



Mini Excavator

We have contacted three different mini excavator manufacturers to quote a new machine, and to trade in the red Case tractor with mower attachment. We contacted Bobcat of Anderson, Rpm machinery (Case), and Macallister Cat. Bobcat of Anderson came back with the best price on the machine and highest price for trade in value. We are wanting to trade the current Case tractor in due to many costly repairs since the town has owned it, it also is not cutting the trees high enough allowing them to still hit vehicles as they pass by. The mini excavator with mower attachment will be able to reach higher up to clear overhanging growth and be able to reach farther down into the side ditches. The mini will also be used for small stormwater projects where we cannot get the backhoe in due to its size.

- (1) Bobcat of Anderson- E35 25 horsepower R2 series compact excavator. Price of the machine before trade is \$54,674.80. They are giving the town \$42,500.00 for trade in on the Case tractor with mower. The new machine will come with a 16-inch bucket, a 36-inch grading bucket, and a 42-inch bushmaster mower. The mower is an additional \$6,750.00 making the total price- \$18,924.80
- (2) MacAllister Cat- 303.5 23.6 horsepower hydraulic excavator- The price of the machine before trade is \$69,697.00. They are giving the town \$40,000.00 for trade in on the Case tractor with mower. The new machine will come with a 12-inch bucket, a 40-inch grading bucket, and a 42-inch bushmaster mower. The mower is an additional \$6,750.00 making the total price- \$36,447.00
- (3) RPM Machinery- Case CX37 24.4 horsepower mini excavator. Price for the machine before trade is \$69,985.00. They are giving the town \$36,000.00 for trade in on the Case tractor with mower. The new machine will come with a 12-inch bucket, an 18-inch grading bucket, and a 42-inch bushmaster mower. The mower is an additional \$6,750.00 making the total price- \$40,735.00

Ron and I feel that we should trade in the 2018 Case 75c with Woods mower for the Bobcat E35 25 horsepower compact excavator.