
CITY OF NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF CITYWIDE ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES PARTNERS WITH PROPERTY ROOM TO AUCTION CITY FLEET VEHICLES

Since 2012, New York City has partnered with Property Room Inc. to auction on-line all city fleet vehicles. New York City operates 27,000 vehicles and equipment pieces, the largest municipal fleet in the United States, including Sanitation garbage trucks, Police patrol units, Parks forestry equipment, Fire engines, DOT paving equipment, DEP sewer cleaning trucks, Corrections busses, and light duty vehicles from 60 City agencies. Each year, up to 2,500 of these units are replaced by newer equipment and sold by auction to the general public.

New York City's fleet vehicles are auctioned online through a partnership with one of the country's largest online auctioneers. Property Room, www.propertyroom.com, was founded in 1999 with a specialty in the holding and auctioning of vehicles and other property for police departments. This innovative partnership gives New York City access to a greatly expanded market for selling its fleet units.

Online auctions through Property Room are free and open to the general public and no longer require showing up in person at the Navy Yard and waiting to bid, which was the previous auction process. Equipment will be auctioned starting Monday of each week online. The public may inspect prior City vehicles and equipment in person at Kenben Industries Ltd. 364 Maspeth Ave. Brooklyn, NY 11211. To bid on City equipment, or any other vehicles, the public must sign on and register with Property Room. All auctions are anonymous. Bidders can track the progress and results of each auction as it takes place.

Public buyers can register via the Property Room website:
www.propertyroom.com

City employees are not allowed to bid on City vehicles and equipment.

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