



## **Solicitation Number: RFP #060920**

### **CONTRACT**

This Contract is between Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and Autocar Truck, LLC/Autocar Industries LLC, 4680 Pinson Valley Parkway, Birmingham, AL 35215 (Vendor).

Sourcewell is a State of Minnesota local government agency and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) that offers cooperative procurement solutions to government entities. Participation is open to federal, state/province, and municipal governmental entities, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public entities located in the United States and Canada.

Vendor desires to contract with Sourcewell to provide equipment, products, or services to Sourcewell and the entities that access Sourcewell's cooperative purchasing contracts (Participating Entities).

#### **1. TERM OF CONTRACT**

- A. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Contract is effective upon the date of the final signature below.
- B. **EXPIRATION DATE AND EXTENSION.** This Contract expires August 1, 2024, unless it is cancelled sooner pursuant to Article 24. This Contract may be extended up to one additional one-year period upon request of Sourcewell and with written agreement by Vendor.
- C. **SURVIVAL OF TERMS.** Articles 11 through 16 survive the expiration or cancellation of this Contract.

#### **2. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES**

- A. **EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES.** Vendor will provide the Equipment, Products, or Services as stated in its Proposal submitted under the Solicitation Number listed above. Vendor's Equipment, Products, or Services Proposal (Proposal) is attached and incorporated into this Contract.

All Equipment and Products provided under this Contract must be new/current model. Vendor may offer close-out or refurbished Equipment or Products if they are clearly indicated in

Vendor's product and pricing list. Unless agreed to by the Participating Entities in advance, Equipment or Products must be delivered as operational to the Participating Entity's site.

This Contract offers an indefinite quantity of sales, and while substantial volume is anticipated, sales and sales volume are not guaranteed.

B. **WARRANTY.** Vendor warrants that all Equipment, Products, and Services furnished are free from liens and encumbrances, and are free from defects in design, materials, and workmanship. In addition, Vendor warrants the Equipment, Products, and Services are suitable for and will perform in accordance with the ordinary use for which they are intended. Vendor's dealers and distributors must agree to assist the Participating Entity in reaching a resolution in any dispute over warranty terms with the manufacturer. Any manufacturer's warranty that is effective past the expiration of the Vendor's warranty will be passed on to the Participating Entity.

C. **DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, AND/OR RESELLERS.** Upon Contract execution, Vendor will make available to Sourcewell a means to validate or authenticate Vendor's authorized dealers, distributors, and/or resellers relative to the Equipment, Products, and Services related to this Contract. This list may be updated from time-to-time and is incorporated into this Contract by reference. It is the Vendor's responsibility to ensure Sourcewell receives the most current version of this list.

### **3. PRICING**

All Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract will be priced as stated in Vendor's Proposal.

When providing pricing quotes to Participating Entities, all pricing quoted must reflect a Participating Entity's total cost of acquisition. This means that the quoted cost is for delivered Equipment, Products, and Services that are operational for their intended purpose, and includes all costs to the Participating Entity's requested delivery location.

Regardless of the payment method chosen by the Participating Entity, the total cost associated with any purchase option of the Equipment, Products, or Services must always be disclosed in the pricing quote to the applicable Participating Entity at the time of purchase.

A. **SHIPPING AND SHIPPING COSTS.** All delivered Equipment and Products must be properly packaged. Damaged Equipment and Products may be rejected. If the damage is not readily apparent at the time of delivery, Vendor must permit the Equipment and Products to be returned within a reasonable time at no cost to Sourcewell or its Participating Entities. Participating Entities reserve the right to inspect the Equipment and Products at a reasonable time after delivery where circumstances or conditions prevent effective inspection of the Equipment and Products at the time of delivery.

Vendor must arrange for and pay for the return shipment on Equipment and Products that arrive in a defective or inoperable condition.

Sourcewell may declare the Vendor in breach of this Contract if the Vendor intentionally delivers substandard or inferior Equipment or Products. In the event of the delivery of nonconforming Equipment and Products, the Participating Entity will notify the Vendor as soon as possible and the Vendor will replace nonconforming Equipment and Products with conforming Equipment and Products that are acceptable to the Participating Entity.

B. SALES TAX. Each Participating Entity is responsible for supplying the Vendor with valid tax-exemption certification(s). When ordering, a Participating Entity must indicate if it is a tax-exempt entity.

C. HOT LIST PRICING. At any time during this Contract, Vendor may offer a specific selection of Equipment, Products, or Services at discounts greater than those listed in the Contract. When Vendor determines it will offer Hot List Pricing, it must be submitted electronically to Sourcewell in a line-item format. Equipment, Products, or Services may be added or removed from the Hot List at any time through a Sourcewell Price and Product Change Form as defined in Article 4 below.

Hot List program and pricing may also be used to discount and liquidate close-out and discontinued Equipment and Products as long as those close-out and discontinued items are clearly identified as such. Current ordering process and administrative fees apply. Hot List Pricing must be published and made available to all Participating Entities.

#### **4. PRODUCT AND PRICING CHANGE REQUESTS**

Vendor may request Equipment, Product, or Service changes, additions, or deletions at any time. All requests must be made in writing by submitting a signed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form to the assigned Sourcewell Contract Administrator. This form is available from the assigned Sourcewell Contract Administrator. At a minimum, the request must:

- Identify the applicable Sourcewell contract number;
- Clearly specify the requested change;
- Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;
- Individually list all Equipment, Products, or Services affected by the requested change, along with the requested change (e.g., addition, deletion, price change); and
- Include a complete restatement of pricing documentation in Microsoft Excel with the effective date of the modified pricing, or product addition or deletion. The new pricing restatement must include all Equipment, Products, and Services offered, even for those items where pricing remains unchanged.

A fully executed Sourcewell Price and Product Request Form will become an amendment to this Contract and be incorporated by reference.

## **5. PARTICIPATION, CONTRACT ACCESS, AND PARTICIPATING ENTITY REQUIREMENTS**

A. PARTICIPATION. Sourcewell's cooperative contracts are available and open to public and nonprofit entities across the United States and Canada; such as federal, state/province, municipal, K-12 and higher education, tribal government, and other public entities.

The benefits of this Contract should be available to all Participating Entities that can legally access the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract. A Participating Entity's authority to access this Contract is determined through its cooperative purchasing, interlocal, or joint powers laws. Any entity accessing benefits of this Contract will be considered a Service Member of Sourcewell during such time of access. Vendor understands that a Participating Entity's use of this Contract is at the Participating Entity's sole convenience and Participating Entities reserve the right to obtain like Equipment, Products, or Services from any other source.

Vendor is responsible for familiarizing its sales and service forces with Sourcewell contract use eligibility requirements and documentation and will encourage potential members to join Sourcewell. Sourcewell reserves the right to add and remove Participating Entities to its roster during the term of this Contract.

B. PUBLIC FACILITIES. Vendor's employees may be required to perform work at government-owned facilities, including schools. Vendor's employees and agents must conduct themselves in a professional manner while on the premises, and in accordance with Participating Entity policies and procedures, and all applicable laws.

## **6. PARTICIPATING ENTITY USE AND PURCHASING**

A. ORDERS AND PAYMENT. To access the contracted Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract, a Participating Entity must clearly indicate to Vendor that it intends to access this Contract; however, order flow and procedure will be developed jointly between Sourcewell and Vendor. Typically, a Participating Entity will issue an order directly to Vendor. If a Participating Entity issues a purchase order, it may use its own forms, but the purchase order should clearly note the applicable Sourcewell contract number. All Participating Entity orders under this Contract must be issued prior to expiration of this Contract; however, Vendor performance, Participating Entity payment, and any applicable warranty periods or other Vendor or Participating Entity obligations may extend beyond the term of this Contract.

Vendor's acceptable forms of payment are included in Attachment A. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.

B. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS/PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM.** Additional terms and conditions to a purchase order may be negotiated between a Participating Entity and Vendor, such as job or industry-specific requirements, legal requirements (e.g., affirmative action or immigration status requirements), or specific local policy requirements. Some Participating Entities may require the use of a Participating Addendum; the terms of which will be worked out directly between the Participating Entity and the Vendor. Any negotiated additional terms and conditions must never be less favorable to the Participating Entity than what is contained in this Contract.

C. **PERFORMANCE BOND.** If requested by a Participating Entity, Vendor will provide a performance bond that meets the requirements set forth in the Participating Entity's order.

D. **SPECIALIZED SERVICE REQUIREMENTS.** In the event that the Participating Entity requires service or specialized performance requirements (such as e-commerce specifications, specialized delivery requirements, or other specifications and requirements) not addressed in this Contract, the Participating Entity and the Vendor may enter into a separate, standalone agreement, apart from this Contract. Sourcwell, including its agents and employees, will not be made a party to a claim for breach of such agreement.

E. **TERMINATION OF ORDERS.** Participating Entities may terminate an order, in whole or in part, immediately upon notice to Vendor in the event of any of the following events:

1. The Participating Entity fails to receive funding or appropriation from its governing body at levels sufficient to pay for the goods to be purchased;
2. Federal, state, or provincial laws or regulations prohibit the purchase or change the Participating Entity's requirements; or
3. Vendor commits any material breach of this Contract or the additional terms agreed to between the Vendor and a Participating Entity.

F. **GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.** The governing law and venue for any action related to a Participating Entity's order will be determined by the Participating Entity making the purchase.

## **7. CUSTOMER SERVICE**

A. **PRIMARY ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE.** Vendor will assign an Account Representative to Sourcwell for this Contract and must provide prompt notice to Sourcwell if that person is changed. The Account Representative will be responsible for:

- Maintenance and management of this Contract;
- Timely response to all Sourcwell and Participating Entity inquiries; and
- Business reviews to Sourcwell and Participating Entities, if applicable.

B. BUSINESS REVIEWS. Vendor must perform a minimum of one business review with Sourcwell per contract year. The business review will cover sales to Participating Entities, pricing and contract terms, administrative fees, supply issues, customer issues, and any other necessary information.

## **8. REPORT ON CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE FEE PAYMENT**

A. CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY REPORT. Each calendar quarter, Vendor must provide a contract sales activity report (Report) to the Sourcwell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract. A Report must be provided regardless of the number or amount of sales during that quarter (i.e., if there are no sales, Vendor must submit a report indicating no sales were made).

The Report must contain the following fields:

- Customer Name (e.g., City of Staples Highway Department);
- Customer Physical Street Address;
- Customer City;
- Customer State/Province;
- Customer Zip Code;
- Customer Contact Name;
- Customer Contact Email Address;
- Customer Contact Telephone Number;
- Sourcwell Assigned Entity/Participating Entity Number;
- Item Purchased Description;
- Item Purchased Price;
- Sourcwell Administrative Fee Applied; and
- Date Purchase was invoiced/sale was recognized as revenue by Vendor.

B. ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. In consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcwell, the Vendor will pay an administrative fee to Sourcwell on all Equipment, Products, and Services provided to Participating Entities. The Administrative Fee must be included in, and not added to, the pricing. Vendor may not charge Participating Entities more than the contracted price to offset the Administrative Fee.

The Vendor will submit a check payable to Sourcwell for the administrative fee amount stated in the Proposal multiplied by the total number of trucks purchased by Participating Entities under this Contract during each calendar quarter. Payments should note the Sourcwell-assigned contract number in the memo and must be mailed to the address above "Attn: Accounts Receivable." Payments must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter.

Vendor agrees to cooperate with Sourcewell in auditing transactions under this Contract to ensure that the administrative fee is paid on all items purchased under this Contract.

In the event the Vendor is delinquent in any undisputed administrative fees, Sourcewell reserves the right to cancel this Contract and reject any proposal submitted by the Vendor in any subsequent solicitation. In the event this Contract is cancelled by either party prior to the Contract's expiration date, the administrative fee payment will be due no more than 30 days from the cancellation date.

#### **9. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

Vendor's Authorized Representative is the person named in the Vendor's Proposal. If Vendor's Authorized Representative changes at any time during this Contract, Vendor must promptly notify Sourcewell in writing.

#### **10. ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENTS, WAIVER, AND CONTRACT COMPLETE**

A. **ASSIGNMENT.** Neither the Vendor nor Sourcewell may assign or transfer any rights or obligations under this Contract without the prior consent of the parties and a fully executed assignment agreement. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld.

B. **AMENDMENTS.** Any amendment to this Contract must be in writing and will not be effective until it has been fully executed by the parties.

C. **WAIVER.** If either party fails to enforce any provision of this Contract, that failure does not waive the provision or the right to enforce it.

D. **CONTRACT COMPLETE.** This Contract contains all negotiations and agreements between Sourcewell and Vendor. No other understanding regarding this Contract, whether written or oral, may be used to bind either party.

E. **RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES.** The relationship of the parties is one of independent contractors, each free to exercise judgment and discretion with regard to the conduct of their respective businesses. This Contract does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship such as master-servant, or principal-agent.

#### **11. LIABILITY**

Vendor must indemnify, save, and hold Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees, arising out of the performance of this Contract by the Vendor or its agents or employees; this indemnification includes injury or death to person(s) or property alleged to have been caused

by some defect in the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract to the extent the Equipment, Product, or Service has been used according to its specifications.

## 12. AUDITS

Sourcwell reserves the right to review the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices of the Vendor relevant to this Contract for a minimum of 6 years from the end of this Contract. This clause extends to Participating Entities as it relates to business conducted by that Participating Entity under this Contract.

## 13. GOVERNMENT DATA PRACTICES

Vendor and Sourcwell must comply with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13, as it applies to all data provided by or provided to Sourcwell under this Contract and as it applies to all data created, collected, received, stored, used, maintained, or disseminated by the Vendor under this Contract.

If the Vendor receives a request to release the data referred to in this article, the Vendor must immediately notify Sourcwell and Sourcwell will assist with how the Vendor should respond to the request.

## 14. INDEMNIFICATION

As applicable, Vendor agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Sourcwell and its Participating Entities against any and all suits, claims, judgments, and costs instituted or recovered against Sourcwell or Participating Entities by any person on account of the use of any Equipment or Products by Sourcwell or its Participating Entities supplied by Vendor in violation of applicable patent or copyright laws.

## 15. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PUBLICITY, MARKETING, AND ENDORSEMENT

### A. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

1. *Grant of License.* During the term of this Contract:
  - a. Sourcwell grants to Vendor a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use the Trademark(s) provided to Vendor by Sourcwell in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Sourcwell's relationship with Vendor.
  - b. Vendor grants to Sourcwell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Vendor's Trademarks in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Vendor's relationship with Sourcwell.
2. *Limited Right of Sublicense.* The right and license granted herein includes a limited right of each party to grant sublicenses to its and their respective distributors, marketing representatives, and agents (collectively "Permitted Sublicensees") in advertising and

promotional materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties' relationship to Participating Entities. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this Article by any of their respective sublicensees.

*3. Use; Quality Control.*

- a. Sourcewell must not alter Vendor's Trademarks from the form provided by Vendor and must comply with Vendor's removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.
- b. Vendor must not alter Sourcewell's Trademarks from the form provided by Sourcewell and must comply with Sourcewell's removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.
- c. Each party agrees to use, and to cause its Permitted Sublicensees to use, the other party's Trademarks only in good faith and in a dignified manner consistent with such party's use of the Trademarks. Upon written notice to the breaching party, the breaching party has 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the breach or the license will be terminated.

*4. Termination.* Upon the termination of this Contract for any reason, each party, including Permitted Sublicensees, will have 30 days to remove all Trademarks from signage, websites, and the like bearing the other party's name or logo (excepting Sourcewell's pre-printed catalog of vendors which may be used until the next printing). Vendor must return all marketing and promotional materials, including signage, provided by Sourcewell, or dispose of it according to Sourcewell's written directions.

B. **PUBLICITY.** Any publicity regarding the subject matter of this Contract must not be released without prior written approval from the Authorized Representatives. Publicity includes notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, research, reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared by or for the Vendor individually or jointly with others, or any subcontractors, with respect to the program, publications, or services provided resulting from this Contract.

C. **MARKETING.** Any direct advertising, marketing, or offers with Participating Entities must be approved by Sourcewell. Materials should be sent to the Sourcewell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract.

D. **ENDORSEMENT.** The Vendor must not claim that Sourcewell endorses its Equipment, Products, or Services.

## **16. GOVERNING LAW, JURISDICTION, AND VENUE**

Minnesota law governs this Contract. Venue for all legal proceedings out of this Contract, or its breach, must be in the appropriate state court in Todd County or federal court in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

## 17. FORCE MAJEURE

Neither party to this Contract will be held responsible for delay or default caused by acts of God or other conditions that are beyond that party's reasonable control. A party defaulting under this provision must provide the other party prompt written notice of the default.

## 18. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Contract is found to be illegal, unenforceable, or void then both Sourcewell and Vendor will be relieved of all obligations arising under such provisions. If the remainder of this Contract is capable of performance, it will not be affected by such declaration or finding and must be fully performed.

## 19. PERFORMANCE, DEFAULT, AND REMEDIES

A. PERFORMANCE. During the term of this Contract, the parties will monitor performance and address unresolved contract issues as follows:

1. *Notification.* The parties must promptly notify each other of any known dispute and work in good faith to resolve such dispute within a reasonable period of time. If necessary, Sourcewell and the Vendor will jointly develop a short briefing document that describes the issue(s), relevant impact, and positions of both parties.
2. *Escalation.* If parties are unable to resolve the issue in a timely manner, as specified above, either Sourcewell or Vendor may escalate the resolution of the issue to a higher level of management. The Vendor will have 30 calendar days to cure an outstanding issue.
3. *Performance while Dispute is Pending.* Notwithstanding the existence of a dispute, the Vendor must continue without delay to carry out all of its responsibilities under the Contract that are not affected by the dispute. If the Vendor fails to continue without delay to perform its responsibilities under the Contract, in the accomplishment of all undisputed work, any additional costs incurred by Sourcewell and/or its Participating Entities as a result of such failure to proceed will be borne by the Vendor.

B. DEFAULT AND REMEDIES. Either of the following constitutes cause to declare this Contract, or any Participating Entity order under this Contract, in default:

1. Nonperformance of contractual requirements, or
2. A material breach of any term or condition of this Contract.

Written notice of default and a reasonable opportunity to cure must be issued by the party claiming default. Time allowed for cure will not diminish or eliminate any liability for liquidated or other damages. If the default remains after the opportunity for cure, the non-defaulting party may:

- Exercise any remedy provided by law or equity, or
- Terminate the Contract or any portion thereof, including any orders issued against the Contract.

## 20. INSURANCE

A. REQUIREMENTS. At its own expense, Vendor must maintain insurance policy(ies) in effect at all times during the performance of this Contract with insurance company(ies) licensed or authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota having an "AM BEST" rating of A- or better, with coverage and limits of insurance not less than the following:

1. *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability.*

Workers' Compensation: As required by any applicable law or regulation.

Employer's Liability Insurance: must be provided in amounts not less than listed below:

Minimum limits:

- \$500,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident
- \$500,000 policy limit for bodily injury by disease
- \$500,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease

2. *Commercial General Liability Insurance.* Vendor will maintain insurance covering its operations, with coverage on an occurrence basis, and must be subject to terms no less broad than the Insurance Services Office ("ISO") Commercial General Liability Form CG0001 (2001 or newer edition), or equivalent. At a minimum, coverage must include liability arising from premises, operations, bodily injury and property damage, independent contractors, products-completed operations including construction defect, contractual liability, blanket contractual liability, and personal injury and advertising injury. All required limits, terms and conditions of coverage must be maintained during the term of this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

- \$1,000,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage
- \$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury
- \$2,000,000 aggregate for Products-Completed operations
- \$2,000,000 general aggregate

3. *Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain insurance covering all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles in limits of liability not less than indicated below. The coverage must be subject to terms no less broad than ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 0001 (2010 edition or newer), or equivalent.

Minimum Limits:

- \$1,000,000 each accident, combined single limit

4. *Umbrella Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain umbrella coverage over Workers' Compensation, Commercial General Liability, and Commercial Automobile.

Minimum Limits:  
\$2,000,000

5. *Professional/Technical, Errors and Omissions, and/or Miscellaneous Professional Liability.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain coverage for all claims the Vendor may become legally obligated to pay resulting from any actual or alleged negligent act, error, or omission related to Vendor's professional services required under this Contract.

Minimum Limits:  
\$2,000,000 per claim or event  
\$2,000,000 – annual aggregate

6. *Network Security and Privacy Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain coverage for network security and privacy liability. The coverage may be endorsed on another form of liability coverage or written on a standalone policy. The insurance must cover claims which may arise from failure of Vendor's security resulting in, but not limited to, computer attacks, unauthorized access, disclosure of not public data – including but not limited to, confidential or private information, transmission of a computer virus, or denial of service.

Minimum limits:  
\$2,000,000 per occurrence  
\$2,000,000 annual aggregate

Failure of Vendor to maintain the required insurance will constitute a material breach entitling Sourcewell to immediately terminate this Contract for default.

B. CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE. Prior to commencing under this Contract, Vendor must furnish to Sourcewell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Contract. Prior to expiration of the policy(ies), renewal certificates must be mailed to Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 or sent to the Sourcewell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract. The certificates must be signed by a person authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf. All policies must include there will be no cancellation, suspension, non-renewal, or reduction of coverage without 30 days' prior written notice to the Vendor.

Upon request, Vendor must provide to Sourcewell copies of applicable policies and endorsements, within 10 days of a request. Failure to request certificates of insurance by Sourcewell, or failure of Vendor to provide certificates of insurance, in no way limits or relieves Vendor of its duties and responsibilities in this Contract.

C. **ADDITIONAL INSURED ENDORSEMENT AND PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY INSURANCE CLAUSE.** Vendor agrees to list Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their officers, agents, and employees, as an additional insured under the Vendor's commercial general liability insurance policy with respect to liability arising out of activities, "operations," or "work" performed by or on behalf of Vendor, and products and completed operations of Vendor. The policy provision(s) or endorsement(s) must further provide that coverage is primary and not excess over or contributory with any other valid, applicable, and collectible insurance or self-insurance in force for the additional insureds.

D. **WAIVER OF SUBROGATION.** Vendor waives and must require (by endorsement or otherwise) all its insurers to waive subrogation rights against Sourcewell and other additional insureds for losses paid under the insurance policies required by this Contract or other insurance applicable to the Vendor or its subcontractors. The waiver must apply to all deductibles and/or self-insured retentions applicable to the required or any other insurance maintained by the Vendor or its subcontractors. Where permitted by law, Vendor must require similar written express waivers of subrogation and insurance clauses from each of its subcontractors.

E. **UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY.** The limits required by this Contract can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies).

F. **SELF-INSURED RETENTIONS.** Any self-insured retention in excess of \$10,000 is subject to Sourcewell's approval.

## **21. COMPLIANCE**

A. **LAWS AND REGULATIONS.** All Equipment, Products, or Services provided under this Contract must comply fully with applicable federal laws and regulations, and with the laws in the states and provinces in which the Equipment, Products, or Services are sold.

B. **LICENSES.** Vendor must maintain a valid and current status on all required federal, state/provincial, and local licenses, bonds, and permits required for the operation of the business that the Vendor conducts with Sourcewell and Participating Entities.

## **22. BANKRUPTCY, DEBARMENT, OR SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION**

Vendor certifies and warrants that it is not in bankruptcy or that it has previously disclosed in writing certain information to Sourcewell related to bankruptcy actions. If at any time during this Contract Vendor declares bankruptcy, Vendor must immediately notify Sourcewell in writing.

Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs

operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this Contract. Vendor further warrants that it will provide immediate written notice to Sourcwell if this certification changes at any time.

### **23. PROVISIONS FOR NON-UNITED STATES FEDERAL ENTITY PROCUREMENTS UNDER UNITED STATES FEDERAL AWARDS OR OTHER AWARDS**

Participating Entities that use United States federal grant or FEMA funds to purchase goods or services from this Contract may be subject to additional requirements including the procurement standards of the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 C.F.R. § 200. Participating Entities may also require additional requirements based on specific funding specifications. Within this Article, all references to “federal” should be interpreted to mean the United States federal government. The following list only applies when a Participating Entity accesses Vendor’s Equipment, Products, or Services with United States federal funds.

A. **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.** Except as otherwise provided under 41 C.F.R. § 60, all contracts that meet the definition of “federally assisted construction contract” in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 C.F.R. §60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity” (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 C.F.R. §, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” and implementing regulations at 41 C.F.R. § 60, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor.” The equal opportunity clause is incorporated herein by reference.

B. **DAVIS-BACON ACT, AS AMENDED (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3148).** When required by federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. § 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work

Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. Vendor must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

C. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. §§ 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5). Under 40 U.S.C. § 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. § 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence. This provision is hereby incorporated by reference into this Contract. Vendor certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Vendor must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

D. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT. If the federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency. Vendor certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Vendor must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

E. CLEAN AIR ACT (42 U.S.C. § 7401-7671Q.) AND THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT (33 U.S.C. § 1251-1387). Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 require the non-federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401- 7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251- 1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Vendor certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

F. DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION (EXECUTIVE ORDERS 12549 AND 12689). A contract award (see 2 C.F.R. § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 C.F.R. §180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 C.F.R. § 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 C.F.R. § 1989 Comp., p. 235), "Debarment and Suspension." SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. Vendor certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation by any federal department or agency.

G. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT, AS AMENDED (31 U.S.C. § 1352). Vendors must file any required certifications. Vendors must not have used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Vendors must disclose any lobbying with non-federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-federal award. Vendors must file all certifications and disclosures required by, and otherwise comply with, the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. § 1352).

H. RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with the record retention requirements detailed in 2 C.F.R. § 200.333. The Vendor further certifies that it will retain all records as required by 2 C.F.R. § 200.333 for a period of 3 years after grantees or subgrantees submit final expenditure reports or quarterly or annual financial reports, as applicable, and all other pending matters are closed.

I. ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

J. BUY AMERICAN PROVISIONS COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with all applicable provisions of the Buy American Act. Purchases made in accordance with the Buy American Act must follow the applicable procurement rules calling for free and open competition.

K. ACCESS TO RECORDS (2 C.F.R. § 200.336). Vendor agrees that duly authorized representatives of a federal agency must have access to any books, documents, papers and records of Vendor that are directly pertinent to Vendor's discharge of its obligations under this Contract for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. The right

also includes timely and reasonable access to Vendor’s personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion relating to such documents.

L. PROCUREMENT OF RECOVERED MATERIALS (2 C.F.R. § 200.322). A non-federal entity that is a state agency or agency of a political subdivision of a state and its contractors must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 C.F.R. § 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

**24. CANCELLATION**

Sourcewell or Vendor may cancel this Contract at any time, with or without cause, upon 60 days’ written notice to the other party. However, Sourcewell may cancel this Contract immediately upon discovery of a material defect in any certification made in Vendor’s Proposal. Cancellation of this Contract does not relieve either party of financial, product, or service obligations incurred or accrued prior to cancellation.

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# RFP 060920 - Class 4-8 Chassis with Related Equipment, Accessories, and Services

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## Vendor Details

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## Specifications

**Table 1: Proposer Identity & Authorized Representatives**

**General Instructions** (applies to all Tables) Sourcewell prefers a brief but thorough response to each question. Please do not merely attach additional documents to your response without also providing a substantive response. Do not leave answers blank; mark "NA" if the question does not apply to you (preferably with an explanation).

Line Item	Question	Response *
1	Proposer Legal Name (and applicable d/b/a, if any):	Autocar Truck, LLC/ Autocar Industries LLC
2	Proposer Address:	4680 Pinson Valley Parkway, Birmingham, AL 35215
3	Proposer website address:	www.autocartruck.com
4	Proposer's Authorized Representative (name, title, address, email address & phone) (The representative must have authority to sign the "Proposer's Assurance of Compliance" on behalf of the Proposer and, in the event of award, will be expected to execute the resulting contract):	Hilton Diamond-CFO or Craig Teune-Director of Sales Application, 4680 Pinson Valley Parkway, Birmingham, AL 35215, cteune@autocartruck.com, 765-545-0539
5	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Craig Teune, Director of Sales Application, 4680 Pinson Valley Parkway, Birmingham, AL 35215, cteune@autocartruck.com, 765-545-0539
6	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	David Wright, Sr. VP of Fleet Sales, 4680 Pinson Valley Parkway, Birmingham, AL 35215, dwright@autocartruck.com, 765-602-3466

**Table 2: Company Information and Financial Strength**

Line Item	Question	Response *
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7	Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested equipment, products or services.	<p>Autocar was founded in 1897 as a “tech startup” in Pittsburgh and is the oldest motor vehicle brand in the Western Hemisphere, older even than Buick, Cadillac, or Ford. Autocar quickly became an innovative pioneer in the new automotive industry and built America’s first motor truck, in 1899. Many innovations common in all cars and trucks were first introduced by Autocar, such as the drive shaft and oil circulating through an engine. Autocar #1 is in the Smithsonian National Museum of American History.</p> <p>Autocar’s dedication to meeting severe-duty customers’ needs led to leadership in building trucks of all kinds, including refuse trucks for waste haulers all across the United States. Autocar was among the first to build trucks to handle dumpsters, even in the 1930s. Autocar built a whole fleet of early elevator body trucks for New York City, the precursors to today’s compactor bodies. Autocar was also an innovator in engines and introduced some of the earliest trucks powered by reliable, high-torque Cummins Diesel engines. For the past 19 years, Autocar has been 100% American-owned by GVW Group and every Autocar is built by American hands at our facilities in Birmingham, Alabama or Hagerstown, Indiana.</p> <p>Today, Autocar is the only American truck manufacturer focused on trucks for severe-duty vocational applications. But above all, Autocar is focused on our customers: We don’t just build trucks, we provide a complete tool - a whole system - that helps our customers to be more successful and to achieve their challenging objectives. Autocar is totally different. Our success competing against companies 100 times our size is driven by our different approach to every aspect of our – and our customers’ – business. The most important is our guiding principal, posted everywhere around our facilities: “The Customer is Our Boss”. We have shaped every business activity in Autocar to make this principal a reality:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ We define our customers differently</li> <li>■ We build relationships with our customer differently</li> <li>■ We work with and sell to our customers differently</li> <li>■ We specify our trucks differently</li> <li>■ We custom-engineer our trucks differently</li> <li>■ We build our trucks differently</li> <li>■ We provide service, training, and warranty support differently</li> <li>■ We innovate our product improvements differently</li> </ul> <p>As a result, Autocar has earned the right to serve hundreds of customers including most major cities in the United States and Canada, such as Chicago, Los Angeles, Houston, Miami, Baltimore, and Charlotte, most national waste-hauling fleets, and many of the largest retailers, food manufacturers, and freight logistics companies in North America.</p> <p>Our slogan, Always Up®, isn’t just some fancy promise – it’s a state of mind. Always Up means we work intimately with our customers so that every single one of our trucks is purpose-built to fit the specific needs of their business and stay in service. Always Up also means our Autocar Solutions® 24/7 service command center solves our customers’ technical issues and coordinates our network of hundreds of authorized Autocar service locations across the United States and Canada.</p>
8	What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?	<p>Autocar Truck with a Sourcewell award will continue to market, sell and service class 7 &amp; 8 truck chassis. We intend to grow the business year after year from the current contract we hold by aggressively marketing and promoting the new contract. The Sourcewell contract will provide an avenue for Autocar to market to all members and provide them the resource to purchase long term value over up front price and select the best vendor for their needs. The contract assures them of being able to leverage National discounted pricing while utilizing a transparent and trackable process. Having a conventional now to add to our line-up of cabover products will open many more markets in the government sector. Thru our own sales force, the salesforce of our National dealer network and the addition of a conventional cab product we see continued growth and success in the US and Canada should we be awarded this contract.</p> <p>We plan to promote Sourcewell to smaller and larger government agencies alike with press releases, social media, email marketing campaigns, trade shows, etc. Our sales force as well as the national dealer sales force will receive continued training and marketing materials thru not only our national and regional meetings but by attending Sourcewell regional training events.</p>
9	Demonstrate your financial strength and stability with meaningful data. This could include such items as financial statements, SEC filings, credit and bond ratings, letters of credit, and detailed reference letters. Upload supporting documents (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>Autocar, LLC/Autocar Industries, LLC are private, closely held affiliated companies that maintain a policy of not disclosing financial statements. These affiliated companies are owned by Andrew Taitz Entities and the Autocar Management Team. The Autocar, LLC Company officers are:</p> <p>Andrew Taitz- CEO  James M. Johnston- President  Hilton Diamond- CFO  Jeffrey Leeb- General Counsel and Secretary</p> <p>In 2019 the companies reflected net sales in excess of 400 million and total asset in excess of 150 million with no long term debt. The company continues to be cash flow positive and profitable.</p> <p>Attached is copy of our credit reference letter with Bank and Credit reference included as well as Federal ID and Dunns Number.</p>

10	What is your US market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	Autocar's market share in the US was 25.9% during calendar year 2019.	*
11	What is your Canadian market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	Autocar's market share in Canada was 28.9% during calendar year 2019.	*
12	Has your business ever petitioned for bankruptcy protection? If so, explain in detail.	NO	*
13	How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer whichever question (either a) or b) just below) best applies to your organization. a) If your company is best described as a distributor/dealer/reseller (or similar entity), provide your written authorization to act as a distributor/dealer/reseller for the manufacturer of the products proposed in this RFP. If applicable, is your dealer network independent or company owned? b) If your company is best described as a manufacturer or service provider, describe your relationship with your sales and service force and with your dealer network in delivering the products and services proposed in this RFP. Are these individuals your employees, or the employees of a third party?	Manufacturer (b) Autocar is a medium and heavy duty truck manufacturer with both employees and third party dealers who sell trucks, service trucks and sell truck parts. Autocar and its part affiliate truck sales, parts sales and field service teams who are assigned to and cover specific territories and travel the entire US including Alaska and Hawaii as well as Canada. We also have inside sales and customer service teams locating in AL and IN as well as parts distribution centers in KY, PA, CA and Canada. Autocar does not own any dealerships but instead has written sales and service agreements with independent third party truck dealerships in all 50 States and all provinces of Canada. Contained in these agreements we have certain operational requirements including sales agreements, warranty repairs and use of Autocar's trademarks. Autocar has the ability to use all these channels to sell, service and market in all 50 states and all provinces in Canada. Autocar will keep its dealers well informed regarding the use and authorization to accept purchase orders pursuant to any contract resulting from this RFP, should Autocar be awarded this contract.	*
14	If applicable, provide a detailed explanation outlining the licenses and certifications that are both required to be held, and actually held, by your organization (including third parties and subcontractors that you use) in pursuit of the business contemplated by this RFP.	As a motor vehicle manufacturer, Autocar is required to be and is actually registered with the U.S. National Highway Transportation Safety Administration (NHTSA) and Transport Canada (TC) and obtains World Makers Identifiers (WMI's) it uses in the creation of Vehicle Identification Numbers (VIN's). Autocar certifies its products compliance with HNTSA and TC regulations as well as Green House Gas regulations, OSHA, EPA and others.	*
15	Provide all "Suspension or Debarment" information that has applied to your organization during the past ten years.	None	*

**Table 3: Industry Recognition & Marketplace Success**

Line Item	Question	Response *
16	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years	Autocar does directly look for or receive awards but we support several organizations and customers in sponsoring award program for our market areas. Autocar is actively participating in sponsoring industry award programs that recognize the end user for their accomplishments. These include but not limited to SWANA's Annual Safety Awards, Driver of the Year awards, Truck Rodeo's for various local SWANA chapters, etc. We also support several of our customers who have been the recipient of various awards such as City of San Antonio for 2019 Best Safety Award from SWANA and Greenville SC for Gov & Fleet Best Mid-Level Fleet Award in 2017 among others.
17	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years	2017-28.5%, 2018- 21%, 2019- 23%
18	What percentage of your sales are to the education sector in the past three years	1% or less, as we do sell to some Universities who pick up trash it any amounts to a couple per year. Education sectors do not purchase volumes of class 7-8 chassis as a whole
19	List any state, provincial, or cooperative purchasing contracts that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	Autocar does not hold any contracts outside Sourcwell
20	List any GSA contracts or Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements (SOSA) that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	Autocar does not hold any contracts Other than Sourcwell contract #081716-ATC, Autocar is aware that some of Autocar's dealers occasionally hold cooperative purchasing contracts, and several body builders and their dealers are cooperative purchase contract holders. Due to the fact that Autocar is not the contract holder is these situations we do not have annual sales volume numbers for these. Some of the contract we are aware our dealers hold are: Florida Sheriff's Bid Texas Buy Board HGAC (Texas) VIP Voucher program in New York City  Autocar has also provided pricing to Heil, McNeilus, Labrie and Newway for their awarded Sourcwell contracts.

**Table 4: References/Testimonials**

Line Item 21. Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcwell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *
Miami Dade County	Daniel Diaz-Fleet Manager	305-514-6691
City of Chicago	Kevin Campbell- Manager Fleet Services	312-743-3582
City of San Diego	Ralph Monroy-Equipment Manager	619-420-8129
City of Cleveland	Jeff Brown- Commissioner	216-420-8129

**Table 5: Top Five Government or Education Customers**

Line Item 22. Provide a list of your top five government, education, or non-profit customers (entity name is optional), including entity type, the state or province the entity is located in, scope of the project(s), size of transaction(s), and dollar volumes from the past three years.

Entity Name	Entity Type *	State / Province *	Scope of Work *	Size of Transactions *	Dollar Volume Past Three Years *
City of Dallas	Government	Texas - TX	Refuse vehicles	67	\$10,365,000
District of Columbia, DC	Government	District of Columbia - DC	Refuse vehicles	60	\$7,200,000
City of Houston	Government	Texas - TX	Refuse vehicles	92	\$13,800,000
City of Sacramento	Government	California - CA	Refuse vehicles	49	\$7,800,000
City of Orlando	Government	Florida - FL	Refuse vehicles	47	\$7,050,000

**Table 6: Ability to Sell and Deliver Service**

Describe your company's capability to meet the needs of Sourcwell participating entities across the US and Canada, as applicable. Your response should address in detail at least the following areas: locations of your network of sales and service providers, the number of workers (full-time equivalents) involved in each sector, whether these workers are your direct employees (or employees of a third party), and any overlap between the sales and service functions.

Line Item	Question	Response *
23	Sales force.	Autocar has a direct sales force of 24 full time sales persons located both at our plants and regionally located in their respective territories that cover the entire US & Canada. They live within their respective territories and have both direct contact with the end user as well as train our dealer organization on our products.
24	Dealer network or other distribution methods.	Autocar dealer network consist of 454 dealers of which 97 are selling dealer located in both the US and Canada. Our direct sales force works with them as well as direct with customers to promote and service Autocar products
25	Service force.	Autocar has 20 inside and regional located full time service to service our customers and dealers. In addition we utilize the thousands of service technicians employed by our 454 dealers to service our product supported by our 24/7 inside "solution" team for help in diagnosis and repair located at www.autocartruck.com. Always up means we support the truck from the factory direct to the customer or thru our dealer network which ever our customer's prefer.
26	Describe in detail the process and procedure of your customer service program, if applicable. Include your response-time capabilities and commitments, as well as any incentives that help your providers meet your stated service goals or promises.	We support our customers different than anyone in the industry. Customer or any one of our dealers have access thru our website (www.autocartruck.com) to the "solution" portal. We respond on average in 15 minutes during normal hours (7-7 eastern) and within 30 minutes after hours. The response is direct from our service team and designed to support the technician in anything they need, whether its diagnostic help, wire diagrams, parts help, etc. for the life of the truck not just under warranty. A ticket is opened when the request comes in and does not close until the truck is repaired and able to go back to work documenting all steps and time needed to repair the vehicle. This is free of charge to our customers and truly a game changer in the industry. Always up means we always support the owners of trucks, keep them working and repaired faster when needed.
27	Identify your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcwell participating entities in the United States.	Autocar's future is intertwined with all of our municipal customer. We have a nationwide network of our direct sales force as well as 97 selling dealers selling in the US and Canada. Sourcwell has been a huge value in providing our existing customers as well brining in new customers and giving them an option when it comes to purchasing vehicles. We will continue to promote our Sourcwell contract should we be granted one with regional training sessions for our dealers and internal sales force.
28	Identify your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcwell participating entities in Canada.	Autocar is active selling and servicing the Canadian market with a dedicated Regional Business Manager living in and responsible to the Canadian market. He works with our Canadian dealer network as well as direct with our customers. We would aggressively market the contract with this team specific to the Canadian market as a viable way for them to purchase the Autocar products.
29	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract.	None, Autocar services all areas of the US and Canada
30	Identify any Sourcwell participating entity sectors (i.e., government, education, not-for-profit) that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract. Explain in detail. For example, does your company have only a regional presence, or do other cooperative purchasing contracts limit your ability to promote another contract?	None- Autocar operates and sells in all 50 states and all provinces of Canada
31	Define any specific contract requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	We do not have any restrictions and currently have customers in Alaska, Hawaii and Guam

**Table 7: Marketing Plan**

Line Item	Question	Response *
32	Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this contract opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	Autocar enthusiastically has made the current Sourcewell contract a central feature of our marketing program to all government-related customers and we plan to expand our efforts should we be awarded a new contract. Details of the Sourcewell award will be communicated to the Autocar sales teams at a National Sales Meeting, shared on our internal digital collaboration tool, and discussed at weekly sales meetings through the life of the award. Autocar's dedicated Municipal sales teams (built around the specific applications municipal buyers focus on, such a road maintenance, solid waste collection, park district operations, and universities) will take the lead to ensure all Autocar sales personnel are meeting our objectives to reach Sourcewell members with the information they need to take advantage of the Autocar Sourcewell contract. The Autocar account service teams will be allocated geographic territories and make early contact with Sourcewell members to inform them of the award and learn about their specific needs. Autocar plans to promote its membership in Sourcewell via press release, social media, and email marketing campaigns. Autocar dealers and service centers across North America will be advised of our award by Sourcewell and the benefits to Sourcewell members of working with Autocar. Autocar also promotes our Sourcewell contract at all trade shows, whether major events, such as Waste Expo, or smaller events, such as regional SWANA events which take place throughout the year and across the country.
33	Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.	Autocar uses sophisticated digital marketing techniques to reach and sell to hundreds of thousands of potential customers each month and has greatly expanded these programs since the previous contract award by Sourcewell. Autocar advertises in digital media, such as Google and also on trade association websites, and successfully sells millions of dollars of trucks each year via leads obtained through this advertising program. Social media, such as Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn, and Instagram each have their own target audiences in the municipal and government markets. These rapidly expanding tools are used by Autocar to reach and interact with literally hundreds of thousands of customers and fans weekly – and are leveraged to reach Sourcewell members. Autocar features Sourcewell members in many of its social media posts, celebrating their successes. Some of these Sourcewell members are also featured in Autocar's annual printed calendar, distributed to thousands of truck owners and operators, which then provides additional digital content to be promoted each month. This underscores Autocar's commitment to the municipal market and generates new leads from incremental municipal customers. Autocar encourages these customers to leverage their Sourcewell membership in purchasing, including encouraging them to join Sourcewell if they are not yet members. Finally, email marketing campaigns featuring Autocar products, useful information to improve performance, and the benefits of the Sourcewell award will be crafted to remind municipal and governmental customers to take advantage of the advantages of buying under Sourcewell. These campaigns are sent to thousands of verified buyers and influencers working within Sourcewell member organizations.
34	In your view, what is Sourcewell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcewell-awarded contract into your sales process?	Sourcewell's national contracts offer a timesaving efficient procurement process for government and education. Sourcewell offers their members the opportunity to purchase the products they need at discounted prices while saving both time and money by forgoing the traditional bid writing, publishing and award process. The member can be assured they are taking advantage of the discounts/buying power offered from the awarded contract holders to the members. Holding a Sourcewell awarded contract allows the Autocar sales team together with our National dealer network salesforce to communicate a unified sales process and utilize the national awarded Sourcewell contract. Using the Sourcewell contract allows Autocar to benefit from not having to respond to hundreds of individual bids and pass on savings to Sourcewell members from those efficiencies. Autocar will integrate the Sourcewell marketing support with our marketing plan for the contract as well as take advantage of regional sales programs, local, regional and national trade shows to promote the Sourcewell contract.
35	Are your products or services available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.	Autocar chassis are custom engineered for our customers. The trucks must be correct for the job required so we do not have a e-procurement ordering process as we must understand the spec from the customer and ensure we build the correct truck for his application. This would not be possible with an e-procurement process.

