TOWN OF STOCKBRIDGE INVITATION FOR BIDS SURPLUS FURNITURE/EQUIPMENT

The Town of Stockbridge, acting through its Board of Selectmen, invites sealed bids from individuals, companies or municipalities interested in purchasing the following surplus furniture and equipment previously used at the Plain School:

Seven (7) Children Sized Lunch Tables with Benches Attached One (1) Garaventa Genesis Vertical Lift with 750 lb Capacity

The items may be viewed by contacting either Project Manager, Joseph Kellogg at 298-5317 or Town Administrator Jorja-Ann Marsden at 298-4714. Sealed proposals which are clearly marked as to which item is being bid upon will be received at the Office of the Board of Selectmen, Town Hall, 6 Main Street, P.O. Box 417, Stockbridge, MA 01262 until 3:00 P.M., July 13, 2006 at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud. The Board of Selectmen shall award the sale to the highest qualified bidder for each item which will be sold "As Is, Where Is". All bids must be on forms available at the Board of Selectmen's office between the hours of 9 a.m to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. The Town of Stockbridge makes no representation regarding the suitability of the items for any purpose nor does the Town of Stockbridge make any representation regarding any lien or legal impediment accruing to the furniture and/or equipment. The successful bidder will be responsible for dismantling, removal and all transportation of said surplus equipment and furniture from its location on Town premises. The Town assumes no responsibility for the condition of the equipment either before the sale or thereafter. The Town reserves the right to reject any or all bids, to waive minor informalities or irregularities in any bid and to make an award in any manner consistent with the law and deemed to be in the best interests of the Town of Stockbridge.

> <u>Board of Selectmen</u> Deborah S. McMenamy George E. Shippey J. Cristopher Irsfeld