claims, suits, actions, damages, fines, penalties, costs, expenses and liabilities arising from any of the causes listed herein above, even in cases where the contractors assumption of such responsibility and liability involves the defense and indemnification of an Indemnified Party from the consequences of it's own alleged negligence. Contractor hereby agrees that no condition precedent to it's obligations to defend and indemnify stated herein, whether by way of notice or otherwise, exists or shall constitute a defense to such obligations.

The Contractor shall comply with the Provisions of the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986 effective and enforceable as of June 6, 1987 which Act makes unlawful the hiring for employment or subcontracting individuals failing to provide documentation of legal eligibility to work in the United States. The Contractor shall hold the Town of Ridgefield harmless for the failure of the Contractor to comply with the provisions of said Act.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have set their

hand and seal this the \_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Company Business Name

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in the  
Presence of:

Signed:

\_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name

**Town of Ridgefield Parks Dept, Bid 16 - 40**  
**Due June 21, 2016 at 11:30am**  
**Scag 61" Tiger Cat II Mower**

The Town of Ridgefield and the Parks and Recreation Department is requesting sealed bids from qualified vendors for providing and delivering a Scag 61" Tiger Cat II Mower as described below to the P&R Maintenance garage at 57B South Street, Ridgefield, CT, 06877.

**Detail Specifications :**

The Town is specifying a Scag 61 inch Tiger Cat II mower with a 26 HP Fuel injected engine as described in the attached brochure. Or Equal mowers will NOT be considered.

**Options :**

Option A – Vendors shall provide a price for supplying a 12 bushel dump from the seat catcher system

**Pricing :**

Contractors shall submit a single base price for providing and delivering the equipment to the P&R Garage at 57B South Street, Ridgefield CT 06877. A separate price shall be submitted for the 12 bushel catcher system. Price's may be submitted on the Contractors letterhead in a sealed envelope and bids must be submitted by the date and time listed where bids will be opened and read aloud.

Contractors shall state normal delivery time from when they receive a Purchase Order signifying the award. The Town is anticipating a quick award with a PO issued within 48hrs of the bid opening

Questions shall be in writing (e-mail acceptable) and submitted to Jerry Gay, the Purchasing Director. 203-431-2720 or purchasing @ridgefieldct.org



# THE SCAG TIGER CAT II

With roaring power and agile maneuverability, the compact Scag Tiger Cat II® is a force all its own. Where productivity is essential, the Tiger Cat II delivers with ease, capable of handling

more than 24 acres per day.

Powerful engines and a tough dual pump and wheel motor drive system ensure dependable performance, year after year. Equipped with a **Velocity Plus™** cutter deck, this mower will tame the tallest grass and leave it looking smooth and professionally manicured.

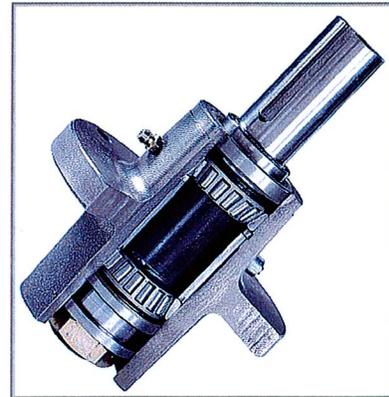
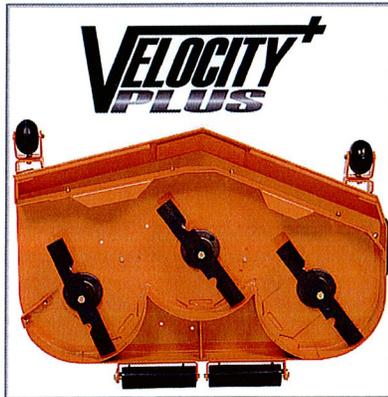
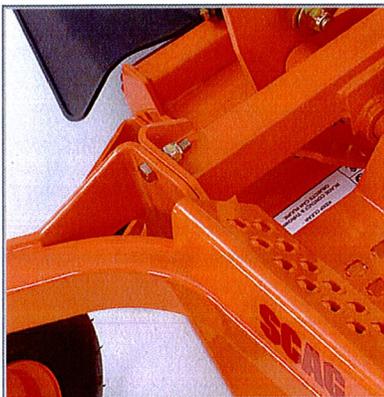
A full-body welded steel frame will not yield to tough terrain, while the low center-of-gravity keeps the Tiger Cat II stable. The replaceable front caster extension protects the main frame against impact damage and features tapered roller bearings in the caster yoke pivots for long, dependable life.