**Table 8: Value-Added Attributes**

Line Item	Question	Response *
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36	Describe any product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training programs that you offer to Sourcewell participating entities. Include details, such as whether training is standard or optional, who provides training, and any costs that apply.	Autocar provides its customers unlimited online free training for all its products for the life of the vehicle. We offer both live webinars as well as recorded sessions for diagnostic, service and operation of it vehicles. We also offer CNG classes for those new to CNG on line as well. Live classes are offered in a regular schedule published on line on our website at www.autocartruck.com. The websites offers prerecorded downloadable sessions as well for Autocar customers.	*
37	Describe any technological advances that your proposed products or services offer.	<p>Autocar – ever since its founding as in 1897 – has been a leader in bring new technologies to our customers so they can improve their operations. The past year has been no exception and our program for the next few years is filled with further valuable innovations we are bringing to market.</p> <p>First, Autocar has launched the breakthrough DC-64 conventional truck, packed with a bevy of technological advances including the first ever ultra-high-strength 160 KSI steel frame that is 24% stronger and lighter than competitive trucks.</p> <p>Another innovation in the DC-64 model is the all-new cab, engineered for safety and durability - always our first objectives. The new DC cab is built from a combination of engineered steel, judiciously chosen aluminum components, and robust steel corner castings. We also maximized driver visibility, with a steeply raked wraparound windshield for upward and forward visibility and large rear corner windows standard, very rare in class 8 conventional cabs. The best way to stay safe is to see all around and avoid getting into trouble in the first place. The DC’s focus on safety is expected to help Autocar maintain its admirable safety record. Data from the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration shows that in 2018 Autocar’s Class 8 refuse cabover trucks had 20% fewer accidents per truck than all other competitors, and 40% fewer accidents with injuries per truck.</p> <p>The DC-64 and also our ACX cabover model feature our totally upgraded electric system with advanced diagnostic capabilities and numerous features to resist wear and damage. Both models also feature the Autocar Always Up® in-cab digital display for both drivers and technicians, with game-changing “one-touch diagnostics”. It actually tells the operator or technician what fault has occurred and shows them how to repair. It gets trucks back into service faster than any other system available in heavy trucks.</p> <p>Finally, in 2020 Autocar is introducing a radically better telematics system which communicates over 4,000 potential faults and other truck operating conditions to truck management and maintenance staff – all in real time. This information is accessible on any digital device, including smartphones and tablets, and allows operators to maximize their uptime, prevent problems before they interfere with customer service, and pre-plan maintenance to reduce costs. The system also provides valuable information on driver behavior to help management coach behaviors that increase safety and reduce operating costs.</p>	*
38	Describe any “green” initiatives that relate to your company or to your products or services, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.	<p>. Autocar is certified with the EPA Clean Air act (certificate attached).</p> <p>Autocar has always lead in CNG production and continues to be the market leader in class 7 &amp; 8 vocational CNG powered trucks. We integrate the CNG engines directly into our chassis without the need for conversion and are uniquely integrated into our electronics and cooling system.</p> <p>We continue to be CARB (California Air Resource Board) certified with the Cummins Near Zero emission CNG engines and we work with other local Clean City initiatives to help our customers meet GHG goals. Many of our customers are able to take advantage of local “Green Initiative” funding opportunities as the result of using the Autocar chassis with CNG and clean diesel technologies offered.</p> <p>We also offer the EMP fan system as a factory option offering customer a unique fan system developed to reduce Green House Gas (GHG) and save fuel during normal operation of the vehicle</p> <p>Autocar will continue to lead in development in Green technologies and are testing our EV (electric drivetrain vehicle) and anticipate offering it as an option to Sourcewell member when testing is complete</p>	*
39	Identify any third-party issued eco-labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the equipment or products included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.	Autocar is the market leader is and has been the market leader in Green Technologies with aprox 60% of chassis produced in Alabama powered by Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) Cummins engines as well as Fully electric drive class 7 & 8 vehicles currently in testing/development. We are certified by the EPA Clean Air act (certificate attached) as well as CARB.	*
40	Describe any Women or Minority Business Entity (WMBE), Small Business Entity (SBE), or veteran owned business certifications that your company or hub partners have obtained. Upload documentation of certification (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	One of Autocar’s valued dealers, Chastang Ford located in Houston TX is a certified Historically Underutilized Business (HIB) in TX and is also a MBE as recognized by Houston Minority Supplier Development Council	*

41	What unique attributes does your company, your products, or your services offer to Sourcewell participating entities? What makes your proposed solutions unique in your industry as it applies to Sourcewell participating entities?	<p>Autocar is the only truck manufacturer that is 100% American owned and build all its trucks in America. Every Autocar truck is hand-built (no robots!) by our skilled team-members in Birmingham, Alabama and Hagerstown Indiana.</p> <p>Next, Autocar is the only major American truck manufacturer focused on trucks for severe-duty vocational applications.</p> <p>But above all, Autocar is focused on our customers. Posted all over our facilities are banners reminding each of us, "The Customer Is Our Boss." So, we don't just build trucks, we provide a complete tool - a whole system - that helps our customers to be more successful and to achieve their most challenging objectives.</p> <p>Our slogan, "Always Up®" isn't just some fancy promise – it's a state of mind. It's what our customers want. It's what we live. Who's up first in the mornings? The sun. The early birds. The hardest workers. And the hardest working trucks. Always Up means we work intimately with our customers so that every single one of our trucks is purpose-built to fit the specific needs of their operation and stay in service. Always Up also means our Autocar Solutions® 24/7 service command center solves our customers' technical issues and coordinates our network of hundreds of authorized Autocar service locations across the United States and Canada.</p> <p>We encourage every potential customer to visit an Autocar facility so they can see first-hand how different our approach is and that everything we do is focused on helping our customers be successful.</p>
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## Table 9: Warranty

**Describe in detail your manufacturer warranty program, including conditions and requirements to qualify, claims procedure, and overall structure. You may upload representative samples of your warranty materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response in addition to responding to the questions below.**

Line Item	Question	Response *
42	Do your warranties cover all products, parts, and labor?	Autocar's warranty covers parts and labor for all components and parts installed by Autocar Truck. For details please refer to the Autocar Warranty certificate attached
43	Do your warranties impose usage restrictions or other limitations that adversely affect coverage?	Autocar does not impose any unusual restrictions on warranty coverage outside maintenance items and abuse covered in our Warranty certificate. Autocar's customer service dept. supports the provision of both warranty support and post-warranty support.
44	Do your warranties cover the expense of technicians' travel time and mileage to perform warranty repairs?	Autocar customer support will assist in warranty support whether it is with our field personnel repairing a problem directly, assisting the customer is repairing the vehicle thru free smart phone video or manage and assist the dealer in repair. As a policy we do not automatically cover travel time to perform repairs but assist in repairs to limit any travel time required
45	Are there any geographic regions of the United States (and Canada, if applicable) for which you cannot provide a certified technician to perform warranty repairs? How will Sourcewell participating entities in these regions be provided service for warranty repair?	If Autocar finds a remote location where we are not able provide a viable option for certified technician to repair the vehicle Autocar has live 24/7 tech assistance, remote diagnostic, video app and training. We often set up remote locations with in-house warranty, ship parts free of charge and reimburse at an in house labor rate. With live support and remote diagnostic many of our remote customers find this a better solution to repair their Autocar vehicles.
46	Will you cover warranty service for items made by other manufacturers that are part of your proposal, or are these warranties issues typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer?	Autocar covers any component installed as part of the original equipment and spelled out in our warranty certificate. Drivetrain components like Cummins engine and Allison transmission are part of our agreement and spelled out in our certificate. They are administered through our authorized Autocar service centers.
47	What are your proposed exchange and return programs and policies?	While under warranty if the member decides they would like to do in house warranty thru our "solution" system, and are qualified to do so we will ship the replacement part direct to the member and inform them if the return is required. This is something unique Autocar offers directly to our customers as we give them the option of doing what serves their needs the best.
48	Describe any service contract options for the items included in your proposal.	Autocar does not directly offer service contract as a manufacture however most of our Nationwide authorized dealers do offer service contract and can quote directly to the member

**Table 10: Payment Terms and Financing Options**

Line Item	Question	Response *	
49	What are your payment terms (e.g., net 10, net 30)?	Our terms are net 15 days to our dealer and as the nature of our product terms for payments can range from 15 days to 210 days for Sourcewell member. The dealer will list out any terms and interest charges to the Sourcewell member that go beyond 15 days depending on what term the member requests.	*
50	Do you provide leasing or financing options, especially those options that schools and governmental entities may need to use in order to make certain acquisitions?	Our extensive dealer network locations have a multitude of finance options for Sourcewell member ranging from Municipal lease to straight forward finance options and can offer to the member if needed and help to find the best suited option for the member.	*
51	Briefly describe your proposed order process. Include enough detail to support your ability to report quarterly sales to Sourcewell as described in the Contract template. For example, indicate whether your dealer network is included in your response and whether each dealer (or some other entity) will process the Sourcewell participating entities' purchase orders.	Autocar truck is a manufacture and our extensive dealer network will process the completed contract/purchase order. An option in our spec tool (Adnet) will need to be selected in order obtain a price which will come direct from Autocar. When the Sourcewell member purchases off the said quotation thru the dealer, the system which will identify it as a Sourcewell sales for tracking, recording and reporting and will be part of the permanent record. In the instance that a member may want to purchase a stock unit the quotation will still come direct from Autocar so the unit(s) can be added to the quarterly Sourcewell report and tracked. The Sourcewell member can chose which dealer he would like to use as all Sourcewell member pricing will be set by Autocar.	*
52	Do you accept the P-card procurement and payment process? If so, is there any additional cost to Sourcewell participating entities for using this process?	NO	*

**Table 11: Pricing and Delivery**

Provide detailed pricing information in the questions that follow below. Keep in mind that reasonable price and product adjustments can be made during the term of an awarded Contract as described in the RFP, the template Contract, and the Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form.

Line Item	Question	Response *
53	Describe your pricing model (e.g., line-item discounts or product-category discounts). Provide detailed pricing data (including standard or list pricing and the Sourcewell discounted price) on all of the items that you want Sourcewell to consider as part of your RFP response. If applicable, provide a SKU for each item in your proposal. Upload your pricing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	Price SKU attached with all base model bid and discount shown. All pricing is per published MSRP in our truck configurator (ADNET) and all Sourcewell members will receive a 20% discount based on ADNET published MSRP.
54	Quantify the pricing discount represented by the pricing proposal in this response. For example, if the pricing in your response represents a percentage discount from MSRP or list, state the percentage or percentage range.	Sourcewell member pricing will be a discounted from list price by 20% off MSRP based on our published MSRP in our spec tool (Adnet). This will be on both the base chassis and all published options.
55	Describe any quantity or volume discounts or rebate programs that you offer.	There are times when Autocar can realize savings based on volume orders in which case the saving would be in addition to the standard discount offered to members. Autocar would pass on any manufacture rebate programs that would come up during the course of the contract to the member. Any cost reductions from such programs will be passed on to the member.
56	Propose a method of facilitating "sourced" products or related services, which may be referred to as "open market" items or "nonstandard options". For example, you may supply such items "at cost" or "at cost plus a percentage," or you may supply a quote for each such request.	Autocar will provide any Sourced products not available direct from Autocar at cost with no markup.
57	Identify any element of the total cost of acquisition that is NOT included in the pricing submitted with your response. This includes all additional charges associated with a purchase that are not directly identified as freight or shipping charges. For example, list costs for items like pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	Autocar includes factory PDI to be done at a local dealer and is included in the price. Autocar on line training is also included at no charge to the member for the life of the vehicle. The member is free to add local fuel, set up, etc and it would be considered a locally sourced option and the cost would be added without mark up.
58	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcewell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	Autocar utilizes equalized Freight in North America for all products which is listed at \$1,950 on the price sheet for the first ship, except the ACTT yard spotter. Since these are unique specialized vehicles, some are DOT legal and customers prefer to pick up themselves. For those that do not want to pick up themselves, we can quote delivery freight to the member as a sourced option on a individual basis.
59	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	Autocar will provide a quote at cost should any chassis need to be shipped direct to the end customer and not a body builder. Since most if not all Autocar chassis are shipped to a body builder for upfit the equalized freight program will cover the first ship to the body builder.
60	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	As part of the equalized freight program Autocar will ship to the first point at the equalized rate (except ACTT as outlined). This is usually the body upfitter and delivery from the body upfitter to the end customer or the Autocar dealer would be handled by the body dealer. Autocar does include and will pay for the PDI at the local distributor but freight to the dealer in most cases will be the responsibility of the body company.

**Table 12: Pricing Offered**

Line Item	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
61	c. better than the Proposer typically offers to GPOs, cooperative procurement organizations, or state purchasing departments.	Autocar is offering a discount off the base price and ALL published options which is better than typical GPO's that normally offer discounts off of just the base models

**Table 13: Audit and Administrative Fee**

Line Item	Question	Response *
62	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed Contract with Sourcewell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcewell participating entities obtain the proper pricing, that the Vendor reports all sales under the Contract each quarter, and that the Vendor remits the proper administrative fee to Sourcewell.	In our Adnet spec and order tool the sales person must select the Soucewell option in order to obtain a quote for a Sourcewell customer. This ensures all Sourcewell orders are recorded, tracked and reported thru our internal tracking system and follow the contract guidelines.
63	Identify a proposed administrative fee that you will pay to Sourcewell for facilitating, managing, and promoting the Sourcewell Contract in the event that you are awarded a Contract. This fee is typically calculated as a percentage of Vendor's sales under the Contract or as a per-unit fee; it is not a line-item addition to the Member's cost of goods. (See the RFP and template Contract for additional details.)	Autocar proposes a flat fee of \$1,000 per truck for the use of the contract

**Table 14A: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Line Item	Question	Response *
64	Provide a detailed description of the equipment, products, and services that you are offering in your proposal.	Autocar has 4 product lines with several variations we are proposing. The ACX class 8 Low Cab forward chassis 4x2 & 6x4 in CNG and Diesel, The ACMD class 7 & 8 Cab forward chassis 4x2 & 6x4 in CNG and Diesel, The DC Conventional chassis in class 8 4x2 & 6x4 in CNG and diesel and the ACTT yard spotter class 8 chassis 4x2 & 6x4 in diesel.
65	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	Class 7 Cabover Truck chassis Class 8 Cabover Truck Chassis Class 8 Conventional Truck Chassis Terminal Tractor Medium Duty Truck Chassis Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) powered Trucks EV Vehicles

**Table 14B: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Indicate below what Classes of equipment are offered in this proposal.

Line Item	Category or Type	Offered *	Comments
66	Class 8 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	COE & Conv
67	Class 7 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	COE
68	Class 6 chassis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	N/A
69	Class 5 chassis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	N/A
70	Class 4 chassis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	N/A

**Table 15: Industry Specific Questions**

Line Item	Question	Response *
71	If you are awarded a contract, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the contract.	Autocar holds monthly meetings internally to track sales volume with breakout by account type, which included Sourcewell. We are charged with growing the segments of our business including Sourcewell driving toward continue growth year after year. We review the necessary tools needed by the sales group to drive the various market segment. These are reviewed with the outside sales force on weekly conference calls and bi-annual sales meetings. Sourcewell sales has become and will remain a measurable goal and target for growth in both refuse and the dump/plow truck market that our new conventional truck will fill.
72	Describe your company's offering in relation to alternative fuel sources, including electric or others.	Autocar is the market leader along all truck manufactures in Compressed Natural gas with 60% on average year after year of ACX production being CNG. We have in development and testing our own Electric vehicle for both the ACTT & ACX and anticipate bringing those to market in 2021. Autocar has always lead the industry in alternative fuels together with our customers and continued to evolve and develop common sense alternative vehicles that can work day after day, year after year.
73	Describe any manufacturing processes or materials utilized that contribute to chassis strength, cab strength, overall durability, driver safety that differentiate your offerings.	<p>Autocar all steel cabs are strongest in the industry providing the highest crush rating. Autocar provides best driver visibility with sharpest turning radius resulting in less backing events. The unique Autocar variable drop frame is strongest frame in the industry putting strength where it is needed most. We review weight distributions on all truck and body combinations to ensure safe and legal refuse tools.</p> <p>Dept. of Transportation Safety Data for the last 2 years (<a href="http://www.safer.fmcsa.dot.gov/">www.safer.fmcsa.dot.gov/</a>) shows Autocar is 58% less likely to be involved in an accident. Also when an Autocar is involved in an accident there are 40% fewer driver injuries vs competitive units.</p> <p>Autocar chassis manufacturing process includes four quality gates along the production line. All cabs undergo an electrical and pneumatic operational check of all circuits and operations prior to installation on the chassis. This step greatly minimizes electrical or pneumatic failures. Different than our competitors we test every truck, not just random audits! ALL chassis must pass ALL quality checks prior to leaving the factory. -All chassis have wheels aligned -All chassis are brake tested per axle -All chassis are dyno tested -All chassis are road tested -All chassis receive a pre-body PDI (pre delivery inspection) prior to leaving our factory. -All chassis receive a post-body PDI after the body installation is complete. The steps above ensure that Autocar provides safest and highest up-time tools to Sourcewell Members!</p>
74	Describe any differentiating serviceability attributes (remote diagnostics, etc.) your proposal offers.	<p>We support our customers different than anyone in the industry. Customer or any one of our dealers have access thru our website (<a href="http://www.autocartruck.com">www.autocartruck.com</a>) to the "solution" portal. We respond on average in 15 minutes during normal hours (7-7 eastern) and within 30 minutes after hours. The response is direct from our service team and designed to support the technician in anything they need, whether its diagnostic help, wire diagrams, parts help, etc. for the life of the truck not just under warranty The DC-64 and also our ACX cabover model feature our totally upgraded electric system with advanced diagnostic capabilities and numerous features to resist wear and damage. Both models also feature the Autocar Always Up® in-cab digital display for both drivers and technicians, with game-changing "one-touch diagnostics". It actually tells the operator or technician what fault has occurred and shows them how to repair. It gets trucks back into service faster than any other system available in heavy trucks. Finally, in 2020 Autocar is introducing a radically better telematics system which communicates over 4,000 potential faults and other truck operating conditions to truck management and maintenance staff – all in real time. This information is accessible on any digital device, including smartphones and tablets, and allows operators to maximize their uptime, prevent problems before they interfere with customer service, and pre-plan maintenance to reduce costs. The system also provides valuable information on driver behavior to help management coach behaviors that increase safety and reduce operating costs.</p>

**Table 16: Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form**

**Line Item 75. NOTICE:** To identify any exception, or to request any modification, to the Sourcewell template Contract terms, conditions, or specifications, a Proposer must submit the exception or requested modification on the **Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form** immediately below. The contract section, the specific text addressed by the exception or requested modification, and the proposed modification must be identified in detail. Proposer's exceptions and proposed modifications are subject to review and approval of Sourcewell and will not automatically be included in the contract.

Contract Section	Term, Condition, or Specification	Exception or Proposed Modification

**Documents****Ensure your submission document(s) conforms to the following:**

1. Documents in PDF format are preferred. Documents in Word, Excel, or compatible formats may also be provided.
2. Documents should NOT have a security password, as Sourcewell may not be able to open the file. It is your sole responsibility to ensure that the uploaded document(s) are not either defective, corrupted or blank and that the documents can be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
3. Sourcewell may reject any response where any document(s) cannot be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
4. If you need to upload more than one (1) document for a single item, you should combine the documents into one zipped file. If the zipped file contains more than one (1) document, ensure each document is named, in relation to the submission format item responding to. For example, if responding to the Marketing Plan category save the document as "Marketing Plan."

- [Financial Strength and Stability](#) - Autocar Credit References.pdf - Monday June 01, 2020 14:30:33
- [Marketing Plan/Samples](#) - Marketing.zip - Tuesday June 02, 2020 13:02:54
- WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates (optional)
- [Warranty Information](#) - Warranty.zip - Monday June 01, 2020 14:49:17
- [Pricing](#) - Autocar Sourcewell Specification Price Sheet RFP\_060920.xlsx - Tuesday June 02, 2020 13:45:24
- [Additional Document](#) - CARB & EPA certificates.zip - Tuesday June 02, 2020 13:02:33

## Proposer's Affidavit

### **PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE**

I certify that I am the authorized representative of the Proposer submitting the foregoing Proposal with the legal authority to bind the Proposer to this Affidavit and Assurance of Compliance:

1. The Proposer is submitting this Proposal under its full and complete legal name, and the Proposer legally exists in good standing in the jurisdiction of its residence.
2. The Proposer warrants that the information provided in this Proposal is true, correct, and reliable for purposes of evaluation for contract award.
3. The Proposer, including any person assisting with the creation of this Proposal, has arrived at this Proposal independently and the Proposal has been created without colluding with any other person, company, or parties that have or will submit a proposal under this solicitation; and the Proposal has in all respects been created fairly without any fraud or dishonesty. The Proposer has not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement or arrangement with any person or business in an effort to influence any part of this solicitation or operations of a resulting contract; and the Proposer has not taken any action in restraint of free trade or competitiveness in connection with this solicitation. Additionally, if Proposer has worked with a consultant on the Proposal, the consultant (an individual or a company) has not assisted any other entity that has submitted or will submit a proposal for this solicitation.
4. To the best of its knowledge and belief, and except as otherwise disclosed in the Proposal, there are no relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest. An organizational conflict of interest exists when a vendor has an unfair competitive advantage or the vendor's objectivity in performing the contract is, or might be, impaired.
5. The contents of the Proposal have not been communicated by the Proposer or its employees or agents to any person not an employee or legally authorized agent of the Proposer and will not be communicated to any such persons prior to Due Date of this solicitation.
6. If awarded a contract, the Proposer will provide to Sourcwell Participating Entities the equipment, products, and services in accordance with the terms, conditions, and scope of a resulting contract.
7. The Proposer possesses, or will possess before delivering any equipment, products, or services, all applicable licenses or certifications necessary to deliver such equipment, products, or services under any resulting contract.
8. The Proposer agrees to deliver equipment, products, and services through valid contracts, purchase orders, or means that are acceptable to Sourcwell Members. Unless otherwise agreed to, the Proposer must provide only new and first-quality products and related services to Sourcwell Members under an awarded Contract.
9. The Proposer will comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules, and orders.
10. The Proposer understands that Sourcwell will reject RFP proposals that are marked "confidential" (or "nonpublic," etc.), either substantially or in their entirety. Under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.591, subdivision 4, all proposals are considered nonpublic data until the evaluation is complete and a Contract is awarded. At that point, proposals become public data. Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37 permits only certain narrowly defined data to be considered a "trade secret," and thus nonpublic data under Minnesota's Data Practices Act.
11. Proposer its employees, agents, and subcontractors are not:
  - a. Included on the "Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons" list maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the United States Department of the Treasury found at: <https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf>;
  - b. Included on the government-wide exclusions lists in the United States System for Award Management found at: <https://www.sam.gov/portal/3>; or
  - c. Presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated

by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this solicitation.

By checking this box I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Proposer's Affidavit, have the legal authority to submit this Proposal on behalf of the Proposer, and that this electronic acknowledgment has the same legal effect, validity, and enforceability as if I had hand signed the Proposal. This signature will not be denied such legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because an electronic signature or electronic record was used in its formation. - Craig Teune, Director of Sales Application, Autocar, LLC

The Proposer declares that there is an actual or potential Conflict of Interest relating to the preparation of its submission, and/or the Proposer foresees an actual or potential Conflict of Interest in performing the contractual obligations contemplated in the bid.

Yes  No

The Bidder acknowledges and agrees that the addendum/addenda below form part of the Bid Document.

Check the box in the column "I have reviewed this addendum" below to acknowledge each of the addenda.

File Name	I have reviewed the below addendum and attachments (if applicable)	Pages
<b>Addendum_11_Class 4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Wed June 3 2020 07:52 AM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_10_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Wed May 27 2020 03:40 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_9_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Tue May 26 2020 02:51 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_8_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Thu May 21 2020 01:21 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_7_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Mon May 18 2020 03:30 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_6_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Wed May 13 2020 04:40 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2
<b>Addendum_5_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Tue May 12 2020 10:00 AM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_4_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Mon May 4 2020 01:24 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_3_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Wed April 29 2020 03:45 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
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**AMENDMENT #1  
TO  
CONTRACT #060920-ATC**

THIS AMENDMENT is by and between **Sourcewell** and **Autocar Truck, LLC/Autocar Industries, LLC**. (Vendor).

Vendor was awarded a Sourcewell Contract for Class 4-8 Chassis with Related Equipment, Accessories, and Services effective August 28, 2020, through August 1, 2024, relating to the provision of services by Vendor to Sourcewell and its Members (Original Agreement).

The parties agree that certain terms within the Original Agreement will be updated and amended and only to the extent as hereunder provided.

IN CONSIDERATION OF the mutual covenants and agreements described in this Amendment, the parties agree as follows:

1. This Amendment is effective upon the date of the last signature below.
2. Section 20. Insurance, Subsection A. Requirements, Item 5 Professional/Technical Errors and Omissions of the Original Agreement is deleted in its entirety.

**Remainder of page intentionally left blank.**

Except as amended by this Amendment, the Original Agreement remains in full force and effect.

**Sourcewell**

DocuSigned by:  
By: Jeremy Schwartz  
Authorized Signature C0FD2A139D06489...

Jeremy Schwartz  
Name – Printed

Title: Director of Operations & Procurement/CPO

Date: 12/8/2020 | 9:46 PM CST

**Autocar Truck, LLC/Autocar Industries, LLC**

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By: Hilton Diamond  
Authorized Signature 81FA2730257C4EC...

Hilton Diamond  
Name – Printed

Title: CFO

Date: 12/8/2020 | 10:59 AM CST

**Sourcewell-APPROVED:**

DocuSigned by:  
By: Chad Coauette  
Authorized Signature 7E42B8F817A64CC...

Chad Coauette  
Name – Printed

Title: Executive Director/CEO

Date: 12/8/2020 | 10:18 PM CST



## **Solicitation Number: RFP #060920**

### **CONTRACT**

This Contract is between Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and Mack Trucks, Inc., 7825 National Service Road, Greensboro, NC 27409 (Vendor).

Sourcewell is a State of Minnesota local government agency and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) that offers cooperative procurement solutions to government entities. Participation is open to federal, state/province, and municipal governmental entities, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public entities located in the United States and Canada.

Vendor desires to contract with Sourcewell to make available for purchase through its participating independent authorized dealers equipment, products, or services to Sourcewell and the entities that access Sourcewell's cooperative purchasing contracts (Participating Entities).

#### **1. TERM OF CONTRACT**

- A. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Contract is effective upon the date of the final signature below.
- B. **EXPIRATION DATE AND EXTENSION.** This Contract expires August 1, 2024, unless it is cancelled sooner pursuant to Article 24. This Contract may be extended up to one additional one-year period upon request of Sourcewell and with written agreement by Vendor.
- C. **SURVIVAL OF TERMS.** Articles 11 through 16 survive the expiration or cancellation of this Contract.

#### **2. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES**

- A. **EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES.** Vendor will make available for purchase through its participating independent authorized dealers the Equipment, Products, or Services as stated in its Proposal submitted under the Solicitation Number listed above. Vendor's Equipment, Products, or Services Proposal (Proposal) is attached and incorporated into this Contract.

All Equipment and Products provided under this Contract must be new/current model. Vendor may offer close-out or refurbished Equipment or Products if they are clearly indicated in Vendor's product and pricing list. Unless agreed to by the Participating Entities in advance, Equipment or Products must be delivered as operational to the Participating Entity's site.

This Contract offers an indefinite quantity of sales, and while substantial volume is anticipated, sales and sales volume are not guaranteed.

B. **WARRANTY.** Vendor's warranty for the Equipment, Products, and Services furnished will be as stated in the written warranty document provided to a Participating Entity at the time of purchase. Vendor's dealers and distributors must agree to assist the Participating Entity in reaching a resolution in any dispute over warranty terms with the manufacturer. Any manufacturer's warranty that is effective past the expiration of the Vendor's warranty will be passed on to the Participating Entity.

C. **DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, AND/OR RESELLERS.** Upon Contract execution, Vendor will make available to Sourcewell a means to validate or authenticate Vendor's authorized dealers, distributors, and/or resellers relative to the Equipment, Products, and Services related to this Contract. This list may be updated from time-to-time and is incorporated into this Contract by reference. It is the Vendor's responsibility to ensure Sourcewell receives the most current version of this list.

### **3. PRICING**

All Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract will be priced as stated in Vendor's Proposal.

When providing pricing quotes to Participating Entities, all pricing quoted must reflect a Participating Entity's total cost of acquisition. This means that the quoted cost is for delivered Equipment, Products, and Services that are operational for their intended purpose, and includes all costs to the Participating Entity's requested delivery location.

Regardless of the payment method chosen by the Participating Entity, the total cost associated with any purchase option of the Equipment, Products, or Services must always be disclosed in the pricing quote to the applicable Participating Entity at the time of purchase.

A. **SHIPPING AND SHIPPING COSTS.** All delivered Equipment and Products must be properly packaged. Damaged Equipment and Products may be rejected. Participating Entities reserve the right to inspect the Equipment and Products at a reasonable time after delivery where circumstances or conditions prevent effective inspection of the Equipment and Products at the time of delivery.

Sourcewell may declare the Vendor in breach of this Contract if the Vendor intentionally delivers substandard or inferior Equipment or Products. In the event of the delivery of nonconforming Equipment and Products, the Participating Entity will notify the Vendor as soon as possible and the Vendor will replace nonconforming Equipment and Products with conforming Equipment and Products that are acceptable to the Participating Entity.

B. SALES TAX. Each Participating Entity is responsible for supplying the Vendor and/or Vendor's participating independent dealer with valid tax-exemption certification(s). When ordering, a Participating Entity must indicate if it is a tax-exempt entity.

C. HOT LIST PRICING. At any time during this Contract, Vendor may offer a specific selection of Equipment, Products, or Services at discounts greater than those listed in the Contract. When Vendor determines it will offer Hot List Pricing, it must be submitted electronically to Sourcewell in a line-item format. Equipment, Products, or Services may be added or removed from the Hot List at any time through a Sourcewell Price and Product Change Form as defined in Article 4 below.

Hot List program and pricing may also be used to discount and liquidate close-out and discontinued Equipment and Products as long as those close-out and discontinued items are clearly identified as such. Current ordering process and administrative fees apply. Hot List Pricing must be published and made available to all Participating Entities.

#### **4. PRODUCT AND PRICING CHANGE REQUESTS**

Vendor may request Equipment, Product, or Service changes, additions, or deletions at any time. All requests must be made in writing by submitting a signed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form to the assigned Sourcewell Contract Administrator. This form is available from the assigned Sourcewell Contract Administrator. At a minimum, the request must:

- Identify the applicable Sourcewell contract number;
- Clearly specify the requested change;
- Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;
- Individually list all Equipment, Products, or Services affected by the requested change, along with the requested change (e.g., addition, deletion, price change); and
- Include a complete restatement of pricing documentation in Microsoft Excel with the effective date of the modified pricing, or product addition or deletion. The new pricing restatement must include all Equipment, Products, and Services offered, even for those items where pricing remains unchanged.

A fully executed Sourcewell Price and Product Request Form will become an amendment to this Contract and be incorporated by reference.

## **5. PARTICIPATION, CONTRACT ACCESS, AND PARTICIPATING ENTITY REQUIREMENTS**

A. **PARTICIPATION.** Sourcewell's cooperative contracts are available and open to public and nonprofit entities across the United States and Canada; such as federal, state/province, municipal, K-12 and higher education, tribal government, and other public entities.

The benefits of this Contract should be available to all Participating Entities that can legally access the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract. A Participating Entity's authority to access this Contract is determined through its cooperative purchasing, interlocal, or joint powers laws. Any entity accessing benefits of this Contract will be considered a Service Member of Sourcewell during such time of access. Vendor understands that a Participating Entity's use of this Contract is at the Participating Entity's sole convenience and Participating Entities reserve the right to obtain like Equipment, Products, or Services from any other source.

Vendor is responsible for familiarizing its sales and service forces with Sourcewell contract use eligibility requirements and documentation and will encourage potential members to join Sourcewell. Sourcewell reserves the right to add and remove Participating Entities to its roster during the term of this Contract.

B. **PUBLIC FACILITIES.** Vendor's employees may be required to perform work at government-owned facilities, including schools. Vendor's employees and agents must conduct themselves in a professional manner while on the premises, and in accordance with Participating Entity policies and procedures, and all applicable laws.

## **6. PARTICIPATING ENTITY USE AND PURCHASING**

A. **ORDERS AND PAYMENT.** To access the contracted Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract, a Participating Entity must clearly indicate to Vendor and/or Vendor's participating independent authorized dealer that it intends to access this Contract; however, order flow and procedure will be developed jointly between Sourcewell and Vendor. Typically, a Participating Entity will issue an order directly to Vendor and/or Vendor's participating independent authorized dealer. If a Participating Entity issues a purchase order, it may use its own forms, but the purchase order should clearly note the applicable Sourcewell contract number. All Participating Entity orders under this Contract must be issued prior to expiration of this Contract; however, Vendor performance, Participating Entity payment, and any applicable warranty periods or other Vendor or Participating Entity obligations may extend beyond the term of this Contract.

Vendor's acceptable forms of payment are included in Attachment A. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.

B. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS/PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM.** Additional terms and conditions to a purchase order may be negotiated between a Participating Entity and Vendor and/or Vendor's participating independent authorized dealer, such as job or industry-specific requirements, legal requirements (e.g., affirmative action or immigration status requirements), or specific local policy requirements. Some Participating Entities may require the use of a Participating Addendum; the terms of which will be worked out directly between the Participating Entity and the Vendor and/or Vendor's participating independent authorized dealer. Any negotiated additional terms and conditions must never be less favorable to the Participating Entity than what is contained in this Contract.

C. **PERFORMANCE BOND.** If requested by a Participating Entity, Vendor's participating independent authorized dealer will provide a performance bond that meets the requirements set forth in the Participating Entity's order.

D. **SPECIALIZED SERVICE REQUIREMENTS.** In the event that the Participating Entity requires service or specialized performance requirements (such as e-commerce specifications, specialized delivery requirements, or other specifications and requirements) not addressed in this Contract, the Participating Entity and the Vendor and/or Vendor's participating independent authorized dealer may enter into a separate, standalone agreement, apart from this Contract. Sourcwell, including its agents and employees, will not be made a party to a claim for breach of such agreement.

E. **TERMINATION OF ORDERS.** Participating Entities may terminate an order, in whole or in part, immediately upon notice to Vendor in the event of any of the following events:

1. The Participating Entity fails to receive funding or appropriation from its governing body at levels sufficient to pay for the goods to be purchased;
2. Federal, state, or provincial laws or regulations prohibit the purchase or change the Participating Entity's requirements; or
3. Vendor commits any material breach of this Contract or the additional terms agreed to between the Vendor and a Participating Entity.

F. **GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.** The governing law and venue for any action related to a Participating Entity's order will be determined by the Participating Entity making the purchase.

## **7. CUSTOMER SERVICE**

A. **PRIMARY ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE.** Vendor will assign an Account Representative to Sourcwell for this Contract and must provide prompt notice to Sourcwell if that person is changed. The Account Representative will be responsible for:

- Maintenance and management of this Contract;

- Timely response to all Sourcwell and Participating Entity inquiries; and
- Business reviews to Sourcwell and Participating Entities, if applicable.

B. BUSINESS REVIEWS. Vendor must perform a minimum of one business review with Sourcwell per contract year. The business review will cover sales to Participating Entities, pricing and contract terms, administrative fees, supply issues, customer issues, and any other necessary information.

## **8. REPORT ON CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE FEE PAYMENT**

A. CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY REPORT. Each calendar quarter, Vendor must provide a contract sales activity report (Report) to the Sourcwell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract. A Report must be provided regardless of the number or amount of sales during that quarter (i.e., if there are no sales, Vendor must submit a report indicating no sales were made).

The Report must contain the following fields:

- Customer Name (e.g., City of Staples Highway Department);
- Customer Physical Street Address;
- Customer City;
- Customer State/Province;
- Customer Zip Code;
- Customer Contact Name;
- Customer Contact Email Address;
- Customer Contact Telephone Number;
- Sourcwell Assigned Entity/Participating Entity Number;
- Item Purchased Description;
- Item Purchased Price;
- Sourcwell Administrative Fee Applied; and
- Date Purchase was invoiced/sale was recognized as revenue by Vendor.

B. ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. In consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcwell, the Vendor will pay an administrative fee to Sourcwell on all Equipment, Products, and Services provided to Participating Entities. The Administrative Fee must be included in, and not added to, the pricing. Vendor may not charge Participating Entities more than the contracted price to offset the Administrative Fee.

The Vendor will submit a check payable to Sourcwell for the administrative fee amount stated in the Proposal multiplied by the total number of trucks purchased by Participating Entities under this Contract during each calendar quarter. Payments should note the Sourcwell-assigned contract number in the memo and must be mailed to the address above "Attn:

Accounts Receivable.” Payments must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter.

Vendor agrees to cooperate with Sourcewell in auditing transactions under this Contract to ensure that the administrative fee is paid on all items purchased under this Contract.

In the event the Vendor is delinquent in any undisputed administrative fees, Sourcewell reserves the right to cancel this Contract and reject any proposal submitted by the Vendor in any subsequent solicitation. In the event this Contract is cancelled by either party prior to the Contract’s expiration date, the administrative fee payment will be due no more than 30 days from the cancellation date.

#### **9. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

Vendor’s Authorized Representative is the person named in the Vendor’s Proposal. If Vendor’s Authorized Representative changes at any time during this Contract, Vendor must promptly notify Sourcewell in writing.

#### **10. ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENTS, WAIVER, AND CONTRACT COMPLETE**

A. **ASSIGNMENT.** Neither the Vendor nor Sourcewell may assign or transfer any rights or obligations under this Contract without the prior consent of the parties and a fully executed assignment agreement. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld.

B. **AMENDMENTS.** Any amendment to this Contract must be in writing and will not be effective until it has been fully executed by the parties.

C. **WAIVER.** If either party fails to enforce any provision of this Contract, that failure does not waive the provision or the right to enforce it.

D. **CONTRACT COMPLETE.** This Contract contains all negotiations and agreements between Sourcewell and Vendor. No other understanding regarding this Contract, whether written or oral, may be used to bind either party.

E. **RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES.** The relationship of the parties is one of independent contractors, each free to exercise judgment and discretion with regard to the conduct of their respective businesses. This Contract does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship such as master-servant, or principal-agent.

## 11. LIABILITY

Vendor must indemnify, save, and hold Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees, arising out of the performance of this Contract by the Vendor or its agents or employees; this indemnification includes injury or death to person(s) or property alleged to have been caused by some defect in the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract to the extent the Equipment, Product, or Service has been used according to its specifications.

## 12. AUDITS

Sourcewell reserves the right to review the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices of the Vendor relevant to this Contract for a minimum of 6 years from the end of this Contract. This clause extends to Participating Entities as it relates to business conducted by that Participating Entity under this Contract.

## 13. GOVERNMENT DATA PRACTICES

Vendor and Sourcewell must comply with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13, as it applies to all data provided by or provided to Sourcewell under this Contract and as it applies to all data created, collected, received, stored, used, maintained, or disseminated by the Vendor under this Contract.

If the Vendor receives a request to release the data referred to in this article, the Vendor must immediately notify Sourcewell and Sourcewell will assist with how the Vendor should respond to the request.

## 14. INDEMNIFICATION

As applicable, Vendor agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Sourcewell and its Participating Entities against any and all suits, claims, judgments, and costs instituted or recovered against Sourcewell or Participating Entities by any person on account of the use of any Equipment or Products by Sourcewell or its Participating Entities supplied by Vendor in violation of applicable patent or copyright laws.

## 15. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PUBLICITY, MARKETING, AND ENDORSEMENT

### A. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

1. *Grant of License.* During the term of this Contract:
  - a. Sourcewell grants to Vendor a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use the Trademark(s) provided to Vendor by Sourcewell in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Sourcewell's relationship with Vendor.

b. Vendor grants to Sourcewell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Vendor's Trademarks in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Vendor's relationship with Sourcewell.

2. *Limited Right of Sublicense.* The right and license granted herein includes a limited right of each party to grant sublicenses to its and their respective distributors, marketing representatives, and agents (collectively "Permitted Sublicensees") in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties' relationship to Participating Entities. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this Article by any of their respective sublicensees.

3. *Use; Quality Control.*

a. Sourcewell must not alter Vendor's Trademarks from the form provided by Vendor and must comply with Vendor's removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.

b. Vendor must not alter Sourcewell's Trademarks from the form provided by Sourcewell and must comply with Sourcewell's removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.

c. Each party agrees to use, and to cause its Permitted Sublicensees to use, the other party's Trademarks only in good faith and in a dignified manner consistent with such party's use of the Trademarks. Upon written notice to the breaching party, the breaching party has 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the breach or the license will be terminated.

4. *Termination.* Upon the termination of this Contract for any reason, each party, including Permitted Sublicensees, will have 30 days to remove all Trademarks from signage, websites, and the like bearing the other party's name or logo (excepting Sourcewell's pre-printed catalog of vendors which may be used until the next printing). Vendor must return all marketing and promotional materials, including signage, provided by Sourcewell, or dispose of it according to Sourcewell's written directions.

B. **PUBLICITY.** Any publicity regarding the subject matter of this Contract must not be released without prior written approval from the Authorized Representatives. Publicity includes notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, research, reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared by or for the Vendor individually or jointly with others, or any subcontractors, with respect to the program, publications, or services provided resulting from this Contract.

C. **MARKETING.** Any direct advertising, marketing, or offers with Participating Entities must be approved by Sourcewell. Materials should be sent to the Sourcewell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract.

D. **ENDORSEMENT.** The Vendor must not claim that Sourcewell endorses its Equipment, Products, or Services.

## 16. GOVERNING LAW, JURISDICTION, AND VENUE

Minnesota law governs this Contract. Venue for all legal proceedings out of this Contract, or its breach, must be in the appropriate state court in Todd County or federal court in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

## 17. FORCE MAJEURE

Neither party to this Contract will be held responsible for delay or default caused by acts of God or other conditions that are beyond that party's reasonable control. A party defaulting under this provision must provide the other party prompt written notice of the default.

## 18. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Contract is found to be illegal, unenforceable, or void then both Sourcewell and Vendor will be relieved of all obligations arising under such provisions. If the remainder of this Contract is capable of performance, it will not be affected by such declaration or finding and must be fully performed.

## 19. PERFORMANCE, DEFAULT, AND REMEDIES

A. **PERFORMANCE.** During the term of this Contract, the parties will monitor performance and address unresolved contract issues as follows:

1. *Notification.* The parties must promptly notify each other of any known dispute and work in good faith to resolve such dispute within a reasonable period of time. If necessary, Sourcewell and the Vendor will jointly develop a short briefing document that describes the issue(s), relevant impact, and positions of both parties.
2. *Escalation.* If parties are unable to resolve the issue in a timely manner, as specified above, either Sourcewell or Vendor may escalate the resolution of the issue to a higher level of management. The Vendor will have 60 calendar days to cure an outstanding issue.
3. *Performance while Dispute is Pending.* Notwithstanding the existence of a dispute, the Vendor must continue without delay to carry out all of its responsibilities under the Contract that are not affected by the dispute.

B. **DEFAULT AND REMEDIES.** Either of the following constitutes cause to declare this Contract, or any Participating Entity order under this Contract, in default:

1. Nonperformance of contractual requirements, or
2. A material breach of any term or condition of this Contract.

Written notice of default and a reasonable opportunity to cure must be issued by the party claiming default. Time allowed for cure will not diminish or eliminate any liability for liquidated

or other damages. If the default remains after the opportunity for cure, the non-defaulting party may:

- Exercise any remedy provided by law or equity, or
- Terminate the Contract or any portion thereof, including any orders issued against the Contract.

## 20. INSURANCE

A. REQUIREMENTS. At its own expense, Vendor must maintain insurance policy(ies) in effect at all times during the performance of this Contract with insurance company(ies) licensed or authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota having an "AM BEST" rating of A- or better, with coverage and limits of insurance not less than the following:

1. *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability.*

Workers' Compensation: As required by any applicable law or regulation.

Employer's Liability Insurance: must be provided in amounts not less than listed below:

Minimum limits:

- \$500,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident
- \$500,000 policy limit for bodily injury by disease
- \$500,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease

2. *Commercial General Liability Insurance.* Vendor will maintain insurance covering its operations, with coverage on an occurrence basis, and must be subject to terms no less broad than the Insurance Services Office ("ISO") Commercial General Liability Form CG0001 (2001 or newer edition), or equivalent. At a minimum, coverage must include liability arising from premises, operations, bodily injury and property damage, independent contractors, products-completed operations including construction defect, contractual liability, blanket contractual liability, and personal injury and advertising injury. All required limits, terms and conditions of coverage must be maintained during the term of this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

- \$1,000,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage
- \$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury
- \$2,000,000 aggregate for Products-Completed operations
- \$2,000,000 general aggregate

3. *Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain insurance covering all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles in limits of liability not less than indicated below. The coverage must be subject to terms no less broad than ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 0001 (2010 edition or newer), or equivalent.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each accident, combined single limit

4. *Umbrella Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain umbrella coverage over Workers' Compensation, Commercial General Liability, and Commercial Automobile.

Minimum Limits:

\$2,000,000

5. *Professional/Technical, Errors and Omissions, and/or Miscellaneous Professional Liability.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain coverage for all claims the Vendor may become legally obligated to pay resulting from any actual or alleged negligent act, error, or omission related to Vendor's professional services required under this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

\$2,000,000 per claim or event

\$2,000,000 – annual aggregate

6. *Network Security and Privacy Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain coverage for network security and privacy liability. The coverage may be endorsed on another form of liability coverage or written on a standalone policy. The insurance must cover claims which may arise from failure of Vendor's security resulting in, but not limited to, computer attacks, unauthorized access, disclosure of not public data – including but not limited to, confidential or private information, transmission of a computer virus, or denial of service.

Minimum limits:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence

\$2,000,000 annual aggregate

Failure of Vendor to maintain the required insurance will constitute a material breach entitling Sourcwell to immediately terminate this Contract for default.

B. CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE. Prior to commencing under this Contract, Vendor must furnish to Sourcwell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Contract. Prior to expiration of the policy(ies), renewal certificates must be mailed to Sourcwell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 or sent to the Sourcwell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract. The certificates must be signed by a person authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf. All policies must include there will be no cancellation, suspension, non-renewal, or reduction of coverage without 30 days' prior written notice to the Vendor.

