



Government Auctions

While many auto auctions are available to car dealers only, RSAA is pleased to offer GSA Auctions that are open to the public. Rochester-Syracuse Auto Auction is a federal government contractor for the General Services Administration (GSA). The public is invited to participate in these GSA auctions of surplus cars, trucks and buses, which are generally held once a month. Check out our calendar of events or contact us to learn more about our upcoming GSA auction. Since the General Services Administration supplies the government with new vehicles every few years, you can buy barely used government vehicles at a GSA auction for just a fraction of their original price.

GSA Auctions: Come Prepared

Before the sale, check out the run list online. At RSAA, we typically have a GSA sale the 4th Thursday of the month. You can preview the vehicles on Wednesday from 11am to 4pm as well as Thursday morning from 8am to 11am. There are NO children under the age of 18 allowed at RSAA. You may start the vehicle, but under no condition can you move the vehicle. The sale starts at 11am!

At this time, you can only buy a GSA vehicle in person or Online. Before the day of the auction make sure to familiarize yourself with the government car auction site's terms, conditions and policies-all easily found on the government auctions website. Understanding of "As Is/Where Is", registration requirements, and vehicle condition are just a few things to consider. Knowing these guidelines will ensure your time at the GSA government auction will not be stressful or confusing.

Each auction, bidders must sign and complete the GSA Bidder Registration Agreement. To save time, this form can be found below under links. Once filled out, you can submit one of 3 ways: bring in person, fax to (315) 539-9508 or email to gsa@rsautoauction.com. If you fax or email the agreement and will be attending in person, you will need to pick up your bidder badge on the day of the sale at the front counter. Please make sure you have your identification ready.

In accordance with the Debt Collection Improvement Act 1966, a Social Security Number or Tax Identification Number must be provided by anyone conducting business with the government. RSAA does not retain this information, for government purposes only.

No offers will be taken on GSA vehicles prior to or following the sale.

Condition Reports are provided as a convenience and in many cases are products of one individual's opinion. Auction will not be responsible for minor errors. Decision of auction and the GSA Representative will be final in all disputes.

If you are the high bidder, you must come in the office to sign your bill of sale and pay for your purchase.

Payment: All vehicles purchased must be paid in full the day of the sale. The bid price is the purchase price. GSA vehicles are not subject to buy fees, internet fees, etc. Public Buyers: NO Personal Checks will be accepted for payment of purchased vehicle. The only acceptable payments are: ACH, CASH, MONEY ORDERS or CREDIT CARD. Credit Cards will not be taken over the phone.

Titles: The title for vehicles purchased will be made out to the registered bidder only, no exceptions. The exact name and address on your GSA Bidder Registration Agreement will be on the title. Once paid, you may pick up your SF97 title. You will need this to register the vehicle, as well as pay your tax, title and licensing fees at your Department of Motor Vehicle.

Pick Up: All vehicles must be removed by the close of business the day of the sale. We do not offer transportation; you are responsible for removing the vehicle from the property. Once the vehicle is paid, you will receive a gate pass. You will need the gate pass along with a valid driver's license or other accepted form of identification to take the vehicle.

GSA Auction: How to bid online

PUBLIC BUYERS: Please follow directions to attend On-Line Simulcast Sale

1. Go to www.edgepipeline.com to give information to attend public auction. Follow the prompts on the screen.
2. Receive handshake from pipeline. This allows you to participate online.

THEN: To Attend GSA (Public) Sale

1. Fill out GSA Bidder Registration Agreement & GSA Terms & Conditions form (click on links on this page to open and print forms). Forms must be filled out prior to sale and every sale you attend. The exact name and address on your GSA Bidder Registration Agreement will be on the title, so make sure you have the correct information.
2. Send completed GSA Bidder Registration Agreement, GSA Terms & Conditions Form and a copy of your current driver's license to FAX # 315-539-9508 - ATTN: GSA REGISTRATION - or e-mail it to gsa@rsautoauction.com. You can send your information any time the week of the GSA sale up to 10am on the day of the sale. Please do not wait until the last minute to register. Our clerks need time to enter in and process information. Late registrations may not get processed.
3. Call auction to make sure documents were received and in order. Call (315) 539-5006
4. On the morning of the auction before 10am, call to confirm you are registered and were assigned a bidder badge number and a PIN number that allows you to access online bidding.

Links:

GSA Terms and Conditions

GSA Standard form 114c (I think may be same as above but will check)

GSA Sale Day Catalog

GSA Bidder Registration Agreement

GSA Internet Public Auction Terms and Conditions