Comfort is maximized with either an adjustable suspension seat or a soft-ride seat. Adjustable steering levers, arm rests and a big foot platform reduce operator fatigue.

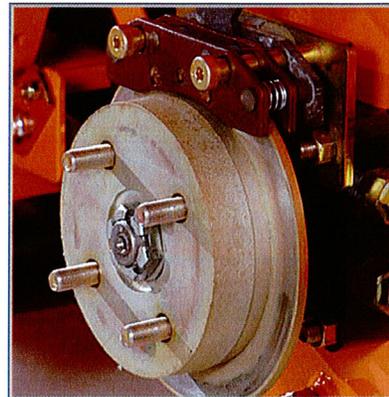
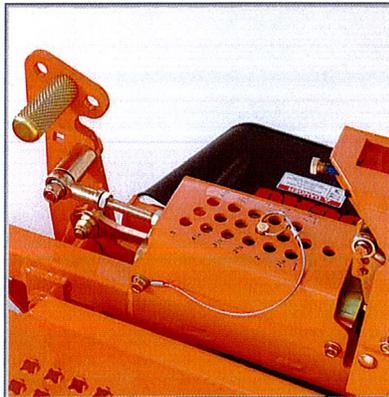
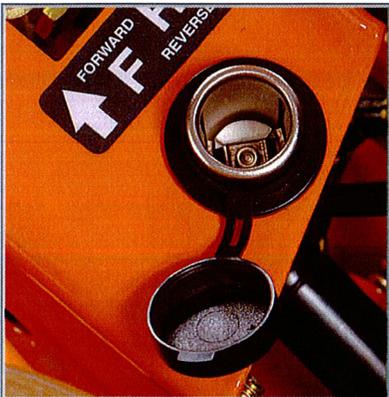
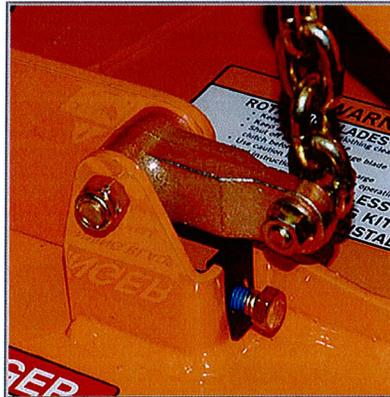
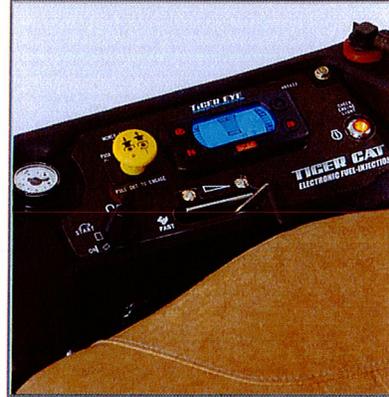
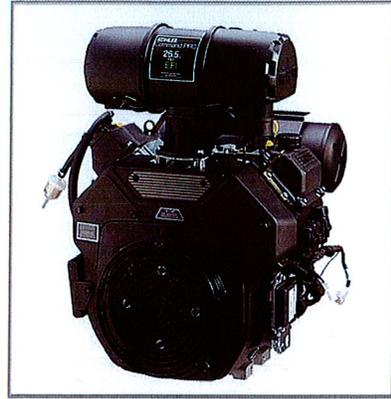
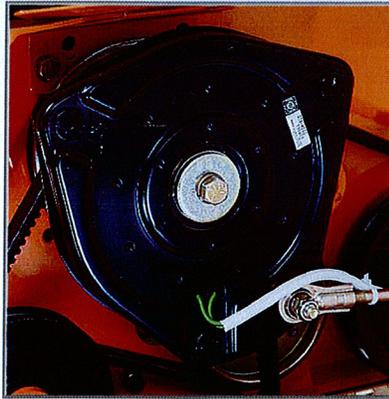
For big value in a compact package, test out a Tiger Cat II today. But be warned. . . this cat has a big bite. Talk to your **Scag dealer** today to tame your own Tiger Cat II. Check out our **social media page** and our **testimonials page** to see what real Scag customers are saying about their Scag mowers.



## PRODUCT IMAGES



61" DECK  
26 H.P. Kohler  
Fuel Injected.