Upon request, Vendor must provide to Sourcwell copies of applicable policies and endorsements, within 10 days of a request. Failure to request certificates of insurance by

Sourcewell, or failure of Vendor to provide certificates of insurance, in no way limits or relieves Vendor of its duties and responsibilities in this Contract.

C. **ADDITIONAL INSURED ENDORSEMENT AND PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY INSURANCE CLAUSE.** Vendor agrees to list Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their officers, agents, and employees, as an additional insured under the Vendor's commercial general liability insurance policy with respect to liability arising out of activities, "operations," or "work" performed by or on behalf of Vendor, and products and completed operations of Vendor. The policy provision(s) or endorsement(s) must further provide that coverage is primary and not excess over or contributory with any other valid, applicable, and collectible insurance or self-insurance in force for the additional insureds.

D. **WAIVER OF SUBROGATION.** Vendor waives and must require (by endorsement or otherwise) all its insurers to waive subrogation rights against Sourcewell and other additional insureds for losses paid under the insurance policies required by this Contract or other insurance applicable to the Vendor or its subcontractors. The waiver must apply to all deductibles and/or self-insured retentions applicable to the required or any other insurance maintained by the Vendor or its subcontractors. Where permitted by law, Vendor must require similar written express waivers of subrogation and insurance clauses from each of its subcontractors.

E. **UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY.** The limits required by this Contract can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies).

F. **SELF-INSURED RETENTIONS.** Any self-insured retention in excess of \$10,000 is subject to Sourcewell's approval.

## **21. COMPLIANCE**

A. **LAWS AND REGULATIONS.** All Equipment, Products, or Services provided under this Contract must comply fully with applicable federal laws and regulations, and with the laws in the states and provinces in which the Equipment, Products, or Services are sold.

B. **LICENSES.** Vendor must maintain a valid and current status on all required federal, state/provincial, and local licenses, bonds, and permits required for the operation of the business that the Vendor conducts with Sourcewell and Participating Entities.

## **22. BANKRUPTCY, DEBARMENT, OR SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION**

Vendor certifies and warrants that it is not in bankruptcy or that it has previously disclosed in writing certain information to Sourcewell related to bankruptcy actions. If at any time during this Contract Vendor declares bankruptcy, Vendor must immediately notify Sourcewell in writing.

Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this Contract. Vendor further warrants that it will provide immediate written notice to Sourcwell if this certification changes at any time.

### **23. PROVISIONS FOR NON-UNITED STATES FEDERAL ENTITY PROCUREMENTS UNDER UNITED STATES FEDERAL AWARDS OR OTHER AWARDS**

Participating Entities that use United States federal grant or FEMA funds to purchase goods or services from this Contract may be subject to additional requirements including the procurement standards of the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 C.F.R. § 200. Participating Entities may also require additional requirements based on specific funding specifications. Within this Article, all references to “federal” should be interpreted to mean the United States federal government. The following list only applies when a Participating Entity accesses Vendor’s Equipment, Products, or Services with United States federal funds.

A. **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.** Except as otherwise provided under 41 C.F.R. § 60, all contracts that meet the definition of “federally assisted construction contract” in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 C.F.R. §60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity” (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 C.F.R. §, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” and implementing regulations at 41 C.F.R. § 60, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor.” The equal opportunity clause is incorporated herein by reference.

B. **DAVIS-BACON ACT, AS AMENDED (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3148).** When required by federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to

the federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (40 U.S.C. § 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 3, "Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States"). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. Vendor must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

C. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. §§ 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5). Under 40 U.S.C. § 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. § 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence. This provision is hereby incorporated by reference into this Contract. Vendor certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Vendor must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

D. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT. If the federal award meets the definition of "funding agreement" under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that "funding agreement," the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 401, "Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements," and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency. Vendor certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Vendor must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

E. CLEAN AIR ACT (42 U.S.C. § 7401-7671Q.) AND THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT (33 U.S.C. § 1251-1387). Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 require the non-federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401- 7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251- 1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal

awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Vendor certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

F. DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION (EXECUTIVE ORDERS 12549 AND 12689). A contract award (see 2 C.F.R. § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 C.F.R. §180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 C.F.R. § 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 C.F.R. § 1989 Comp., p. 235), "Debarment and Suspension." SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. Vendor certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation by any federal department or agency.

G. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT, AS AMENDED (31 U.S.C. § 1352). Vendors must file any required certifications. Vendors must not have used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Vendors must disclose any lobbying with non-federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-federal award. Vendors must file all certifications and disclosures required by, and otherwise comply with, the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. § 1352).

H. RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with the record retention requirements detailed in 2 C.F.R. § 200.333. The Vendor further certifies that it will retain all records as required by 2 C.F.R. § 200.333 for a period of 3 years after grantees or subgrantees submit final expenditure reports or quarterly or annual financial reports, as applicable, and all other pending matters are closed.

I. ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

J. BUY AMERICAN PROVISIONS COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with all applicable provisions of the Buy American Act. Purchases made in accordance with the Buy American Act must follow the applicable procurement rules calling for free and open competition.

K. ACCESS TO RECORDS (2 C.F.R. § 200.336). Vendor agrees that duly authorized representatives of a federal agency must have access to any books, documents, papers and records of Vendor that are directly pertinent to Vendor's discharge of its obligations under this Contract for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. The right also includes timely and reasonable access to Vendor's personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion relating to such documents.

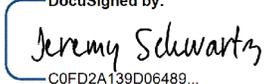
L. PROCUREMENT OF RECOVERED MATERIALS (2 C.F.R. § 200.322). A non-federal entity that is a state agency or agency of a political subdivision of a state and its contractors must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 C.F.R. § 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

#### **24. CANCELLATION**

Sourcewell or Vendor may cancel this Contract at any time, with or without cause, upon 60 days' written notice to the other party. However, Sourcewell may cancel this Contract immediately upon discovery of a material defect in any certification made in Vendor's Proposal. Cancellation of this Contract does not relieve either party of financial, product, or service obligations incurred or accrued prior to cancellation.

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## Vendor Details

Company Name: Mack Trucks  
Does your company conduct business under any other name? If yes, please state: No  
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## Specifications

**Table 1: Proposer Identity & Authorized Representatives**

**General Instructions** (applies to all Tables) Sourcewell prefers a brief but thorough response to each question. Please do not merely attach additional documents to your response without also providing a substantive response. Do not leave answers blank; mark "NA" if the question does not apply to you (preferably with an explanation).

Line Item	Question	Response *
1	Proposer Legal Name (and applicable d/b/a, if any):	Mack Trucks, Inc.
2	Proposer Address:	7825 National Service Road, Greensboro, NC 27409
3	Proposer website address:	www.macktrucks.com
4	Proposer's Authorized Representative (name, title, address, email address & phone) (The representative must have authority to sign the "Proposer's Assurance of Compliance" on behalf of the Proposer and, in the event of award, will be expected to execute the resulting contract):	Jonathan Randall, VP Sales & Marketing. 7825 National Service Road, Greensboro, NC 27409 jonathan.randall@macktrucks.com
5	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Scott Miller - Manager, Sales Development. 7825 National Service Road, Greensboro, NC 27409 scott.miller@macktrucks.com
6	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Darren Jones, Director Pricing, 7825 National Service Road, Greensboro, NC 27409 Darren.Jones@macktrucks.com  Edward Schnake, Manager, Pricing. 7825 National Service Road, Greensboro, NC 27409 edward.schnake@macktrucks.com

**Table 2: Company Information and Financial Strength**

Line Item	Question	Response *
7	Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested equipment, products or services.	<p>Dedicated to durability, reliability and meeting the needs of customers, Mack Trucks has provided purpose-built transportation solutions since 1900. Today, Mack Trucks is one of North America's largest producers of heavy-duty trucks, and Mack® trucks are sold and serviced through an extensive distribution network in more than 45 countries. Mack trucks, diesel engines and transmissions sold in North America are assembled in the United States.</p> <p>Mack Trucks is part of the Volvo Group, which is driving prosperity through transport solutions by offering trucks, buses, construction equipment, power solutions for marine and industrial applications, financing and services that increase customer uptime and productivity. Founded in 1927, the Volvo Group is committed to shaping the future landscape of sustainable transport and infrastructure solutions. The Volvo Group is headquartered in Gothenburg, Sweden, employs 104,000 people and serves customers in more than 190 markets. In 2019, net sales amounted to about \$45.7 billion.</p>
8	What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?	<p>Mack Trucks expects to gain market share within the segments that Sourcewell has customers. Mack Trucks has traditionally tracked a defined "municipal" market share and has placed much focus on these municipal products and customers. For example, the company services Class 8 truck chassis in a segment called CST&gt;10L for which Mack Trucks reports a current 14.7% market share. While 14.7% is respectable, Mack Trucks strives to be Number 1 in market share and customer satisfaction within this important segment. In addition to the Class 8 chassis, Mack Trucks now offers expanded products for these same educational, government agency, and non-profit customers with its newest offerings in Class 6 and Class 7 chassis. The company expectations in all segments of its business is always to meet customer demands and grow market share, but in this CST&gt;10L segment specifically Mack Trucks expects to increase its lines of business for the different types of Sourcewell customers.</p>

9	Demonstrate your financial strength and stability with meaningful data. This could include such items as financial statements, SEC filings, credit and bond ratings, letters of credit, and detailed reference letters. Upload supporting documents (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	Mack Trucks is a wholly owned subsidiary of Volvo AB, a global entity employing 104,000 people and serving customers in more than 190 markets, with net sales of about \$45.7 billion for 2019. Volvo AB is a Swedish-based public company. As a subsidiary, Mack Trucks itself does not produce independent audited financial statements or have SEC filings. However, Mack Trucks hereby provides the current rating Volvo AB has with several different rating agencies, for example the A ratings with both Moody's and Standard and Poor's. Mack Trucks also provides the 2019 Annual Report for Volvo AB, which includes various reports specifically addressing the Mack Trucks subsidiary and Mack product lines.	*
10	What is your US market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	Mack Trucks' "municipal" market share for class 8 trucks in the US is 14.7%.	*
11	What is your Canadian market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	Mack Trucks' "municipal" market share for class 8 trucks in Canada is 7.2%. Due to Canadian privacy laws, it remains difficult to verify the Canadian market share, although Mack Trucks believes actual market share figures to be greater than reported.	*
12	Has your business ever petitioned for bankruptcy protection? If so, explain in detail.	As of the date of this submission, Mack Trucks has never petitioned for bankruptcy protection.	*
13	How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer whichever question (either a) or b) just below) best applies to your organization. a) If your company is best described as a distributor/dealer/reseller (or similar entity), provide your written authorization to act as a distributor/dealer/reseller for the manufacturer of the products proposed in this RFP. If applicable, is your dealer network independent or company owned? b) If your company is best described as a manufacturer or service provider, describe your relationship with your sales and service force and with your dealer network in delivering the products and services proposed in this RFP. Are these individuals your employees, or the employees of a third party?	Mack Trucks is a manufacturer of class 6-8 trucks. Every Mack® truck built for the North American market is assembled at its Mack Lehigh Valley Operations facility in Macungie, PA. Engines and transmissions for the North American market are built at its powertrain facility in Hagerstown, MD. Mack Trucks has approximately 125 corporate employees in the field in various sales, parts, and service roles. These employees are located at home offices all over the US and Canada, calling on dealers and end customers (including Sourcewell members) to promote the sale of trucks and parts, and to assist customers with any service uptime issues. The corporate employees also interface with the Mack dealer network on a daily basis. Mack Trucks has hundreds of support personnel on its corporate campus in Greensboro, NC assisting its field teams, dealers, and end customers. Mack Trucks has a dedicated UpTime Center staffed with over 600 people operating a live person call center functioning 24/7 for 365 days a year. The UpTime Center further supports its customer base by speaking in 8 different languages.  Mack Trucks sells and services its products through a network of independent authorized dealers. As of January 1, 2020, Mack Trucks had 124 dealer-owners with 432 rooftop locations servicing the US and Canada. Mack Trucks has issued comprehensive policies and procedures to its dealers to help ensure end customers are supported in a consistent, comprehensive manner, in line with the expectations of the Mack brand, regardless of where Mack end customers may be located.	*
14	If applicable, provide a detailed explanation outlining the licenses and certifications that are both required to be held, and actually held, by your organization (including third parties and subcontractors that you use) in pursuit of the business contemplated by this RFP.	Although Mack Trucks is not aware of any licenses or certifications needed to either produce or sell chassis specifically to Sourcewell customers, Mack Trucks does maintain required trade licenses to conduct business in all 50 states of the US and in the provinces of Canada.	*
15	Provide all "Suspension or Debarment" information that has applied to your organization during the past ten years.	Mack Trucks certifies that to the best of its knowledge and belief it has not been listed by any federal or state authority as debarred or suspended during the past ten years.	*

**Table 3: Industry Recognition & Marketplace Success**

Line Item	Question	Response *
16	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years	<p>2020 - Mack Trucks' John Walsh, Mack Trucks vice president of marketing, was named to Constellation Research's 2020 AX50, an elite list of leaders from companies focused on innovation and transforming customer experiences. Mack Trucks and Walsh were recognized for the truck manufacturer's work in customer experience and digital marketing.</p> <p>2018 – Mack Trucks' design team was recognized by the Industrial Designers Society of America with a Silver International Design Excellence Award (IDEA) in recognition of their work on the Mack Anthem model.</p> <p>2016 – Mack Trucks and its Mack Trucks Academy won a Brandon Hall Group gold award in the Best Learning Program Supporting a Change Transformation Business Strategy category for its Certified Uptime Centers training program. The Brandon Hall Group awards recognize how learning programs are developed and applied in support of major organizational changes.</p> <p>2016 – Mack Trucks' "The Horn" video won four bronze Telly Awards, which honor the finest video and film productions and online commercials, video and films.</p> <p>2016 - Superior Carriers, a division of Superior Bulk Logistics, awarded Mack Trucks its President's Supplier Excellence Award, the only external award given by the company on an annual basis.</p> <p>2015 – Mack Trucks' website was honored as a Gold Winner in the business-to-business category of the 13th annual Horizon Interactive Awards, which recognize excellence in interactive media production.</p> <p>2015 – Mack Trucks was named the 2015 Commercial Vehicle Maker of the Year by TU-Automotive, a leading organization focused on the connected vehicle technology segment. Mack Trucks received the award for Mack GuardDog Connect, its integrated telematics solution, and Mack Fleet Management Services.</p>
17	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years	10.6% of its sales were to the governmental sector in the last three years.
18	What percentage of your sales are to the education sector in the past three years	Less than 1% of its sales were to the education sector over the last three years.
19	List any state, provincial, or cooperative purchasing contracts that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	Many Mack dealers work directly with local state cooperative purchasing contracts, but Mack Trucks does not hold any contracts corporately. Some examples would be: Florida Sheriff's Association, North Carolina Sheriff's Association, Alabama County Commission Association, Pennsylvania Co-Stars, Texas Buy Board. Mack Trucks does not track the sales by cooperative, as these sales are handled and tracked through its independent authorized MACK dealers throughout the US and Canada.
20	List any GSA contracts or Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements (SOSA) that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	<p>Mack Defense, a wholly owned subsidiary of Mack Trucks, Inc. and the Volvo Group has a GSA contract. Cage code: 6B8L4. (flyer attached in documents)</p> <p>Sales volumes on the GSA contract are as follows:  2017 125 units totaling \$14.3M  2018 47 units totaling \$5.4M  2019 140 units totaling \$19.6M</p>

**Table 4: References/Testimonials**

Line Item 21. Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcewell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *
State of Utah DOT	Troy Starley	801-965-4470
City of Detroit	Bill Webster	313-628-1148
Missouri DOT	Roy Hogsett	660-385-8274

**Table 5: Top Five Government or Education Customers**

**Line Item 22. Provide a list of your top five government, education, or non-profit customers (entity name is optional), including entity type, the state or province the entity is located in, scope of the project(s), size of transaction(s), and dollar volumes from the past three years.**

Entity Name	Entity Type *	State / Province *	Scope of Work *	Size of Transactions *	Dollar Volume Past Three Years *
Agencies in NY	Government	New York - NY	We mainly sell cabover refuse trucks that are also used to plow snow. They also use our chassis for wreckers, dump trucks, and others.	635 trucks	\$184,116,980
Agencies in PA	Government	Pennsylvania - PA	Chassis for snow plows	363 trucks	\$36,772,989
Agencies in TN	Government	Tennessee - TN	Chassis for snow plows and dump trucks	203 trucks	\$21,390,110
Agencies in AL	Government	Alabama - AL	Chassis for dump trucks and tractors to haul dump trailers.	184 trucks	\$21,650,912
Agencies in UT	Government	Utah - UT	Chassis for snow plows	152 trucks	\$14,828,208

**Table 6: Ability to Sell and Deliver Service**

Describe your company's capability to meet the needs of Sourcwell participating entities across the US and Canada, as applicable. Your response should address in detail at least the following areas: locations of your network of sales and service providers, the number of workers (full-time equivalents) involved in each sector, whether these workers are your direct employees (or employees of a third party), and any overlap between the sales and service functions.

Line Item	Question	Response *
23	Sales force.	Mack Trucks currently has 31 corporate sales reps in the field, working from home offices and covering territories calling on Mack dealers and customers. Together with the 893 dealer sales reps, the corporate field team will visit customers to work on selling Mack trucks.
24	Dealer network or other distribution methods.	Mack Trucks has 432 Full Line dealers for the US / Canada. Of those dealers 132 are Certified Uptime Dealers which means they have dedicated bays to get trucks in and out of the shop quickly. Customers can expect a diagnosis within two hours of arriving at a Certified Uptime Center and if the repair fits the criteria the truck is pulled into an Uptime bay where the repair is done in four hours or less.
25	Service force.	Mack Trucks currently has 77 corporate service reps in the field, working from home offices and covering territories calling on Mack dealers and customers in the US and Canada. These service reps work directly with Mack dealers and customers to address repairing and/or servicing Mack trucks. They also become involved with customers to support warranty, Up-time solutions, Over-the-air programming, etc.
26	Describe in detail the process and procedure of your customer service program, if applicable. Include your response-time capabilities and commitments, as well as any incentives that help your providers meet your stated service goals or promises.	Mack Trucks has a 24 hour / 365 day Mack One Call Uptime Center. All operations are in Greensboro, NC and fully staffed 24/7 with trained professionals to assist with any type of issues. All operations are in one facility, housing Parts and Reliability engineers who can speak face to face to ensure a quick response to an issue. Mack Trucks also has complete lists of outside towing /repair facilities to support customer needs.
27	Identify your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcwell participating entities in the United States.	In the United States Mack Trucks has a total of 342 rooftop locations. This includes 279 Full-line dealers (truck sales, parts, and service) and the rest are parts and service locations. Mack dealers desire a program to sell trucks under the Sourcwell banner and make the purchasing process easier for their customers who are also Sourcwell members. Mack Trucks views a successful Sourcwell bid as a holistic WIN for all parties involved - Mack Corporate, Mack Dealers, and Sourcwell Members.
28	Identify your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcwell participating entities in Canada.	In Canada Mack Trucks has a total of 90 rooftop locations. This includes 34 Full-line dealers (truck sales, parts, and service) and the rest are parts and service locations. Mack dealers desire a program to sell trucks under the Sourcwell banner and make the purchasing process easier for their customers who are also Sourcwell members. Mack Trucks views a successful Sourcwell bid as a holistic WIN for all parties involved - Mack Corporate, Mack Dealers, and Sourcwell Members.
29	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract.	There are no geographic restrictions unless the local Mack dealer decides independently not to participate in the program.
30	Identify any Sourcwell participating entity sectors (i.e., government, education, not-for-profit) that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract. Explain in detail. For example, does your company have only a regional presence, or do other cooperative purchasing contracts limit your ability to promote another contract?	There are no limitations to Mack dealers selling and servicing Mack products to any of the Sourcwell entity participating sectors. Mack Trucks has no exclusive agreements with any other cooperative purchasing contracts that will limit its ability to promote Sourcwell.
31	Define any specific contract requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	Mack Trucks has dealers in Hawaii, Alaska, and US Territories who will be able to sell to and service Sourcwell customers. There are no restrictions unless the local Mack dealer independently decides not to participate in the program.

**Table 7: Marketing Plan**

Line Item	Question	Response *
32	Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this contract opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>The strategy will be to educate and engage the Mack dealer network to properly be aware of these bid opportunities. Mack Trucks will place ads where appropriate to communicate that the Mack brand is now a part of the Sourcewell network.</p> <p>Mack Trucks' plan is to identify Mack Sourcewell dealers and include the notation in the Mack dealer locator. This will allow customers to search for and discover Mack Sourcewell dealers closest to them via the Mack dealer locator.</p>
33	Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.	<p>Mack Trucks remains highly focused on delivering the digital experience across all of its marketing channels. The primary objective in Mack Trucks Marketing is to drive awareness, interest, and consideration of Mack products and services. Mack Trucks uses social media, video, trade shows, programmatic digital materials, and other technological methods for marketing its messages. Marketing supports potential and existing customers that are actively shopping for Classes 6-8 products, to provide news, product and service improvements, and new offerings of Mack Trucks, and promotes connections between potential and existing customers with Mack Trucks dealers based on an interested party's location for customer convenience.</p> <p>Web forms, landing pages, multi-channel marketing campaigns, offline print, and trade show experiences encourage potential customers to self-identify and promote personalized and segmented customer profiles. These efforts allow Mack Trucks to better understand a customer's needs and applications. Complete profiles enable Mack Trucks to provide segmented content to customers, which can be further enhanced based on specific product inquiries and online website behavior tailored to a customer's interests. Customer information may be provided to independent authorized Mack dealers to foster relationships with potential customers about Mack products and services.</p> <p>Existing and potential customers can manage their technology and digital relationships with Mack Trucks in accordance with the Mack Privacy Policy, where Mack Trucks explains its use of cookies and other aspects of managing digital technologies. Mack Trucks allows customers to manage their preferences regarding access to and communications with Mack Trucks concerning its products and services.</p>
34	In your view, what is Sourcewell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcewell-awarded contract into your sales process?	<p>If Mack Trucks is awarded a Sourcewell contract, then Mack Trucks anticipates Sourcewell's role to be directing its Members to the Mack brand as an option for class 6-8 truck chassis. Further, Mack Trucks would appreciate being informed of the customer inquiry so that the company could inform its local Mack dealer. This lead will offer the Mack dealer an opportunity to initiate a conversation with said customer and hopefully provide them a solution to fit their needs.</p>
35	Are your products or services available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.	<p>Due to highly customizable nature of a Mack chassis, and the need for a Mack dealer to explain options to best suit a particular customers needs and equipment application, Mack Trucks does not currently offer an e-procurement ordering platform directly to the end customer. Mack Trucks does provide several on-line tools, for example its "truck builder" tool, where end customers can go to the MackTrucks.com website and "build a truck" to their general specifications. This tool will then send those general specifications to the closest Mack dealer who can in turn validate the specifications and quote that customer on those specs using the Mack Sales System (MSS) tool, and thereafter confirm and submit an order for product. However, for the protection of the customer, to ensure the customer is getting the proper product for its specific application and duty cycle, Mack Trucks does not offer the customer a mechanism to complete the transaction itself through an on-line e-procurement ordering process.</p>

**Table 8: Value-Added Attributes**

Line Item	Question	Response *
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36	Describe any product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training programs that you offer to Sourcewell participating entities. Include details, such as whether training is standard or optional, who provides training, and any costs that apply.	<p>Mack Trucks offers a variety of training for its customers. Mack Trucks provides on-line training and will often send trainers to customer's locations and provide service technician training, driver training, and municipal training. All of these are tailored to fit customer needs.</p> <p>For example, in terms of driver training it is more on the functionality of the truck. The trainer gets a copy of the truck spec from the District Manager and then does some "classroom" work of going over the dash, seat, shifter, transmission features, engine, etc. The trainer addresses safety features, steering wheel, etc. Time permitting and depending on class size, after the classroom time, drivers will get a chance to get hands on with the truck as long as there is a truck available. With existing Mack brand customers, the trainer will be able to use Mack Analytics to view past fuel efficiency and talk about creating better habits to improve on that in the future.</p> <p>Often the training will occur as "train the trainer", and depending on the size of the fleet may also directly involve the drivers themselves. The pricing for the driver training is: Cost \$1650 per day (includes the instructor on-site, instructor's food and transportation). Training Agenda Day 1 Travel up Day 2 Driver Training Day 3 Travel back And this is for a 10 driver/driver trainer Max.</p> <p>Municipal training focuses on Service Technician training that is customized for their application or their truck spec. All of the examples the trainer uses in class would be for their specific application or truck spec (so minimal difference between the two). As for cost, it varies greatly. On average, \$325.00 per Service Technician per day.</p>
37	Describe any technological advances that your proposed products or services offer.	<p>Mack Trucks is preparing to offer fully electric vehicles, specifically in the refuse application, where many counties and municipalities have their own refuse fleets. Mack Trucks also offers natural gas options on some of its truck models which create cleaner near zero emissions, etc. Mack Trucks is also on the leading edge of telematics and provides over the air programming for many of the electronic and/or software driven items on trucks today. This will save customers, Sourcewell members, a tremendous amount of time by not having to bring the trucks to a local dealer for software upgrades or programming changes. Mack Trucks has the ability now to do these "over the air" updates in about 20 minutes, wherever the truck is parked provided they are in an area with a good cellular signal.</p>
38	Describe any "green" initiatives that relate to your company or to your products or services, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.	<p>Environmental responsibility and green initiatives are important to Mack Trucks. Our Lehigh Valley Operations assembly facility, where all Mack trucks for the North American and export markets are assembled, and our powertrain production facility in Hagerstown, MD are both platinum-certified through the U.S. Department of Energy's Superior Energy Performance program. Both facilities are also participants in the U.S. Department of Energy's Better Buildings, Better Plants challenge to reduce energy intensity.</p> <p>Mack Trucks has also taken steps toward improving the environmental performance of its products by introducing technologies to improve fuel efficiency and reduce carbon dioxide emissions. The Mack MP8HE engine utilizes Mack Energy Recovery Technology, which captures waste energy from the engine's exhaust and converts it to mechanical energy that is delivered back to the engine crankshaft as additional torque. Mack Anthem models spec'd with the Mack HE+ efficiency package, which includes the Mack MP8HE, Mack mDRIVE AMT and additional aero features, plus available extended chassis fairings, can see up to 10 percent improved fuel efficiency, while also achieving the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's SmartWay designation.</p> <p>Mack Trucks is also a leader in researching and developing alternatives to traditional diesel-powered transportation solutions. The Mack LR Electric is a fully electric version of the Mack LR refuse model featuring an integrated Mack electric powertrain. The LR Electric was unveiled in 2019 and will be demonstrated in real-world applications in 2020 with the New York City Department of Sanitation and Republic Services.</p>
39	Identify any third-party issued eco-labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the equipment or products included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.	<p>Mack Trucks' Lehigh Valley Operations and Hagerstown powertrain facilities are part of the U.S. Department of Energy's Better Buildings, Better Plants challenge, with an initial goal to reduce energy intensity by 25 percent in 10 years. Having met this goal five years ahead of schedule, both plants re-pledged to another Better Buildings, Better Plants challenge to reduce energy intensity by another 25 percent over 10 years.</p> <p>Both facilities have also been certified platinum by the U.S. Department of Energy's Superior Energy Performance program, which recognizes achievement in certification to the ISO 50001 and SEP 50001 standards, as well as demonstrated the use of best practices through the SEP 50001 Scorecard. In fact, Mack Trucks' Lehigh Valley Operations was the first U.S. manufacturing facility to become platinum-certified in the Mature Energy Pathway category.</p> <p>Mack Trucks manufacturing locations are also certified to the internationally recognized ISO 9001 standard for quality, ISO 14001 standard for environmental management systems and OHSAS 18001 (LVO only) standard for health and safety management systems.</p>

40	Describe any Women or Minority Business Entity (WMBE), Small Business Entity (SBE), or veteran owned business certifications that your company or hub partners have obtained. Upload documentation of certification (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>Although Volvo Group North America, LLC does not qualify for accreditations as a small or diverse business, we support MBWE and small business initiatives with both a "Supplier Diversity" program and a "Small Business Office." Internally, Volvo Group sets goals and objectives for both programs and tracks spend results, which are issued quarterly. Volvo Group also sets commercial subcontracting goals with the federal government for our Small Business Office and issues annual reports for approval. We hold memberships in three councils, NMSDC, WBENC and NVBDC, and are a corporate sponsor of CVMSSDC. This helps us to actively pursue business relationships with their certified members. Volvo Group attends numerous trade shows and outreach events throughout the year that highlight diverse and/or small businesses to pursue such business relationships.</p> <p>Volvo Group's current percentage of total expenditures spent with diverse businesses is approx. 12% (including 10.6% classified as small businesses).</p> <p>For further details on Volvo Group's initiatives in this area please contact:                  Barbara N. Tischler                  Volvo Group Purchasing, Business Improvement Leader                  T: +1.336.662.4622                  Email: barbara.tischler@volvo.com</p>
41	What unique attributes does your company, your products, or your services offer to Sourcewell participating entities? What makes your proposed solutions unique in your industry as it applies to Sourcewell participating entities?	<p>Mack trucks come standard with 24/7/365 no fee support with Mack OneCall. OneCall roadside assistance service features 24-hour roadside support. OneCall operators can help customers immediately identify the problem and locate the parts from one of Mack Trucks' six electronically-linked parts distribution centers in North America. With next-flight-out services, Mack Trucks can automatically ship the parts customers need for overnight delivery even outside of normal working hours, including Sundays and holidays.</p> <p>Mack OneCall agents are directly connected with Mack authorized dealers and parts and service locations as well as over 5,000 qualified service facilities in North America, so customers will be connected with immediate assistance wherever they may be. OneCall technicians are prepared to provide warranty expertise no matter the location of the customer.</p> <p>GuardDog Connect is an extension to Mack's World Class support. All Mack powered trucks come standard with connectivity and remote monitoring of the Mack engine, transmission and aftertreatment systems. If an issue is detected on the truck, that information is sent in real-time back to Mack UpTime Center where the issue is diagnosed and categorized by severity. For issues that are detected that require attention, they are categorized according to severity, diagnosed down to the root cause and create a case with detailed repair instructions for Mack OneCall agents. These agents will contact customers with an explanation of the issue and support throughout the repair process.</p>

**Table 9: Warranty**

**Describe in detail your manufacturer warranty program, including conditions and requirements to qualify, claims procedure, and overall structure. You may upload representative samples of your warranty materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response in addition to responding to the questions below.**

Line Item	Question	Response *	
42	Do your warranties cover all products, parts, and labor?	Warranty coverage is 100% for parts and labor subject to the qualifications, limitations, and exclusions as noted in our warranty certificates.	*
43	Do your warranties impose usage restrictions or other limitations that adversely affect coverage?	All warranties are standard warranty but Mack Trucks has the ability to Warranty trucks if necessary at locations other than a Mack dealer. Mack Trucks can authorize outside locations to complete a warranty and it is filed internally by our Uptime Center so no disruption to a customer.	*
44	Do your warranties cover the expense of technicians' travel time and mileage to perform warranty repairs?	Depending on the particular situation Mack Trucks may consider covering travel times and mileage.	*
45	Are there any geographic regions of the United States (and Canada, if applicable) for which you cannot provide a certified technician to perform warranty repairs? How will Sourcwell participating entities in these regions be provided service for warranty repair?	Authorized Mack dealers reside in almost every area of the country, but in certain situations Mack Trucks may use outside repair or customers' locations to complete repairs. To complete major issues Mack Trucks will tow the vehicle to the closest Mack dealer or the one with time available for the repair.	*
46	Will you cover warranty service for items made by other manufacturers that are part of your proposal, or are these warranties issues typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer?	Mack Trucks can only warranty products that are produced by Mack Trucks or that are installed by vendors that Mack Trucks uses in production. The warranty policy for any items made by other manufacturers would be up to each individual manufacturer. The local Mack dealer may have agreements with certain manufacturers where they become an "authorized warranty center" for those manufacturers but that would be up to each Mack dealer and manufacturer.	*
47	What are your proposed exchange and return programs and policies?	Because this is a chassis contract, there is no exchange and/or return program. If referring to parts exchange and/or core return programs, each supplier that our dealers work with will have their own programs and policies that will differ by vendor.	*
48	Describe any service contract options for the items included in your proposal.	Mack Trucks offers published protection plans for the chassis for up to 5 years, 500,000 miles, and for Mack engines and emissions systems for up to 5 years, 750,000 miles. Mack Trucks also offers custom plans based on the customer and application. For example, a Sourcwell member who keeps their truck for a number of years but doesn't run a lot of miles, Mack Trucks can custom quote a solution. In addition to protection plans, Mack Trucks also offers Premium Maintenance plans, so if a Sourcwell member doesn't want to change their own oil, filters, etc. Mack Trucks can custom create a plan where the local Mack dealer can service the Sourcwell member for a fee.	*

**Table 10: Payment Terms and Financing Options**

Line Item	Question	Response *
49	What are your payment terms (e.g., net 10, net 30)?	<p>Sourcwell Member payment terms will typically be the earlier of either net 30 days from date of Sourcwell Member customer invoice or receipt of Mack goods by Sourcwell Member.</p> <p>Final Payment terms may be negotiated between the Sourcwell Member and Mack Trucks dealer.</p>
50	Do you provide leasing or financing options, especially those options that schools and governmental entities may need to use in order to make certain acquisitions?	<p>Mack Financial Services provides a wide range of financing and lease options, including for government and municipalities. Our dealers also have other financing options at their disposal, including but not limited to NCL Government Capital, an approved Sourcwell lender.</p>
51	Briefly describe your proposed order process. Include enough detail to support your ability to report quarterly sales to Sourcwell as described in the Contract template. For example, indicate whether your dealer network is included in your response and whether each dealer (or some other entity) will process the Sourcwell participating entities' purchase orders.	<p>Mack Trucks offers custom built Class 6-8 chassis using the Mack Sales System (MSS) tool to quote and order. Mack Dealers use the MSS tool to create a buildable specification that meets customer specific requirements. Sourcwell members will work with their local Mack Dealer to build and quote chassis that fit their specific needs. Each Dealer working with a Sourcwell member will process the Sourcwell members' purchase orders.</p> <p>Mack Trucks will publish an internal dealer sales agreement (Program) to its authorized dealers outlining the terms and conditions for selling to Sourcwell members under the contract. Mack Dealers will be required to opt-in to the Program in order to receive the Sourcwell discount. At time of quote, all Mack Dealers will be required to submit for the Sourcwell discount through Mack Trucks' internal quote and ordering system, Mack Sales System (MSS). All Sourcwell quotes will include a mandatory Sourcwell salescode that the dealer must add to qualify for applicable Sourcwell discount levels.</p> <p>Mack Pricing and Sales Administration will produce a list of qualifying chassis on a monthly basis to determine Sourcwell's applicable administrative fees to be remitted.</p> <p>To ensure compliance with the terms and conditions of the Program, Mack Dealers must consent to audits by Mack Trucks and/or Sourcwell of all Dealer records related to any and all Sourcwell sales and chassis ordered through the Program. Dealer agrees that any irregularities discovered during the course of an audit may result in the termination of Dealer's participation in the Program.</p>
52	Do you accept the P-card procurement and payment process? If so, is there any additional cost to Sourcwell participating entities for using this process?	<p>The P-card payment process is not typically used for commercial truck procurement. However, this would be mutually determined between the Sourcwell member and the Mack dealer.</p>

**Table 11: Pricing and Delivery**

Provide detailed pricing information in the questions that follow below. Keep in mind that reasonable price and product adjustments can be made during the term of an awarded Contract as described in the RFP, the template Contract, and the Sourcwell Price and Product Change Request Form.

Line Item	Question	Response *
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53	Describe your pricing model (e.g., line-item discounts or product-category discounts). Provide detailed pricing data (including standard or list pricing and the Sourcewell discounted price) on all of the items that you want Sourcewell to consider as part of your RFP response. If applicable, provide a SKU for each item in your proposal. Upload your pricing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>Mack Trucks offers custom built Class 6-8 chassis using the Mack Sales System (MSS) tool to quote and order. Mack Dealers use the MSS tool to create a buildable specification that meets customer specific requirements.</p> <p>Sourcewell Member pricing will be based on a discount from Total List Price, also shown as the Total Vehicle Price, in the Mack Sales System (MSS) Dealer Sales Calc. Total List Price includes Model List, Options, and Customer Adaptations. Sourcewell Member discounts from Total List Price will be broken out by model based on the attached schedule (See: Sourcewell Member Mack Pricing Matrix). Extended Warranties, and Maintenance Contracts are non-discountable items.</p> <p>Canadian Chassis are priced in USD and are subject to exchange rate at time of order or conversion to Sold status. Mack Trucks publishes a Foreign Exchange Letter semi-monthly. The letter provides dealers with the CAD-USD exchange rate that is applicable for Sold orders booked during the stated period.</p> <p>Mack Trucks reserves the right to make further concessions on a case by case basis.</p> <p>Attachments:  "Sourcewell Member Mack Pricing Matrix.pdf"  "Sourcewell Mack Proposal Example.pdf"  "Sourcewell Mack Model List.pdf"</p>	*
54	Quantify the pricing discount represented by the pricing proposal in this response. For example, if the pricing in your response represents a percentage discount from MSRP or list, state the percentage or percentage range.	<p>Sourcewell Member pricing will be based on a discount from Total List Price, also shown as the Total Vehicle Price, in the Mack Sales System (MSS) Dealer Sales Calc. Total List Price includes Model List, Options, and Customer Adaptations. Sourcewell Member discounts from Total List Price will be broken out by model based on the attached schedule (See: Sourcewell Member Mack Pricing Matrix). Extended Warranties, and Maintenance Contracts are non-discountable items.</p> <p>Mack Trucks reserves the right to make further concessions on a case by case basis.</p>	*
55	Describe any quantity or volume discounts or rebate programs that you offer.	The pricing provided in the proposal reflects total potential volume under the Sourcewell contract. Mack Trucks reserves the right to make further concessions on a case by case basis.	*
56	Propose a method of facilitating "sourced" products or related services, which may be referred to as "open market" items or "nonstandard options". For example, you may supply such items "at cost" or "at cost plus a percentage," or you may supply a quote for each such request.	<p>Sourced Goods or Services are supplied at Dealer Cost plus 5% to Sourcewell Members. Mack dealers can solicit offers from sub-contractors for Sourced Goods and Services needed to meet the specific Sourcewell member's need.</p> <p>Sourced Goods and Services include, but are not limited to: specialized bodies (e.g., dumps, mixers, cranes, refuse, pump, utility, etc.), locally added equipment (e.g., pintle hook, auxiliary axles, fairings, logistics devices, etc.), extended warranty packages, and training.</p>	*
57	Identify any element of the total cost of acquisition that is NOT included in the pricing submitted with your response. This includes all additional charges associated with a purchase that are not directly identified as freight or shipping charges. For example, list costs for items like pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	<p>Federal, State, and local taxes, fees, title, tag, permits, or other miscellaneous requirements are not included.</p> <p>The body company or dealer who takes delivery of the chassis may impose an un-decking fee. If required, these handling charges should be disclosed in the quote.</p> <p>Surcharges may apply depending on market conditions. Mack Trucks will give 90 day written notice issued to Sourcewell prior to the effective date and no orders made prior to the effective date will receive the surcharge.</p>	*

58	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcewell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	<p>An equalized freight charge of \$2,100 is included in every invoice and this covers the cost of freight from Lehigh Valley Operations to the first destination on the contiguous US or Canada. This \$2100 freight charge is included in the Sourcewell Member Discount from Total List. If additional moves are needed on a vessel to the final destination, equalized freight will cover to the port and it is the responsibility of the dealer to cover the booking of the vessel, cost, and required paperwork along with transportation at the receiving port. In addition to equalized freight, each chassis is permitted one move to an approved modification center prior to the final destination; currently approved modification centers are Customer Adaptation Center at LVO or TransEdge Truck Center in Allentown, PA and this roundtrip move is an additional \$150 to equalized freight. An exception is CNG tractors are permitted a move to TransEdge in Schuylkill Haven, PA for a round trip shuttle fee of \$1,450 to have CNG tanks installed.</p> <p>Any additional freight fees incurred above the \$2100 equalized freight charge can be charged to the Sourcewell Member at Dealer Cost plus 5%.</p>	*
59	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	<p>All Customs documentation is provided for chassis delivering to Canada. Equalized freight will cover deliveries to the contiguous US and Canada and does not include Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico. Equalized freight covers delivering these chassis to the port of choice with the dealer being responsible to cover the booking of the vessel, cost, and required paperwork along with transportation at the receiving port.</p> <p>Any additional Freight Fees incurred above the \$2100 equalized freight charge can be charged to the Sourcewell Member at Dealer Cost plus 5%.</p>	*
60	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	<p>Each delivery destination has a contractual delivery timeframe from factory finish to the final destination depending on mileage from Macungie, PA. Drivers are only allowed to drive a maximum of 500 miles or 8 hours/day. The timeframes range from 2 – 14 business days and does not include holidays or weekends.</p> <p>A hoist needs to be available to the transport driver within 2 hours of arrival or a wrecker will be called at the dealer's expense for undecking.</p>	*

**Table 12: Pricing Offered**

Line Item	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
61	d. other than what the Proposer typically offers (please describe).	This pricing is exclusive to Sourcewell members.

**Table 13: Audit and Administrative Fee**

Line Item	Question	Response *
62	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed Contract with Sourcewell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcewell participating entities obtain the proper pricing, that the Vendor reports all sales under the Contract each quarter, and that the Vendor remits the proper administrative fee to Sourcewell.	<p>Mack Trucks will publish an internal dealer sales agreement (Program) to its authorized dealers outlining the terms and conditions for selling to Sourcewell members under the contract. At time of quote, all Mack Dealers will be required to submit for the Sourcewell discount through Mack Trucks' internal quote and ordering system, Mack Sales System (MSS). All Sourcewell quotes will include a mandatory Sourcewell salescode that the dealer must add to qualify for applicable Sourcewell discount levels.</p> <p>Mack Pricing and Sales Administration will produce a list of qualifying chassis on a monthly basis to determine Sourcewell's applicable administrative fees to be remitted.</p> <p>To ensure compliance with the terms and conditions of the Program, Mack Dealers must consent to audits by Mack Trucks and/or Sourcewell of all Dealer records related to any and all Sourcewell sales and chassis ordered through the Program. Dealer agrees that any irregularities discovered during the course of an audit may result in the termination of Dealer's participation in the Program.</p>
63	Identify a proposed administrative fee that you will pay to Sourcewell for facilitating, managing, and promoting the Sourcewell Contract in the event that you are awarded a Contract. This fee is typically calculated as a percentage of Vendor's sales under the Contract or as a per-unit fee; it is not a line-item addition to the Member's cost of goods. (See the RFP and template Contract for additional details.)	Mack Trucks proposes to pay Sourcewell a per unit fee of \$750.00 USD for every Mack chassis delivered through and adhering to the Sourcewell contract framework.

**Table 14A: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Line Item	Question	Response *
64	Provide a detailed description of the equipment, products, and services that you are offering in your proposal.	<p>Mack Trucks will be offering 6 different truck models to Sourcewell members. The Mack Anthem (F. Axle Back) is our latest on highway truck model which comes in day cab, 48" or 70" sleeper configurations. The Mack Pinnacle (F. Axle Fwd) can be used for on or off highway applications and comes in day cab, 48", or 70" sleeper configurations. The Mack Granite HD (F. Axle Fwd &amp; Back) is our off highway vocational truck which comes as a day cab or with a 36" sleeper option. The Granite HD is what we feel that most of the Sourcewell members will need for applications like dump trucks, snow plows, etc. We offer two cab over models: our LR is our low floor entry refuse truck mainly used in city neighborhoods where the streets are a little tighter and the operator is in and out of the truck many times a day. The TerraPro is our suburban refuse truck that can also be used for other things like concrete pumpers and conveyor applications. Finally, we will offer our new class 6 and class 7 MD series of truck. This is only available in a day cab version but we do have a 3 person bench seat offering for those customers who need small dump trucks, etc. and need more than 2 people going to the job site.</p>
65	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	<p>All of the Mack Truck models come in different rear axle combinations with the exception of the MD series. The MD series is currently only offered in 4x2 rear axle configurations. As a subcategory goes and as you will see in our pricing, we will have subcategories based on axle configuration.</p> <p>A full list of available models can be found under Pricing Documents (See: "Sourcewell Mack Model List.pdf")</p>

**Table 14B: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Indicate below what Classes of equipment are offered in this proposal.

Line Item	Category or Type	Offered *	Comments	
66	Class 8 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Mack Anthem, Pinnacle, Granite HD, LR and TerraPro chassis.	*
67	Class 7 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Mack MD7 product.	*
68	Class 6 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Mack MD6 product.	*
69	Class 5 chassis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	NA	*
70	Class 4 chassis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	NA	*

**Table 15: Industry Specific Questions**

Line Item	Question	Response *	
71	If you are awarded a contract, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the contract.	The first metric Mack Trucks will consider is market share. Mack Trucks will compare its market share for this market segment pre-award versus post-award. Secondly, as Mack Trucks anticipates new customers, Mack Trucks will track increases in the number of customers, in addition to the number of trucks sold.	*
72	Describe your company's offering in relation to alternative fuel sources, including electric or others.	Mack Trucks is preparing to offer fully electric vehicles, specifically in the refuse application, where many counties and municipalities have their own refuse fleets. Mack Trucks also offers natural gas options on some of its truck models which create cleaner near zero emissions, etc. The Volvo Group has recently announced its plans to engage in a 50/50 cooperative joint venture with Daimler Truck AG to develop and produce fuel cells for demanding applications.	*
73	Describe any manufacturing processes or materials utilized that contribute to chassis strength, cab strength, overall durability, driver safety that differentiate your offerings.	Mack Trucks uses a galvanized steel cab which is welded together for strength and e-coated for corrosion resistance. The Mack cab exceeds the requirements of SAE J2422 for collision and roll over safety. It also passes additional internal integrity standards for "A" pillar and "rear wall" strength providing the occupants with a very safe environment. The Granite cab is reinforced in certain places to handle the extreme rugged terrains and shock loading associated with many vocational applications. Reinforcements added to the Granite Cab include: Firewall plate, Engine tunnel reinforcement, A pillar reinforcement, RH and LH side under windshield, some local firewall nut plates, and additional welding on cowl. All of these not only help with safety but also durability. Our frame rail is splayed at the front to widen around the engine giving more room for serviceability but also is a safety feature in that in the event of a head on collision, the engine mounts will break away and the engine drops down to the ground rather than coming into the cab and injuring the occupants. Additional safety features are: Stair-like entry for safety getting in and out of the cab (bottom step mounted further outboard than top step); Full length external cab mounted grab handle and door mounted grab diagonal grab handle to assure 3 points of contact for entry and exit; Right side door peep widow for added visibility; High cab and sloped hood for superior job-site visibility. Mack Trucks has also recently introduced the option for Bendix Fusion collision avoidance systems with lane departure warnings and several other features on certain of its product offerings.	*
74	Describe any differentiating serviceability attributes (remote diagnostics, etc.) your proposal offers.	More and more issues can be solved through software updates. Mack Over the Air is the industry leading service that works hand in hand with GuardDog Connect. When a GuardDog Connect issue is detected that can be fixed through a software update, the Mack OneCall agent will give customers the option to do the software update without having to take the truck to a shop. The updates are fast and convenient and keep trucks on the job with less time in the shop.	*

**Table 16: Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form**

**Line Item 75. NOTICE:** To identify any exception, or to request any modification, to the Sourcewell template Contract terms, conditions, or specifications, a Proposer must submit the exception or requested modification on the **Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form** immediately below. The contract section, the specific text addressed by the exception or requested modification, and the proposed modification must be identified in detail. Proposer's exceptions and proposed modifications are subject to review and approval of Sourcewell and will not automatically be included in the contract.

Contract Section	Term, Condition, or Specification	Exception or Proposed Modification

**Documents****Ensure your submission document(s) conforms to the following:**

1. Documents in PDF format are preferred. Documents in Word, Excel, or compatible formats may also be provided.
2. Documents should NOT have a security password, as Sourcewell may not be able to open the file. It is your sole responsibility to ensure that the uploaded document(s) are not either defective, corrupted or blank and that the documents can be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
3. Sourcewell may reject any response where any document(s) cannot be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
4. If you need to upload more than one (1) document for a single item, you should combine the documents into one zipped file. If the zipped file contains more than one (1) document, ensure each document is named, in relation to the submission format item responding to. For example, if responding to the Marketing Plan category save the document as "Marketing Plan."
  - [Financial Strength and Stability](#) - Volvo AB credit info for Sourcewell.zip - Tuesday June 09, 2020 07:39:02
  - [Marketing Plan/Samples](#) - Marketing examples.zip - Wednesday June 03, 2020 07:19:40
  - WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates (optional)
  - [Warranty Information](#) - Sourcewell Mack Warranty files.zip - Tuesday May 26, 2020 14:03:04
  - [Pricing](#) - Sourcewell Mack Pricing Information.zip - Monday June 08, 2020 10:14:46
  - [Additional Document](#) - MackDefenseGSAPage2020F.pdf - Thursday May 14, 2020 10:55:55

## Proposer's Affidavit

### **PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE**

I certify that I am the authorized representative of the Proposer submitting the foregoing Proposal with the legal authority to bind the Proposer to this Affidavit and Assurance of Compliance:

1. The Proposer is submitting this Proposal under its full and complete legal name, and the Proposer legally exists in good standing in the jurisdiction of its residence.
2. The Proposer warrants that the information provided in this Proposal is true, correct, and reliable for purposes of evaluation for contract award.
3. The Proposer, including any person assisting with the creation of this Proposal, has arrived at this Proposal independently and the Proposal has been created without colluding with any other person, company, or parties that have or will submit a proposal under this solicitation; and the Proposal has in all respects been created fairly without any fraud or dishonesty. The Proposer has not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement or arrangement with any person or business in an effort to influence any part of this solicitation or operations of a resulting contract; and the Proposer has not taken any action in restraint of free trade or competitiveness in connection with this solicitation. Additionally, if Proposer has worked with a consultant on the Proposal, the consultant (an individual or a company) has not assisted any other entity that has submitted or will submit a proposal for this solicitation.
4. To the best of its knowledge and belief, and except as otherwise disclosed in the Proposal, there are no relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest. An organizational conflict of interest exists when a vendor has an unfair competitive advantage or the vendor's objectivity in performing the contract is, or might be, impaired.
5. The contents of the Proposal have not been communicated by the Proposer or its employees or agents to any person not an employee or legally authorized agent of the Proposer and will not be communicated to any such persons prior to Due Date of this solicitation.
6. If awarded a contract, the Proposer will provide to Sourcwell Participating Entities the equipment, products, and services in accordance with the terms, conditions, and scope of a resulting contract.
7. The Proposer possesses, or will possess before delivering any equipment, products, or services, all applicable licenses or certifications necessary to deliver such equipment, products, or services under any resulting contract.
8. The Proposer agrees to deliver equipment, products, and services through valid contracts, purchase orders, or means that are acceptable to Sourcwell Members. Unless otherwise agreed to, the Proposer must provide only new and first-quality products and related services to Sourcwell Members under an awarded Contract.
9. The Proposer will comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules, and orders.
10. The Proposer understands that Sourcwell will reject RFP proposals that are marked "confidential" (or "nonpublic," etc.), either substantially or in their entirety. Under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.591, subdivision 4, all proposals are considered nonpublic data until the evaluation is complete and a Contract is awarded. At that point, proposals become public data. Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37 permits only certain narrowly defined data to be considered a "trade secret," and thus nonpublic data under Minnesota's Data Practices Act.
11. Proposer its employees, agents, and subcontractors are not:
  - a. Included on the "Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons" list maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the United States Department of the Treasury found at: <https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf>;
  - b. Included on the government-wide exclusions lists in the United States System for Award Management found at: <https://www.sam.gov/portal/3>; or
  - c. Presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated

by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this solicitation.

By checking this box I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Proposer's Affidavit, have the legal authority to submit this Proposal on behalf of the Proposer, and that this electronic acknowledgment has the same legal effect, validity, and enforceability as if I had hand signed the Proposal. This signature will not be denied such legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because an electronic signature or electronic record was used in its formation. - Jonathan Randall, Vice-President of Sales & Marketing, Mack Trucks

The Proposer declares that there is an actual or potential Conflict of Interest relating to the preparation of its submission, and/or the Proposer foresees an actual or potential Conflict of Interest in performing the contractual obligations contemplated in the bid.

Yes  No

The Bidder acknowledges and agrees that the addendum/addenda below form part of the Bid Document.

Check the box in the column "I have reviewed this addendum" below to acknowledge each of the addenda.

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**Solicitation Number: RFP #060920****CONTRACT**

This Contract is between Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and 72 Hour LLC dba: National Auto Fleet Group, 490 Auto Center Drive, Watsonville, CA 95076 (Vendor).

Sourcewell is a State of Minnesota local government agency and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) that offers cooperative procurement solutions to government entities. Participation is open to federal, state/province, and municipal governmental entities, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public entities located in the United States and Canada.

Vendor desires to contract with Sourcewell to provide equipment, products, or services to Sourcewell and the entities that access Sourcewell's cooperative purchasing contracts (Participating Entities).

**1. TERM OF CONTRACT**

- A. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Contract is effective upon the date of the final signature below.
- B. EXPIRATION DATE AND EXTENSION. This Contract expires August 1, 2024, unless it is cancelled sooner pursuant to Article 24. This Contract may be extended up to one additional one-year period upon request of Sourcewell and with written agreement by Vendor.
- C. SURVIVAL OF TERMS. Articles 11 through 16 survive the expiration or cancellation of this Contract.

**2. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES**

- A. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES. Vendor will provide the Equipment, Products, or Services as stated in its Proposal submitted under the Solicitation Number listed above. Vendor's Equipment, Products, or Services Proposal (Proposal) is attached and incorporated into this Contract.

All Equipment and Products provided under this Contract must be new/current model. Vendor may offer close-out or refurbished Equipment or Products if they are clearly indicated in

Vendor's product and pricing list. Unless agreed to by the Participating Entities in advance, Equipment or Products must be delivered as operational to the Participating Entity's site.

This Contract offers an indefinite quantity of sales, and while substantial volume is anticipated, sales and sales volume are not guaranteed.

B. **WARRANTY.** Vendor warrants that all Equipment, Products, and Services furnished are free from liens and encumbrances, and are free from defects in design, materials, and workmanship. In addition, Vendor warrants the Equipment, Products, and Services are suitable for and will perform in accordance with the ordinary use for which they are intended. Vendor's dealers and distributors must agree to assist the Participating Entity in reaching a resolution in any dispute over warranty terms with the manufacturer. Any manufacturer's warranty that is effective past the expiration of the Vendor's warranty will be passed on to the Participating Entity.

C. **DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, AND/OR RESELLERS.** Upon Contract execution, Vendor will make available to Sourcewell a means to validate or authenticate Vendor's authorized dealers, distributors, and/or resellers relative to the Equipment, Products, and Services related to this Contract. This list may be updated from time-to-time and is incorporated into this Contract by reference. It is the Vendor's responsibility to ensure Sourcewell receives the most current version of this list.

### **3. PRICING**

All Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract will be priced as stated in Vendor's Proposal.

When providing pricing quotes to Participating Entities, all pricing quoted must reflect a Participating Entity's total cost of acquisition. This means that the quoted cost is for delivered Equipment, Products, and Services that are operational for their intended purpose, and includes all costs to the Participating Entity's requested delivery location.

Regardless of the payment method chosen by the Participating Entity, the total cost associated with any purchase option of the Equipment, Products, or Services must always be disclosed in the pricing quote to the applicable Participating Entity at the time of purchase.

A. **SHIPPING AND SHIPPING COSTS.** All delivered Equipment and Products must be properly packaged. Damaged Equipment and Products may be rejected. If the damage is not readily apparent at the time of delivery, Vendor must permit the Equipment and Products to be returned within a reasonable time at no cost to Sourcewell or its Participating Entities. Participating Entities reserve the right to inspect the Equipment and Products at a reasonable time after delivery where circumstances or conditions prevent effective inspection of the Equipment and Products at the time of delivery.

Vendor must arrange for and pay for the return shipment on Equipment and Products that arrive in a defective or inoperable condition.

Sourcewell may declare the Vendor in breach of this Contract if the Vendor intentionally delivers substandard or inferior Equipment or Products. In the event of the delivery of nonconforming Equipment and Products, the Participating Entity will notify the Vendor as soon as possible and the Vendor will replace nonconforming Equipment and Products with conforming Equipment and Products that are acceptable to the Participating Entity.

B. SALES TAX. Each Participating Entity is responsible for supplying the Vendor with valid tax-exemption certification(s). When ordering, a Participating Entity must indicate if it is a tax-exempt entity.

C. HOT LIST PRICING. At any time during this Contract, Vendor may offer a specific selection of Equipment, Products, or Services at discounts greater than those listed in the Contract. When Vendor determines it will offer Hot List Pricing, it must be submitted electronically to Sourcewell in a line-item format. Equipment, Products, or Services may be added or removed from the Hot List at any time through a Sourcewell Price and Product Change Form as defined in Article 4 below.

Hot List program and pricing may also be used to discount and liquidate close-out and discontinued Equipment and Products as long as those close-out and discontinued items are clearly identified as such. Current ordering process and administrative fees apply. Hot List Pricing must be published and made available to all Participating Entities.

#### **4. PRODUCT AND PRICING CHANGE REQUESTS**

Vendor may request Equipment, Product, or Service changes, additions, or deletions at any time. All requests must be made in writing by submitting a signed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form to the assigned Sourcewell Contract Administrator. This form is available from the assigned Sourcewell Contract Administrator. At a minimum, the request must:

- Identify the applicable Sourcewell contract number;
- Clearly specify the requested change;
- Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;
- Individually list all Equipment, Products, or Services affected by the requested change, along with the requested change (e.g., addition, deletion, price change); and
- Include a complete restatement of pricing documentation in Microsoft Excel with the effective date of the modified pricing, or product addition or deletion. The new pricing restatement must include all Equipment, Products, and Services offered, even for those items where pricing remains unchanged.

A fully executed Sourcewell Price and Product Request Form will become an amendment to this Contract and be incorporated by reference.

## **5. PARTICIPATION, CONTRACT ACCESS, AND PARTICIPATING ENTITY REQUIREMENTS**

A. PARTICIPATION. Sourcewell's cooperative contracts are available and open to public and nonprofit entities across the United States and Canada; such as federal, state/province, municipal, K-12 and higher education, tribal government, and other public entities.

The benefits of this Contract should be available to all Participating Entities that can legally access the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract. A Participating Entity's authority to access this Contract is determined through its cooperative purchasing, interlocal, or joint powers laws. Any entity accessing benefits of this Contract will be considered a Service Member of Sourcewell during such time of access. Vendor understands that a Participating Entity's use of this Contract is at the Participating Entity's sole convenience and Participating Entities reserve the right to obtain like Equipment, Products, or Services from any other source.

Vendor is responsible for familiarizing its sales and service forces with Sourcewell contract use eligibility requirements and documentation and will encourage potential members to join Sourcewell. Sourcewell reserves the right to add and remove Participating Entities to its roster during the term of this Contract.

B. PUBLIC FACILITIES. Vendor's employees may be required to perform work at government-owned facilities, including schools. Vendor's employees and agents must conduct themselves in a professional manner while on the premises, and in accordance with Participating Entity policies and procedures, and all applicable laws.

## **6. PARTICIPATING ENTITY USE AND PURCHASING**

A. ORDERS AND PAYMENT. To access the contracted Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract, a Participating Entity must clearly indicate to Vendor that it intends to access this Contract; however, order flow and procedure will be developed jointly between Sourcewell and Vendor. Typically, a Participating Entity will issue an order directly to Vendor. If a Participating Entity issues a purchase order, it may use its own forms, but the purchase order should clearly note the applicable Sourcewell contract number. All Participating Entity orders under this Contract must be issued prior to expiration of this Contract; however, Vendor performance, Participating Entity payment, and any applicable warranty periods or other Vendor or Participating Entity obligations may extend beyond the term of this Contract.

Vendor's acceptable forms of payment are included in Attachment A. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.

B. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS/PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM.** Additional terms and conditions to a purchase order may be negotiated between a Participating Entity and Vendor, such as job or industry-specific requirements, legal requirements (e.g., affirmative action or immigration status requirements), or specific local policy requirements. Some Participating Entities may require the use of a Participating Addendum; the terms of which will be worked out directly between the Participating Entity and the Vendor. Any negotiated additional terms and conditions must never be less favorable to the Participating Entity than what is contained in this Contract.

C. **PERFORMANCE BOND.** If requested by a Participating Entity, Vendor will provide a performance bond that meets the requirements set forth in the Participating Entity's order.

D. **SPECIALIZED SERVICE REQUIREMENTS.** In the event that the Participating Entity requires service or specialized performance requirements (such as e-commerce specifications, specialized delivery requirements, or other specifications and requirements) not addressed in this Contract, the Participating Entity and the Vendor may enter into a separate, standalone agreement, apart from this Contract. Sourcwell, including its agents and employees, will not be made a party to a claim for breach of such agreement.

E. **TERMINATION OF ORDERS.** Participating Entities may terminate an order, in whole or in part, immediately upon notice to Vendor in the event of any of the following events:

1. The Participating Entity fails to receive funding or appropriation from its governing body at levels sufficient to pay for the goods to be purchased;
2. Federal, state, or provincial laws or regulations prohibit the purchase or change the Participating Entity's requirements; or
3. Vendor commits any material breach of this Contract or the additional terms agreed to between the Vendor and a Participating Entity.

F. **GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.** The governing law and venue for any action related to a Participating Entity's order will be determined by the Participating Entity making the purchase.

## **7. CUSTOMER SERVICE**

A. **PRIMARY ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE.** Vendor will assign an Account Representative to Sourcwell for this Contract and must provide prompt notice to Sourcwell if that person is changed. The Account Representative will be responsible for:

- Maintenance and management of this Contract;
- Timely response to all Sourcwell and Participating Entity inquiries; and
- Business reviews to Sourcwell and Participating Entities, if applicable.

B. BUSINESS REVIEWS. Vendor must perform a minimum of one business review with Sourcewell per contract year. The business review will cover sales to Participating Entities, pricing and contract terms, administrative fees, supply issues, customer issues, and any other necessary information.

## **8. REPORT ON CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE FEE PAYMENT**

A. CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY REPORT. Each calendar quarter, Vendor must provide a contract sales activity report (Report) to the Sourcewell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract. A Report must be provided regardless of the number or amount of sales during that quarter (i.e., if there are no sales, Vendor must submit a report indicating no sales were made).

The Report must contain the following fields:

- Customer Name (e.g., City of Staples Highway Department);
- Customer Physical Street Address;
- Customer City;
- Customer State/Province;
- Customer Zip Code;
- Customer Contact Name;
- Customer Contact Email Address;
- Customer Contact Telephone Number;
- Sourcewell Assigned Entity/Participating Entity Number;
- Item Purchased Description;
- Item Purchased Price;
- Sourcewell Administrative Fee Applied; and
- Date Purchase was invoiced/sale was recognized as revenue by Vendor.

B. ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. In consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcewell, the Vendor will pay an administrative fee to Sourcewell on all Equipment, Products, and Services provided to Participating Entities. The Administrative Fee must be included in, and not added to, the pricing. Vendor may not charge Participating Entities more than the contracted price to offset the Administrative Fee.

The Vendor will submit a check payable to Sourcewell for the administrative fee amount of \$400 multiplied by the total number of trucks purchased by Participating Entities from Vendor under this Contract, and \$200 multiplied by the number of trucks purchased by Participating Entities from Vendor's partner dealer Alan Jay Automotive in Florida, during each calendar quarter. Payments should note the Sourcewell-assigned contract number in the memo and must be mailed to the address above "Attn: Accounts Receivable." Payments must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter.

Vendor agrees to cooperate with Sourcewell in auditing transactions under this Contract to ensure that the administrative fee is paid on all items purchased under this Contract.

In the event the Vendor is delinquent in any undisputed administrative fees, Sourcewell reserves the right to cancel this Contract and reject any proposal submitted by the Vendor in any subsequent solicitation. In the event this Contract is cancelled by either party prior to the Contract's expiration date, the administrative fee payment will be due no more than 30 days from the cancellation date.

#### **9. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

Vendor's Authorized Representative is the person named in the Vendor's Proposal. If Vendor's Authorized Representative changes at any time during this Contract, Vendor must promptly notify Sourcewell in writing.

#### **10. ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENTS, WAIVER, AND CONTRACT COMPLETE**

A. **ASSIGNMENT.** Neither the Vendor nor Sourcewell may assign or transfer any rights or obligations under this Contract without the prior consent of the parties and a fully executed assignment agreement. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld.

B. **AMENDMENTS.** Any amendment to this Contract must be in writing and will not be effective until it has been fully executed by the parties.

C. **WAIVER.** If either party fails to enforce any provision of this Contract, that failure does not waive the provision or the right to enforce it.

D. **CONTRACT COMPLETE.** This Contract contains all negotiations and agreements between Sourcewell and Vendor. No other understanding regarding this Contract, whether written or oral, may be used to bind either party.

E. **RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES.** The relationship of the parties is one of independent contractors, each free to exercise judgment and discretion with regard to the conduct of their respective businesses. This Contract does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship such as master-servant, or principal-agent.

#### **11. LIABILITY**

Vendor must indemnify, save, and hold Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees, arising out of the performance of this Contract by the Vendor or its agents or employees; this indemnification includes injury or death to person(s) or property alleged to have been caused

by some defect in the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract to the extent the Equipment, Product, or Service has been used according to its specifications.

## 12. AUDITS

Sourcwell reserves the right to review the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices of the Vendor relevant to this Contract for a minimum of 6 years from the end of this Contract. This clause extends to Participating Entities as it relates to business conducted by that Participating Entity under this Contract.

## 13. GOVERNMENT DATA PRACTICES

Vendor and Sourcwell must comply with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13, as it applies to all data provided by or provided to Sourcwell under this Contract and as it applies to all data created, collected, received, stored, used, maintained, or disseminated by the Vendor under this Contract.

If the Vendor receives a request to release the data referred to in this article, the Vendor must immediately notify Sourcwell and Sourcwell will assist with how the Vendor should respond to the request.

## 14. INDEMNIFICATION

As applicable, Vendor agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Sourcwell and its Participating Entities against any and all suits, claims, judgments, and costs instituted or recovered against Sourcwell or Participating Entities by any person on account of the use of any Equipment or Products by Sourcwell or its Participating Entities supplied by Vendor in violation of applicable patent or copyright laws.

## 15. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PUBLICITY, MARKETING, AND ENDORSEMENT

### A. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

1. *Grant of License.* During the term of this Contract:
  - a. Sourcwell grants to Vendor a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use the Trademark(s) provided to Vendor by Sourcwell in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Sourcwell's relationship with Vendor.
  - b. Vendor grants to Sourcwell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Vendor's Trademarks in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Vendor's relationship with Sourcwell.
2. *Limited Right of Sublicense.* The right and license granted herein includes a limited right of each party to grant sublicenses to its and their respective distributors, marketing representatives, and agents (collectively "Permitted Sublicensees") in advertising and

promotional materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties' relationship to Participating Entities. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this Article by any of their respective sublicensees.

*3. Use; Quality Control.*

- a. Sourcewell must not alter Vendor's Trademarks from the form provided by Vendor and must comply with Vendor's removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.
- b. Vendor must not alter Sourcewell's Trademarks from the form provided by Sourcewell and must comply with Sourcewell's removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.
- c. Each party agrees to use, and to cause its Permitted Sublicensees to use, the other party's Trademarks only in good faith and in a dignified manner consistent with such party's use of the Trademarks. Upon written notice to the breaching party, the breaching party has 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the breach or the license will be terminated.

*4. Termination.* Upon the termination of this Contract for any reason, each party, including Permitted Sublicensees, will have 30 days to remove all Trademarks from signage, websites, and the like bearing the other party's name or logo (excepting Sourcewell's pre-printed catalog of vendors which may be used until the next printing). Vendor must return all marketing and promotional materials, including signage, provided by Sourcewell, or dispose of it according to Sourcewell's written directions.

B. **PUBLICITY.** Any publicity regarding the subject matter of this Contract must not be released without prior written approval from the Authorized Representatives. Publicity includes notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, research, reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared by or for the Vendor individually or jointly with others, or any subcontractors, with respect to the program, publications, or services provided resulting from this Contract.

C. **MARKETING.** Any direct advertising, marketing, or offers with Participating Entities must be approved by Sourcewell. Materials should be sent to the Sourcewell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract.

D. **ENDORSEMENT.** The Vendor must not claim that Sourcewell endorses its Equipment, Products, or Services.

## **16. GOVERNING LAW, JURISDICTION, AND VENUE**

Minnesota law governs this Contract. Venue for all legal proceedings out of this Contract, or its breach, must be in the appropriate state court in Todd County or federal court in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

## 17. FORCE MAJEURE

Neither party to this Contract will be held responsible for delay or default caused by acts of God or other conditions that are beyond that party's reasonable control. A party defaulting under this provision must provide the other party prompt written notice of the default.

## 18. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Contract is found to be illegal, unenforceable, or void then both Sourcewell and Vendor will be relieved of all obligations arising under such provisions. If the remainder of this Contract is capable of performance, it will not be affected by such declaration or finding and must be fully performed.

## 19. PERFORMANCE, DEFAULT, AND REMEDIES

A. PERFORMANCE. During the term of this Contract, the parties will monitor performance and address unresolved contract issues as follows:

1. *Notification.* The parties must promptly notify each other of any known dispute and work in good faith to resolve such dispute within a reasonable period of time. If necessary, Sourcewell and the Vendor will jointly develop a short briefing document that describes the issue(s), relevant impact, and positions of both parties.
2. *Escalation.* If parties are unable to resolve the issue in a timely manner, as specified above, either Sourcewell or Vendor may escalate the resolution of the issue to a higher level of management. The Vendor will have 30 calendar days to cure an outstanding issue.
3. *Performance while Dispute is Pending.* Notwithstanding the existence of a dispute, the Vendor must continue without delay to carry out all of its responsibilities under the Contract that are not affected by the dispute. If the Vendor fails to continue without delay to perform its responsibilities under the Contract, in the accomplishment of all undisputed work, any additional costs incurred by Sourcewell and/or its Participating Entities as a result of such failure to proceed will be borne by the Vendor.

B. DEFAULT AND REMEDIES. Either of the following constitutes cause to declare this Contract, or any Participating Entity order under this Contract, in default:

1. Nonperformance of contractual requirements, or
2. A material breach of any term or condition of this Contract.

Written notice of default and a reasonable opportunity to cure must be issued by the party claiming default. Time allowed for cure will not diminish or eliminate any liability for liquidated or other damages. If the default remains after the opportunity for cure, the non-defaulting party may:

- Exercise any remedy provided by law or equity, or
- Terminate the Contract or any portion thereof, including any orders issued against the Contract.

## 20. INSURANCE

A. REQUIREMENTS. At its own expense, Vendor must maintain insurance policy(ies) in effect at all times during the performance of this Contract with insurance company(ies) licensed or authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota having an "AM BEST" rating of A- or better, with coverage and limits of insurance not less than the following:

1. *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability.*

Workers' Compensation: As required by any applicable law or regulation.

Employer's Liability Insurance: must be provided in amounts not less than listed below:

Minimum limits:

- \$500,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident
- \$500,000 policy limit for bodily injury by disease
- \$500,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease

2. *Commercial General Liability Insurance.* Vendor will maintain insurance covering its operations, with coverage on an occurrence basis, and must be subject to terms no less broad than the Insurance Services Office ("ISO") Commercial General Liability Form CG0001 (2001 or newer edition), or equivalent. At a minimum, coverage must include liability arising from premises, operations, bodily injury and property damage, independent contractors, products-completed operations including construction defect, contractual liability, blanket contractual liability, and personal injury and advertising injury. All required limits, terms and conditions of coverage must be maintained during the term of this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

- \$1,000,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage
- \$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury
- \$2,000,000 aggregate for Products-Completed operations
- \$2,000,000 general aggregate

3. *Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain insurance covering all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles in limits of liability not less than indicated below. The coverage must be subject to terms no less broad than ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 0001 (2010 edition or newer), or equivalent.

Minimum Limits:

- \$1,000,000 each accident, combined single limit

4. *Umbrella Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain umbrella coverage over Workers' Compensation, Commercial General Liability, and Commercial Automobile.

Minimum Limits:  
\$2,000,000

5. *Professional/Technical, Errors and Omissions, and/or Miscellaneous Professional Liability.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain coverage for all claims the Vendor may become legally obligated to pay resulting from any actual or alleged negligent act, error, or omission related to Vendor's professional services required under this Contract.

Minimum Limits:  
\$2,000,000 per claim or event  
\$2,000,000 – annual aggregate

6. *Network Security and Privacy Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain coverage for network security and privacy liability. The coverage may be endorsed on another form of liability coverage or written on a standalone policy. The insurance must cover claims which may arise from failure of Vendor's security resulting in, but not limited to, computer attacks, unauthorized access, disclosure of not public data – including but not limited to, confidential or private information, transmission of a computer virus, or denial of service.

Minimum limits:  
\$2,000,000 per occurrence  
\$2,000,000 annual aggregate

Failure of Vendor to maintain the required insurance will constitute a material breach entitling Sourcewell to immediately terminate this Contract for default.

B. CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE. Prior to commencing under this Contract, Vendor must furnish to Sourcewell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Contract. Prior to expiration of the policy(ies), renewal certificates must be mailed to Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 or sent to the Sourcewell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract. The certificates must be signed by a person authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf. All policies must include there will be no cancellation, suspension, non-renewal, or reduction of coverage without 30 days' prior written notice to the Vendor.

Upon request, Vendor must provide to Sourcewell copies of applicable policies and endorsements, within 10 days of a request. Failure to request certificates of insurance by Sourcewell, or failure of Vendor to provide certificates of insurance, in no way limits or relieves Vendor of its duties and responsibilities in this Contract.

C. **ADDITIONAL INSURED ENDORSEMENT AND PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY INSURANCE CLAUSE.** Vendor agrees to list Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their officers, agents, and employees, as an additional insured under the Vendor's commercial general liability insurance policy with respect to liability arising out of activities, "operations," or "work" performed by or on behalf of Vendor, and products and completed operations of Vendor. The policy provision(s) or endorsement(s) must further provide that coverage is primary and not excess over or contributory with any other valid, applicable, and collectible insurance or self-insurance in force for the additional insureds.

D. **WAIVER OF SUBROGATION.** Vendor waives and must require (by endorsement or otherwise) all its insurers to waive subrogation rights against Sourcewell and other additional insureds for losses paid under the insurance policies required by this Contract or other insurance applicable to the Vendor or its subcontractors. The waiver must apply to all deductibles and/or self-insured retentions applicable to the required or any other insurance maintained by the Vendor or its subcontractors. Where permitted by law, Vendor must require similar written express waivers of subrogation and insurance clauses from each of its subcontractors.

E. **UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY.** The limits required by this Contract can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies).

F. **SELF-INSURED RETENTIONS.** Any self-insured retention in excess of \$10,000 is subject to Sourcewell's approval.

## **21. COMPLIANCE**

A. **LAWS AND REGULATIONS.** All Equipment, Products, or Services provided under this Contract must comply fully with applicable federal laws and regulations, and with the laws in the states and provinces in which the Equipment, Products, or Services are sold.

B. **LICENSES.** Vendor must maintain a valid and current status on all required federal, state/provincial, and local licenses, bonds, and permits required for the operation of the business that the Vendor conducts with Sourcewell and Participating Entities.

## **22. BANKRUPTCY, DEBARMENT, OR SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION**

Vendor certifies and warrants that it is not in bankruptcy or that it has previously disclosed in writing certain information to Sourcewell related to bankruptcy actions. If at any time during this Contract Vendor declares bankruptcy, Vendor must immediately notify Sourcewell in writing.

Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs

operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this Contract. Vendor further warrants that it will provide immediate written notice to Sourcwell if this certification changes at any time.

### **23. PROVISIONS FOR NON-UNITED STATES FEDERAL ENTITY PROCUREMENTS UNDER UNITED STATES FEDERAL AWARDS OR OTHER AWARDS**

Participating Entities that use United States federal grant or FEMA funds to purchase goods or services from this Contract may be subject to additional requirements including the procurement standards of the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 C.F.R. § 200. Participating Entities may also require additional requirements based on specific funding specifications. Within this Article, all references to “federal” should be interpreted to mean the United States federal government. The following list only applies when a Participating Entity accesses Vendor’s Equipment, Products, or Services with United States federal funds.

A. **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.** Except as otherwise provided under 41 C.F.R. § 60, all contracts that meet the definition of “federally assisted construction contract” in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 C.F.R. §60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity” (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 C.F.R. §, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” and implementing regulations at 41 C.F.R. § 60, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor.” The equal opportunity clause is incorporated herein by reference.

B. **DAVIS-BACON ACT, AS AMENDED (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3148).** When required by federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. § 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work

Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. Vendor must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

C. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. §§ 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5). Under 40 U.S.C. § 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. § 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence. This provision is hereby incorporated by reference into this Contract. Vendor certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Vendor must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

D. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT. If the federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency. Vendor certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Vendor must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

E. CLEAN AIR ACT (42 U.S.C. § 7401-7671Q.) AND THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT (33 U.S.C. § 1251-1387). Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 require the non-federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401- 7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251- 1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Vendor certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

F. DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION (EXECUTIVE ORDERS 12549 AND 12689). A contract award (see 2 C.F.R. § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 C.F.R. §180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 C.F.R. § 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 C.F.R. § 1989 Comp., p. 235), "Debarment and Suspension." SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. Vendor certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation by any federal department or agency.

G. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT, AS AMENDED (31 U.S.C. § 1352). Vendors must file any required certifications. Vendors must not have used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Vendors must disclose any lobbying with non-federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-federal award. Vendors must file all certifications and disclosures required by, and otherwise comply with, the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. § 1352).

H. RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with the record retention requirements detailed in 2 C.F.R. § 200.333. The Vendor further certifies that it will retain all records as required by 2 C.F.R. § 200.333 for a period of 3 years after grantees or subgrantees submit final expenditure reports or quarterly or annual financial reports, as applicable, and all other pending matters are closed.

I. ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

J. BUY AMERICAN PROVISIONS COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with all applicable provisions of the Buy American Act. Purchases made in accordance with the Buy American Act must follow the applicable procurement rules calling for free and open competition.

K. ACCESS TO RECORDS (2 C.F.R. § 200.336). Vendor agrees that duly authorized representatives of a federal agency must have access to any books, documents, papers and records of Vendor that are directly pertinent to Vendor's discharge of its obligations under this Contract for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. The right

also includes timely and reasonable access to Vendor’s personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion relating to such documents.

L. PROCUREMENT OF RECOVERED MATERIALS (2 C.F.R. § 200.322). A non-federal entity that is a state agency or agency of a political subdivision of a state and its contractors must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 C.F.R. § 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

**24. CANCELLATION**

Sourcewell or Vendor may cancel this Contract at any time, with or without cause, upon 60 days’ written notice to the other party. However, Sourcewell may cancel this Contract immediately upon discovery of a material defect in any certification made in Vendor’s Proposal. Cancellation of this Contract does not relieve either party of financial, product, or service obligations incurred or accrued prior to cancellation.

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## Vendor Details

Company Name: 72 HOUR LLC  
Does your company conduct business under any other name? If yes, please state: National Auto Fleet Group  
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## Specifications

**Table 1: Proposer Identity & Authorized Representatives**

**General Instructions** (applies to all Tables) Sourcewell prefers a brief but thorough response to each question. Please do not merely attach additional documents to your response without also providing a substantive response. Do not leave answers blank; mark "NA" if the question does not apply to you (preferably with an explanation).

Line Item	Question	Response *
1	Proposer Legal Name (and applicable d/b/a, if any):	72 Hour LLC, DBA: National Auto Fleet Group
2	Proposer Address:	490 Auto Center Drive Watsonville CA, 95076
3	Proposer website address:	www.NationalAutoFleetGroup.com
4	Proposer's Authorized Representative (name, title, address, email address & phone) (The representative must have authority to sign the "Proposer's Assurance of Compliance" on behalf of the Proposer and, in the event of award, will be expected to execute the resulting contract):	Jesse Cooper 1-855-289-6572 Fleet Manager 490 Auto Center Drive Watsonville, CA 95076 Jcooper@nationalautofleetgroup.com
5	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Jesse Cooper 1-855-289-6572 Fleet Manager 490 Auto Center Drive Watsonville, CA 95076 Jcooper@nationalautofleetgroup.com
6	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Clarke Cooper 1-855-289-6572 Fleet Manager 490 Auto Center Drive Watsonville, CA 95076 Clarkecooper@wondries.com

**Table 2: Company Information and Financial Strength**

Line Item	Question	Response *
7	Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested equipment, products or services.	<p>NAFG, was originally established in 1987 when we went by Wondries Fleet Group located in Southern California. Starting with a single automobile dealership, my father Clarke Cooper has grown our network to over 35 dealerships both in and outside of California. We have always hired and promoted from within our organization to help promote our culture. Most of our Fleet Division Managers who started with us back in 1987 are still with us today.</p> <p>We have evolved over the decades to adapt to the improving industry technology to the advancement of once gas-powered vehicles to now fuel cell powered. Even in today's fast changing marketplace, our core values have never changed. Our core values are: Always do what's right for the customer, you take care of them and they will take care of you.</p> <p>Our Business philosophy has always been the 4 RIGHT'S to every client: Deliver the RIGHT vehicle, at the RIGHT time, to the RIGHT place and the RIGHT price.</p> <p>Our longevity can best be displayed with a few statements. We are and have always been family owned and operated. We have deep family roots in the automobile business with future generations in the infant stages today. We plan on leading our industry for decades to come.</p>

8	What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?	If awarded another Sourcwell Contract, this would be our 4th and like our prior 3 contracts we will grow yet again by compounding our knowledge and customer service experience we have gained from serving members from across our great nation yet again to new heights. We want to grow our divisions with more staff and particularly grow our Partner Program which is detailed in the Zip file in the additional Documents upload. Our Partner program allows members to suggest and even recommend there local upfitters to NAFG to partner on any turn key quote. We see a tremendous value in giving the ability to the member to supply the upfitter of there choice to NAFG in order to provide a 100% turn key solution.	*
9	Demonstrate your financial strength and stability with meaningful data. This could include such items as financial statements, SEC filings, credit and bond ratings, letters of credit, and detailed reference letters. Upload supporting documents (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>We have uploaded the following under the section: Financial Strength: Bank commitment letters that we have been utilizing with our current Sourcwell Contracts which extend a direct line of credit up to \$ 43,000,000 and more if needed to serve member needs.</p> <p>Market Success with copies of recent current contracts of over \$ 140,000,000 worth of products and goods from a direct result of our current Sourcwell Contracts which are:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. City of San Diego, CA \$ 72,000,000 contract under our Sourcwell Contract 120716-NAF.</li> <li>2. City of San Diego, CA \$ 55,400,000 contract under our Sourcwell Contract 081716-NAF.</li> <li>3. Government Fleet Article Highlighting our transaction with the City of San Diego, CA procuring over 100 Police vehicles through NAFG Sourcwell Contract 120716-NAF.</li> <li>4. City of Los Angeles World Airports, CA Contract for \$ 24,003,500 under Sourcwell Contract 120716-NAF for the procurement of 400 vehicles.</li> <li>5. City of Los Angeles Harbor, CA Contract Extension to \$ 4,500,000 contract under Sourcwell Contract 120716-NAF.</li> <li>6. City of Los Angeles Harbor, CA Contract for \$ 1,500,000 under our Sourcwell Contract 120716-NAF.</li> <li>7. City of Los Angeles Harbor, CA Renewal for another \$ 1,500,000 under Sourcwell Contract Class 6, 7 and 8 Contract 081716-NAF.</li> <li>8. City of Costa Mesa, CA Contract for \$ 1,023,220 under our Sourcwell Contract 120716-NAF.</li> <li>9. Blanket Contract with the State of Maryland, MD off our current Class 6, 7 and 8 Chassis Contract 081716-NAF.</li> <li>10. Blanket Contract with the State of Maryland, MD off our Current Sourcwell Contract 120716-NAF.</li> </ol> <p>Commitment Letter's for 5 years' worth of continued unwarily support from large national upfit suppliers such as The Knapheide Manufacturing Company with it's distributor base nation wide down to regional support from Phenix Truck Body in Southern CA as an example. All of which currently help support our current members clients with current and past orders they have had with NAFG.</p> <p>We have Member Recommendations attached showing not only does NAFG practice with we preach, but Member's can stand behind NAFG as well.</p> <p>We have Upfitter Recommendations as well to show not only NAFG is a good partner for members but also a good partner to partner with. Not only does taking care of the member just involve the dealer, it also must and will always include the upfitter along with the entire supply chain. All of which goes towards serving the members.</p> <p>We have provided documentation of the State of Maryland adopting our current Class 6, 7 and 8 contract demonstrating our ability to go after and show States there's a better way of doing business.</p> <p>Lastly, we have shown our Growth we have had with Sourcwell from 2012 when we were first awarded. We hope this only shows the trajectory of where we are expecting to take our future expectations.</p>	*
10	What is your US market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	Our US Market Share for the products and Model's we are offering is roughly 70-80% as the 11 manufacturers represent. NAFG market share is roughly estimated 2% of Government Fleet Sales.	*
11	What is your Canadian market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	NAFG current Canadian market share is zero, however plans are in place to aggressively go after the Canadian market.	*
12	Has your business ever petitioned for bankruptcy protection? If so, explain in detail.	No.	*

13	<p>How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer whichever question (either a) or b) just below) best applies to your organization.</p> <p>a) If your company is best described as a distributor/dealer/reseller (or similar entity), provide your written authorization to act as a distributor/dealer/reseller for the manufacturer of the products proposed in this RFP. If applicable, is your dealer network independent or company owned?</p> <p>b) If your company is best described as a manufacturer or service provider, describe your relationship with your sales and service force and with your dealer network in delivering the products and services proposed in this RFP. Are these individuals your employees, or the employees of a third party?</p>	<p>NAFG is best described as "A" a Distributer/Dealer/Reseller/Dealer Partner for the 11 Manufacturers contained in our response: Ford Motor Company, RAM, Chevrolet, Hino, Isuzu, International, Volvo, Freightliner, Western Star, Mack, Kenworth and Peterbilt. All orders are placed with franchised dealerships and ultimately titled to the member. All our appropriate certificates can be viewed in the "Related Certification" section for either our dealerships direct or our partner dealers you will find all appropriate certificates. We do not sell used equipment to the members. As well you will find NAFG has named our dealer partners as additional insured under our policy.</p>	*
14	<p>If applicable, provide a detailed explanation outlining the licenses and certifications that are both required to be held, and actually held, by your organization (including third parties and subcontractors that you use) in pursuit of the business contemplated by this RFP.</p>	<p>A Dealer License and Franchise agreement issued by the Manufacture, Department of Motor Vehicles License along with a Reseller's permit are the most pertinent licenses to hold. In the attachment in section "Related Certification" you will find the following either as a solely owned entity or by our partner dealer we jointly hold:</p> <p>IRS Approved FET Number  CA State Seller's Permit 101-135239  CA State Seller's Permit 245364864-00001  Department of Motor Vehicle, Vehicle Dealer/ License Number 97772  Department of Motor Vehicle, Vehicle Dealer License Number 97771  Department of Motor Vehicle, Vehicle Dealer License Number 43609  Bureau of Automotive repair Registration # ARD00296319 123120  CA State Seller's Permit 232781952-00001  City of Watsonville Business License Number 1792  City of Watsonville Business License Number 4358  Fictitious Business Names from Santa Cruz County for National Auto Fleet Group  FBN: 2017-0000138  California General Resale Certificate  Dun &amp; Bradstreet Number: 023680653  Government of The District of Columbia Certificate  Government of the District of Columbia Tax Registration # 7815888160711  City of Los Angeles Tax Registration  Government of The District of Columbia CLEAN HANDS CERTIFICATION  San Diego Freightliner Seller's Permit  Commonwealth of Virginia State Corporation Commission Certificate  State of Maryland Good Standing Certificate  Kansas Department of Revenue for Kansas City Peterbilt  New Jersey Department of Treasury Registration Certificate  New Jersey Business Registration  Notice of Compliance of the Canton City Codified Ordinance  Employee Information Report for the State of New Jersey  State of Maryland New Sales and Use tax License  CA State Seller's Permit 98-037902 00006  South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles License Number 36133  State of South Carolina Retail License  Commonwealth of Kentucky Vehicle Dealer License 1583 20 100  State of West Virginia Dealer License  Commonwealth of Kentucky Vehicle Dealer License 1581 20 036  State of Tennessee Vehicle Dealer License</p>	*
15	<p>Provide all "Suspension or Debarment" information that has applied to your organization during the past ten years.</p>	<p>Does not apply.</p>	*

**Table 3: Industry Recognition & Marketplace Success**

Line Item	Question	Response *
16	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years	The most prodigious award NAFG has received in the past 5 years would be: Top Placement in Ford Motor Company as a leading dealership in Government Sales followed by our high ranking recognition from General Motors for our Chevrolet brand. Both NAFG has received 4 of the past 5 years.
17	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years	As an organization most of our sales are focused on retail, however in our division in Fleet, we have sold to about 90% Government accounts.
18	What percentage of your sales are to the education sector in the past three years	As a percentage of our sales in the Government, about 20% would be considered to Universities and Unified School Districts.
19	List any state, provincial, or cooperative purchasing contracts that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	We hold the State of California contract with volumes from 200 to 500 units a year during the past three years. Second, our Sourcewell Contract's 091219, 081716 and 120716 which over the past three years has sold a volume of \$ 390,030,176.99 of Combined Quarterly Sales.
20	List any GSA contracts or Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements (SOSA) that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	NAFG focus is on our Sourcewell Contracts we do not hold any other besides the State of California.

**Table 4: References/Testimonials**

Line Item 21. Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcewell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *
Port of Los Angeles, CA	Mr. Dave Comer	310-732-3794
County of Venture, CA	Mr. Jorge Bonilla	805-672-2044
City of Austin, TX	Mr. Matt Sager	512-978-2637

**Table 5: Top Five Government or Education Customers**

Line Item 22. Provide a list of your top five government, education, or non-profit customers (entity name is optional), including entity type, the state or province the entity is located in, scope of the project(s), size of transaction(s), and dollar volumes from the past three years.