## PRODUCT DETAILS

- Heavy-duty hydraulic drive system includes dual 12cc Hydro-Gear hydraulic

- pumps and large capacity Parker wheel motors for reliable, zero turn maneuverability.
- **Up to 12 MPH forward** and 5 MPH reverse speeds keep productivity at a maximum.
  - **Ogura GT3.5 PTO clutch brake** has 250 ft. lbs. of torque for easy blade engagements and solid holding power in heavy cutting conditions. Adjustable air gap ensures long component life.
  - **Compact mower size** enables you to take the Tiger Cat II into tight places. The Tiger Cat II occupies less space on your trailer without sacrificing performance.
  - Choose a 48", 52" or 61" **Velocity Plus™ cutter deck**. Match that with a **Kawasaki FS series, Kawasaki FX series, Kohler Command Pro, or Kohler EFI**.
  - **Heavy-duty, fully-welded tubular steel frame** provides a solid foundation for years of reliable service; replaceable front caster wheel weldment.
  - **Torsion spring suspension seat** adjusts to operator's weight to provide superior comfort. Seat features full padding, forward/rearward adjustment, high back, adjustable armrests and adjustable back angle.
  - **4-point rubber iso-mount** system under the seat absorbs front-to-back and side-to-side energy to soften the bumps and provide an incredibly comfortable ride.
  - **Dual fuel tanks** (9.5 gallons total) keep you in the field cutting grass. Fuel tanks feature extra large, angled filler necks for easy filling. **Molded-in cup holder** allows for added operator convenience and comfort. Built-in fuel gauge.
  - **Aluminized engine exhaust** reduces back pressure, increases performance, and lasts longer than conventional steel construction.
  - **12cc hydraulic pumps equipped with cooling fans provide smooth and reliable power**. Built in pressure relief valves reduce internal pressure spikes and add to hydraulic component life.
  - **Standard equipment auxiliary canister air filter system** on most Tiger Cat II's. This provides increased service intervals and longer engine life.
  - **The foot plate area is extra-large** for improved operator comfort and easier mounting and dismounting of the mower. Flip-up foot platform features an auto-latch
  - The **Scag "Simply the Best" commercial warranty** stands behind you and your mower for years of profitable service.
  - **Spring-loaded idler arms** effortlessly keep belts in constant adjustment for maximum life and minimum maintenance.
  - **"Split-Steel" pulleys** are used on load-carrying areas like the cutter deck spindles and pump drive systems. Split steel pulleys are stronger than cast-iron or stamped pulley designs. Our pulleys are strong for long life and lightweight for reduced inertia and decreased wear on the cutter deck drive system.
  - **No plastic pulleys** - Some [other brands] actually use plastic pulleys on their mowers. Not Scag. All Scag pulleys are made from metal. Plastic is for toys.
  - **High-quality bearings and bearing debris guard** on idler pulleys ensure long, reliable service.
  - **Tapered roller bearings** are utilized in the front caster wheels and in the caster pivots for durability and reduced maintenance. These bearings can handle a 50% larger load than standard ball bearings. They are well suited to handle the daily pounding the front caster wheels receive.
  - **Standard-style steering controls** are ergonomically-shaped and padded for easy control and maximum operator comfort.
  - **Multi-point steering dampers** are designed and located for smooth operation and minimal fatigue. Mount the dampers in one of three mounting locations for a customized feel.
  - **Easily adjust cutting heights** from the seat with the convenient adjustable foot pedal and top access cutting height selector. Wide range of adjustment from 1" to 5" in 1/4" increments.
  - **Four corner deck adjustment** allows for easy in-the-field deck leveling adjustment.
  - **Marbain cutter blades** stay sharp longer for reduced maintenance.
  - **Heavy-duty blade drive spindles** provide reliable, top-notch performance day in and day out.
  - **Custom-Cut Baffle** allows you to customize the cutter deck to your individual cutting conditions.

- **Large drive tires** ensure solid traction and easy curb climbing. Large pneumatic front caster tires for a smoother ride.
- **Interlocked parking brake system** prevents movement while trailering or when parked on inclines. The mower cannot be driven when the brake is applied. This prevents premature brake wear.
- **Operator friendly instrument panel** located just to the left of the operator. It includes Tiger Eye: Advanced On-Board Monitoring System, ignition switch, mower engagement switch, and separate choke and throttle controls.
- **12V accessory plug** allows charging of the phone and other small accessories.
- **User-friendly design** allows quick access to the engine and filters, for easy maintenance.
- **Engine oil drain** makes maintenance clean and easy.
- **Replaceable trim side wear pad** on the cutter deck helps protect landscape and the edge of the cutter deck from wear and tear.
- **High quality electrical components** such as switches, wiring, sealed fuses and harness looms are used throughout the Scag mower line for dependable service.
- **Foldable Rollover Protection System (ROPS)** is standard equipment and easily fits into enclosed trailers. ROPS provides additional operator safety. Retractable seatbelts for added convenience.
- There are many productive **accessories** for the Tiger Cat II like the **Tiger Striping kit**, the 16 bushel **spindle driven grass catcher**, the 12 bushel **dump-from-the-seat catcher** system, and many more.
- \*Actual ground speed may vary. Specifications subject to change without notice or obligation.