Entity Name	Entity Type *	State / Province *	Scope of Work *	Size of Transactions *	Dollar Volume Past Three Years *
City of Austin	Government	Texas - TX	Purchaser	10-15 Vehicles at a time	Over 1M
Los Angeles Department of Water and Power	Government	California - CA	Purchaser	Over 100 Trucks	Over 3M
Port of Los Angeles	Government	California - CA	Purchaser	Over 75 Trucks	Over 2M
City of San Diego	Government	California - CA	Purchaser	Over 400 Trucks	Over 10M
Ann Arundel County	Government	Maryland - MD	Purchaser	Over 20 Trucks	Over 1M

**Table 6: Ability to Sell and Deliver Service**

Describe your company's capability to meet the needs of Sourcewell participating entities across the US and Canada, as applicable. Your response should address in detail at least the following areas: locations of your network of sales and service providers, the number of workers (full-time equivalents) involved in each sector, whether these workers are your direct employees (or employees of a third party), and any overlap between the sales and service functions.

Line Item	Question	Response *

23	Sales force.	We have a Direct and Indirect sales force. Our direct sales force are our employees and partner dealers. Combined our estimated employee count exceeds 100 persons dedicated to supporting our dealerships and NAFG Fleet Division. Our indirect sales force which would be our partner suppliers and upfitters would be well above 100. With both direct and indirect sales force staff NAFG has been proven to maintain and service the current demand of the members. As the number of members grow that we can help, the more staff we would eagerly employ to help meet demand.	*
24	Dealer network or other distribution methods.	Our franchise network which covers our proposed 11 manufacturers are second to none. With industry forefront of the combined experience of manufacturers like The Ford Motor Company, General Motors, Freightliner, MACK, Peterbilt and Kenworth to name a few have established a national presence where all members can receive service and warranty repairs on their respective products. The distribution of an Automobile or Cab Chassis has always been an ongoing challenge for all manufacturers new and old. However we in America have the best Automobile Supply Chain Network in the world and as a franchised dealer of brands, we too get the full advantage of the network to ship and supply our member clients nationwide.	*
25	Service force.	With over thousands of service locations representing our 11 manufacturers a member client can find with ease a service station or warranty repair facility near by. Of course Alaska and Hawaii do have a larger distance between franchises a member would utilize for warranty repair or service.	*

26	Describe in detail the process and procedure of your customer service program, if applicable. Include your response-time capabilities and commitments, as well as any incentives that help your providers meet your stated service goals or promises.	<p>To best illustrate our Customer Service programs, I ask that you use as a reference our ZIP file under Additional Documents and within in a ZIP file named "Member Walk Through". Start with and view in order which I will explain in order here:</p> <p>How A Member Can Get Quotes Online Demo: A member can obtain most quotes by visiting our website <a href="http://www.NationalAutoFleetGroup.com">www.NationalAutoFleetGroup.com</a> where a simple one step form is needed for registration. This is to protect the price information from nonmembers. Once a member registers they will receive an automated welcome email with a demo video on how to use our site. Members will gain access to there very own dashboard which will house all there quotes in one safe secure login. Member's can select which brand they are looking for and model year. Our site shows all the categories the brand offers such as: Cars, Vans, SUV's Trucks and Chassis Cabs. Members will then be able to drill down for the right selection by picking from the filter menu of what cab there looking for (Regular, Extended or Crew) to 2 wheel or 4 wheel drive down to the bed length there looking for. All factory options are then presented for the member to select from, this will show all current factory order-able options, taking the guess work out for the member. Once a member selects a desired build, they will see there Sourcewell Price report showing the MSRP, there contract price, the saving in real dollars and as a percentage. In the PDF example you can see a saving of \$ 9,175.96 of 22.345% to the member showing a significant savings. Members then can chose to add extra's to there order like extra keys' service manuals, sales tax and even request an upfit to be added to there quote. Lastly they will be given a complete turn key quote package to print which will include there customized Quote ID, Description and Specifications of what they built.</p> <p>How Members and Upfitters can Partner with NAFG: Our dedicated website <a href="http://www.NAFGPartner.com">www.NAFGPartner.com</a> was built to accommodate the member who would like a certain upfitter to upfit there vehicles. It was also built for upfitters to have a place to go where they can find information on how to partner with NAFG to better serve there local members.</p> <p>Example of A Member with Upfit Quote: This is an example of how we use our Cab Chassis and combine them with an upfit to provide a turnkey solution for the member in a simple to follow format.</p> <p>ETA System for Members Walk Through: This is where members can easily come to our website, the same website they built there chassis on and track there order like they would a UPS package. We have a very simple display on our homepage "Track your order" where members can enter one of the following: Purchase Order Number, Quote ID, Upfit Quote ID or vin to easily see there in the process there particular order is in.</p> <p>Courtesy Confirmation Explained: After NAFG receives an order from a Member, we always like to send the member a Courtesy Confirmation. This is were the member will double check some particulars on there order like, Color, Quantity, Upfit and to ensure all Specification's are all correct before order placement. We also like to ask for title information at this point so we can help process the paperwork at delivery promptly.</p> <p>Factory Order Cut Off Notices: Here is were we like to highlight were members can access any upcoming factory order cut off dates. We walk the member through the process step by step to ensure the member knows the upcoming factory order cut off date, we even print this information (if known at the time) right on the cover page of there quotes.</p> <p>Validation Walk Through Example: To demonstrate a price validation, we show what a member would see when they build a truck on our site. At check out the member would see the Total Configured MSRP of \$ 35,730.00, A Sourcewell Price of \$ 27,331.68, Total Saving of \$ 8,398.32 or 23.505% for a 2020 F-250 followed by the pricing page which shows the Minimum Discount of at least 18.50%. As you see we provided an additional 5% discount on top of the 18.50% contract discount. This would be the case in this example.</p>
27	Identify your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in the United States.	We have provided a list of our top 1,000 member/clients demonstrating our ability to service all members nationwide. Located in the Marketing Place ZIP file as "NAFG Top 1,000 Member Clients" PDF.
28	Identify your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in Canada.	Our ability and know how to carry our business model into Canada has never been as strong as it is today, we believe a simple US Dollar to Canadian exchange rate coupled with our pricing structure will allow NAFG to finally be in a position to serve members in Canada by partnering with Canadian based dealer groups.
29	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract.	NAFG will service 100 % of the United States of America and attempt to build the same model to service all of Canada. We do not know yet what regions we will encounter difficulty and how long the solution will take, but we will strive to service all of Canada.

30	Identify any Sourcewell participating entity sectors (i.e., government, education, not-for-profit) that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract. Explain in detail. For example, does your company have only a regional presence, or do other cooperative purchasing contracts limit your ability to promote another contract?	We will service all Sourcewell Members through our 24 hours a day 365-year website except Non Profits. Non-Profits would be subject to a different pricing program and would need to be handled on a case by case basis. Non-Profits mostly do not qualify for the discount governments qualify for.	*
31	Define any specific contract requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	The only requirement for members in Alaska, Hawaii and US Territories would be logistical shipping constraints the region would hold. For example, we currently provide members in Alaska chassis cabs with upfits and the member allows us to add the extra shipping cost, port cost and driver cost to load and unload there vehicles from port to port. This would be required if needed to be added to any quote in these regions.	*

**Table 7: Marketing Plan**

Line Item	Question	Response *
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32	<p>Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this contract opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.</p>	<p>In addition to the Sample Marketing Flyers and Marketing Department Charts uploaded in the link "Marketing Plan/Samples"</p> <p>National Auto Fleet Group facilities a variety of marketing strategies to promote our products and services to reach out to government entities. Our company encompasses mainly outbound marketing strategies to promote the Sourewell Government Vehicle Contract.</p> <p>Email Marketing: Part of our outbound strategy includes paid online marketing techniques such as the use of email campaign blasts. This process includes creation of multiple campaign flyers used to convey key messages to our targeted audience. Flyer messages consist of the types of vehicle contracts, brands sold, special discounts offered to first time buyers, holiday themed flyers, vehicles offered, new website features and many more. This method encourages potential customers to our website to explore our products and services. Campaigner email marketing service acts not only to send out emails but as a CRM database system to monitor, send and track effectiveness of emails. Our marketing team works continuously to gather emails from government entities though out the United States to compile a database of clientele.</p> <p>Event Marketing: This strategy has proven to be a successful avenue to generate leads and create lasting relationships. National Auto Fleet Group attends several trades shows per year to engage customers in person along with upsell opportunities. Meeting prospects face-to-face forms a lasting impression not available through other methods of selling. Trade shows attended include GFX, IAPPO, NIGP, ACT, CAPPO, CASBO throughout the United States.</p> <p>Relationship Marketing: This is utilized once a client is directed though our website though online methods. Once a potential client registers and becomes a member on our website, our sales team will personally reach out via phone or email to provide further assistance. The role of the sales team is to continue to support and empower clients and educate them on products and services offered. The team will go the extra mile for subscribers, prospects, and customers even after a sales transaction is completed.</p> <p>Our sales team has worked tirelessly to focus on providing outstanding customer support to create powerful rapport with our clients. By going above and beyond, we have enhanced existing relationships and executed customer loyalty with repeat businesses. They strive to deviate from the "Car Salesperson" mentality which is 100% sales driven to a more product and customer service approach by instilling a sense of confidence to our clients. Their constant goal is to regularly assist clients and address any needs during the entire sales process. Striving to focus on solution selling vs. product selling develops into a mutually beneficial agreement for customers and the business.</p> <p>Referral/Word of mouth: This strategy ties into our outstanding relationship marketing to clients. The positive quality of service experienced by customers has led to an increased number of sales through referrals. Our goal is to provide exemplary customer service throughout entire selling process to encourage repeat business and referrals.</p> <p>Coming late summer of 2020, National Auto Fleet Group will be launching a NAFG Partner Website to increase the growth of our business. The website <a href="http://www.nafgpartner.com">www.nafgpartner.com</a> is expected to launch late summer/early fall of 2020. The site encourages body upfitting companies throughout the United States to partner up with us to become a preferred member. The benefits of becoming a preferred member is to have their business advertised on our site as well as referring any clients with upfitting needs to a local body company within their general vicinity. Our buyers from government agencies are encouraged to go on the site as well and look for local body upfitting companies they are interested in working with. To join our network, they are required to advertise NAFG and the Sourcewell contract on their business website and refer their clients to purchase their cab/chassis needs through NAFG. This creates a relationship that will generate increased sales from both the sides. We are still currently building the website and searching for body companies across the states that would be interested in partnering up with NAFG.</p> <p>Direct Marketing: Prior to the Covid-19 outbreak, our company was promoting direct marketing strategies by contacting local businesses and setting up in person meetings with our dedicated public relations representative. The role of our dedicated representative included in person meetings to discuss our products and services, present website features and to drop off sales contact information for further questions.</p>
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<p>33</p>	<p>Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.</p>	<p>Social media is a critical part in the way people communicate and connect with each other. LinkedIn offers a variety of ways to expand our network by finding and connecting with relevant professionals in the industry. National Auto Fleet Group has utilized LinkedIn to reach out to current and potential members through personalized messages. Personalized messages include thanking them for registering on site as well as directing them to our link to the website, LinkedIn, and Facebook company pages. The goal is to find and connect with people already on our database as well as people that would benefit from our products and services. Current flyers or messages about our company are also posted on the LinkedIn site to generate more business. Time is also spent on reading posts from connections to observe any needs that National Auto Fleet Group may assist with. The marketing team also spends time researching government entities and prospects through their websites. In addition to looking for new clients, the marketing team will take time to sign up for e-newsletters from cities, counties, school districts and colleges. This will ensure that NAFG will understand needs of government entities and will utilize this information for future campaigns.                  Example: City of New York posted that they plan to replace current fleet with an all-electric fleet within the next 20 years. Email campaigns focusing on types of electrical vehicles provided by National Auto Fleet Group was sent.                  NAFG has recently introduced newly built live chat feature on our website. Visitors are prompt to chat with a live sales representative 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. This will ensure that clients that are interested have another avenue of reaching out in addition to emailing or telephone. Benefits of Live chat option include quicker response time to assist buyers for purchasing needs. Our live chat feature not only encourages sales but the value of the sale as well. Live chat benefits from understanding the immediate needs of the buyer and buyers can receive an immediate response not only from questions but recommendations for their needs.                  The use of marketing campaigns plays a major role in enhancing the growth of our client database. Email is a big part of our lives and every government agency employee has an email address. Campaigner.com is the platform used for our email marketing. The goal of email marketing is to reach our target audience and personalizing email flyers with a responsive design. Videos and images are used and can be viewed from on a computer or mobile device. Messages are short and to the point with links leading to the Sourcewell and NAFG homepage. The Campaigner email system allows us to track email activity based on open rate, unsubscribes and link clicks which is beneficial to understanding email effectiveness.</p>	<p>*</p>
<p>34</p>	<p>In your view, what is Sourcewell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcewell-awarded contract into your sales process?</p>	<p>Sourcewell is a trusted brand that government entities can rely on to provide a wide variety of products and services. They aim to simplify the purchasing and procurement process of government entities. The Sourcewell brand integrates a thorough documentation review of all vendors prior to awarding their cooperative contracts. Products and services are from reputable vendors. The brand provides a sense of showing legitimacy and verification of our company name and members understand that products and services provided are from reputable vendors. Clients recognize the Sourcewell brand and their vendors as a trusted source that will meet their needs. The main selling point of the brand is the elimination of the need to bid. Sourcewell has done for bidding for the government entities which simplifies the purchasing process. This process not only saves money but valuable time as well. Once a client receives a vehicle quote from our sales department, the role of the client is to submit a purchase order when ready. Sourcewell has provided NAFG overwhelming opportunities to work with government agencies across the United States. The Sourcewell well name represents a high standard of integrity and ethics and we are proud to be part of this dynamic. Sourcewell members have access to a contract that is more flexible than the standard bidding process. Sourcewell is an organization that aids government entities to stay competitive without the frustrations and issues involved with the traditional bidding process. The Sourcewell contract can be also be customized to meet the needs of the client. The sales team has incorporated not only this standard of integrity in their sales practice by ensuring clients we will always assist them with all their vehicle purchasing needs. The cost savings and stress-free nature of the cooperative contracts favors that of the traditional bidding process. It enables vendors to work with qualifying government entities in a more efficient manner. We vow to maintain these levels of standards across the board throughout all departments throughout the company.</p>	<p>*</p>
<p>35</p>	<p>Are your products or services available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.</p>	<p>Our website provides a hands-on empowering approach to ordering vehicles online. Clients can search through many vehicles makes and models with the ability to customize a vehicle tailored to their specific needs of their agency. A personalized quote with pricing can be available in as little as 5 minutes depending on the complexity of the vehicle. If upfitting is needed, a sales representative can be reached through phone, email or on the new live chat feature on the website.                  Once a customized quote is built, clients have the option to finalize the sales transaction by submitting a purchase order to our sales team via email. This gives complete autonomy to the client to purchase vehicles without the need to speak to a sales rep. If assistance is needed, they can contact sales through email, live chat, or phone.                  If support is required to build a quote, our sales rep is also available to walk a client through the e-procurement process step by step. This ensures having an available representative to answer any questions if needed and to empower the client to make any future purchases on their own. Clients may also call or email the needs of the company and receive a customized vehicle quote.</p>	<p>*</p>

**Table 8: Value-Added Attributes**

Line Item	Question	Response *
36	Describe any product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training programs that you offer to Sourcewell participating entities. Include details, such as whether training is standard or optional, who provides training, and any costs that apply.	NAFG extends any and all Service Training Programs provided by the Manufacturer. Many of the programs offered are quoted individually by the manufacture based on class size and region of the country. NAFG will pass these quotes onto the member at dealer cost.
37	Describe any technological advances that your proposed products or services offer.	Accomplishments by the Manufacturers like Ford Motor Company, General Motor's and MACK Truck serve the member automatically by having these models available through our proposal. As well as our inclusion of Motive Power Systems in our proposal. Motive Power Systems provides the member the ability to electrify their vehicle. We attached product information and pricing in the "Upfits Available" ZIP file in them "All 11 Manufacturer" ZIP file under additional documents.
38	Describe any "green" initiatives that relate to your company or to your products or services, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.	NAFG has Partnered with 400 Mayors Nationwide to create a US Mayor EV Drive Climate Initiative called the Climate Mayor Purchasing Collaborative <a href="http://www.Driveevfleet.org">www.Driveevfleet.org</a> to help spread the benefit of members going 100% green. We have 100% Pure Electric vehicles to offer such as the Chevrolet Bolt and Ford Fusion, which are all technology predecessors to the All New Ford Electric F-150. We are certain over the next few years, Ford and many other manufacturers will be making available 100% pure electric cab chassis for members to select from.
39	Identify any third-party issued eco-labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the equipment or products included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.	Within the same Motive Power PDF's located in the "Upfits Available" Zip File, you will find Motive's System's CARB Certification's (California Air Resource Board) for two engines offering along with there Ford Qualified Vehicle Modifier Certificate. All which help energy conversation and efficiencies.
40	Describe any Women or Minority Business Entity (WMBE), Small Business Entity (SBE), or veteran owned business certifications that your company or hub partners have obtained. Upload documentation of certification (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	NAFG has provided as an attachment "Upfits Available" our partnership letter with Diversified Leasing. Diversified Leasing is a DVBE/SBE Company that has been in business since 2014. As a Disabled Veteran Business Enterprise Licensed in the Stat of California (#1792183) Diversified has offered there certification to be placed on any NAFG quote for a small admin fee which is fully displayed on there partnership letter attached.
41	What unique attributes does your company, your products, or your services offer to Sourcewell participating entities? What makes your proposed solutions unique in your industry as it applies to Sourcewell participating entities?	Dedication, Hard Work not to be confused with efforts but with results. NAFG has built its division solely for the purpose of serving the members experience from our 24-hour member website or website improvements and capabilities to thinking outside the box to help a member find a solution.

**Table 9: Warranty**

**Describe in detail your manufacturer warranty program, including conditions and requirements to qualify, claims procedure, and overall structure. You may upload representative samples of your warranty materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response in addition to responding to the questions below.**

Line Item	Question	Response *
42	Do your warranties cover all products, parts, and labor?	We have attached all Warranty information provided by all 11 manufacturers offered in our proposal as an added attachment.
43	Do your warranties impose usage restrictions or other limitations that adversely affect coverage?	Each manufacturer have there own usage restrictions that a member should be aware of. Such as improper use of a chassis may not allow it to be covered under warranty. For example, a F-250 being used for a police rated pursuit vehicle would void certain warranties. We encourage for each member to contact us for there particular warranty coverage.
44	Do your warranties cover the expense of technicians' travel time and mileage to perform warranty repairs?	Yes, in some cases of a breakdown, manufacturers would tow a member vehicle to there nearest warranty repair facility.
45	Are there any geographic regions of the United States (and Canada, if applicable) for which you cannot provide a certified technician to perform warranty repairs? How will Sourcewell participating entities in these regions be provided service for warranty repair?	Each manufacture is different, and we encourage prior to purchasing a product to call in and ask about your specific region and how it's covered.
46	Will you cover warranty service for items made by other manufacturers that are part of your proposal, or are these warranties issues typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer?	All warranties are passed on to the original equipment manufacturer.
47	What are your proposed exchange and return programs and policies?	We offer no exchange, return programs or policies. Once an order has passed a certain point with the factory and NAFG can not cancel the order after trying to cancel with the manufacturer, then the order is non-cancellable.
48	Describe any service contract options for the items included in your proposal.	We offer any and all manufacturer service contracts to all members. There are several parameters which a customized service contract can be created. NAFG will treat each of these as an added factory option and follow the same discount schedule in the price file.

**Table 10: Payment Terms and Financing Options**

Line Item	Question	Response *
49	What are your payment terms (e.g., net 10, net 30)?	Payment terms are Net 20, with a 10-day grace period.
50	Do you provide leasing or financing options, especially those options that schools and governmental entities may need to use in order to make certain acquisitions?	NAFG has partnered with National Cooperative Leasing to offer Sourcewell Contract Lease Terms to all NAFG Quotes for all Sourcewell Members. We have attached a PDF called "NCL Sample Lease" in the Zip File Called "member Walk Through"
51	Briefly describe your proposed order process. Include enough detail to support your ability to report quarterly sales to Sourcewell as described in the Contract template. For example, indicate whether your dealer network is included in your response and whether each dealer (or some other entity) will process the Sourcewell participating entities' purchase orders.	NAFG is structured in a manner where it can monitor most transactions preformed through our Sourcewell Contracts. NAFG has made the tracking of all orders a reasonably organized method to allow fast accurate quarterly reporting.
52	Do you accept the P-card procurement and payment process? If so, is there any additional cost to Sourcewell participating entities for using this process?	Yes, up to \$ 2,500 per vehicle, any amount higher than \$ 2,500 would carry a P-card/ Credit Card transaction fee which will be passed onto the member.

**Table 11: Pricing and Delivery**

Provide detailed pricing information in the questions that follow below. Keep in mind that reasonable price and product adjustments can be made during the term of an awarded Contract as described in the RFP, the template Contract, and the Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form.

Line Item	Question	Response *
53	Describe your pricing model (e.g., line-item discounts or product-category discounts). Provide detailed pricing data (including standard or list pricing and the Sourcewell discounted price) on all of the items that you want Sourcewell to consider as part of your RFP response. If applicable, provide a SKU for each item in your proposal. Upload your pricing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	NAFG is offering Line Item Discounts Off MSRP for 11 manufacturers detailed in the Price File, NAFG is offering all Upfits to be added to any and all chassis cabs and trucks, details are on the Price Summary Page in the price file.
54	Quantify the pricing discount represented by the pricing proposal in this response. For example, if the pricing in your response represents a percentage discount from MSRP or list, state the percentage or percentage range.	NAFG Discount Range per Manufacturer is as follows: Ford Motor Company from 2.75% to 18.86% RAM FCA Company from 6.18% to 13.95% Chevrolet from 5.73% to 21.39% HINO from 14.36% to 19.24% ISUZU from 9.98% to 15.57% International from 2.01% to 39.33% Volvo from 23.79% to 24.19% Freightliner/ Western Star from 34.17% to 42.90% MACK from 16.97% to 31.95% Kenworth from 28.11 to 39.31% Peterbilt from 21.09% to 42.66%  Upfits can be added at dealer invoice up to 10%, detailed in the price file.
55	Describe any quantity or volume discounts or rebate programs that you offer.	We encourage any and all members to contact us if considering ordering 50 or more units for an additional discount quote.
56	Propose a method of facilitating "sourced" products or related services, which may be referred to as "open market" items or "nonstandard options". For example, you may supply such items "at cost" or "at cost plus a percentage," or you may supply a quote for each such request.	Open Market products or Sourced Goods will be treated as any upfit and may be quoted up to a 10% mark-up if applicable.
57	Identify any element of the total cost of acquisition that is NOT included in the pricing submitted with your response. This includes all additional charges associated with a purchase that are not directly identified as freight or shipping charges. For example, list costs for items like pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	All considerations have been taken into account in the price file in its entirety. Price Summary Page and Price Tabs contain all costs associated with all quotes. If a member would like a quote for a particular situation and the item requires special training or installation, these charges would be added as part of the upfit and included in the members quote.
58	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcewell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	All manufacturers charge a standardized "Factory Destination Charge" which is displayed on all window stickers and on all trucks on a dealer's lot. This is not the destination charge that maybe charged to ship a chassis to and from an installer, these additional subsequent movements are all added freight charges and will displayed on the members quote.
59	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	Freight to these regions carry a specific logistical barrier which carry added cost such as ferry, port and driver cost both to and from the mainland. These added costs will be disclosed and added to any quote for the member to review.
60	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	NAFG will utilize the power and expertise of the already established Automobile Franchise Distribution Network to have members vehicles delivered promptly there destination.

**Table 12: Pricing Offered**

Line Item	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
61	c. better than the Proposer typically offers to GPOs, cooperative procurement organizations, or state purchasing departments.	We would never offer any other organization what we offer Sourcewell in volume pricing and offerings.

**Table 13: Audit and Administrative Fee**

Line Item	Question	Response *
62	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed Contract with Sourcwell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcwell participating entities obtain the proper pricing, that the Vendor reports all sales under the Contract each quarter, and that the Vendor remits the proper administrative fee to Sourcwell.	We have created a member friendly easy to build online quoting system for members to use. Pricing is built directly into the website and is loaded daily by the manufacture MSRP information. Our system will provide an accurate quote 99.99% of the time. We have stream lined how our admin fee is processed to allow a quick 15-30 day turn around on quarterly reports.
63	Identify a proposed administrative fee that you will pay to Sourcwell for facilitating, managing, and promoting the Sourcwell Contract in the event that you are awarded a Contract. This fee is typically calculated as a percentage of Vendor's sales under the Contract or as a per-unit fee; it is not a line-item addition to the Member's cost of goods. (See the RFP and template Contract for additional details.)	Our Admin Fee has been streamlined to allow for growth to occur with maintaining a high level of accuracy and reporting. Our proposed admin fee would follow these guidelines: F-450, F-550, F600 and like models = \$ 400 flat F-650 and above = \$ 700 flat Partner Deals (NAFG Partners with another dealer) = \$ 150 flat All other models F-250 and below = \$ 325 flat

**Table 14A: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Line Item	Question	Response *
64	Provide a detailed description of the equipment, products, and services that you are offering in your proposal.	NAFG is providing: 11 Manufacturers totaling above 1,284 makes, models and trims ranging from Class 3 to Class 8 Cab an Chassis and trucks. With available Upfits to be added ranging from tool boxes to Line Mechanics Bodies. Any and all upfits can be added to our chassis cabs either by our upfit partner supplier or by a members upfit supplier working with NAFG to provide a Turn Key Quote.
65	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	NAFG Lists all makes, models and trims in each ZIP file under ZIP File "All 11 Manufacturers" representing a combined over 1,284 makes, models and trim combinations for members to choose from along with a subtitle "Upfits" detailed in the price file.

**Table 14B: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Indicate below what Classes of equipment are offered in this proposal.

Line Item	Category or Type	Offered *	Comments
66	Class 8 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	11 Manufacturers totaling above 1,284 makes and models
67	Class 7 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	11 Manufacturers totaling above 1,284 makes and models
68	Class 6 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	11 Manufacturers totaling above 1,284 makes and models
69	Class 5 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	11 Manufacturers totaling above 1,284 makes and models
70	Class 4 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	11 Manufacturers totaling above 1,284 makes and models

**Table 15: Industry Specific Questions**

Line Item	Question	Response *	
71	If you are awarded a contract, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the contract.	If awarded NAFG will keep track of the number of client quotes it processes which will be done via our website and easy to oversee and base this data month after month to see if our interest is growing at the expected rate we would expect.	*
72	Describe your company's offering in relation to alternative fuel sources, including electric or others.	Our manufacturers products are always striving to bring to market the latest green vehicles to accommodate the ever-increasing demand for eco friendly transportation.	*
73	Describe any manufacturing processes or materials utilized that contribute to chassis strength, cab strength, overall durability, driver safety that differentiate your offerings.	Representing 11 manufacturers in our response, we are positive we represent the best of the best in chassis production and represent all strengths each manufacture has to offer.	*
74	Describe any differentiating serviceability attributes (remote diagnostics, etc.) your proposal offers.	Telematics can be added to any quote for any member since each manufacturer offers some form of telematics, if not we can quote it as a separate upfit item.	*

**Table 16: Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form**

**Line Item 75. NOTICE:** To identify any exception, or to request any modification, to the Sourcwell template Contract terms, conditions, or specifications, a Proposer must submit the exception or requested modification on the **Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form** immediately below. The contract section, the specific text addressed by the exception or requested modification, and the proposed modification must be identified in detail. Proposer's exceptions and proposed modifications are subject to review and approval of Sourcwell and will not automatically be included in the contract.

Contract Section	Term, Condition, or Specification	Exception or Proposed Modification
	NA	

## Documents

### Ensure your submission document(s) conforms to the following:

1. Documents in PDF format are preferred. Documents in Word, Excel, or compatible formats may also be provided.
2. Documents should NOT have a security password, as Sourcwell may not be able to open the file. It is your sole responsibility to ensure that the uploaded document(s) are not either defective, corrupted or blank and that the documents can be opened and viewed by Sourcwell.
3. Sourcwell may reject any response where any document(s) cannot be opened and viewed by Sourcwell.
4. If you need to upload more than one (1) document for a single item, you should combine the documents into one zipped file. If the zipped file contains more than one (1) document, ensure each document is named, in relation to the submission format item responding to. For example, if responding to the Marketing Plan category save the document as "Marketing Plan."

- [Financial Strength and Stability](#) - Market Place Success and Financial Stability.zip - Sunday June 07, 2020 21:38:16
- [Marketing Plan/Samples](#) - NAFG Marketing Plan.zip - Monday June 08, 2020 16:51:00
- [WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates](#) - Insurance and Related Certificates.zip - Monday June 08, 2020 13:38:53
- [Warranty Information](#) - Warranty Info for 11 Manufacturers.zip - Sunday June 07, 2020 19:30:07
- [Pricing](#) - NAFG Price File for RFP 060920.zip - Monday June 08, 2020 16:09:06
- [Additional Document](#) - ALL 11 MANUFACTURERS MODEL'S AND MEMBER WALK THROUGH'S.zip - Monday June 08, 2020 16:12:26

## Proposer's Affidavit

### **PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE**

I certify that I am the authorized representative of the Proposer submitting the foregoing Proposal with the legal authority to bind the Proposer to this Affidavit and Assurance of Compliance:

1. The Proposer is submitting this Proposal under its full and complete legal name, and the Proposer legally exists in good standing in the jurisdiction of its residence.
2. The Proposer warrants that the information provided in this Proposal is true, correct, and reliable for purposes of evaluation for contract award.
3. The Proposer, including any person assisting with the creation of this Proposal, has arrived at this Proposal independently and the Proposal has been created without colluding with any other person, company, or parties that have or will submit a proposal under this solicitation; and the Proposal has in all respects been created fairly without any fraud or dishonesty. The Proposer has not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement or arrangement with any person or business in an effort to influence any part of this solicitation or operations of a resulting contract; and the Proposer has not taken any action in restraint of free trade or competitiveness in connection with this solicitation. Additionally, if Proposer has worked with a consultant on the Proposal, the consultant (an individual or a company) has not assisted any other entity that has submitted or will submit a proposal for this solicitation.
4. To the best of its knowledge and belief, and except as otherwise disclosed in the Proposal, there are no relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest. An organizational conflict of interest exists when a vendor has an unfair competitive advantage or the vendor's objectivity in performing the contract is, or might be, impaired.
5. The contents of the Proposal have not been communicated by the Proposer or its employees or agents to any person not an employee or legally authorized agent of the Proposer and will not be communicated to any such persons prior to Due Date of this solicitation.
6. If awarded a contract, the Proposer will provide to Sourcewell Participating Entities the equipment, products, and services in accordance with the terms, conditions, and scope of a resulting contract.
7. The Proposer possesses, or will possess before delivering any equipment, products, or services, all applicable licenses or certifications necessary to deliver such equipment, products, or services under any resulting contract.
8. The Proposer agrees to deliver equipment, products, and services through valid contracts, purchase orders, or means that are acceptable to Sourcewell Members. Unless otherwise agreed to, the Proposer must provide only new and first-quality products and related services to Sourcewell Members under an awarded Contract.
9. The Proposer will comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules, and orders.
10. The Proposer understands that Sourcewell will reject RFP proposals that are marked "confidential" (or "nonpublic," etc.), either substantially or in their entirety. Under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.591, subdivision 4, all proposals are considered nonpublic data until the evaluation is complete and a Contract is awarded. At that point, proposals become public data. Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37 permits only certain narrowly defined data to be considered a "trade secret," and thus nonpublic data under Minnesota's Data Practices Act.
11. Proposer its employees, agents, and subcontractors are not:
  - a. Included on the "Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons" list maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the United States Department of the Treasury found at: <https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf>;
  - b. Included on the government-wide exclusions lists in the United States System for Award Management found at: <https://www.sam.gov/portal/3>; or
  - c. Presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated

by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this solicitation.

By checking this box I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Proposer's Affidavit, have the legal authority to submit this Proposal on behalf of the Proposer, and that this electronic acknowledgment has the same legal effect, validity, and enforceability as if I had hand signed the Proposal. This signature will not be denied such legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because an electronic signature or electronic record was used in its formation. - Jesse Cooper, Fleet Manager, 72 Hour LLC, DBA Naional Auto Fleet Group

The Proposer declares that there is an actual or potential Conflict of Interest relating to the preparation of its submission, and/or the Proposer foresees an actual or potential Conflict of Interest in performing the contractual obligations contemplated in the bid.

Yes  No

The Bidder acknowledges and agrees that the addendum/addenda below form part of the Bid Document.

Check the box in the column "I have reviewed this addendum" below to acknowledge each of the addenda.

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**Solicitation Number: RFP #060920****CONTRACT**

This Contract is between Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and Navistar, Inc. dba International Truck, 2701 Navistar Drive, Lisle, IL 60532 (Vendor).

Sourcewell is a State of Minnesota local government agency and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) that offers cooperative procurement solutions to government entities. Participation is open to federal, state/province, and municipal governmental entities, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public entities located in the United States and Canada.

Vendor desires to contract with Sourcewell to provide equipment, products, or services to Sourcewell and the entities that access Sourcewell's cooperative purchasing contracts (Participating Entities).

**1. TERM OF CONTRACT**

- A. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Contract is effective upon the date of the final signature below.
- B. EXPIRATION DATE AND EXTENSION. This Contract expires August 1, 2024, unless it is cancelled sooner pursuant to Article 24. This Contract may be extended up to one additional one-year period upon request of Sourcewell and with written agreement by Vendor.
- C. SURVIVAL OF TERMS. Articles 11 through 16 survive the expiration or cancellation of this Contract.

**2. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES**

- A. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES. Vendor will provide the Equipment, Products, or Services as stated in its Proposal submitted under the Solicitation Number listed above. Vendor's Equipment, Products, or Services Proposal (Proposal) is attached and incorporated into this Contract.

All Equipment and Products provided under this Contract must be new/current model. Vendor may offer close-out or refurbished Equipment or Products if they are clearly indicated in

Vendor's product and pricing list. Unless agreed to by the Participating Entities in advance, Equipment or Products must be delivered as operational to the Participating Entity's site.

This Contract offers an indefinite quantity of sales, and while substantial volume is anticipated, sales and sales volume are not guaranteed.

B. **WARRANTY.** Vendor warrants that all Equipment, Products, and Services furnished are free from liens and encumbrances, and are free from defects in design, materials, and workmanship. In addition, Vendor warrants the Equipment, Products, and Services are suitable for and will perform in accordance with the ordinary use for which they are intended. Vendor's dealers and distributors must agree to assist the Participating Entity in reaching a resolution in any dispute over warranty terms with the manufacturer. Any manufacturer's warranty that is effective past the expiration of the Vendor's warranty will be passed on to the Participating Entity.

C. **DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, AND/OR RESELLERS.** Upon Contract execution, Vendor will make available to Sourcewell a means to validate or authenticate Vendor's authorized dealers, distributors, and/or resellers relative to the Equipment, Products, and Services related to this Contract. This list may be updated from time-to-time and is incorporated into this Contract by reference. It is the Vendor's responsibility to ensure Sourcewell receives the most current version of this list.

### **3. PRICING**

All Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract will be priced as stated in Vendor's Proposal.

When providing pricing quotes to Participating Entities, all pricing quoted must reflect a Participating Entity's total cost of acquisition. This means that the quoted cost is for delivered Equipment, Products, and Services that are operational for their intended purpose, and includes all costs to the Participating Entity's requested delivery location.

Regardless of the payment method chosen by the Participating Entity, the total cost associated with any purchase option of the Equipment, Products, or Services must always be disclosed in the pricing quote to the applicable Participating Entity at the time of purchase.

A. **SHIPPING AND SHIPPING COSTS.** All delivered Equipment and Products must be properly packaged. Damaged Equipment and Products may be rejected. If the damage is not readily apparent at the time of delivery, Vendor must permit the Equipment and Products to be returned within a reasonable time at no cost to Sourcewell or its Participating Entities. Participating Entities reserve the right to inspect the Equipment and Products at a reasonable time after delivery where circumstances or conditions prevent effective inspection of the Equipment and Products at the time of delivery.

Vendor must arrange for and pay for the return shipment on Equipment and Products that arrive in a defective or inoperable condition.

Sourcewell may declare the Vendor in breach of this Contract if the Vendor intentionally delivers substandard or inferior Equipment or Products. In the event of the delivery of nonconforming Equipment and Products, the Participating Entity will notify the Vendor as soon as possible and the Vendor will replace nonconforming Equipment and Products with conforming Equipment and Products that are acceptable to the Participating Entity.

B. SALES TAX. Each Participating Entity is responsible for supplying the Vendor with valid tax-exemption certification(s). When ordering, a Participating Entity must indicate if it is a tax-exempt entity.

C. HOT LIST PRICING. At any time during this Contract, Vendor may offer a specific selection of Equipment, Products, or Services at discounts greater than those listed in the Contract. When Vendor determines it will offer Hot List Pricing, it must be submitted electronically to Sourcewell in a line-item format. Equipment, Products, or Services may be added or removed from the Hot List at any time through a Sourcewell Price and Product Change Form as defined in Article 4 below.

Hot List program and pricing may also be used to discount and liquidate close-out and discontinued Equipment and Products as long as those close-out and discontinued items are clearly identified as such. Current ordering process and administrative fees apply. Hot List Pricing must be published and made available to all Participating Entities.

#### **4. PRODUCT AND PRICING CHANGE REQUESTS**

Vendor may request Equipment, Product, or Service changes, additions, or deletions at any time. All requests must be made in writing by submitting a signed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form to the assigned Sourcewell Contract Administrator. This form is available from the assigned Sourcewell Contract Administrator. At a minimum, the request must:

- Identify the applicable Sourcewell contract number;
- Clearly specify the requested change;
- Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;
- Individually list all Equipment, Products, or Services affected by the requested change, along with the requested change (e.g., addition, deletion, price change); and
- Include a complete restatement of pricing documentation in Microsoft Excel with the effective date of the modified pricing, or product addition or deletion. The new pricing restatement must include all Equipment, Products, and Services offered, even for those items where pricing remains unchanged.

A fully executed Sourcewell Price and Product Request Form will become an amendment to this Contract and be incorporated by reference.

## **5. PARTICIPATION, CONTRACT ACCESS, AND PARTICIPATING ENTITY REQUIREMENTS**

A. PARTICIPATION. Sourcewell's cooperative contracts are available and open to public and nonprofit entities across the United States and Canada; such as federal, state/province, municipal, K-12 and higher education, tribal government, and other public entities.

The benefits of this Contract should be available to all Participating Entities that can legally access the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract. A Participating Entity's authority to access this Contract is determined through its cooperative purchasing, interlocal, or joint powers laws. Any entity accessing benefits of this Contract will be considered a Service Member of Sourcewell during such time of access. Vendor understands that a Participating Entity's use of this Contract is at the Participating Entity's sole convenience and Participating Entities reserve the right to obtain like Equipment, Products, or Services from any other source.

Vendor is responsible for familiarizing its sales and service forces with Sourcewell contract use eligibility requirements and documentation and will encourage potential members to join Sourcewell. Sourcewell reserves the right to add and remove Participating Entities to its roster during the term of this Contract.

B. PUBLIC FACILITIES. Vendor's employees may be required to perform work at government-owned facilities, including schools. Vendor's employees and agents must conduct themselves in a professional manner while on the premises, and in accordance with Participating Entity policies and procedures, and all applicable laws.

## **6. PARTICIPATING ENTITY USE AND PURCHASING**

A. ORDERS AND PAYMENT. To access the contracted Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract, a Participating Entity must clearly indicate to Vendor that it intends to access this Contract; however, order flow and procedure will be developed jointly between Sourcewell and Vendor. Typically, a Participating Entity will issue an order directly to Vendor. If a Participating Entity issues a purchase order, it may use its own forms, but the purchase order should clearly note the applicable Sourcewell contract number. All Participating Entity orders under this Contract must be issued prior to expiration of this Contract; however, Vendor performance, Participating Entity payment, and any applicable warranty periods or other Vendor or Participating Entity obligations may extend beyond the term of this Contract.

Vendor's acceptable forms of payment are included in Attachment A. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.

B. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS/PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM.** Additional terms and conditions to a purchase order may be negotiated between a Participating Entity and Vendor, such as job or industry-specific requirements, legal requirements (e.g., affirmative action or immigration status requirements), or specific local policy requirements. Some Participating Entities may require the use of a Participating Addendum; the terms of which will be worked out directly between the Participating Entity and the Vendor. Any negotiated additional terms and conditions must never be less favorable to the Participating Entity than what is contained in this Contract.

C. **PERFORMANCE BOND.** If requested by a Participating Entity, Vendor will provide a performance bond that meets the requirements set forth in the Participating Entity's order.

D. **SPECIALIZED SERVICE REQUIREMENTS.** In the event that the Participating Entity requires service or specialized performance requirements (such as e-commerce specifications, specialized delivery requirements, or other specifications and requirements) not addressed in this Contract, the Participating Entity and the Vendor may enter into a separate, standalone agreement, apart from this Contract. Sourcwell, including its agents and employees, will not be made a party to a claim for breach of such agreement.

E. **TERMINATION OF ORDERS.** Participating Entities may terminate an order, in whole or in part, immediately upon notice to Vendor in the event of any of the following events:

1. The Participating Entity fails to receive funding or appropriation from its governing body at levels sufficient to pay for the goods to be purchased;
2. Federal, state, or provincial laws or regulations prohibit the purchase or change the Participating Entity's requirements; or
3. Vendor commits any material breach of this Contract or the additional terms agreed to between the Vendor and a Participating Entity.

F. **GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.** The governing law and venue for any action related to a Participating Entity's order will be determined by the Participating Entity making the purchase.

## **7. CUSTOMER SERVICE**

A. **PRIMARY ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE.** Vendor will assign an Account Representative to Sourcwell for this Contract and must provide prompt notice to Sourcwell if that person is changed. The Account Representative will be responsible for:

- Maintenance and management of this Contract;
- Timely response to all Sourcwell and Participating Entity inquiries; and
- Business reviews to Sourcwell and Participating Entities, if applicable.

B. BUSINESS REVIEWS. Vendor must perform a minimum of one business review with Sourcewell per contract year. The business review will cover sales to Participating Entities, pricing and contract terms, administrative fees, supply issues, customer issues, and any other necessary information.

## **8. REPORT ON CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE FEE PAYMENT**

A. CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY REPORT. Each calendar quarter, Vendor must provide a contract sales activity report (Report) to the Sourcewell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract. A Report must be provided regardless of the number or amount of sales during that quarter (i.e., if there are no sales, Vendor must submit a report indicating no sales were made).

The Report must contain the following fields:

- Customer Name (e.g., City of Staples Highway Department);
- Customer Physical Street Address;
- Customer City;
- Customer State/Province;
- Customer Zip Code;
- Customer Contact Name;
- Customer Contact Email Address;
- Customer Contact Telephone Number;
- Sourcewell Assigned Entity/Participating Entity Number;
- Item Purchased Description;
- Item Purchased Price;
- Sourcewell Administrative Fee Applied; and
- Date Purchase was invoiced/sale was recognized as revenue by Vendor.

B. ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. In consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcewell, the Vendor will pay an administrative fee to Sourcewell on all Equipment, Products, and Services provided to Participating Entities. The Administrative Fee must be included in, and not added to, the pricing. Vendor may not charge Participating Entities more than the contracted price to offset the Administrative Fee.

The Vendor will submit a check payable to Sourcewell for the administrative fee amount of \$1,500 multiplied by the total number of trucks purchased by Participating Entities under this Contract during each calendar quarter. Payments should note the Sourcewell-assigned contract number in the memo and must be mailed to the address above "Attn: Accounts Receivable." Payments must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter.

Vendor agrees to cooperate with Sourcewell in auditing transactions under this Contract to ensure that the administrative fee is paid on all items purchased under this Contract.

In the event the Vendor is delinquent in any undisputed administrative fees, Sourcewell reserves the right to cancel this Contract and reject any proposal submitted by the Vendor in any subsequent solicitation. In the event this Contract is cancelled by either party prior to the Contract's expiration date, the administrative fee payment will be due no more than 30 days from the cancellation date.

#### **9. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

Vendor's Authorized Representative is the person named in the Vendor's Proposal. If Vendor's Authorized Representative changes at any time during this Contract, Vendor must promptly notify Sourcewell in writing.

#### **10. ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENTS, WAIVER, AND CONTRACT COMPLETE**

A. **ASSIGNMENT.** Neither the Vendor nor Sourcewell may assign or transfer any rights or obligations under this Contract without the prior consent of the parties and a fully executed assignment agreement. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld.

B. **AMENDMENTS.** Any amendment to this Contract must be in writing and will not be effective until it has been fully executed by the parties.

C. **WAIVER.** If either party fails to enforce any provision of this Contract, that failure does not waive the provision or the right to enforce it.

D. **CONTRACT COMPLETE.** This Contract contains all negotiations and agreements between Sourcewell and Vendor. No other understanding regarding this Contract, whether written or oral, may be used to bind either party.

E. **RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES.** The relationship of the parties is one of independent contractors, each free to exercise judgment and discretion with regard to the conduct of their respective businesses. This Contract does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship such as master-servant, or principal-agent.

#### **11. LIABILITY**

Vendor must indemnify, save, and hold Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees, arising out of the performance of this Contract by the Vendor or its agents or employees; this indemnification includes injury or death to person(s) or property alleged to have been caused

by some defect in the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract to the extent the Equipment, Product, or Service has been used according to its specifications.

## 12. AUDITS

Sourcwell reserves the right to review the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices of the Vendor relevant to this Contract for a minimum of 6 years from the end of this Contract. This clause extends to Participating Entities as it relates to business conducted by that Participating Entity under this Contract.

## 13. GOVERNMENT DATA PRACTICES

Vendor and Sourcwell must comply with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13, as it applies to all data provided by or provided to Sourcwell under this Contract and as it applies to all data created, collected, received, stored, used, maintained, or disseminated by the Vendor under this Contract.

If the Vendor receives a request to release the data referred to in this article, the Vendor must immediately notify Sourcwell and Sourcwell will assist with how the Vendor should respond to the request.

## 14. INDEMNIFICATION

As applicable, Vendor agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Sourcwell and its Participating Entities against any and all suits, claims, judgments, and costs instituted or recovered against Sourcwell or Participating Entities by any person on account of the use of any Equipment or Products by Sourcwell or its Participating Entities supplied by Vendor in violation of applicable patent or copyright laws.

## 15. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PUBLICITY, MARKETING, AND ENDORSEMENT

### A. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

1. *Grant of License.* During the term of this Contract:
  - a. Sourcwell grants to Vendor a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use the Trademark(s) provided to Vendor by Sourcwell in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Sourcwell's relationship with Vendor.
  - b. Vendor grants to Sourcwell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Vendor's Trademarks in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Vendor's relationship with Sourcwell.
2. *Limited Right of Sublicense.* The right and license granted herein includes a limited right of each party to grant sublicenses to its and their respective distributors, marketing representatives, and agents (collectively "Permitted Sublicensees") in advertising and

promotional materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties' relationship to Participating Entities. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this Article by any of their respective sublicensees.

*3. Use; Quality Control.*

- a. Sourcewell must not alter Vendor's Trademarks from the form provided by Vendor and must comply with Vendor's removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.
- b. Vendor must not alter Sourcewell's Trademarks from the form provided by Sourcewell and must comply with Sourcewell's removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.
- c. Each party agrees to use, and to cause its Permitted Sublicensees to use, the other party's Trademarks only in good faith and in a dignified manner consistent with such party's use of the Trademarks. Upon written notice to the breaching party, the breaching party has 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the breach or the license will be terminated.

*4. Termination.* Upon the termination of this Contract for any reason, each party, including Permitted Sublicensees, will have 30 days to remove all Trademarks from signage, websites, and the like bearing the other party's name or logo (excepting Sourcewell's pre-printed catalog of vendors which may be used until the next printing). Vendor must return all marketing and promotional materials, including signage, provided by Sourcewell, or dispose of it according to Sourcewell's written directions.

B. **PUBLICITY.** Any publicity regarding the subject matter of this Contract must not be released without prior written approval from the Authorized Representatives. Publicity includes notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, research, reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared by or for the Vendor individually or jointly with others, or any subcontractors, with respect to the program, publications, or services provided resulting from this Contract.

C. **MARKETING.** Any direct advertising, marketing, or offers with Participating Entities must be approved by Sourcewell. Materials should be sent to the Sourcewell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract.

D. **ENDORSEMENT.** The Vendor must not claim that Sourcewell endorses its Equipment, Products, or Services.

## **16. GOVERNING LAW, JURISDICTION, AND VENUE**

Minnesota law governs this Contract. Venue for all legal proceedings out of this Contract, or its breach, must be in the appropriate state court in Todd County or federal court in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

## 17. FORCE MAJEURE

Neither party to this Contract will be held responsible for delay or default caused by acts of God or other conditions that are beyond that party's reasonable control. A party defaulting under this provision must provide the other party prompt written notice of the default.

## 18. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Contract is found to be illegal, unenforceable, or void then both Sourcewell and Vendor will be relieved of all obligations arising under such provisions. If the remainder of this Contract is capable of performance, it will not be affected by such declaration or finding and must be fully performed.

## 19. PERFORMANCE, DEFAULT, AND REMEDIES

A. PERFORMANCE. During the term of this Contract, the parties will monitor performance and address unresolved contract issues as follows:

1. *Notification.* The parties must promptly notify each other of any known dispute and work in good faith to resolve such dispute within a reasonable period of time. If necessary, Sourcewell and the Vendor will jointly develop a short briefing document that describes the issue(s), relevant impact, and positions of both parties.
2. *Escalation.* If parties are unable to resolve the issue in a timely manner, as specified above, either Sourcewell or Vendor may escalate the resolution of the issue to a higher level of management. The Vendor will have 30 calendar days to cure an outstanding issue.
3. *Performance while Dispute is Pending.* Notwithstanding the existence of a dispute, the Vendor must continue without delay to carry out all of its responsibilities under the Contract that are not affected by the dispute. If the Vendor fails to continue without delay to perform its responsibilities under the Contract, in the accomplishment of all undisputed work, any additional costs incurred by Sourcewell and/or its Participating Entities as a result of such failure to proceed will be borne by the Vendor.

B. DEFAULT AND REMEDIES. Either of the following constitutes cause to declare this Contract, or any Participating Entity order under this Contract, in default:

1. Nonperformance of contractual requirements, or
2. A material breach of any term or condition of this Contract.

Written notice of default and a reasonable opportunity to cure must be issued by the party claiming default. Time allowed for cure will not diminish or eliminate any liability for liquidated or other damages. If the default remains after the opportunity for cure, the non-defaulting party may:

- Exercise any remedy provided by law or equity, or
- Terminate the Contract or any portion thereof, including any orders issued against the Contract.

## 20. INSURANCE

A. REQUIREMENTS. At its own expense, Vendor must maintain insurance policy(ies) in effect at all times during the performance of this Contract with insurance company(ies) licensed or authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota having an "AM BEST" rating of A- or better, with coverage and limits of insurance not less than the following:

1. *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability.*

Workers' Compensation: As required by any applicable law or regulation.

Employer's Liability Insurance: must be provided in amounts not less than listed below:

Minimum limits:

- \$500,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident
- \$500,000 policy limit for bodily injury by disease
- \$500,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease

2. *Commercial General Liability Insurance.* Vendor will maintain insurance covering its operations, with coverage on an occurrence basis, and must be subject to terms no less broad than the Insurance Services Office ("ISO") Commercial General Liability Form CG0001 (2001 or newer edition), or equivalent. At a minimum, coverage must include liability arising from premises, operations, bodily injury and property damage, independent contractors, products-completed operations including construction defect, contractual liability, blanket contractual liability, and personal injury and advertising injury. All required limits, terms and conditions of coverage must be maintained during the term of this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

- \$1,000,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage
- \$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury
- \$2,000,000 aggregate for Products-Completed operations
- \$2,000,000 general aggregate

3. *Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain insurance covering all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles in limits of liability not less than indicated below. The coverage must be subject to terms no less broad than ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 0001 (2010 edition or newer), or equivalent.

Minimum Limits:

- \$1,000,000 each accident, combined single limit

4. *Umbrella Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain umbrella coverage over Workers' Compensation, Commercial General Liability, and Commercial Automobile.

Minimum Limits:  
\$2,000,000

5. *Professional/Technical, Errors and Omissions, and/or Miscellaneous Professional Liability.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain coverage for all claims the Vendor may become legally obligated to pay resulting from any actual or alleged negligent act, error, or omission related to Vendor's professional services required under this Contract.

Minimum Limits:  
\$2,000,000 per claim or event  
\$2,000,000 – annual aggregate

6. *Network Security and Privacy Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain coverage for network security and privacy liability. The coverage may be endorsed on another form of liability coverage or written on a standalone policy. The insurance must cover claims which may arise from failure of Vendor's security resulting in, but not limited to, computer attacks, unauthorized access, disclosure of not public data – including but not limited to, confidential or private information, transmission of a computer virus, or denial of service.

Minimum limits:  
\$2,000,000 per occurrence  
\$2,000,000 annual aggregate

Failure of Vendor to maintain the required insurance will constitute a material breach entitling Sourcewell to immediately terminate this Contract for default.

B. CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE. Prior to commencing under this Contract, Vendor must furnish to Sourcewell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Contract. Prior to expiration of the policy(ies), renewal certificates must be mailed to Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 or sent to the Sourcewell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract. The certificates must be signed by a person authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf. All policies must include there will be no cancellation, suspension, non-renewal, or reduction of coverage without 30 days' prior written notice to the Vendor.

Upon request, Vendor must provide to Sourcewell copies of applicable policies and endorsements, within 10 days of a request. Failure to request certificates of insurance by Sourcewell, or failure of Vendor to provide certificates of insurance, in no way limits or relieves Vendor of its duties and responsibilities in this Contract.

C. **ADDITIONAL INSURED ENDORSEMENT AND PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY INSURANCE CLAUSE.** Vendor agrees to list Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their officers, agents, and employees, as an additional insured under the Vendor's commercial general liability insurance policy with respect to liability arising out of activities, "operations," or "work" performed by or on behalf of Vendor, and products and completed operations of Vendor. The policy provision(s) or endorsement(s) must further provide that coverage is primary and not excess over or contributory with any other valid, applicable, and collectible insurance or self-insurance in force for the additional insureds.

D. **WAIVER OF SUBROGATION.** Vendor waives and must require (by endorsement or otherwise) all its insurers to waive subrogation rights against Sourcewell and other additional insureds for losses paid under the insurance policies required by this Contract or other insurance applicable to the Vendor or its subcontractors. The waiver must apply to all deductibles and/or self-insured retentions applicable to the required or any other insurance maintained by the Vendor or its subcontractors. Where permitted by law, Vendor must require similar written express waivers of subrogation and insurance clauses from each of its subcontractors.

E. **UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY.** The limits required by this Contract can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies).

F. **SELF-INSURED RETENTIONS.** Any self-insured retention in excess of \$10,000 is subject to Sourcewell's approval.

## **21. COMPLIANCE**

A. **LAWS AND REGULATIONS.** All Equipment, Products, or Services provided under this Contract must comply fully with applicable federal laws and regulations, and with the laws in the states and provinces in which the Equipment, Products, or Services are sold.

B. **LICENSES.** Vendor must maintain a valid and current status on all required federal, state/provincial, and local licenses, bonds, and permits required for the operation of the business that the Vendor conducts with Sourcewell and Participating Entities.

## **22. BANKRUPTCY, DEBARMENT, OR SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION**

Vendor certifies and warrants that it is not in bankruptcy or that it has previously disclosed in writing certain information to Sourcewell related to bankruptcy actions. If at any time during this Contract Vendor declares bankruptcy, Vendor must immediately notify Sourcewell in writing.

Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs

operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this Contract. Vendor further warrants that it will provide immediate written notice to Sourcwell if this certification changes at any time.

### **23. PROVISIONS FOR NON-UNITED STATES FEDERAL ENTITY PROCUREMENTS UNDER UNITED STATES FEDERAL AWARDS OR OTHER AWARDS**

Participating Entities that use United States federal grant or FEMA funds to purchase goods or services from this Contract may be subject to additional requirements including the procurement standards of the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 C.F.R. § 200. Participating Entities may also require additional requirements based on specific funding specifications. Within this Article, all references to “federal” should be interpreted to mean the United States federal government. The following list only applies when a Participating Entity accesses Vendor’s Equipment, Products, or Services with United States federal funds.

A. **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.** Except as otherwise provided under 41 C.F.R. § 60, all contracts that meet the definition of “federally assisted construction contract” in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 C.F.R. §60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity” (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 C.F.R. §, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” and implementing regulations at 41 C.F.R. § 60, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor.” The equal opportunity clause is incorporated herein by reference.

B. **DAVIS-BACON ACT, AS AMENDED (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3148).** When required by federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. § 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work

Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. Vendor must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

C. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. §§ 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5). Under 40 U.S.C. § 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. § 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence. This provision is hereby incorporated by reference into this Contract. Vendor certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Vendor must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

D. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT. If the federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency. Vendor certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Vendor must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

E. CLEAN AIR ACT (42 U.S.C. § 7401-7671Q.) AND THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT (33 U.S.C. § 1251-1387). Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 require the non-federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401- 7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251- 1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Vendor certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

F. DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION (EXECUTIVE ORDERS 12549 AND 12689). A contract award (see 2 C.F.R. § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 C.F.R. §180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 C.F.R. § 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 C.F.R. § 1989 Comp., p. 235), "Debarment and Suspension." SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. Vendor certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation by any federal department or agency.

G. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT, AS AMENDED (31 U.S.C. § 1352). Vendors must file any required certifications. Vendors must not have used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Vendors must disclose any lobbying with non-federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-federal award. Vendors must file all certifications and disclosures required by, and otherwise comply with, the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. § 1352).

H. RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with the record retention requirements detailed in 2 C.F.R. § 200.333. The Vendor further certifies that it will retain all records as required by 2 C.F.R. § 200.333 for a period of 3 years after grantees or subgrantees submit final expenditure reports or quarterly or annual financial reports, as applicable, and all other pending matters are closed.

I. ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

J. BUY AMERICAN PROVISIONS COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with all applicable provisions of the Buy American Act. Purchases made in accordance with the Buy American Act must follow the applicable procurement rules calling for free and open competition.

K. ACCESS TO RECORDS (2 C.F.R. § 200.336). Vendor agrees that duly authorized representatives of a federal agency must have access to any books, documents, papers and records of Vendor that are directly pertinent to Vendor's discharge of its obligations under this Contract for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. The right

also includes timely and reasonable access to Vendor’s personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion relating to such documents.

L. PROCUREMENT OF RECOVERED MATERIALS (2 C.F.R. § 200.322). A non-federal entity that is a state agency or agency of a political subdivision of a state and its contractors must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 C.F.R. § 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

**24. CANCELLATION**

Sourcewell or Vendor may cancel this Contract at any time, with or without cause, upon 60 days’ written notice to the other party. However, Sourcewell may cancel this Contract immediately upon discovery of a material defect in any certification made in Vendor’s Proposal. Cancellation of this Contract does not relieve either party of financial, product, or service obligations incurred or accrued prior to cancellation.

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## Specifications

**Table 1: Proposer Identity & Authorized Representatives**

**General Instructions** (applies to all Tables) Sourcewell prefers a brief but thorough response to each question. Please do not merely attach additional documents to your response without also providing a substantive response. Do not leave answers blank; mark "NA" if the question does not apply to you (preferably with an explanation).

Line Item	Question	Response *
1	Proposer Legal Name (and applicable d/b/a, if any):	Navistar, Inc. d/b/a International Truck
2	Proposer Address:	2701 Navistar Drive Lisle, IL. 60532
3	Proposer website address:	<a href="https://www.internationaldelivers.com">https://www.internationaldelivers.com</a>
4	Proposer's Authorized Representative (name, title, address, email address & phone) (The representative must have authority to sign the "Proposer's Assurance of Compliance" on behalf of the Proposer and, in the event of award, will be expected to execute the resulting contract):	Martin White Director, Vocational Sales martin.white@navistar.com 331-332-2370 Office 312-339-2249 Cell
5	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Martin White Director, Vocational Sales 2701 Navistar Drive Lisle, IL. 60532 martin.white@navistar.com 331-332-2370 Office 312-339-2249 Cell
6	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Bob Mann Vice President & Assistant General Manager Vocational Business 2701 Navistar Drive Lisle, IL. 60532 bob.l.mann@navistar.com 331-332-2070 Office 815-631-3220 Cell

**Table 2: Company Information and Financial Strength**

Line Item	Question	Response *
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7	Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested equipment, products or services.	<p>Navistar traces its roots to Cyrus McCormick and his invention of the mechanical reaper in 1831. The company expanded with the growth of the farm equipment industry throughout the 19th century and relocated to Chicago. After the turn of the century after merging and purchasing other farm equipment manufacturers, the company renamed itself as the International Harvester Company. During the 20th century, International branded trucks hit the market and continued to grow into larger trucks and school buses. In 1985 the company sold the farm equipment business and chose Navistar as the new corporate name and continued to invest in the truck, bus and engine businesses.</p> <p>Today the company builds International trucks and IC Bus products that are sold around the globe and also owns MWM in Brazil and 35% of Navistar Defense. International has the largest dealer network in North America (714 locations across US/Canada) and has a leading position in the government sector. We recently expanded our service network by partnering with Love's Truck Stops (350 additional locations) to even further expand our service capabilities in pursuit of better supporting our customers. International has also opened a new parts distribution center in Memphis to provide even faster shipment of parts. In addition, International offers a proprietary wireless service called On Command Connection (OCC) that takes all the engine and chassis signals off of a truck and puts them into an easy to use app that allows customers to see their fleet health reports and any upcoming service issues. There are over 640,000 vehicles on OCC and they are made up of all makes of trucks, not just International.</p> <p>Looking to the future, International introduced fully electric school bus and medium duty trucks at trade shows last year. Navistar has a corporate relationship with TRATON, the truck and bus division of Volkswagen AG, which gives International access to EV technology that has global scale and will make us a very competitive player in the commercial EV market.</p> <p>The International dealer network has sold more than 1,350 trucks to 377 Sourcewell Members off of the contract we currently hold and we look forward to serving even more members in the future.</p> <p>Our Investor Relations has a more detailed History at this link <a href="https://www.navistar.com/whoweare/heritage">https://www.navistar.com/whoweare/heritage</a></p> <p>Additional website links:  e-Mobility Medium Truck Video: <a href="https://youtu.be/oa654aDi8eE">https://youtu.be/oa654aDi8eE</a>  e-Mobility School Bus Video: <a href="https://youtu.be/TkO8GPvGM2k">https://youtu.be/TkO8GPvGM2k</a>  On Command Connect Video: <a href="https://youtu.be/1bxxUsJw">https://youtu.be/1bxxUsJw</a>  International 360 Video: <a href="https://youtu.be/NFfM6z33WqI">https://youtu.be/NFfM6z33WqI</a></p>
8	What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?	<p>As a current Awarded Sourcewell Contract holder, Navistar will continue to grow Sourcewell business and serve more Sourcewell Members. Navistar has experienced year over growth year with our current award. We talk about Sourcewell at all dealer meetings and our leadership tracking our progress and asking what resources we need to be successful. Adding more Members to Sourcewell is another objective, along with doubling our sales. We have added a parts program to this RFP using the International "Fleet Charge" Program. Education, Communication, Promotion and Collaboration are our key ingredients in making this award successful.</p>
9	Demonstrate your financial strength and stability with meaningful data. This could include such items as financial statements, SEC filings, credit and bond ratings, letters of credit, and detailed reference letters. Upload supporting documents (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>Key points on our financial strength include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* \$1.5B of cash at the end of our 2nd quarter April 30.</li> <li>* 7 consecutive years of improvement to Adjusted EBITDA</li> <li>* Significant decrease in warranty expense / spend recognizing the best in class quality of our products</li> <li>* Decreases in our used truck inventory reflecting improvements in our products and increasing market share</li> </ul> <p>In the attachments there is a power point document that speaks to Navistar Financial Accomplishments.</p> <p>Also attached in this section is Navistar's FY19 10-K Annual Report as well as FY20's quarterly 10-Q reports for our 1st and 2nd quarters.</p> <p>Navistar Investor Relations Website: <a href="https://ir.navistar.com/financials/annual-reports/default.aspx">https://ir.navistar.com/financials/annual-reports/default.aspx</a></p>
10	What is your US market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	<p>International Market Share for class 6-8 trucks in Government Segment for the U.S. is 28% (Feb 2020 data)</p>
11	What is your Canadian market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	<p>International Market Share for class 6-8 trucks in Government Segment for Canada is 38% (Mar 2020 data)</p>
12	Has your business ever petitioned for bankruptcy protection? If so, explain in detail.	<p>Navistar has never filed or petitioned for bankruptcy protection in our 100+ year history.</p>

13	<p>How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer whichever question (either a) or b) just below) best applies to your organization.</p> <p>a) If your company is best described as a distributor/dealer/reseller (or similar entity), provide your written authorization to act as a distributor/dealer/reseller for the manufacturer of the products proposed in this RFP. If applicable, is your dealer network independent or company owned?</p> <p>b) If your company is best described as a manufacturer or service provider, describe your relationship with your sales and service force and with your dealer network in delivering the products and services proposed in this RFP. Are these individuals your employees, or the employees of a third party?</p>	<p>Navistar is a Truck and Bus manufacture, that sells our products to Sourcewell Members through our Dealer Network in the U.S. and Canada.</p> <p>International dealers are independently owned, and their ability to serve as an International Dealer is tied to a Sales and Service Agreement we hold with them. That agreement requires the dealer to meet standards that we have set for them and that they have agreed to. The Sales Reps that are at the dealership are employees of that dealership and will have proper licenses (if required) to sell the vehicles to Sourcewell Members.</p> <p>International has Vocational Sales Managers assigned to the Government Customers that work with the dealers to grow our government business and serve the Sourcewell Membership.</p> <p>International has a Sourcewell Website that we use with our current Sourcewell Contract. It also has the dealer locator included with it:  <a href="https://internationaltrucks.com/sourcewell">https://internationaltrucks.com/sourcewell</a></p>	*
14	<p>If applicable, provide a detailed explanation outlining the licenses and certifications that are both required to be held, and actually held, by your organization (including third parties and subcontractors that you use) in pursuit of the business contemplated by this RFP.</p>	<p>States and Local Governments may require Sales Reps to have a License. Navistar requires the International Dealer to meet those requirements in order to sell trucks in their defined territory. International provides Government Training Annually in person at each region.</p>	*
15	<p>Provide all "Suspension or Debarment" information that has applied to your organization during the past ten years.</p>	<p>We have no knowledge of Navistar being subject to "Suspension and Debarment" in the past 10 years.</p>	*

**Table 3: Industry Recognition & Marketplace Success**

Line Item	Question	Response *
16	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years	<p>Navistar's Parts Distribution Centers Top the Industry's best 3 years running (Carlisle and Company Performing Warehouse Award)</p> <p>Oscar Horton, Dealer Principal at Sun State International Tampa, FL was named American Truck Dealer of the Year 2020 for all makes and brands of trucks sold in North America.</p> <p>ISO 14001  Escobedo, Nuevo Leon, Mexico truck assembly plant  Huntsville, Ala. engine plant  Jesús María, Cordoba, Argentina engine plant  Melrose Park, Ill. engine plant and engineering center  Santo Amaro, São Paulo, Brazil engine plant  Springfield, Ohio truck assembly plant  Tulsa, Okla. bus plant</p> <p>ISO 9001:2015 Certification  Certified Sites: Multi-Site Certificate #FM72225  Lisle, IL – Navistar, Inc. World HQ including Corporate Support and Product Engineering  Melrose Park, IL – Navistar, Inc. IPD/Engineering  New Carlisle, IN – Navistar Proving Grounds  Escobedo, Mexico – Navistar, Inc. Escobedo Assembly Plant  Springfield, OH – Navistar, Inc. Springfield Assembly Plant  Huntsville, AL – Navistar Big Bore Diesel Plant  Lisle, IL - Navistar Defense, LLC (Headquarters)  Madison Height, MI – Navistar Defense, LLC (Engineering and Technical Center)  West Point, MS – Navistar Defense, LLC (West Point Assembly Plant)</p> <p>Navistar Achieved US Dept. of Energy Better Buildings Award in 2019</p> <p>In 2019 for the ninth consecutive year Navistar Mexico being recognized as a Socially Responsible company for corporate ethics and community minded activities at the Escobedo assembly plant.</p> <p>Navistar Sustainability Report is in attachments.</p>
17	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years	The Government Sector makes up 50% of the International Branded Vocational Business and 7% of the total truck and bus business at Navistar annually, (2019)
18	What percentage of your sales are to the education sector in the past three years	The Education Sector is 98% of the IC Branded Bus Business and 15% of the total truck and bus business at Navistar annually. (2019)
19	List any state, provincial, or cooperative purchasing contracts that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	<p>Navistar holds contracts with the following Cooperative Agreements:  Sourcewell Class 4-8 Trucks 540  Onondaga County (NY) 76</p> <p>The International Dealers hold the following larger Contracts  Greater Boston Police Council 29  Florida Sheriff's 93  NC Sheriff's 19  Buy Board 73  HGAG 19  Cooperative Education Services NM 55  Education Services Comm. of NJ 125</p>
20	List any GSA contracts or Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements (SOSA) that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	Navistar currently holds a GSA Contract for Trucks Class 6-8 trucks that averages 350-400 annually. The GSA Bus Contract is held by our dealer in the D.C. Metro Area (K. Neal) and it averages 60 units annually.

**Table 4: References/Testimonials**

Line Item 21. Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcewell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *	
City of West Des Moines, Iowa	Rian Rasmussen	515-222-3480	*
State of Missouri	Jason Kolks	573-522-1620	*
City of Racine, Wisconsin	Nick Becker	252-620-5634	*
Dane County Wisconsin	Bert Schwab	608-576-2730	

**Table 5: Top Five Government or Education Customers**

Line Item 22. Provide a list of your top five government, education, or non-profit customers (entity name is optional), including entity type, the state or province the entity is located in, scope of the project(s), size of transaction(s), and dollar volumes from the past three years.

Entity Name	Entity Type *	State / Province *	Scope of Work *	Size of Transactions *	Dollar Volume Past Three Years *	
U.S. Government	Government	Virginia - VA	Vocational Tractors	1597	\$175,000,000	*
Sourcewell	Government	Minnesota - MN	All models of Trucks and Tractors	1350	\$136,700,000	*
GSA	Government	Virginia - VA	All models of Trucks and Tractors	1078	\$133,121,085	*
New York State Contracts	Government	New York - NY	Vocational Plow Trucks and Medium Duty Patrol Trucks	987	\$155,397,037	*
Illinois DOT	Government	Illinois - IL	Vocational Plow Trucks and Specialized Vehicles	738	\$80,152,793	*

**Table 6: Ability to Sell and Deliver Service**

Describe your company's capability to meet the needs of Sourcewell participating entities across the US and Canada, as applicable. Your response should address in detail at least the following areas: locations of your network of sales and service providers, the number of workers (full-time equivalents) involved in each sector, whether these workers are your direct employees (or employees of a third party), and any overlap between the sales and service functions.

Line Item	Question	Response *	
23	Sales force.	International Trucks are sold through the International Dealer Network. There are 714 dealer locations in the U.S and Canada (978 Service locations) and more than 1500 sales reps at those dealerships.  Below is a link to find local International Dealership. <a href="https://www.internationaltrucks.com/dealer-locator">https://www.internationaltrucks.com/dealer-locator</a>	*
24	Dealer network or other distribution methods.	For the Sourcewell Contract, all units will be sold through the International Dealer Network. Every Sales Person at every dealership has the ability to sell and serve the Sourcewell Membership.	*
25	Service force.	Navistar can best serve the Sourcewell Members through the largest dealer network in North America (International Brand) with 714 stand alone locations of which 628 are Warranty locations. * 6,239 service bays * 6,069 technicians  In addition to the International Dealer Network, Loves Travel Centers have 350 locations set up to do repairs and Warranty that takes less than 3 hours to complete. Love's has: * 875 service bays * 1,150 technicians.  In attachments are a summary sheet also highlighting body shop capabilities.	*

26	Describe in detail the process and procedure of your customer service program, if applicable. Include your response-time capabilities and commitments, as well as any incentives that help your providers meet your stated service goals or promises.	<p>1. Diamond Edge is a Performance Program for the International Dealer Service operations that impact a Dealerships overall OEM evaluation/performance score.</p> <p>a. In our ongoing effort to drive uptime and unmatched service to our customers, International Truck, IC Bus and our dealer network worked together to introduce Diamond Edge Certification. When servicing a vehicle at an International Truck or IC Bus Diamond Edge Certified Dealership, customers experience faster service, immediate parts availability and a higher level of servicing expertise.</p> <p>b. Technician Education and Certification.</p> <p>c. Vehicle Write up in 15 minutes.</p> <p>d. Vehicle diagnosed and communicated back to customer within 2 hours.</p> <p>e. Predictive parts stocking logic to ensure Parts are on the Shelf for unplanned service events.</p> <p>f. Velocity metrics to ensure repairs to be completed within 24-48 hours of arrival at the dealership.</p> <p>2. Prestige Standards Dealership and network standards impact capabilities. These capabilities ensure the dealer network is up to a consistent standard and representations for: Facilities, Parts, Service, Marketing and Used Truck. These expectations are developed and monitored within our Dealer Operations, driving a grading that roles into the Dealer(s) overall OEM evaluations/performance score.</p> <p>Navistar can best serve the Sourcewell Members through the largest dealer network in North America.</p> <p>Navistar tracks the Repair Velocity at the International Dealerships. For all repairs 76.3% of the repairs are completed in 24 hours.</p> <p>A26 engine repairs, have an 83.2% completion rate within 24 hours. (from time unit arrives until it gets in a bay and worked on by a technician).</p> <p>Navistar is pleased to offer an Exclusive Incentive for Sourcewell Membership. Each International Truck Purchased off of this Sourcewell Contract will get:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* \$200 per unit credited to the "Fleet Charge" Parts and Service Card. No Cap</li> <li>* Units sold with the A26 engine will get an additional \$200 credit for a total of \$400 per unit. No Cap</li> <li>* There is no limit of the dollars earned.</li> <li>* Members will need to be enrolled in the "Fleet Charge" Program to make sure all purchases are tracked and recorded as well as reciving the proper Fleet Pricing.</li> <li>* If a member already has Fleet Charge or qualifies for additional incentives, those will be added to Fleet Charge Card. Program in appendix describes the program and the discounts. Program is in attachments for this section.</li> </ul>	*
27	Identify your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in the United States.	International has the broadest Product offering and the largest dealer network to serve customers in the United States including Alaska, Puerto Rico and Hawaii.	*
28	Identify your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in Canada.	International has the broadest Product offering and the largest dealer network to serve customers in the Canada.	*
29	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract.	U.S. Territories in the Pacific and U.S. Virgin Islands	*
30	Identify any Sourcewell participating entity sectors (i.e., government, education, not-for-profit) that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract. Explain in detail. For example, does your company have only a regional presence, or do other cooperative purchasing contracts limit your ability to promote another contract?	We will serve all	*
31	Define any specific contract requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	We do not have any restrictions	*

**Table 7: Marketing Plan**

Line Item	Question	Response *
32	Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this contract opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Press Splash when Contract is renewed with trip to Staples</li> <li>2. Put Award information in Social Media, Dealer and Customer Communications plus messaging to TEM's that are in the Diamond Partner Program</li> <li>3. Joint Marketing Effort with NCL Muni Finance that uses Linked in plus You Tube Videos.</li> <li>4. Utilize Sourcewell Banners and Materials at Trade Shows and regional Events</li> <li>5. Include Andy Campbell in meetings with dealers, sales teams and members</li> <li>6. Utilize Sourcewell Materials, Contract Award Materials, and NCL Materials on the Sales and Marketing Resource Center with the Dealer Reps</li> <li>7. Provide Dealers with updated Sourcewell Membership List</li> <li>8. Use Parts Program as opportunity to sign up members to Sourcewell</li> <li>9. Co-op funds for dealers to hold Sourcewell Events</li> <li>10. Participation in local events set up by Sourcewell</li> </ol>
33	Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.	<p>International has a Sourcewell Website <a href="https://www.internationaltrucks.com/sourcewell">https://www.internationaltrucks.com/sourcewell</a> that we use to support our social media efforts and paid search sitelinks. We have had several postings over the last 2 years targeting Government and non-profit agencies back to this page.</p> <p>We use blended customer database to identify and conduct outreach campaigns to Local/State/Government accounts through multi-channel campaigns that include eCRM/Email, Outbound Telemarketing, Direct Mail, etc... We adhere to CAN-SPAM regulations and related requirements for Outbound and Direct mail campaigns.</p>
34	In your view, what is Sourcewell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcewell-awarded contract into your sales process?	We rely on Karen Otremba at Sourcewell to keep us updated on new members. We also utilize and promote Sourcewell at events around the U.S. and Canada. We include Andy Campbell in planning, meetings and training events. With the addition of the parts program, we will be expanding our education as well as dealer communication. On our current contract we have always had quick responses and great interaction over questions between Sourcewell, the members and our dealers.
35	Are your products or services available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.	International offers parts through e-procurement, but does not currently offer a Truck e-Procurement System. Sourcewell Member should be able to work out with selling dealer as many vehicles sold are done using e-Procurement. International Dealer have been operating during current COVID-19 situation, much of it has been done electronically. Sourcewell Program has been a great help in this area.

**Table 8: Value-Added Attributes**

Line Item	Question	Response *
36	Describe any product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training programs that you offer to Sourcewell participating entities. Include details, such as whether training is standard or optional, who provides training, and any costs that apply.	<p>Every International Truck sold to Sourcewell Membership, comes with the International "Silver Package". The "Silver Package" provides member with 2 years of online parts and service information, including all service bulletins and iKnow technical help as well as health history information. This is a \$1500 value at no-charge. Service Training is not standard or included with the product. Training can be done on-line, some is fee based and some may be available through the local dealer's University Website Portal. Training done in person, or at a Navistar Training Center does have fees involved. These fees would be the same fees a dealer would pay. Between the selling dealer and equipment provider, product operation training should be done at time of delivery. All Parts bought through Navistar carry a 12 month warranty on the part. If that part is purchased and installed by an authorized Navistar Service Provider, the labor would also be included.</p> <p>International 360 was recently launched last fall, it provides revolutionary service communications and fleet tools that put all service information together in one site. Here is the link for International 360, <a href="https://www.internationaltrucks.com/360">https://www.internationaltrucks.com/360</a></p>
37	Describe any technological advances that your proposed products or services offer.	<p>Safety continues to be at the forefront of most spec discussions. International Trucks is the only OEM that currently meets the SAE J2422 Cab Crush Guidelines on Class 6-8 products. Driver Safety is that important to us at Navistar.</p> <p>Electronic Stability Control and Collision Mitigation continue to grow in our product offering. These features are not just for on highway trucks, they are becoming popular with vocational trucks as well.</p> <p>Roll-Tek Seats are available and have been selected been selling in Plow Application.</p> <p>Diamond Logic Electrical System was updated to 500K with new MV, HV, RH, LT (Electrical Safety Options). The Diamond Logic Electrical System provides many orderable safety features as well as providing the TEM's with easy electrical hook up that does not require taking apart the factory electrical system. Some of the most popular Diamond Logic Features are:</p>

- \* DOT lighting walk around
  - \* Auto Neutral
  - \* Park Brake Alarms
  - \* Seat Belt On
  - \* Work Light Off Controls
  - \* Headlights on with Wipers
  - \* Radio Off in Reverse
  - \* PTO Control that prevents the PTO from being re-engaged
- Diamond Logic You Tube Video is; <https://www.youtu.be/7SQUnh2VIM>

The MV, HV, RH and LT Models got updated chassis configurations along with new Doors, Cab configuration, Driver Amenities and Mirrors to maximize driver comfort, visibility and productivity. Stalk Shifter and redesigned gauge cluster keeps drivers eyes on the road versus looking around the cabin. We are the only manufacture that offers set forward axle in all engine configurations with integral front frame extensions for optimal plow set up.

International offers the Cummins B-6.7 and L-9 with Front Engine PTO capability along with the X-15 for the most demanding Horsepower and Torque requirements. The Cummins single can aftertreatment system is used on the Cummins Product as well as the International A26.

Corrosion Features are very important to Sourcewell Members in U.S and Canada. Below is a partial list of the corrosion features available on the International HV series:

- \* Stainless Oil Pans (B-6.7, L-9, A26)
- \* Galvanized Frame Rail Option
- \* Remote Power Modules in the cab
- \* Allison Transmission Control Module in the Cab
- \* Stainless Bolts for Allison Transmission Pan
- \* Stainless Cooler Lines
- \* Strongest 1/2" single Frame Rail in the industry 3.35 Million RBM of HV and 3.5 Million RBM on the HX
- \* E-Coat Cab
- \* Galvanneal Treated Cab on MV, HV, RH, LT and Lonestar.

Large 3 person cab with optional extended cabs as well as full crew cabs on MV and HV Products.

The International A26 is available in the HV, RH, LT and HX models up to 500hp, with both Front Engine PTO as well as Rear Engine PTO Capabilities.

The International HX goes up to 630hp with the X-15

The newest member of the International product line is the CV which has a traditional truck frame including optional integral front frame extensions, The CV has stretched the GVW boundaries of the class 4-5 market into class 6 with 22,500# gvww on 4x4's and 23,500# on the 4x2's and has a powerful 6.6L engine with multiple Allison Transmissions.

Below are the links to specific products that can be very helpful:

Engines that Power International Trucks:

<https://www.internationaltrucks.com/engines>

Model Specific Links:

<https://www.internationaltrucks.com/cv-series>

<https://www.internationaltrucks.com/mv-series>

<https://www.internationaltrucks.com/hv-series>

<https://www.internationaltrucks.com/hx-series>

<https://www.internationaltrucks.com/rh-series>

<https://www.internationaltrucks.com/lt-series>

<https://www.internationaltrucks.com/lonestar>

You Tube:

New International Line Up:

<https://youtu.be/1X-XZZRUv3M>

38	Describe any "green" initiatives that relate to your company or to your products or services, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.	<p>Included in the appendix is the 2018 Navistar Sustainability Report. <a href="https://www.navistar.com/StaticFiles/whoweare/Navistar_Sustainability_Report_2018.pdf">https://www.navistar.com/StaticFiles/whoweare/Navistar_Sustainability_Report_2018.pdf</a>. It touches on the following:</p> <p>Products Operations Communities Charts on Progress GRI Content Index</p> <p>Highlights would be: Fuel Efficiency Package with A26 Engine and LT Tractors Working with TRATON group to bring advanced powertrains to market including electric truck and electric school bus (press release also in appendix) Being awarded the Department of Energy "Better Plants Program" for reducing a 25% reduction in energy consumption since 2010. In addition, Navistar leadership challenges operations to reduce electric consumption by 4% annually at all facilities, which has required some large investments in both interior and exterior lighting at our facilities. Reducing both hazardous and non-hazardous waste is another key area for our manufacturing operations. today more than 56% of our waste is recyclable. Navistar is one of 4 teams leading the Department of Energy Super Truck initiative. 90% of our vehicles content is recyclable. In the Parts Distribution Centers have reduced packaging materials by using returnable containers to ship parts. A dedicated deliver system from The Parts Distribution Centers utilizes prescribed routes to reach multiple dealerships eliminating double handling of parts as well as achieving earlier deliveries. Energy Consumption, Green House Gas Emissions, Incident Frequency Rate, Water Withdrawal, Hazardous Waste generation and Non Hazardous Waste Generation are tracked and charted in this document.</p>
39	Identify any third-party issued eco-labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the equipment or products included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.	Navistar does not have any third part eco-labels
40	Describe any Women or Minority Business Entity (WMBE), Small Business Entity (SBE), or veteran owned business certifications that your company or hub partners have obtained. Upload documentation of certification (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>Navistar is a publicly Traded Company.</p> <p>We are committed to diversity, both internally within our workforce and externally within our supply base. We instituted our Supplier Diversity Program to bring awareness and emphasis to our practices, and to provide a competitive edge with our customers. Thirty years later, we continue to grow our commitment and purchases from our diversity business partners. We embrace diversity as a way of business. In this spirit, our Supplier Diversity Program is designed to develop and foster strategic supplier relationships with companies owned by minorities, women and veterans, as well as small business enterprises. Our vision is to develop a strong foundation of highly qualified suppliers that can provide us with exceptional products and services. At Navistar, diversity is not only the right thing to do, it is the prudent thing to do. Our focus on diversity will continue to be an integral component of our business strategy.</p> <p>Navistar's Diversity Spend: * \$927,000,000 for 2019 * \$277,000,000 through 3/31/20</p> <p><b>WHO QUALIFIES FOR NAVISTAR'S SUPPLIER DIVERSITY PROGRAM</b></p> <p><b>Small Business</b> A small business refers to a U.S. for-profit business that meets the U.S. Small Business Administration's established numerical definitions of small business or size standards. For more information visit: <a href="http://www.sba.gov/content/am-i-small-business-concern">//www.sba.gov/content/am-i-small-business-concern</a>.<b>Minority-Owned Business</b></p> <p>A minority-owned business refers to a business that is at least 51 percent owned, controlled, and operated on a daily basis by a minority group. Minority group members are United States citizens who are Asian, Black, Hispanic, or Native American.<b>Woman-Owned Business</b></p> <p>A woman-owned business refers to a business that is at least 51 percent owned, controlled, and operated on a daily basis by a woman. <b>Veteran-Owned Business</b> A veteran-owned business refers to a business that is at least 51 percent owned, controlled, and operated on a daily basis by veterans. A veteran is a person who served on active duty with the U.S. Army, Air Force, Navy, Marine Corps or Coast Guard, who was discharged or released under conditions other than dishonorable. Reservists or members of the National Guard called to federal active duty or disabled from a disease or injury incurred</p>

or aggravated in the line of duty or while in training status also qualify as a veteran. Service-Disabled Veteran Owned Business

A service-disabled veteran-owned business refers to a business that is at least 51 percent owned, controlled, and operated on a daily basis by service-disabled veterans; or in the case of a veteran with a permanent and severe disability, a spouse or permanent caregiver of such veteran; and some businesses may be owned and operated by an eligible surviving spouse. A service-disabled veteran is a veteran who possesses either a disability rating letter issued by the Department of Veterans Affairs, establishing a service-connected rating between 0 and 100 percent, or a disability determination from the Department of Defense. Reservists or members of the National Guard disabled from a disease or injury incurred or aggravated in the line of duty or while in training status also qualify.8(a) Certified Business An 8(a) certified business refers to a business that participates in the 8(a) business development program, which is a program that offers a broad scope of assistance to socially and economically disadvantaged firms. For more information

visit: [//www.sba.gov/content/8a-business-development-0](http://www.sba.gov/content/8a-business-development-0).Small Disadvantaged Business

A small disadvantaged business refers to a small business that is at least 51 percent owned, controlled, and operated on a daily basis by one or more disadvantaged persons. A disadvantaged person includes Black, Hispanic, Native, Asian Pacific, and Subcontinent Asian Americans. For more information visit: [//www.sba.gov/content/disadvantaged-businesses](http://www.sba.gov/content/disadvantaged-businesses).HUBZone Certified Business

A HUBZone certified business refers to a small business that is located in HUBZone (Historically Underutilized Business Zone), is owned and controlled by one or more United States Citizens, and at least 35% of its employees reside in a HUBZone. For more information visit: [//www.sba.gov/content/understanding-hubzone-program](http://www.sba.gov/content/understanding-hubzone-program).AbilityOne Qualified Nonprofit Agency

An AbilityOne qualified nonprofit agency refers to a nonprofit agency that participates in the AbilityOne Program. To participate in the AbilityOne Program, nonprofit agencies must associate with either NIB (National Industries for the Blind) or NISH. The AbilityOne Program is a federal initiative to help people who are blind or have other significant disabilities find employment. For more information visit: [//www.abilityone.gov](http://www.abilityone.gov).

#### CERTIFYING ORGANIZATIONS

National Minority Supplier Development Council (NMSDC) Regional Affiliates  
1359 Broadway Suite 1000  
New York, NY 10018

Tel: 212-944-2430

Small Business Administration's 8(a) and Small Disadvantaged Business Programs  
409 3rd St., SW

Washington, D.C. 20416

Tel: 800-827-5722

Women's Business Enterprises National Council (WBENC)

1120 Connecticut Ave., NW, Suite 950

Washington, D.C. 20036

Tel: 202-872-5515

Fax: 202-872-5505

Chicago Minority Supplier Development Council (CMSDC)

216 W. Jackson Blvd., Suite 600

Chicago, IL 60606

Tel: 312-755-8880

Fax: 312-755-8890

Canadian Aboriginal and Minority Supplier Council

282 Richmond St. East, #101

Toronto, Ontario M5A 1P4

Tel: 905-479-1114

Women's Business Business Development Council (WBDC)

8 South Michigan Ave., 4th Floor

Chicago, IL 60603

Tel: 312-853-3477

Fax: 312-853-0145

#### SECOND-TIER PROGRAM

At Navistar, we believe that in order to remain competitive and profitable in the 21st century, we must engage in business activities with diverse suppliers, and that is imperative for both us and our suppliers to support diverse business development. Navistar's prime suppliers are expected to support us by making every effort to provide contract opportunities to diverse suppliers. As a result of our strong support of diverse and small business development, we have implemented a Second Tier Reporting System, which requires all prime suppliers with the contracts of \$650,000 or more to report their diversity spend quarterly directly into our database. This is considered our Second Tier Spend. To begin reporting Second-Tier Spend, please complete Navistar's Supplier Diversity Registration.