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### Models - Engine and Deck Combinations

Model	Description
STCII-48V-22FS	48" <b>Velocity Plus™</b> Cutter Deck, 22hp Kawasaki 651FS air-cooled engine
STCII-48V-23CV	48" <b>Velocity Plus™</b> Cutter Deck, 23hp Kohler air-cooled engine
STCII-52V-22FX	52" <b>Velocity Plus™</b> Cutter Deck, 22hp <b>Kawasaki 691FX</b> air-cooled engine
STCII-52V-25CV-EFI	52" <b>Velocity Plus™</b> Cutter Deck, 25hp <b>Kohler EFI</b> fuel injected air-cooled engine
STCII-61V-23FX	61" <b>Velocity Plus™</b> Cutter Deck, 23hp <b>Kawasaki 730FX</b> air-cooled engine
STCII-61V-26CV-EFI	61" <b>Velocity Plus™</b> Cutter Deck, 26hp <b>Kohler EFI</b> fuel injected air-cooled engine

### Product Dimensions

Tiger Cat II - Product Dimensions	48" Tiger Cat II	52" Tiger Cat II	61" Tiger Cat II
Length	80"	80"	80"
Width (chute down)	60.5"	64.5"	73.5"
Width (chute in transport position)	49"	53"	62"
Height (ROPS up)	66"	66"	66"
Height (ROPS down)	54"	54"	54"
Weight	1,160-1,175 lbs.	1,175-1,180 lbs.	1,255-1260 lbs.

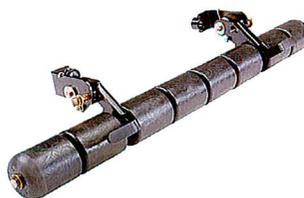
### Accessories

**3-Bag Collection Systems**

**Clam-Shell Collection System**

**Tiger Striper**

**Hurricane Plus Mulching System**

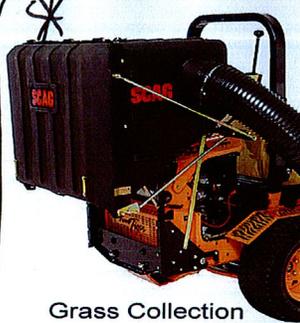


Tiger Striper



**Grass Collection**  
3- Bag Collection Systems are perfect for easy dumping into containers or the back of a truck. 16-bushel capacity. High-performance, all-steel blower.

**MORE INFO**

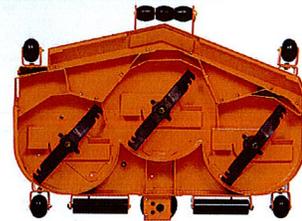


**Grass Collection**  
Dump from the seat collection systems ideal for on site or tarp dumping. 12-bushel capacity. High-performance, all-steel blower.

**MORE INFO**

Spring-loaded lawn striper. Create beautiful lawn patterns to set your work apart.

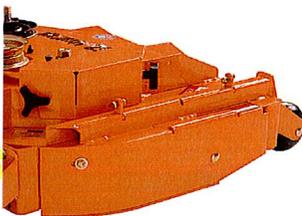
**MORE INFO**



**Mulching Systems**  
Complete mulching systems with individual chambers for the best possible mulching performance.

**MORE INFO**

## Mulch Plate



**Mulch Plates**  
Discharge opening block-off plates for 48", 52" and 61" Cutter Decks.

## Halogen Light Kit



**Halogen Light Kits**  
Two super bright halogen lights deliver 38 watts each for a total of 76 watts of lighting power. All required wiring and brackets included.

**MORE INFO**

## OCDC



**Operator Controlled Discharge Chute**  
allows you to quickly and easily block off the discharge chute while mowing.

**MORE INFO**

## Chrome Wheel

### Covers



**Chrome Wheel Covers**  
12" chrome wheel covers will add 2MPH to your Scag mower....ok, maybe not. But they look awesome!

## Blade Buddy

## Trailer Hitch

## Suspension Seat

## Cutter Blades