41	What unique attributes does your company, your products, or your services offer to Sourcewell participating entities? What makes your proposed solutions unique in your industry as it applies to Sourcewell participating entities?	<p>The Largest Dealer Network in North America to sell and service the products used in the communities they serve.</p> <p>Strong Market share in Government Sector</p> <p>Sourcewell Knowledgeable Sales Professionals at the dealerships to serve the members</p> <p>Ability to provide Turn-Key Solutions</p> <p>A proven track record of growth with Sourcewell</p> <p>An award Winning Parts Distribution System as Members keep units in service far longer than commercial applications do.</p> <p>A completely Updated Product Offering with Specific Vocationally Focused Products to serve the Government Sector.</p> <p>Free On-Line Parts and Service Program</p> <p>Both Cummins and International Engines</p> <p>Joint Marketing and Sourcewell Promotion through NCL Muni Financing</p> <p>Parts Program Tailored to Sourcewell</p>
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**Table 9: Warranty**

**Describe in detail your manufacturer warranty program, including conditions and requirements to qualify, claims procedure, and overall structure. You may upload representative samples of your warranty materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response in addition to responding to the questions below.**

Line Item	Question	Response *
42	Do your warranties cover all products, parts, and labor?	<p>International provides the following (Base Warranties will be included in supporting materials as they vary by model and powertrain)</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Warranty coverage is determined by a time and mileage limitation based on the sale date.</li> <li>2. Coverage may vary between Base Vehicle and Base Engine Warranty Coverage and documented in the vehicle warranty coverage document.</li> <li>3. Base warranty coverages have some components and/or defect modes which hold different coverage terms but are called out on warranty coverage document.</li> <li>4. Any International Truck Dealership can perform warranty coverage repairs and file directly with Navistar.</li> <li>5. If a customer qualifies and is approved to be a fleet level customer, they are allowed to file their own warranty claims. This can be done via Navistar Warranty Submission System.</li> <li>6. Some suppliers such as: Cummins Engine, Allison Transmission, and other large Component Suppliers are required to return to their local distributors for warranty repairs.</li> <li>7. Some suppliers require prior approvals to perform repairs even when performed by a Navistar Dealer.</li> <li>8. If the repair is covered under warranty, the parts and labor are covered.</li> <li>9. Over the Counter purchase of a part that is not installed by a Navistar Approved repair facility only receives the part expense of the warranty. If labor is also purchased with the part at a Navistar Approved service facility, then the Labor would also be included.</li> <li>10. Parts returns are determined by Supplier agreements and needs, these parts are required to be returned under warranty. Requested parts back which are not returned are subject to a claim chargeback. Always hold on to the failed part until notified otherwise.</li> </ol>
43	Do your warranties impose usage restrictions or other limitations that adversely affect coverage?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. The warranty coverage document also covers restrictions of coverage, competitive with the rest of the industry restrictions/limitations.</li> <li>2. External influence, damage, modifications, etc...</li> <li>3. Failure due to improper use, misapplication or abuse, could be denied</li> <li>4. Failure due to improper maintenance, storage, deterioration, etc...</li> <li>5. Supplier Direct warranty requirements i.e. Cummins/Allison, etc...</li> </ol>
44	Do your warranties cover the expense of technicians' travel time and mileage to perform warranty repairs?	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. On Road vehicles that are still under towing coverage, have a unit disabling failure, and covered by towing coverage can be repaired at failure site. When this is more cost effective and can be properly repaired without towing the unit back to the dealer, we will reimburse for the road call in lieu of the tow expense.</li> <li>2. This is not covered under the standard warranty period.</li> </ol>
45	Are there any geographic regions of the United States (and Canada, if applicable) for which you cannot provide a certified technician to perform warranty repairs? How will Sourcewell participating entities in these regions be provided service for warranty repair?	<p>Since our products are on highway vehicles, our warranty repairs are done at the dealership or a service provider authorized by Navistar. Navistar prefers that Sourcewell Members use International Dealers for non-warranty repairs as well. Dealers that serve remote areas have the ability to get techs out to service those products, however the travel and labor expenses getting to and from those products is not covered under warranty.</p>

46	Will you cover warranty service for items made by other manufacturers that are part of your proposal, or are these warranties issues typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer?	<p>Navistar base warranty on International Trucks covers all vendors through the standard warranty offering. However, as indicated in previous response there are a few suppliers such as Cummins and Allison that require their concerns to return to their distributors for repair and warranty. Most International Dealers are certified to perform warranty work on Cummins product.</p> <p>Equipment installed at Navistar TSC Mod Centers will carry a 12 month warranty.</p> <p>For Turn Key Units, Equipment installed at the dealer, an outside mod center or a TEM/Up-fitter are not part of the Navistar Warranty, they would be covered by the party that manufactured the components/equipment and the party that installed it. The International Dealer will go through the warranty coverage in the proposal process including the installed equipment.</p> <p>We have included in the attachments the Navistar Base Warranty for vehicles offered in this proposal.</p>	*
47	What are your proposed exchange and return programs and policies?	<p>Our vehicles will be delivered as ordered and warranted free of defects and workmanship. If a vehicle is not performing to the level expected, we will engage the appropriate Field Service Personnel including our Technical Field Service Manager to expedite a repair plan. Our expectation is not only to resolve the Sourcewell Member's concern fully, but in a timely manor.</p>	*
48	Describe any service contract options for the items included in your proposal.	<p>International provides a wide variety of service contracts that are published as well as custom contracts to cover s a specific component or system to the Sourcewell Member. These Service Contracts/Warranties can be added to the spec of the truck when purchased or after the unit is built, but not delivered. Units that are in service may be eligible for extended warranty, but there are time limitations. On the A26 Engine, Navistar offers an optional 4 year / 100,000 mile / unlimited hour warranty for HV and HX models for \$999.</p>	*

**Table 10: Payment Terms and Financing Options**

Line Item	Question	Response *
49	What are your payment terms (e.g., net 10, net 30)?	For the Sourcewell Members, the International Dealer will carry the unit on their books for 30 days. Payment will take place prior to possession or upon arrival at the body company, unless Sourcewell Member makes other arrangements. If units are funded by NCL they can fund the vehicle when it arrives at the body company. For units going to a body company for that will not be funded by NCL or completed in 30 days, the selling dealer can add expense of those terms into the sale agreement.
50	Do you provide leasing or financing options, especially those options that schools and governmental entities may need to use in order to make certain acquisitions?	International dealers work with NCL muni financing for Sourcewell Members. NCL is a Sourcewell Contract holder with 20 years or Sourcewell experience and the flexibility to accommodate member needs.
51	Briefly describe your proposed order process. Include enough detail to support your ability to report quarterly sales to Sourcewell as described in the Contract template. For example, indicate whether your dealer network is included in your response and whether each dealer (or some other entity) will process the Sourcewell participating entities' purchase orders.	<p>The International Dealer will make sure the entity is a Sourcewell Member. If they aren't the Dealer will help the entity get signed up for Sourcewell. Once the Sourcewell Member has worked out the specs and equipment they need on the unit, the International Dealer will price the chassis and equipment using the Sourcewell Workbook Navistar Financial Team developed for the current contract. It makes sure the member gets the chassis and additional equipment priced properly as we laid out in the contract and provides an easy to read template that lays out the cost and demonstrates the discounts. Once that is completed the dealer submits the information to the Finance Team (CSA) who provides them an authorization number. When the purchase order arrives, the selling dealer send the workbook and the purchase order so the unit can be ordered. Shortly after the order is placed, the dealer will get an order/job number and a serial number for the vehicle. (A special feature code goes on all Sourcewell orders so they can easily be tracked in the system.) within 30 days of the order going into the system, the order will get fully coded and all the major components and any engineering will get scheduled prior to build. During this process the dealer will be communicating with the member and the TEM/Up-fitter to coordinate a timely installation and delivery.</p> <p>Order to build on the chassis is 120-150 days, with 15-20 days for shipment.</p> <p>Units with bodies installed can add additional 15-120 days depending on the equipment being installed and the lead times at the body installer.</p>
52	Do you accept the P-card procurement and payment process? If so, is there any additional cost to Sourcewell participating entities for using this process?	Since the products sold will go through the International dealer channel, the ability to utilize a P-Card would need to be established between the Selling dealer and the Sourcewell Member. If the dealer can accommodate, they would need to add the cost of the fees incurred to the transaction. Those fees would be spelled out by the selling dealer in the proposal documentation.

**Table 11: Pricing and Delivery**

Provide detailed pricing information in the questions that follow below. Keep in mind that reasonable price and product adjustments can be made during the term of an awarded Contract as described in the RFP, the template Contract, and the Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form.

Line Item	Question	Response *
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53	Describe your pricing model (e.g., line-item discounts or product-category discounts). Provide detailed pricing data (including standard or list pricing and the Sourcewell discounted price) on all of the items that you want Sourcewell to consider as part of your RFP response. If applicable, provide a SKU for each item in your proposal. Upload your pricing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	For all models except the CV Model - International will utilize a pricing program for the International Dealers that defines a percentage of discount, off the list price of all vehicles. Total Chassis list and Options List, less percentage discount equals the selling price of the chassis. For the CV models they will get stated dollar discounts that are subtracted from the list price of the vehicle to establish the sale price. Spreadsheet in appendix along with a sample proposal for each model. Sourcewell Members can modify the specs to their needs and are not limited to the specs submitted. Navistar's Pricing for the 2020 Sourcewell RFP for Class 4-8 Trucks is based on the U.S. Dollar. For units purchased by Sourcewell Members in Canada, an exchange rate will be added to the pricing on the Sourcewell Member's proposal. Navistar uses this same process for pricing with Government Business in Canada. When the dealer submits the Sourcewell Member Information for pricing, Navistar will provide the selling dealer with the appropriate exchange rate and will lock the exchange rate in effect the day it is quoted and that exchange rate will be honored for 60 days. If the unit(s) are turnkey with bodies and equipment on them, the selling dealer will confirm and communicate any exchange related items associated with the bodies and any installed equipment on the vehicle(s) as well as the chassis. The exchange rate and order by date will be noted in the pricing summary the selling dealer provides the Sourcewell Member. In addition, Sourcewell is very important to the government sector we serve in Canada and Navistar has 2 dedicated Representatives based in Canada to serve the Canadian Sourcewell Members and International Dealer Network in Canada
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54	<p>Quantify the pricing discount represented by the pricing proposal in this response. For example, if the pricing in your response represents a percentage discount from MSRP or list, state the percentage or percentage range.</p>	<p>On MV, HV, HX, RH, LT and Lonestar Models the List discounts are attached and are between 34.5% and 54%.</p> <p>Pricing will be locked into Summer Price Pages for a year at a time. Federally Mandated Surcharges and Emissions will be added as required.</p> <p>Sample Pricing below and in attachment</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>MV 607 4x2</td> <td></td> <td>34.5% off list</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV 507607 4x2/4x4</td> <td></td> <td>34.5% off list</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>MV 607 6x4</td> <td></td> <td>35% off list</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV 507/607 6x4/6x6</td> <td></td> <td>35% off list</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV 513/613 4x2/6x4/8x6/6x6</td> <td>49.3%</td> <td>off list</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>HX Models (all)</td> <td></td> <td>51% off list</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>RH 4x2/6x4</td> <td></td> <td>54% off list</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>LT 4x2/6x4</td> <td></td> <td>54% off list</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>LoneStar</td> <td></td> <td>51% off list</td> <td></td> </tr> </table> <table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th>Model</th> <th>MSRP</th> <th>Discount</th> <th>Transaction</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>MV</td> <td>\$115,520</td> <td>34.5%</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>\$75,665.60</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV507 4x2</td> <td>\$115,183</td> <td>34.5%</td> <td>\$75,444.87</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV507 6x4</td> <td>\$131,405</td> <td>35%</td> <td>\$85,413.25</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV607 4x2</td> <td>\$115,183</td> <td>34.5%</td> <td>\$75,444.87</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV607 6x4</td> <td>\$131,405</td> <td>35%</td> <td>\$85,413.25</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV513 4x2</td> <td>\$185,289</td> <td>49.3%</td> <td>\$93,941.52</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV513 6x4</td> <td>\$203,705</td> <td>49.3%</td> <td>\$103,278.44</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV613 4x2</td> <td>\$185,289</td> <td>49.3%</td> <td>\$93,941.52</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HV613 6x4</td> <td>\$203,705</td> <td>49.3%</td> <td>\$103,278.44</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HX all</td> <td>\$240,271</td> <td>51%</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>\$117,732.79</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>RH all</td> <td>\$212,076</td> <td>54%</td> <td>\$97,554.96</td> </tr> <tr> <td>LT all</td> <td>\$247,203</td> <td>54%</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td>\$115,713.38</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>The CV Model, does not use the same type of pricing model and utilizes Dollar Discounts versus Percentage. The discounts on the CV are also spelled out in the attached and range from \$6000 discount up to \$9000 depending on the GVW of the unit, the cab configuration and drive type. Examples are in the summary sheet and proposal's attached document file.</p> <table border="0"> <tr> <td>Class 4</td> <td>\$6000 discount</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Class 5</td> <td>\$7500 discount</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Class 6</td> <td>\$8000 discount</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Crew Cab Incentive</td> <td>\$500 additional discount</td> </tr> <tr> <td>4x4 Incentive</td> <td>\$500 additional discount</td> </tr> </table> <p>A CV Class 6 with a Crew Cab and 4x4 would get a \$9000 discount off the MSRP.</p> <table border="0"> <thead> <tr> <th>Model</th> <th></th> <th>MSRP</th> <th>Discount</th> <th>Transaction</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>CV class 4</td> <td>4x2</td> <td>\$49,368</td> <td>\$6000</td> <td>\$43,386</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CV class 5</td> <td>4x2</td> <td>\$52,002</td> <td>\$7500</td> <td>\$44,512</td> </tr> <tr> <td>CV class 6</td> <td>4x2</td> <td>\$55,200</td> <td>\$8000</td> <td>\$47,200</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	MV 607 4x2		34.5% off list		HV 507607 4x2/4x4		34.5% off list		MV 607 6x4		35% off list		HV 507/607 6x4/6x6		35% off list		HV 513/613 4x2/6x4/8x6/6x6	49.3%	off list		HX Models (all)		51% off list		RH 4x2/6x4		54% off list		LT 4x2/6x4		54% off list		LoneStar		51% off list		Model	MSRP	Discount	Transaction	MV	\$115,520	34.5%			\$75,665.60			HV507 4x2	\$115,183	34.5%	\$75,444.87	HV507 6x4	\$131,405	35%	\$85,413.25	HV607 4x2	\$115,183	34.5%	\$75,444.87	HV607 6x4	\$131,405	35%	\$85,413.25	HV513 4x2	\$185,289	49.3%	\$93,941.52	HV513 6x4	\$203,705	49.3%	\$103,278.44	HV613 4x2	\$185,289	49.3%	\$93,941.52	HV613 6x4	\$203,705	49.3%	\$103,278.44	HX all	\$240,271	51%			\$117,732.79			RH all	\$212,076	54%	\$97,554.96	LT all	\$247,203	54%			\$115,713.38			Class 4	\$6000 discount	Class 5	\$7500 discount	Class 6	\$8000 discount	Crew Cab Incentive	\$500 additional discount	4x4 Incentive	\$500 additional discount	Model		MSRP	Discount	Transaction	CV class 4	4x2	\$49,368	\$6000	\$43,386	CV class 5	4x2	\$52,002	\$7500	\$44,512	CV class 6	4x2	\$55,200	\$8000	\$47,200
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56	<p>Propose a method of facilitating "sourced" products or related services, which may be referred to as "open market" items or "nonstandard options". For example, you may supply such items "at cost" or "at cost plus a percentage," or you may supply a quote for each such request.</p>	<p>International Dealers welcome "Sourced" products as a truck isn't complete without the body and equipment to do the job. The majority of our government sales are turn key and we have great relationships with the TEM's/Up-fitter. Goods Purchased outside of the chassis assembly process (including Mod Centers) can be added to the members proposal with a handling fee not to exceed 5% of the cost of those Goods and Modifications. These items and the markup is disclosed on summary sheet provided to the member with the proposal. In order to facilitate greater Sourcewell synergy, when International Dealer Sources Body and Equipment from a Sourcewell contact holding TEM equipment will be limited to a 4% Markup.</p>																																																																																																																																		

57	Identify any element of the total cost of acquisition that is NOT included in the pricing submitted with your response. This includes all additional charges associated with a purchase that are not directly identified as freight or shipping charges. For example, list costs for items like pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	This is not common. If there are additional cost, they would be disclosed in the pricing summary and agreed to by the Member. Some states require a state vehicle inspection, or a Federal DOT inspection. If State, or Provincial Law requires collecting license fees and/or taxes, that would not have been part of the Sourcwell Pricing Program. The Sourcwell member may decide the unit has to be delivered full of fuel or ask for expedited shipping	*
58	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcwell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	Within the lower 48 and Canada, there is a flat fee for freight. A freight fee is included in every vehicle and covers freight to a mod center (outside International), TEM/Up-fitter, or Dealership. When the unit is ordered, the selling dealer puts in the shipping instructions. Once units are built, they are decked and shipped with carriers contracted to Navistar. When the unit arrives at the destination, they are to be inspected and any issues are identified before the drive away driver departs.	*
59	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	Freight to Port Alaska is the same as Freight as the lower 48 states and Canada. (Shipped as Tractor or a cab and chassis) first movement. If Port Alaska is not the final destination in Alaska, the additional expense would be worked out with the selling International Dealer.  Our dealer in Hawaii and the dealer in Puerto Rico handle shipping of products to their locations from either the body company or a port in the U.S.	*
60	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	Delivery is traditionally done at the Dealership for Tractors, or the TEM/Up-fitter for units with a body installed. If the Member is requesting a unique delivery requirements, that would need to be discussed and properly described and included in the pricing proposal.	*

**Table 12: Pricing Offered**

Line Item	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
61	b. the same as the Proposer typically offers to GPOs, cooperative procurement organizations, or state purchasing departments.	Navistar has offered additional incentives to Sourcwell Members for larger contracts or where there was an opportunity to take advantage of the Sourcwell offering and will continue to use as needed in future contracts.

**Table 13: Audit and Administrative Fee**

Line Item	Question	Response *
62	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed Contract with Sourcewell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcewell participating entities obtain the proper pricing, that the Vendor reports all sales under the Contract each quarter, and that the Vendor remits the proper administrative fee to Sourcewell.	<p>Using Best Practices from our current contract, we require the dealer to put feature code 10JPA on Sourcewell Orders to make sure we track them and that they get "Silver Package" and any other Credits and Incentives they are due. To facilitate proper pricing for the Sourcewell Member, we have developed a "Sourcewell Pricing Workbook" that the dealer uses to price out the chassis and any additional equipment or warranties the member may require. It transfer's all the information to the members pricing sheet summary.</p> <p>The selling Dealer has to provide financial summary and purchase order so Navistar can ensure that the member has received the proper pricing. Dealers are aware that we will correct mistakes and they can get charged for items they did not do correctly.</p>
63	Identify a proposed administrative fee that you will pay to Sourcewell for facilitating, managing, and promoting the Sourcewell Contract in the event that you are awarded a Contract. This fee is typically calculated as a percentage of Vendor's sales under the Contract or as a per-unit fee; it is not a line-item addition to the Member's cost of goods. (See the RFP and template Contract for additional details.)	<p>Navistar is pleased to provide Sourcewell with the following rebates by model family:</p> <p>CV = \$1000  MV 607 = \$1500  HV 507/607 = \$1500  HV 513/613 = \$2000  HX 515/520/615/620 = \$2000  RH/LT/Lonestar = \$2000</p> <p>These rebates are NOT in the dealers proposal's and will be paid to Sourcewell Quarterly along with detailed summary sheet.</p> <p>For Parts purchased using Sourcewell Fleet Charge Program, Sourcewell will receive .5% (.005) of the total sales to Sourcewell Members using Fleet Charge. Navistar will pay this parts rebate quarterly.</p>

**Table 14A: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Line Item	Question	Response *
64	Provide a detailed description of the equipment, products, and services that you are offering in your proposal.	<p>International is offering our complete truck and tractor product line from class 4 vehicles through class 8 vehicles and will add e-Mobility products when they become available. These vehicles are set up to be used in the following applications (120+ applications, most popular are listed below)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Dry and Refrigerated Vans</li> <li>* Stake and Flat Bed</li> <li>* Emergency Fire Pumper</li> <li>* Emergency Fire Tanker</li> <li>* Emergency Wild Fire Truck</li> <li>* Emergency Ambulance</li> <li>* Emergency Command Center</li> <li>* Emergency Police Prison Transport</li> <li>* Dump, Side Dump, End Dump</li> <li>* Snow Plow, Wing Plow, Belly Plow</li> <li>* Concrete Mixer</li> <li>* Volumetric Mixer</li> <li>* Fuel Delivery</li> <li>* Waste Tank</li> <li>* Tar Spreader</li> <li>* Water Tank</li> <li>* Food Grade Tank</li> <li>* Sewer Vac, Hydro-Excavator</li> <li>* Wrecker, Fixed or Rotator</li> <li>* Roll-Back (Recovery) fromm Cars to Heavy Equipment</li> <li>* Utility Service Body</li> <li>* Utility Bucket Truck</li> <li>* Utility Digger-Derrick</li> <li>* Utility Tree Care Body</li> <li>* Utility Line-Washer</li> <li>* Utility Sign Truck</li> <li>* Material Handling plus Moffit options</li> <li>* Crane</li> <li>* Street Sweeper</li> <li>* Garbage Packer</li> <li>* Garbage Roll-Off</li> <li>* Garbage Automated Side Loader</li> <li>* Feed Truck</li> <li>* Armored Truck</li> <li>* Tractor, Sleeper or Day Cab</li> <li>* Vocational Tractor</li> <li>* Heavy Haul Tractor</li> <li>* Hauler Style Truck for 5th wheel trainers</li> <li>* Atenuater Trucks</li> </ul> <p>The International Dealer Network has Sourcewell experience and is fully capable of meeting the member needs with turn-key offering as well as financing with NCL (another Sourcewell Contract holder). These products would be sold through the International Dealer Network, which is the largest in North America. International has been serving Sourcewell Members the last 4 years and is adding a parts program to provide even more opportunities to serve the Sourcewell Membership. These are all Diesel Powered Products offering both Cummins (B-6.7, L-9 and X-15) and International 6.6L is the exclusive engine in the CV and A26 (12.4L) is available in higher GVW trucks and Tractors. The Truck Models offered include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* CV 4x2, 4x4 up to 23,500 GVW</li> <li>* MV 607 4x2, 6x4 up to 54,000 GVW</li> <li>* HV 507, 607, 513, 613 in 4x2, 4x4, 6x4, 6x6, 8x6 up to 80,000 GVW</li> <li>* HX 515, 520, 615, 620 in 6x4 and 8x6 up to 150,000 GVW</li> </ul> <p>International offers a Set Forward Axle in the HV and HX which are optimal for Snow Plow Applications, providing better manuverability as well as Weight Capacity in regions that enforce Federal Bridge Requirements.</p>
65	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	<p>International Trucks offer a very complete and comprehensive product offering. Commercial Truck Offerings can be very complicated, and new configurations enter the market every day. We are here to serve the Sourcewell Membership, In the event a member needs a special feature or chassis configuration and you can't confirm availability please don't hesitate to ask, either the local dealer you are working with You can reach out to the local dealer or Martin White and Bob Mann, who are listed as contacts in this submission.</p>

**Table 14B: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Indicate below what Classes of equipment are offered in this proposal.

Line Item	Category or Type	Offered *	Comments
66	Class 8 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<p>Our Tractor Offering:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* RH Tractor (Regional Haul A26 Power) in 4x2 and 6x4.</li> <li>* LT Series (Long Haul) in 4x2 and 6x4 with A26 and Cummins X-15 power</li> <li>* Lonestar Series Premium Tractor in 6x4 with Cummins X-15 Power</li> </ul> <p>In Vocational Trucks and Tractors we offer the Following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>HV 507/607 as 4x2, 4x4, 6x4 with Cummins B-6.7 and L-9. Day Cab/Extended Cab and Crew Cab</li> <li>* HV 513/613 as a 4x2, 6x4, 6x6, 8x6 with A26 Engine and Day Cab, Extended Cab and Crew Cab.</li> <li>HX Series Premium Vocational Product in 6x4 and 8x6 with A26 and Cummins X-15 Power</li> </ul>
67	Class 7 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<p>MV Series in 4x2 and 6x4 Configurations with Cummins B-6.7 or L-9 in Standard Cab, extended cab and Crew Cab configurations. This product is also available for Class 8 configurations</p>
68	Class 6 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<p>The CV Series goes up to 23,500# gwv in 4x2 and 22,500# in a 4x4. It has 6.6L Diesel Engine and is available as a day cab or a crew cab.</p>
69	Class 5 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<p>The CV Series It has 6.6L Diesel Engine and is available as a day cab or a crew cab.</p>
70	Class 4 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	<p>The CV Series It has 6.6L Diesel Engine and is available as a day cab or a crew cab.</p>

**Table 15: Industry Specific Questions**

Line Item	Question	Response *
71	If you are awarded a contract, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the contract.	<p>Member Satisfaction Survey</p> <p>Number of new proposals created every week.</p> <p>Number of units ordered every month.</p> <p>Communicate goals and results through Regions as well as Vocational Team and key Dealer Meetings and calls.</p> <p>Campaigns to reach members within the dealerships</p> <p>Follow Up on leads generated on the International Sourcewell Website</p> <p>Training and Presentations Completed on Sourcewell Every Month</p>
72	Describe your company's offering in relation to alternative fuel sources, including electric or others.	<p>Looking to the future, International introduced fully electric school bus and medium duty trucks at trade shows last year. Navistar has a corporate relationship with TRATON, the truck and bus division of Volkswagen AG, which gives International access to EV technology that has global scale and will make us a very competitive player in the commercial EV market.</p>

73	Describe any manufacturing processes or materials utilized that contribute to chassis strength, cab strength, overall durability, driver safety that differentiate your offerings.	<p>International is building the best quality products that we have seen in many years. Our investment in plant updates, lean practices and a relentless quality organization focused on Uptime, has got us to this point.</p> <p>Our 1/2" single Frame rails are the strongest in the Industry. We also have integral front frame extensions on many models and FEPTO Access which is very popular on plow trucks. Our Frames are e-coated as well as painted (optional galvanized rails). They are squared and laser lined and have huck bolt system to attach the cross members to assure they do not come loose or move.</p> <p>Our cabs meet SAE Guidelines for Cab Roof Crush.</p> <p>Our cab stamping and assembly is fully automated, cabs are sealed and then dipped for corrosion protection along with receiving 2 base coats of paint and a thick clear coat to make product look nice for tears to come.</p> <p>Our hood systems are predominantly SMC style, which is half the thickness of fiberglass and twice as strong. In addition these hoods are 3 piece, so in the event of an accident the entire hood does not have to be replaced, just the damaged section. We also offer visibility hoods for the HV offering.</p> <p>Our cabs and driver environment have also been updated to provide our quietest cab ever, with better visibility out the doors, down the hood line and through the mirrors. We have true 3 person cabs that can accommodate the gear that drivers can bring with them to do their jobs. All ergonomics have been redone to keep important gauges and controls higher on the dash so the driver doesn't have to look away from the road to see what is going on with the truck.. The HVAC system has also been updated for both driver comfort and quicker defrost on the windshield. The stalk shifter has been very well accepted. It is very durable, has very long life and has safety features a mechanical level cant offer.</p>
74	Describe any differentiating serviceability attributes (remote diagnostics, etc.) your proposal offers.	<p>North America's Largest Dealer and Service Network.</p> <p>Dealers that have strong presence in the government sector.</p> <p>Dealers that have successfully grown with Sourcewell on current contract. 1350+ units.</p> <p>Great Products, with highest quality we have had in many years. We have achieved Best in Class Quality with key customer scorecards. A manufacturing growth plan that included a new assembly plant being built in San Antonio, TX that will open in 2022.</p> <p>Focus on Electric Trucks and Buses with partner TRATON.</p> <p>The Silver Package with on-line parts and service for 2 years after purchase of new truck at no charge.</p> <p>\$200-\$400 Fleet Charge Credit for every truck bought off this contract. A Sourcewell Exclusive</p> <p>Our Parts Distribution System is Award Winning and with new Memphis Locations, we offer even faster delivery. Working with Diamond Edge Program, our Parts System works with dealers to make sure they have the parts you will need to repair the vehicle.</p> <p>Diamond Edge Service Program is all about getting units in, diagnosed and back in the customers hands. Our Service Velocity at the dealerships to get units out in 24 to 48 hours.</p> <p>Additional Customer Tools:  * On Commend Connection  * International 360</p> <p>Turn-Key Offering to the Sourcewell Members as a truck isn't ready to work without the proper body and equipment on it.</p> <p>Partnering with NCL to go after even more Sourcewell Members with financing tools that can put equipment to work and meet the financial constraints of todays budget realities.</p> <p>Navistar and the International Dealers want to win with Sourcewell!</p>

**Table 16: Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form**

**Line Item 75. NOTICE:** To identify any exception, or to request any modification, to the Sourcewell template Contract terms, conditions, or specifications, a Proposer must submit the exception or requested modification on the **Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form** immediately below. The contract section, the specific text addressed by the exception or requested modification, and the proposed modification must be identified in detail. Proposer's exceptions and proposed modifications are subject to review and approval of Sourcewell and will not automatically be included in the contract.

Contract Section	Term, Condition, or Specification	Exception or Proposed Modification

**Documents****Ensure your submission document(s) conforms to the following:**

1. Documents in PDF format are preferred. Documents in Word, Excel, or compatible formats may also be provided.
2. Documents should NOT have a security password, as Sourcewell may not be able to open the file. It is your sole responsibility to ensure that the uploaded document(s) are not either defective, corrupted or blank and that the documents can be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
3. Sourcewell may reject any response where any document(s) cannot be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
4. If you need to upload more than one (1) document for a single item, you should combine the documents into one zipped file. If the zipped file contains more than one (1) document, ensure each document is named, in relation to the submission format item responding to. For example, if responding to the Marketing Plan category save the document as "Marketing Plan."
  - [Financial Strength and Stability](#) - Financial Strength.zip - Tuesday June 09, 2020 13:29:09
  - Marketing Plan/Samples (optional)
  - WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates (optional)
  - [Warranty Information](#) - International Warranty 2020.zip - Monday June 08, 2020 10:42:03
  - [Pricing](#) - International Pricing & Specifications 2020.zip - Tuesday June 09, 2020 11:26:44
  - [Additional Document](#) - Additional Documents.zip - Tuesday June 09, 2020 14:31:13

## Proposer's Affidavit

### **PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE**

I certify that I am the authorized representative of the Proposer submitting the foregoing Proposal with the legal authority to bind the Proposer to this Affidavit and Assurance of Compliance:

1. The Proposer is submitting this Proposal under its full and complete legal name, and the Proposer legally exists in good standing in the jurisdiction of its residence.
2. The Proposer warrants that the information provided in this Proposal is true, correct, and reliable for purposes of evaluation for contract award.
3. The Proposer, including any person assisting with the creation of this Proposal, has arrived at this Proposal independently and the Proposal has been created without colluding with any other person, company, or parties that have or will submit a proposal under this solicitation; and the Proposal has in all respects been created fairly without any fraud or dishonesty. The Proposer has not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement or arrangement with any person or business in an effort to influence any part of this solicitation or operations of a resulting contract; and the Proposer has not taken any action in restraint of free trade or competitiveness in connection with this solicitation. Additionally, if Proposer has worked with a consultant on the Proposal, the consultant (an individual or a company) has not assisted any other entity that has submitted or will submit a proposal for this solicitation.
4. To the best of its knowledge and belief, and except as otherwise disclosed in the Proposal, there are no relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest. An organizational conflict of interest exists when a vendor has an unfair competitive advantage or the vendor's objectivity in performing the contract is, or might be, impaired.
5. The contents of the Proposal have not been communicated by the Proposer or its employees or agents to any person not an employee or legally authorized agent of the Proposer and will not be communicated to any such persons prior to Due Date of this solicitation.
6. If awarded a contract, the Proposer will provide to Sourcwell Participating Entities the equipment, products, and services in accordance with the terms, conditions, and scope of a resulting contract.
7. The Proposer possesses, or will possess before delivering any equipment, products, or services, all applicable licenses or certifications necessary to deliver such equipment, products, or services under any resulting contract.
8. The Proposer agrees to deliver equipment, products, and services through valid contracts, purchase orders, or means that are acceptable to Sourcwell Members. Unless otherwise agreed to, the Proposer must provide only new and first-quality products and related services to Sourcwell Members under an awarded Contract.
9. The Proposer will comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules, and orders.
10. The Proposer understands that Sourcwell will reject RFP proposals that are marked "confidential" (or "nonpublic," etc.), either substantially or in their entirety. Under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.591, subdivision 4, all proposals are considered nonpublic data until the evaluation is complete and a Contract is awarded. At that point, proposals become public data. Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37 permits only certain narrowly defined data to be considered a "trade secret," and thus nonpublic data under Minnesota's Data Practices Act.
11. Proposer its employees, agents, and subcontractors are not:
  - a. Included on the "Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons" list maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the United States Department of the Treasury found at: <https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf>;
  - b. Included on the government-wide exclusions lists in the United States System for Award Management found at: <https://www.sam.gov/portal/3>; or
  - c. Presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated

by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this solicitation.

By checking this box I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Proposer's Affidavit, have the legal authority to submit this Proposal on behalf of the Proposer, and that this electronic acknowledgment has the same legal effect, validity, and enforceability as if I had hand signed the Proposal. This signature will not be denied such legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because an electronic signature or electronic record was used in its formation. - Martin White, Director Vocational Sales, Navistar, Inc.

The Proposer declares that there is an actual or potential Conflict of Interest relating to the preparation of its submission, and/or the Proposer foresees an actual or potential Conflict of Interest in performing the contractual obligations contemplated in the bid.

Yes  No

The Bidder acknowledges and agrees that the addendum/addenda below form part of the Bid Document.

Check the box in the column "I have reviewed this addendum" below to acknowledge each of the addenda.

File Name	I have reviewed the below addendum and attachments (if applicable)	Pages
<b>Addendum_11_Class 4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Wed June 3 2020 07:52 AM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_10_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Wed May 27 2020 03:40 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_9_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Tue May 26 2020 02:51 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_8_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Thu May 21 2020 01:21 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_7_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Mon May 18 2020 03:30 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_6_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Wed May 13 2020 04:40 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2
<b>Addendum_5_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Tue May 12 2020 10:00 AM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_4_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Mon May 4 2020 01:24 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_3_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Wed April 29 2020 03:45 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_2_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Wed April 22 2020 01:14 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--
<b>Addendum_1_Class_4-8_Chassis_RFP060920</b> Fri April 17 2020 12:32 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	--



## **Solicitation Number: RFP #060920**

### **CONTRACT**

This Contract is between Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and Peterbilt Motors Company, 1700 Woodbrook Street, Denton, TX 76205 (Vendor).

Sourcewell is a State of Minnesota local government agency and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) that offers cooperative procurement solutions to government entities. Participation is open to federal, state/province, and municipal governmental entities, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public entities located in the United States and Canada.

Vendor desires to contract with Sourcewell to provide equipment, products, or services to Sourcewell and the entities that access Sourcewell's cooperative purchasing contracts (Participating Entities).

#### **1. TERM OF CONTRACT**

- A. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Contract is effective upon the date of the final signature below.
- B. **EXPIRATION DATE AND EXTENSION.** This Contract expires August 1, 2024, unless it is cancelled sooner pursuant to Article 24. This Contract may be extended up to one additional one-year period upon request of Sourcewell and with written agreement by Vendor.
- C. **SURVIVAL OF TERMS.** Articles 11 through 16 survive the expiration or cancellation of this Contract.

#### **2. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES**

- A. **EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES.** Vendor will provide the Equipment, Products, or Services as stated in its Proposal submitted under the Solicitation Number listed above. Vendor's Equipment, Products, or Services Proposal (Proposal) is attached and incorporated into this Contract.

All Equipment and Products provided under this Contract must be new/current model. Vendor may offer close-out or refurbished Equipment or Products if they are clearly indicated in

Vendor's product and pricing list. Unless agreed to by the Participating Entities in advance, Equipment or Products must be delivered as operational to the Participating Entity's site.

This Contract offers an indefinite quantity of sales, and while substantial volume is anticipated, sales and sales volume are not guaranteed.

B. **WARRANTY.** Vendor warrants that all Equipment, Products, and Services furnished are free from liens and encumbrances, and are free from defects in design, materials, and workmanship. In addition, Vendor warrants the Equipment, Products, and Services are suitable for and will perform in accordance with the ordinary use for which they are intended. Vendor's dealers and distributors must agree to assist the Participating Entity in reaching a resolution in any dispute over warranty terms with the manufacturer. Any manufacturer's warranty that is effective past the expiration of the Vendor's warranty will be passed on to the Participating Entity.

C. **DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, AND/OR RESELLERS.** Upon Contract execution, Vendor will make available to Sourcewell a means to validate or authenticate Vendor's authorized dealers, distributors, and/or resellers relative to the Equipment, Products, and Services related to this Contract. This list may be updated from time-to-time and is incorporated into this Contract by reference. It is the Vendor's responsibility to ensure Sourcewell receives the most current version of this list.

### **3. PRICING**

All Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract will be priced as stated in Vendor's Proposal.

When providing pricing quotes to Participating Entities, all pricing quoted must reflect a Participating Entity's total cost of acquisition. This means that the quoted cost is for delivered Equipment, Products, and Services that are operational for their intended purpose, and includes all costs to the Participating Entity's requested delivery location.

Regardless of the payment method chosen by the Participating Entity, the total cost associated with any purchase option of the Equipment, Products, or Services must always be disclosed in the pricing quote to the applicable Participating Entity at the time of purchase.

A. **SHIPPING AND SHIPPING COSTS.** All delivered Equipment and Products must be properly packaged. Damaged Equipment and Products may be rejected. If the damage is not readily apparent at the time of delivery, Vendor must permit the Equipment and Products to be returned within a reasonable time at no cost to Sourcewell or its Participating Entities. Participating Entities reserve the right to inspect the Equipment and Products at a reasonable time after delivery where circumstances or conditions prevent effective inspection of the Equipment and Products at the time of delivery.

Vendor's Dealer will perform a Pre-Delivery Inspection (PDI) which is included in the price of the vehicle. Any issues with the Equipment or Products will be addressed at PDI and corrected through the Vendor warranty process.

Sourcwell may declare the Vendor in breach of this Contract if the Vendor intentionally delivers substandard or inferior Equipment or Products. In the event of the delivery of nonconforming Equipment and Products, the Participating Entity will notify the Vendor as soon as possible and the Vendor will replace nonconforming Equipment and Products with conforming Equipment and Products that are acceptable to the Participating Entity.

B. SALES TAX. Each Participating Entity is responsible for supplying the Vendor with valid tax-exemption certification(s). When ordering, a Participating Entity must indicate if it is a tax-exempt entity.

C. HOT LIST PRICING. At any time during this Contract, Vendor may offer a specific selection of Equipment, Products, or Services at discounts greater than those listed in the Contract. When Vendor determines it will offer Hot List Pricing, it must be submitted electronically to Sourcwell in a line-item format. Equipment, Products, or Services may be added or removed from the Hot List at any time through a Sourcwell Price and Product Change Form as defined in Article 4 below.

Hot List program and pricing may also be used to discount and liquidate close-out and discontinued Equipment and Products as long as those close-out and discontinued items are clearly identified as such. Current ordering process and administrative fees apply. Hot List Pricing must be published and made available to all Participating Entities.

#### **4. PRODUCT AND PRICING CHANGE REQUESTS**

Vendor may request Equipment, Product, or Service changes, additions, or deletions at any time. All requests must be made in writing by submitting a signed Sourcwell Price and Product Change Request Form to the assigned Sourcwell Contract Administrator. This form is available from the assigned Sourcwell Contract Administrator. At a minimum, the request must:

- Identify the applicable Sourcwell contract number;
- Clearly specify the requested change;
- Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;
- Individually list all Equipment, Products, or Services affected by the requested change, along with the requested change (e.g., addition, deletion, price change); and
- Include a complete restatement of pricing documentation in Microsoft Excel with the effective date of the modified pricing, or product addition or deletion. The new pricing restatement must include all Equipment, Products, and Services offered, even for those items where pricing remains unchanged.

A fully executed Sourcewell Price and Product Request Form will be become an amendment to this Contract and be incorporated by reference.

## **5. PARTICIPATION, CONTRACT ACCESS, AND PARTICIPATING ENTITY REQUIREMENTS**

A. PARTICIPATION. Sourcewell's cooperative contracts are available and open to public and nonprofit entities across the United States and Canada; such as federal, state/province, municipal, K-12 and higher education, tribal government, and other public entities.

The benefits of this Contract should be available to all Participating Entities that can legally access the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract. A Participating Entity's authority to access this Contract is determined through its cooperative purchasing, interlocal, or joint powers laws. Any entity accessing benefits of this Contract will be considered a Service Member of Sourcewell during such time of access. Vendor understands that a Participating Entity's use of this Contract is at the Participating Entity's sole convenience and Participating Entities reserve the right to obtain like Equipment, Products, or Services from any other source.

Vendor is responsible for familiarizing its sales and service forces with Sourcewell contract use eligibility requirements and documentation and will encourage potential members to join Sourcewell. Sourcewell reserves the right to add and remove Participating Entities to its roster during the term of this Contract.

B. PUBLIC FACILITIES. Vendor's employees may be required to perform work at government-owned facilities, including schools. Vendor's employees and agents must conduct themselves in a professional manner while on the premises, and in accordance with Participating Entity policies and procedures, and all applicable laws.

## **6. PARTICIPATING ENTITY USE AND PURCHASING**

A. ORDERS AND PAYMENT. To access the contracted Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract, a Participating Entity must clearly indicate to Vendor that it intends to access this Contract; however, order flow and procedure will be developed jointly between Sourcewell and Vendor. Typically, a Participating Entity will issue an order directly to Vendor's Dealer, referencing Vendor's contract number. If a Participating Entity issues a purchase order, it may use its own forms, but the purchase order should clearly note the applicable Sourcewell contract number. All Participating Entity orders under this Contract must be issued prior to expiration of this Contract; however, Vendor performance, Participating Entity payment, and any applicable warranty periods or other Vendor or Participating Entity obligations may extend beyond the term of this Contract.

Vendor's acceptable forms of payment are included in Attachment A. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.

B. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS/PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM.** Additional terms and conditions to a purchase order may be negotiated between a Participating Entity and Vendor, such as job or industry-specific requirements, legal requirements (e.g., affirmative action or immigration status requirements), or specific local policy requirements. Some Participating Entities may require the use of a Participating Addendum; the terms of which will be worked out directly between the Participating Entity and the Vendor. Any negotiated additional terms and conditions must never be less favorable to the Participating Entity than what is contained in this Contract.

C. **PERFORMANCE BOND.** If requested by a Participating Entity, Vendor's Dealer will provide a performance bond that meets the requirements set forth in the Participating Entity's order.

D. **SPECIALIZED SERVICE REQUIREMENTS.** In the event that the Participating Entity requires service or specialized performance requirements (such as e-commerce specifications, specialized delivery requirements, or other specifications and requirements) not addressed in this Contract, the Participating Entity and the Vendor may enter into a separate, standalone agreement, apart from this Contract. Sourcewell, including its agents and employees, will not be made a party to a claim for breach of such agreement.

E. **TERMINATION OF ORDERS.** Participating Entities may terminate an order, in whole or in part, immediately upon notice to Vendor in the event of any of the following events:

1. The Participating Entity fails to receive funding or appropriation from its governing body at levels sufficient to pay for the goods to be purchased;
2. Federal, state, or provincial laws or regulations prohibit the purchase or change the Participating Entity's requirements; or
3. Vendor commits any material breach of this Contract or the additional terms agreed to between the Vendor and a Participating Entity.

F. **GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.** The governing law and venue for any action related to a Participating Entity's order will be determined by the Participating Entity making the purchase.

## **7. CUSTOMER SERVICE**

A. **PRIMARY ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE.** Vendor will assign an Account Representative to Sourcewell for this Contract and must provide prompt notice to Sourcewell if that person is changed. The Account Representative will be responsible for:

- Maintenance and management of this Contract;
- Timely response to all Sourcwell and Participating Entity inquiries; and
- Business reviews to Sourcwell and Participating Entities, if applicable.

B. BUSINESS REVIEWS. Vendor must perform a minimum of one business review with Sourcwell per contract year. The business review will cover sales to Participating Entities, pricing and contract terms, administrative fees, supply issues, customer issues, and any other necessary information.

## **8. REPORT ON CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE FEE PAYMENT**

A. CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY REPORT. Each calendar quarter, Vendor must provide a contract sales activity report (Report) to the Sourcwell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract. A Report must be provided regardless of the number or amount of sales during that quarter (i.e., if there are no sales, Vendor must submit a report indicating no sales were made).

The Report must contain the following fields:

- Customer Name (e.g., City of Staples Highway Department);
- Customer Physical Street Address;
- Customer City;
- Customer State/Province;
- Customer Zip Code;
- Customer Contact Name;
- Customer Contact Email Address;
- Customer Contact Telephone Number;
- Sourcwell Assigned Entity/Participating Entity Number;
- Item Purchased Description;
- Item Purchased Price;
- Sourcwell Administrative Fee Applied; and
- Date Purchase was invoiced/sale was recognized as revenue by Vendor.

B. ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. In consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcwell, the Vendor will pay an administrative fee to Sourcwell on all Equipment, Products, and Services provided to Participating Entities. The Administrative Fee must be included in, and not added to, the pricing. Vendor may not charge Participating Entities more than the contracted price to offset the Administrative Fee.

The Vendor will submit a check payable to Sourcwell for the administrative fee amount stated in the Proposal multiplied by the total number of trucks purchased by Participating Entities under this Contract during each calendar quarter. Payments should note the Sourcwell-assigned contract number in the memo and must be mailed to the address above "Attn:

Accounts Receivable.” Payments must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter.

Vendor agrees to cooperate with Sourcewell in auditing transactions under this Contract to ensure that the administrative fee is paid on all items purchased under this Contract.

In the event the Vendor is delinquent in any undisputed administrative fees, Sourcewell reserves the right to cancel this Contract and reject any proposal submitted by the Vendor in any subsequent solicitation. In the event this Contract is cancelled by either party prior to the Contract’s expiration date, the administrative fee payment will be due no more than 30 days from the cancellation date.

#### **9. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

Vendor’s Authorized Representative is the person named in the Vendor’s Proposal. If Vendor’s Authorized Representative changes at any time during this Contract, Vendor must promptly notify Sourcewell in writing.

#### **10. ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENTS, WAIVER, AND CONTRACT COMPLETE**

A. ASSIGNMENT. Neither the Vendor nor Sourcewell may assign or transfer any rights or obligations under this Contract without the prior consent of the parties and a fully executed assignment agreement. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld.

B. AMENDMENTS. Any amendment to this Contract must be in writing and will not be effective until it has been fully executed by the parties.

C. WAIVER. If either party fails to enforce any provision of this Contract, that failure does not waive the provision or the right to enforce it.

D. CONTRACT COMPLETE. This Contract contains all negotiations and agreements between Sourcewell and Vendor. No other understanding regarding this Contract, whether written or oral, may be used to bind either party.

E. RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES. The relationship of the parties is one of independent contractors, each free to exercise judgment and discretion with regard to the conduct of their respective businesses. This Contract does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship such as master-servant, or principal-agent.

#### **11. LIABILITY**

Vendor must indemnify, save, and hold Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees, arising out of the performance of this Contract by the Vendor or its agents or employees; this indemnification includes injury or death to person(s) or property alleged to have been caused by some defect in the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract to the extent the Equipment, Product, or Service has been used according to its specifications.

## **12. AUDITS**

Sourcewell reserves the right to review the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices of the Vendor relevant to this Contract for a minimum of 6 years from the end of this Contract. This clause extends to Participating Entities as it relates to business conducted by that Participating Entity under this Contract.

## **13. GOVERNMENT DATA PRACTICES**

Vendor and Sourcewell must comply with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13, as it applies to all data provided by or provided to Sourcewell under this Contract and as it applies to all data created, collected, received, stored, used, maintained, or disseminated by the Vendor under this Contract.

If the Vendor receives a request to release the data referred to in this article, the Vendor must immediately notify Sourcewell and Sourcewell will assist with how the Vendor should respond to the request.

## **14. INDEMNIFICATION**

As applicable, Vendor agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Sourcewell and its Participating Entities against any and all suits, claims, judgments, and costs instituted or recovered against Sourcewell or Participating Entities by any person on account of the use of any Equipment or Products by Sourcewell or its Participating Entities supplied by Vendor in violation of applicable patent or copyright laws.

## **15. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PUBLICITY, MARKETING, AND ENDORSEMENT**

### **A. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

1. *Grant of License.* During the term of this Contract:
  - a. Sourcewell grants to Vendor a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use the Trademark(s) provided to Vendor by Sourcewell in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Sourcewell's relationship with Vendor.

b. Vendor grants to Sourcewell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Vendor's Trademarks in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Vendor's relationship with Sourcewell.

2. *Limited Right of Sublicense.* The right and license granted herein includes a limited right of each party to grant sublicenses to its and their respective distributors, marketing representatives, and agents (collectively "Permitted Sublicensees") in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties' relationship to Participating Entities. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this Article by any of their respective sublicensees.

3. *Use; Quality Control.*

a. Sourcewell must not alter Vendor's Trademarks from the form provided by Vendor and must comply with Vendor's removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.

b. Vendor must not alter Sourcewell's Trademarks from the form provided by Sourcewell and must comply with Sourcewell's removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.

c. Each party agrees to use, and to cause its Permitted Sublicensees to use, the other party's Trademarks only in good faith and in a dignified manner consistent with such party's use of the Trademarks. Upon written notice to the breaching party, the breaching party has 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the breach or the license will be terminated.

4. *Termination.* Upon the termination of this Contract for any reason, each party, including Permitted Sublicensees, will have 30 days to remove all Trademarks from signage, websites, and the like bearing the other party's name or logo (excepting Sourcewell's pre-printed catalog of vendors which may be used until the next printing). Vendor must return all marketing and promotional materials, including signage, provided by Sourcewell, or dispose of it according to Sourcewell's written directions.

B. **PUBLICITY.** Any publicity regarding the subject matter of this Contract must not be released without prior written approval from the Authorized Representatives. Publicity includes notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, research, reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared by or for the Vendor individually or jointly with others, or any subcontractors, with respect to the program, publications, or services provided resulting from this Contract.

C. **MARKETING.** Any direct advertising, marketing, or offers with Participating Entities must be approved by Sourcewell. Materials should be sent to the Sourcewell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract.

D. **ENDORSEMENT.** The Vendor must not claim that Sourcewell endorses its Equipment, Products, or Services.

## 16. GOVERNING LAW, JURISDICTION, AND VENUE

Minnesota law governs this Contract. Venue for all legal proceedings out of this Contract, or its breach, must be in the appropriate state court in Todd County or federal court in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

## 17. FORCE MAJEURE

Neither party to this Contract will be held responsible for delay or default caused by acts of God or other conditions that are beyond that party's reasonable control. A party defaulting under this provision must provide the other party prompt written notice of the default.

## 18. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Contract is found to be illegal, unenforceable, or void then both Sourcwell and Vendor will be relieved of all obligations arising under such provisions. If the remainder of this Contract is capable of performance, it will not be affected by such declaration or finding and must be fully performed.

## 19. PERFORMANCE, DEFAULT, AND REMEDIES

A. PERFORMANCE. During the term of this Contract, the parties will monitor performance and address unresolved contract issues as follows:

1. *Notification.* The parties must promptly notify each other of any known dispute and work in good faith to resolve such dispute within a reasonable period of time. If necessary, Sourcwell and the Vendor will jointly develop a short briefing document that describes the issue(s), relevant impact, and positions of both parties.
2. *Escalation.* If parties are unable to resolve the issue in a timely manner, as specified above, either Sourcwell or Vendor may escalate the resolution of the issue to a higher level of management. The Vendor will have 30 calendar days to cure an outstanding issue.
3. *Performance while Dispute is Pending.* Notwithstanding the existence of a dispute, the Vendor must continue without delay to carry out all of its responsibilities under the Contract that are not affected by the dispute. If the Vendor fails to continue without delay to perform its responsibilities under the Contract, in the accomplishment of all undisputed work, any additional costs incurred by Sourcwell and/or its Participating Entities as a result of such failure to proceed will be borne by the Vendor.

B. DEFAULT AND REMEDIES. Either of the following constitutes cause to declare this Contract, or any Participating Entity order under this Contract, in default:

1. Nonperformance of contractual requirements, or
2. A material breach of any term or condition of this Contract.

Written notice of default and a reasonable opportunity to cure must be issued by the party claiming default. Time allowed for cure will not diminish or eliminate any liability for liquidated or other damages. If the default remains after the opportunity for cure, the non-defaulting party may:

- Exercise any remedy provided by law or equity, or
- Terminate the Contract or any portion thereof, including any orders issued against the Contract.

## 20. INSURANCE

A. REQUIREMENTS. At its own expense, Vendor must maintain insurance policy(ies) in effect at all times during the performance of this Contract with insurance company(ies) licensed or authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota having an "AM BEST" rating of A- or better, with coverage and limits of insurance not less than the following:

1. *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability.*

Workers' Compensation: As required by any applicable law or regulation.

Employer's Liability Insurance: must be provided in amounts not less than listed below:

Minimum limits:

\$500,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident

\$500,000 policy limit for bodily injury by disease

\$500,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease

2. *Commercial General Liability Insurance.* Vendor will maintain insurance covering its operations, with coverage on an occurrence basis, and must be subject to terms no less broad than the Insurance Services Office ("ISO") Commercial General Liability Form CG0001 (2001 or newer edition), or equivalent. At a minimum, coverage must include liability arising from premises, operations, bodily injury and property damage, independent contractors, products-completed operations including construction defect, contractual liability, blanket contractual liability, and personal injury and advertising injury. All required limits, terms and conditions of coverage must be maintained during the term of this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage

\$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury

\$2,000,000 aggregate for Products-Completed operations

\$2,000,000 general aggregate

3. *Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain insurance covering all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles in limits of liability not less than indicated below. The coverage must be subject to terms

no less broad than ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 0001 (2010 edition or newer), or equivalent.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each accident, combined single limit

4. *Umbrella Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain umbrella coverage over Workers' Compensation, Commercial General Liability, and Commercial Automobile.

Minimum Limits:

\$2,000,000

5. *Professional/Technical, Errors and Omissions, and/or Miscellaneous Professional Liability*. During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain coverage for all claims the Vendor may become legally obligated to pay resulting from any actual or alleged negligent act, error, or omission related to Vendor's professional services required under this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

\$2,000,000 per claim or event

\$2,000,000 – annual aggregate

6. *Network Security and Privacy Liability Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Vendor will maintain coverage for network security and privacy liability. The coverage may be endorsed on another form of liability coverage or written on a standalone policy. The insurance must cover claims which may arise from failure of Vendor's security resulting in, but not limited to, computer attacks, unauthorized access, disclosure of not public data – including but not limited to, confidential or private information, transmission of a computer virus, or denial of service.

Minimum limits:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence

\$2,000,000 annual aggregate

Failure of Vendor to maintain the required insurance will constitute a material breach entitling Sourcwell to immediately terminate this Contract for default.

B. CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE. Prior to commencing under this Contract, Vendor must furnish to Sourcwell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Contract. Prior to expiration of the policy(ies), renewal certificates must be mailed to Sourcwell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 or sent to the Sourcwell Contract Administrator assigned to this Contract. The certificates must be signed by a person authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf. All policies must include there will be no cancellation, suspension, non-renewal, or reduction of coverage without 30 days' prior written notice to the Vendor.

Upon request, Vendor must provide to Sourcewell copies of applicable policies and endorsements, within 10 days of a request. Failure to request certificates of insurance by Sourcewell, or failure of Vendor to provide certificates of insurance, in no way limits or relieves Vendor of its duties and responsibilities in this Contract.

C. **ADDITIONAL INSURED ENDORSEMENT AND PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY INSURANCE CLAUSE.** Vendor agrees to list Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their officers, agents, and employees, as an additional insured under the Vendor's commercial general liability insurance policy with respect to liability arising out of activities, "operations," or "work" performed by or on behalf of Vendor, and products and completed operations of Vendor. The policy provision(s) or endorsement(s) must further provide that coverage is primary and not excess over or contributory with any other valid, applicable, and collectible insurance or self-insurance in force for the additional insureds.

D. **WAIVER OF SUBROGATION.** Vendor waives and must require (by endorsement or otherwise) all its insurers to waive subrogation rights against Sourcewell and other additional insureds for losses paid under the insurance policies required by this Contract or other insurance applicable to the Vendor or its subcontractors. The waiver must apply to all deductibles and/or self-insured retentions applicable to the required or any other insurance maintained by the Vendor or its subcontractors. Where permitted by law, Vendor must require similar written express waivers of subrogation and insurance clauses from each of its subcontractors.

E. **UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY.** The limits required by this Contract can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies).

F. **SELF-INSURED RETENTIONS.** Any self-insured retention in excess of \$10,000 is subject to Sourcewell's approval.

## **21. COMPLIANCE**

A. **LAWS AND REGULATIONS.** All Equipment, Products, or Services provided under this Contract must comply fully with applicable federal laws and regulations, and with the laws in the states and provinces in which the Equipment, Products, or Services are sold.

B. **LICENSES.** Vendor must maintain a valid and current status on all required federal, state/provincial, and local licenses, bonds, and permits required for the operation of the business that the Vendor conducts with Sourcewell and Participating Entities.

## **22. BANKRUPTCY, DEBARMENT, OR SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION**

Vendor certifies and warrants that it is not in bankruptcy or that it has previously disclosed in writing certain information to Sourcewell related to bankruptcy actions. If at any time during

this Contract Vendor declares bankruptcy, Vendor must immediately notify Sourcewell in writing.

Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this Contract. Vendor further warrants that it will provide immediate written notice to Sourcewell if this certification changes at any time.

### **23. PROVISIONS FOR NON-UNITED STATES FEDERAL ENTITY PROCUREMENTS UNDER UNITED STATES FEDERAL AWARDS OR OTHER AWARDS**

Participating Entities that use United States federal grant or FEMA funds to purchase goods or services from this Contract may be subject to additional requirements including the procurement standards of the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 C.F.R. § 200. Participating Entities may also require additional requirements based on specific funding specifications. Within this Article, all references to “federal” should be interpreted to mean the United States federal government. The following list only applies when a Participating Entity accesses Vendor’s Equipment, Products, or Services with United States federal funds.

A. **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.** Except as otherwise provided under 41 C.F.R. § 60, all contracts that meet the definition of “federally assisted construction contract” in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 C.F.R. §60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity” (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 C.F.R. §, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” and implementing regulations at 41 C.F.R. § 60, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor.” The equal opportunity clause is incorporated herein by reference.

B. **DAVIS-BACON ACT, AS AMENDED (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3148).** When required by federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The

decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act (40 U.S.C. § 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 3, "Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States"). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. Vendor must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

C. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. §§ 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5). Under 40 U.S.C. § 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. § 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence. This provision is hereby incorporated by reference into this Contract. Vendor certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Vendor must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

D. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT. If the federal award meets the definition of "funding agreement" under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that "funding agreement," the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 401, "Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements," and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency. Vendor certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Vendor must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

E. CLEAN AIR ACT (42 U.S.C. § 7401-7671Q.) AND THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT (33 U.S.C. § 1251-1387). Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 require the non-federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations

issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401- 7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251- 1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Vendor certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

F. DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION (EXECUTIVE ORDERS 12549 AND 12689). A contract award (see 2 C.F.R. § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 C.F.R. §180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 C.F.R. § 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 C.F.R. § 1989 Comp., p. 235), "Debarment and Suspension." SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. Vendor certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation by any federal department or agency.

G. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT, AS AMENDED (31 U.S.C. § 1352). Vendors must file any required certifications. Vendors must not have used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Vendors must disclose any lobbying with non-federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-federal award. Vendors must file all certifications and disclosures required by, and otherwise comply with, the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. § 1352).

H. RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with the record retention requirements detailed in 2 C.F.R. § 200.333. The Vendor further certifies that it will retain all records as required by 2 C.F.R. § 200.333 for a period of 3 years after grantees or subgrantees submit final expenditure reports or quarterly or annual financial reports, as applicable, and all other pending matters are closed.

I. ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

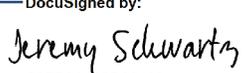
J. BUY AMERICAN PROVISIONS COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Vendor must comply with all applicable provisions of the Buy American Act. Purchases made in accordance with the Buy American Act must follow the applicable procurement rules calling for free and open competition.

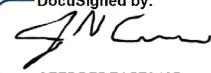
K. ACCESS TO RECORDS (2 C.F.R. § 200.336). Vendor agrees that duly authorized representatives of a federal agency must have access to any books, documents, papers and records of Vendor that are directly pertinent to Vendor’s discharge of its obligations under this Contract for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. The right also includes timely and reasonable access to Vendor’s personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion relating to such documents.

L. PROCUREMENT OF RECOVERED MATERIALS (2 C.F.R. § 200.322). A non-federal entity that is a state agency or agency of a political subdivision of a state and its contractors must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 C.F.R. § 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

**24. CANCELLATION**

Sourcewell or Vendor may cancel this Contract at any time, with or without cause, upon 60 days’ written notice to the other party. However, Sourcewell may cancel this Contract immediately upon discovery of a material defect in any certification made in Vendor’s Proposal. Cancellation of this Contract does not relieve either party of financial, product, or service obligations incurred or accrued prior to cancellation.

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## Vendor Details

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Denton, Texas 76205  
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## Specifications

**Table 1: Proposer Identity & Authorized Representatives**

**General Instructions** (applies to all Tables) Sourcewell prefers a brief but thorough response to each question. Please do not merely attach additional documents to your response without also providing a substantive response. Do not leave answers blank; mark "NA" if the question does not apply to you (preferably with an explanation).

Line Item	Question	Response *
1	Proposer Legal Name (and applicable d/b/a, if any):	Peterbilt Motors Company
2	Proposer Address:	1700 Woodbrook Street Denton, Texas 76205
3	Proposer website address:	<a href="http://www.peterbilt.com">http://www.peterbilt.com</a>
4	Proposer's Authorized Representative (name, title, address, email address & phone) (The representative must have authority to sign the "Proposer's Assurance of Compliance" on behalf of the Proposer and, in the event of award, will be expected to execute the resulting contract):	Joe Curran National Fleet Sales Manager 1700 Woodbrook Street Denton, Texas 76205 joe.curran@paccar.com (615) 613-1394
5	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Joe Curran National Fleet Sales Manager 1700 Woodbrook Street Denton, Texas 76205 joe.curran@paccar.com (615) 613-1394
6	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Mitesh Naik Director of Medium Duty Truck Sales 1700 Woodbrook Street Denton, Texas 76205 (940) 591-4107

**Table 2: Company Information and Financial Strength**

Line Item	Question	Response *
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<p>7</p>	<p>Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested equipment, products or services.</p>	<p>Peterbilt Motors Company was founded in 1939. For 80+ years Peterbilt has been manufacturing Medium-Duty and Heavy-Duty commercial trucks for the U.S. &amp; Canadian Market. We are proud to be American-owned, headquartered in the great state of Texas. Peterbilt operates manufacturing and parts distribution facilities across the U.S. &amp; Canada and has a large independently owned &amp; operated dealer network consisting of 405 locations and adding on average of 25 locations per year. Our trucks are recognized as the most reliable, durable, and highest quality trucks, well suited for the harshest vocational applications that government/municipal fleets operate in on a daily basis.</p> <p>Peterbilt's core values:</p> <p>1) Purposeful Innovation, 2) Individualized Solutions, 3) Enduring Craftsmanship, and 4) Pride and Class</p> <p>1) Purposeful Innovation – Provide technologically advanced products and services that deliver outstanding performance and value.</p> <p>2) Individualized Solutions – Customize every Peterbilt product to meet the unique business needs of the customer, and support the customer with after-sales programs and services tailored to them.</p> <p>3) Enduring Craftsmanship – Manufacture the industry's most durable and reliable trucks, assembled to the highest quality standards by the industry's proudest employees.</p> <p>4) Pride &amp; Class – Maintain a passion for unrivaled performance, forged out of the heritage of the iconic brand and focused on inspired styling and a premium driver experience.</p> <p>Peterbilt's business philosophy</p> <p>Peterbilt's business philosophy is to produce the highest quality, most durable, reliable trucks on the market that provide our owners with years of dependable and efficient service and therefore the best return on investment.</p> <p>Peterbilt trucks are designed to last longer than any other truck on the market - on purpose! Peterbilt is the most highly desired truck on the used-truck market for a reason; the trucks are still reliable &amp; dependable and can provide many more years of service. In fact, 94% of Peterbilt trucks in-serviced 20 years ago are STILL being in-serviced now - far better than competing OEMs.</p>
<p>8</p>	<p>What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?</p>	<p>Peterbilt has marketed the Sourcewell Program on it's website; both internally and externally. We take every opportunity to advertise our contract with Sourcewell; trade-shows, conventions, expositions, dealer open houses, and dealer training events, etc.</p> <p>We hold Sourcewell Webinars for our entire dealer network multiple times/year and release Dealer Bulletins to further communicate and promote our contract.</p> <p>If awarded, we would continue to aggressively promote our Sourcewell contract both internally &amp; externally at events, through training, marketing, social media, etc. Our expectation is that Sourcewell members will continue to utilize the Peterbilt contract in order to secure vehicles that offer class leading reliability, durability, and value.</p>

9	<p>Demonstrate your financial strength and stability with meaningful data. This could include such items as financial statements, SEC filings, credit and bond ratings, letters of credit, and detailed reference letters. Upload supporting documents (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.</p>	<p>Peterbilt is a Division of Paccar, Inc. (<a href="http://www.paccar.com">www.paccar.com</a>).</p> <p>Paccar Inc designs, manufactures, and distributes light, medium, and heavy-duty commercial trucks in the United States, Europe, and internationally. The company operates in three segments: Truck, Parts, and Financial Services. The Truck segment designs, manufactures, and distributes trucks that are used for the over-the-road and off-highway hauling of commercial and consumer goods. It sells its trucks through a network of independent dealers under the Kenworth, Peterbilt, and DAF nameplates.</p> <p>PACCAR had an outstanding year in 2019, generating record revenues and profits as well as industry leading operating margins. Revenues climbed to \$25.6 billion and net income was \$2.39 billion; delivering an after-tax return on revenue of 9.3%. The company has earned annual net income for 81 consecutive years.</p> <p>PACCAR's financial results reflect the company's premium-quality trucks and services, technology leadership, strong global truck markets and record truck deliveries, complemented by record aftermarket parts sales and good financial services results worldwide. These excellent results were due to the capabilities and efforts of our employees who delivered industry leading product quality, innovation and outstanding operating efficiency.</p> <p>PACCAR delivered a record 198,800 trucks to its customers, and sold a record \$4.02 billion of aftermarket parts. PACCAR's excellent credit ratings of A+/A1 supported PACCAR Financial Services' record new loans and leases of \$5.63 billion. Year-end stockholders' equity was a record \$9.71 billion.</p> <p>Class 8 truck industry retail sales in North America, including Mexico, were 336,000 vehicles in 2019 compared to 311,000 the prior year. The European 16+ tonne market in 2019 was 320,000 vehicles compared to 319,000 in 2018. PACCAR customers are generating good profits due to strong freight tonnage, low fuel prices and the superior operating efficiency of Kenworth, Peterbilt and DAF trucks.</p> <p>PACCAR's strong financial performance in 2019 benefited from PACCAR Parts' record pre-tax profits of \$830.8 million and PACCAR Financial Services' pre-tax profits of \$298.9 million. After-tax return on beginning stockholders' equity was an industry leading 27.8% in 2019. PACCAR's financial performance has enabled the company to declare \$7 billion in dividends during the last ten years, which is over 50% of the net income generated during that same period. PACCAR's total stockholder return in 2019 was 45% versus 31% for the S&amp;P 500 Index.</p> <p>Paccar Annual Report attached.</p>
10	<p>What is your US market share for the solutions that you are proposing?</p>	<p>Class 6/7: 8.50% Class 8: 15.00%</p> <p>Above numbers take into account ALL trucks/tractors with the majority being freight-hauling tractors and inner-city delivery trucks. Looking only at Vocational-Trucks, which includes the government sector, Peterbilt market share is overall 22% (Class 6/7/8 - all inclusive).</p>
11	<p>What is your Canadian market share for the solutions that you are proposing?</p>	<p>Class 6/7: 7.70% Class 8: 11.30%</p> <p>Above numbers take into account ALL trucks/tractors with the majority being freight-hauling tractors and inner-city delivery trucks. Looking only at Vocational-Trucks, which includes the government sector, Peterbilt market share is overall 21% (Class 6/7/8 - all inclusive).</p>
12	<p>Has your business ever petitioned for bankruptcy protection? If so, explain in detail.</p>	<p>No.</p>

13	<p>How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer whichever question (either a) or b) just below) best applies to your organization.</p> <p>a) If your company is best described as a distributor/dealer/reseller (or similar entity), provide your written authorization to act as a distributor/dealer/reseller for the manufacturer of the products proposed in this RFP. If applicable, is your dealer network independent or company owned?</p> <p>b) If your company is best described as a manufacturer or service provider, describe your relationship with your sales and service force and with your dealer network in delivering the products and services proposed in this RFP. Are these individuals your employees, or the employees of a third party?</p>	<p>Peterbilt Motors Company is a manufacturer of commercial trucks. Peterbilt has a dealer network of 405 locations across the U.S. &amp; Canada. Peterbilt dealers are independently owned &amp; operated. All Peterbilt dealers must meet stringent sales, service, and parts support requirements as set forth in their dealer contract with Peterbilt Motors Company &amp; Paccar, Inc.</p> <p>Peterbilt dealers employ 1,000+ salespersons across the U.S. &amp; Canada. Dealer sales personnel are required to stay up to date on the latest product updates, industry technologies, emissions, etc through in-person &amp; on-line training throughout each calendar year. All Peterbilt dealer salespersons are licensed to sell in the States they are assigned.</p> <p>In addition to the dealer network sales force, Peterbilt Motors also employs a factory-sales-management staff of approximately 40; 13 of which are focused on Vocational Trucks, including government/municipal accounts. Peterbilt also employs an individual dedicated to government contracts and the Sourcewell contract. Peterbilt factory sales managers are required to complete truck product, and all other industry related training throughout the year. All Peterbilt factory sales managers are licensed to sell in the States they are assigned.</p> <p>Peterbilt dealer AND factory sales forces work collaboratively with fleets to ensure the customer experience is optimized in regards to truck specifications, performance, etc. *</p> <p>Peterbilt dealer service network includes 405+ locations (add ~25/year), 60 independent dealer groups, 5,000+ dealer personnel, and highly trained technicians that are ALL 100% factory certified. Peterbilt dealer locations perform all levels of service work from standard preventive maintenance to warranty repairs to complete engine rebuilds. Dealers also offer custom maintenance solutions including contract maintenance, mobile service, and on-site technician support.</p> <p>Peterbilt dealers offer on-site comprehensive fluid analysis, DOT inspections and RapidCheck Express Service (provide diagnostics and an estimate of repairs in two hours or less). Dealers offer drop off service as well as pick-up and delivery. Dealers also provide Mobile Service truck for repairs at your locations.. 24/7 roadside assistance as well as a 24/7 repair hotline also available at 1-800-4-PETERBILT.</p> <p>Peterbilt factory service support management team consists of 30+ individuals across the U.S. &amp; Canada that work collaboratively with our dealers service managers and technicians to take care of our customers &amp; their trucks, from in-depth troubleshooting to warranty &amp; policy support.</p>
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14	If applicable, provide a detailed explanation outlining the licenses and certifications that are both required to be held, and actually held, by your organization (including third parties and subcontractors that you use) in pursuit of the business contemplated by this RFP.	<p>Peterbilt Manufacturing facilities are ISO 9001:2008 certified.</p> <p>Peterbilt maintains ISO 14001:2015 Environmental Management System (EMS) to improve its environmental programs and to reduce the environmental impacts of its operations and activities.</p> <p>Peterbilt trucks conform to all applicable Federal Motor Vehicle Safety Standards (FMVSS).</p> <p>Peterbilt trucks are equipped with emission control equipment to comply with all applicable US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) regulations governing control of air pollution from new motor vehicles and new motor vehicle engines, which are in effect on the date of manufacture. In addition, all vehicles conform to the State of California Vehicle Code air quality standards (CARB) for new motor vehicles and new motor vehicle engines in effect on the date of vehicle manufacture.</p> <p>The exterior sound level of Peterbilt vehicles conforms to the noise legislation of the US Department of Transportation and the EPA.</p> <p>The interior sound level of Peterbilt vehicles, when measured in accordance with the test procedure of SAE J336 do not exceed the decibels per hour dictated in the test procedure.</p> <p>Peterbilt brake systems meet all NHSTA FMVSS regulations.</p> <p>Peterbilt trucks are equipped with a lighting system that conforms to the requirements of FMVSS 108.</p> <p>Peterbilt standard seat belt assembly (shoulder and lap), restraint system hardware, mounting, and performance conform to FMVSS Nos. 208, 209, 210.</p> <p>All instruments, indicators, and panel controls are located, identified and illuminated to conform to 49 CFR, Part 571, FMVSS No. 101.</p> <p>Peterbilt dealers are authorized/certified/licensed to sell Class 5-8 commercial trucks in the States &amp; Provinces in which they do business.</p>	*
15	Provide all "Suspension or Debarment" information that has applied to your organization during the past ten years.	N/A	*

**Table 3: Industry Recognition & Marketplace Success**

Line Item	Question	Response *
16	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years	<p>2015 - Peterbilt Denton achieved ISO 14001 environmental and 'no-waste-to-landfill' certifications..</p> <p>2016 - The PACCAR MX-11 was named a Top 20 product by Heavy Duty Trucking magazine.</p> <p>2016 - Peterbilt's truck factory in Denton, Texas and the PACCAR engine factory in Columbus, Mississippi earned Frost and Sullivan's "Manufacturing Leadership" awards for operational excellence and incorporation of the "Internet of Things" into manufacturing processes.</p> <p>2017 - The PACCAR Engine Factory in Columbus, Mississippi earned the "2017 Quality Plant of the Year" award from Quality Magazine.</p> <p>2018 - Peterbilt in Denton, Texas, the PACCAR engine factory in Columbus, Mississippi and PACCAR Ste-Thérèse, Canada each earned a prestigious Manufacturing Leadership Award from Frost &amp; Sullivan, a leading industry research firm.</p> <p>2019 - Peterbilt Denton earned "Manufacturing Leadership" awards from the National Association of Manufacturers.</p> <p>2019 - PACCAR was honored as a global leader in environmental practices by environmental reporting firm CDP, earning recognition on the 2019 CDP Climate Change A List.</p> <p>2019 - Peterbilt was recognized as a "Top Place for Women to Work" by the Women in Trucking organization.</p>
17	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years	2%
18	What percentage of your sales are to the education sector in the past three years	<1%
19	List any state, provincial, or cooperative purchasing contracts that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	<p>Peterbilt Motors Company only Cooperative purchasing contract is with Sourcewell.</p> <p>Rush Truck Centers holds contracts with The Florida Sheriffs Association (FSA) and the Houston-Galveston Area Council (H-GAC). Annual volume data available by request through Rush Enterprises.</p>
20	List any GSA contracts or Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements (SOSA) that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	N/A

**Table 4: References/Testimonials**

Line Item 21. Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcewell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *
Southeastern Public Service Authority - Chesapeake, VA	Angie Hutchins	757-961-3562
County of Fresno, CA	Mike Downing/Ken Christiansen	559-600-7528 559-600-7511
Algonquin Township, IL	Andrew Gasser	850-866-0155
City of Portsmouth, VA	Kenny Strickland	757-393-8629
City of Virginia Beach, VA	Reggie Padgett	757-385-1925

**Table 5: Top Five Government or Education Customers**

**Line Item 22. Provide a list of your top five government, education, or non-profit customers (entity name is optional), including entity type, the state or province the entity is located in, scope of the project(s), size of transaction(s), and dollar volumes from the past three years.**

Entity Name	Entity Type *	State / Province *	Scope of Work *	Size of Transactions *	Dollar Volume Past Three Years *
United States Postal Service	Government	District of Columbia - DC	Medium Duty & Class 8 truck & tractors  Trucks purchased:  Peterbilt Model 220 Cab-over 33,000lb GVW trucks.  Peterbilt Model 337 Conventional 33,000lb GVW trucks.  Peterbilt Model 348 Conventional 43,000lb GVW trucks.  Peterbilt Model 520 Cab-over 43,000lb GVW trucks.  Peterbilt Model 520 Cab-over 80,000lb GVW tractors.	Grand Total: 2,200 over the last 3 years	Approximately \$175 Million
City of Los Angeles	Government	California - CA	Medium Duty & Class 8 trucks	83 over the last 3 years	Approximately \$10 Million
City of Phoenix	Government	Arizona - AZ	Class 8 Trucks	59 over the last 3 years	Approximately \$7.5 Million
City & County of Honolulu	Government	Hawaii - HI	Class 8 Trucks	38 over the last 3 years	Approximately \$5 Million
City of Baltimore	Government	Maryland - MD	Medium-Duty Trucks (Class 6/7)	31 over the last 3 years	Approximately \$2.5 Million

**Table 6: Ability to Sell and Deliver Service**

Describe your company's capability to meet the needs of Sourcewell participating entities across the US and Canada, as applicable. Your response should address in detail at least the following areas: locations of your network of sales and service providers, the number of workers (full-time equivalents) involved in each sector, whether these workers are your direct employees (or employees of a third party), and any overlap between the sales and service functions.

Line Item	Question	Response *
23	Sales force.	<p>Peterbilt Motors Company Factory Sales force consists of Peterbilt's General Manager (equivalent to VP/President at other companies), Assistant General Manager, 3 General Sales Managers over the U.S. &amp; Canada that have a total of 6 Region Managers reporting to them based out of Philadelphia (East), Nashville (South), Denton/Dallas (Midwest), Chicago (Great Lakes), Scottsdale/Phoenix (West), and Toronto (Canada). Each Region Manager oversees 3-4 District Sales Managers. In addition, Peterbilt Motors has a separate Medium-Duty Sales Team (1 per Region/Canada), Vocational Sales Team (1 per Region/Canada), and National Account Sales Team (1 per Region/Canada). Peterbilt also has one National Fleet Sales Manager that is dedicated to the Sourcewell Account.</p> <p>All Sales personnel mentioned above collaborate with Peterbilt's Dealer Network Sales teams which consists of 1,085 individuals throughout the US &amp; Canada, including Sales VPs, Directors, Managers, Sales Personnel, and Sales Administrators.</p> <p>Peterbilt Motors Company also has 3 Dealer Sales Councils comprised of Sales Managers and Representative from all over the US &amp; Canada. The 3 Councils are: National-Accounts Sales Council, Vocational/Government Sales Council, and Medium-Duty Sales Council.</p>

24	Dealer network or other distribution methods.	<p>Peterbilt Motors Company's dealer network is independently owned &amp; operated. Peterbilt's dealer network consists of 405 locations across the US &amp; Canada with plans to be at 430 by the end of CY2020. In addition to the dealer network, Peterbilt's dealers are supported by 7 Paccar-owned Parts Distribution Centers strategically located across the US. The Parts Distribution Centers maintain a 99% fill-rate.</p> <p>In addition to Peterbilt Dealer parts inventories AND the Paccar Parts Distribution Centers, Peterbilt also offers All-Makes parts at over 300 TRP locations and online at <a href="https://trpparts.com/">https://trpparts.com/</a></p> <p>Peterbilt dealers also maintain strong relationships with several Body-Manufacturers. Many of these Body-Companies are Sourcewell members and stock vehicles that utilize Peterbilt trucks.</p>
25	Service force.	<p>Peterbilt Motors Company maintains an extensive Corporate service force consisting of a General Manager of Service, Assistant General Manager of Service (GM titles at Peterbilt are equivalent of VP at most companies), Director of Field Service, Director of Warranty, 6 Region Service Managers located across the US (East-Philadelphia, South-Nashville, Midwest-Dallas, Great Lakes-Chicago, West-Phoenix, and Canada-Toronto). Each Region Manager has 3 District Service Managers and 2 Engine Service Managers.</p> <p>The dealer network consists of 5,767 service personnel (Service Managers, Shop Foreman, Technicians, Service Advisors, Service Writers, etc.).</p> <p>Peterbilt Motors Company also has a Dealer Service Council that meets multiple times annually to discuss all things service, preventive maintenance, warranty, etc.</p>
26	Describe in detail the process and procedure of your customer service program, if applicable. Include your response-time capabilities and commitments, as well as any incentives that help your providers meet your stated service goals or promises.	<p>Peterbilt's Customer Service Program, TruckCare, starts with the initial request for service from the customer. Fleets can rely on Peterbilt TruckCare (<a href="https://partsandservice.peterbilt.com/roadside/">https://partsandservice.peterbilt.com/roadside/</a>) to connect them to the help they need 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. Wherever in the U.S. or Canada, Peterbilt's dealer network will get you back on the road as fast as possible:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Fast help when you call 1-800-4-PETERBILT</li> <li>• Free registration</li> <li>• Assistance with towing, jump and pull starts, tires, mechanical repairs and preventive maintenance services</li> <li>• An efficient roadside assistance system that tracks all aspects of your job</li> <li>• Custom-mapping technology including On-board diagnostics through SmartLinq that locates the nearest Peterbilt dealer, other PACCAR dealer or independent service provider to best assist you</li> <li>• Personalized customer profiles to specify your roadside assistance preferences</li> <li>• Bilingual representatives and translation service to ensure quality assistance in any language</li> </ul> <p>Peterbilt Dealers must achieve a year-to-date TruckCare Preventive Maintenance Customer Service Score of 90% or higher from Peterbilt Motors Company. The Preventive Maintenance Customer Service Score for each dealer location will reflect a score based upon the following criteria:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Dealer's ability to set firm appointment</li> <li>2. Resolving all customer complaints regarding service quality, customer treatment, or any other complaint deemed reasonable brought to the attention of the Customer Center.</li> <li>3. Dealer holding appointment slot for customer.</li> <li>4. Customer is not to wait longer than 1 hour from the scheduled time of the appointment</li> <li>5. Customer to receive a completed copy of the Preventive Maintenance Inspection Form at the completion of the service.</li> </ol> <p>New to Calendar Year 2020 is Peterbilt's "Platinum Service Center Certification". The program is intended to provide superior service for customers. The certification process is stringent: Platinum Factors for Dealerships' scores are based on factors including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Facilities and drivers lounges.</li> <li>• Expanded hours of service.</li> <li>• Parts availability.</li> <li>• Triage procedure.</li> <li>• Having certified Paccar MX engine technicians.</li> </ul> <p>Platinum Service Center locations will receive a special designation in Peterbilt's dealer locator on the company's website as well as a plaque to showcase in their dealership.</p> <p>Customer service is also a reflection of parts support; without the needed parts on hand a service event can be significantly delayed.</p>

		<p>Peterbilt has the parts you need, ready to ship, with a 99% fill rate. Fleets can reduce their inventory levels and gain security by relying on Peterbilt's dealer network of over 405 locations with 7 regional Parts Distribution Centers strategically located across the U.S. Fleets can be set up with Not-to-Exceed Pricing, Consolidated Billing, and dedicated Account Support locally and nationally.</p> <p>Response time capability:</p> <p>Rapidcheck:</p> <p>Available at all Peterbilt Dealer service locations, Rapidcheck provides a Diagnostic check within 2 hours of truck drop-off; No appointment necessary. Rapid Check guarantees the following within 2 hours of when the work order is started:</p> <p>Run initial diagnostic testing on the vehicle  Determine needed repairs or if more complete diagnoses is required  Check parts availability  Provide an estimate of when the vehicle repairs will be complete  Communicate all findings to the customer  With customer permission, repairs that can be completed within 2 hours will be carried out</p> <p>Response Time Capability:</p> <p>Mobile Service:</p> <p>Peterbilt's dealer network operates a fleet of 100+ mobile repair trucks; the fleet is growing rapidly. Mobile service allows for fast response to problems where the customer cannot or prefers not to bring their vehicle to the Peterbilt dealer location. Common in remote areas or areas where traffic is heavy and therefore drive time to/from dealer is not ideal.</p> <p>Peterbilt also offers National Account Warranty Programs that include:  Access to online truck service &amp; option database (E-Portal), Online electronic parts catalog (ECAT), and Field Service Bulletins  Option to perform in-house warranty repairs with a sponsoring Dealer Filing Warranty Claims on Behalf of Fleet (Dealer Sponsored) OR Fleet filing direct with Peterbilt (Direct Fleet)  Discounted and/or free diagnostic tools</p>	
27	Identify your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in the United States.	Peterbilt's full product line and support services are available to ALL Sourcewell participating entities in the United States.	*
28	Identify your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in Canada.	Peterbilt's full product line and support services are available to ALL Sourcewell participating entities in Canada.	*
29	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract.	N/A - Peterbilt services ALL geographic areas in the US & Canada.	*
30	Identify any Sourcewell participating entity sectors (i.e., government, education, not-for-profit) that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract. Explain in detail. For example, does your company have only a regional presence, or do other cooperative purchasing contracts limit your ability to promote another contract?	N/A - Peterbilt will fully service ALL Sourcewell participating entity sectors.	*
31	Define any specific contract requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	N/A - No specific contract requirements or restrictions apply to Sourcewell entities in Hawaii, Alaska, or other US Territories.	*

**Table 7: Marketing Plan**

Line Item	Question	Response *
32	Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this contract opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>Peterbilt Motors Company Marketing strategy for promoting the Sourcewell Contract consists of the following:</p> <p>Internal Dealer Bulletins (sent out to all Dealers Management &amp; Sales Personnel) that announce the program, describe the program, provide pricing, and contact details.</p> <p>Peterbilt Intranet site: Sourcewell is the ONLY entity that has it's own dedicated page on Peterbilt Motors' internal website. The site contains an overview of the program, quick reference guide, customer presentation template, pricing guide, contact information &amp; more.</p> <p>Peterbilt has and will promote Sourcewell at all Vocational/Government shows, conferences, and expos at which we exhibit; NTEA Work Truck Show, WasteExpo, Electric Utility Fleet Managers Conference (EUFMC), International Construction and Utility Electrical Expo (ICUEE), etc. This includes Peterbilt created marketing materials (see attached) as well as Sourcewell provided pop-ups, flags, truck vinyl logos, etc.</p> <p>All of Peterbilt's on-site training events include a module on Sourcewell. On-site training is held at Peterbilt's manufacturing locations on a quarterly basis and is open to all Dealer personnel. In addition to training held at Peterbilt facilities, Peterbilt also holds sales/product training at most major shows (NTEA, WasteExpo, etc) that also include module on Sourcewell.</p> <p>Peterbilt markets our Sourcewell contract on Social Media (Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn).</p> <p>Peterbilt's dealer network actively promotes their participation in the Peterbilt Sourcewell contract through their websites, social media, and exhibition at various shows including local and regional APWA events.</p> <p>See attached "Marketing Plan" in documents section.</p>
33	Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.	<p>Peterbilt Motors has and will continue to market Sourcewell on our Facebook page and Twitter account. Peterbilt will significantly increase our social media posts in general over the next several years with Sourcewell being part of that.</p> <p>Peterbilt's dealer network utilizes Facebook, Twitter, and LinkedIn primarily to promote their participation in the Sourcewell contract and to make announcements regarding customer procurement via the contract, etc.</p>
34	In your view, what is Sourcewell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcewell-awarded contract into your sales process?	<p>Sourcewell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP would be to announce the contracts on their website and conduct email campaigns to Sourcewell members. Sourcewell's role is to continue to be present at major shows, expositions, and conferences to actively promote Sourcewell in general and provide assistance to contract holders to actively promote their specific contracts, including providing marketing materials, pop-up flags, truck decals, etc. Sourcewell should continue to offer sponsorship opportunities at major events for contract holders to participate - example) Peterbilt Motors sponsored the "Public Procurement Reception" at WasteExpo in CY2020.</p> <p>Peterbilt Motors Company integrates the Sourcewell contract by setting sales goals for its District Sales Managers and Vocational Sales Managers that involve key government/municipal target accounts in their territories with an emphasis on promoting our Sourcewell Contract.</p> <p>Peterbilt Dealers are provided with presentation templates, marketing material, and filtered spreadsheets of all Sourcewell members in their specific areas of operation. Sales Blitzes and joint sales calls with factory personnel are held monthly.</p>
35	Are your products or services available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.	<p>Peterbilt products are not available through an e-procurement ordering process; only through Peterbilt Dealers and Sourcewell Member Body-Companies that sell complete/turnkey units to Sourcewell members.</p>

**Table 8: Value-Added Attributes**

Line Item	Question	Response *

36	Describe any product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training programs that you offer to Sourcewell participating entities. Include details, such as whether training is standard or optional, who provides training, and any costs that apply.	<p>Peterbilt Motors Company offers on-site and on-line product training, maintenance/service training, and many other courses relevant to the municipal/vocational truck market.</p> <p>Online training is available to all Sourcewell members 100% FREE of charge. Members would need to simply log into: <a href="http://www.peterbilt-fleettraining.com">www.peterbilt-fleettraining.com</a> and create a username &amp; password. Any member can take any course on the site and/or Fleet Managers can assign courses &amp; track progress.</p> <p>The following are just some of the training on the site that is available:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engine Service</li> <li>Low Power Visual Inspection</li> <li>Common Rail Troubleshooting</li> <li>Tandem Drive Axle Service</li> <li>Axle Kingpin Replacement</li> <li>Fuel System Flow and Components</li> <li>Common Rail Fuel System</li> <li>Engine Lubrication System</li> <li>Starting and Charging Systems</li> <li>Pending Active and Inactive Codes</li> <li>Clearing the MIL Light</li> <li>Smoke Analysis</li> <li>Low Power Diagnosis</li> <li>Manual Compression Testing</li> <li>EGR System Diagnosis</li> <li>Warning Lights</li> <li>DPF System Diagnosis</li> <li>DEF System Diagnosis</li> <li>Turbo System Diagnosis</li> <li>Diesel Emissions System</li> <li>Exhaust and Aftertreatment System Diagnosis</li> <li>NOx Sensor Diagnosis</li> </ul> <p>On-site training is available from Peterbilt Motors Company Factory Training Department for a fee on a reservation basis. Training can be conducted at a Peterbilt Motors facility (factory, Region Office, etc.) or at a Sourcewell Member's fleet location.</p> <p>Peterbilt's Dealer Network also offers operation, maintenance, service and other training. This training is offered for a fee on a reservation basis.</p>
37	Describe any technological advances that your proposed products or services offer.	<p>In addition to the standard features of Peterbilt trucks that will be listed below, Peterbilt trucks offer the following technological advances:</p> <p><b>SmartNav:</b></p> <p>A high-tech infotainment system, SmartNav delivers GPS navigation (truck maps), communications (integrates with cell phones) and vehicle monitoring (virtual gauges and other truck info) direct to an in-dash seven-inch color touch-screen. The SmartNav display enables intuitive interaction with an array of technologies, functions and apps, including truck camera systems. SmartNav features voice recognition and control, keeping hands on the wheel and eyes on the road. SmartNav integrates seamlessly with your phone via Bluetooth® connection and includes WiFi capability, making it easy to stay in touch no matter where you are. The integrated audio system plays through the truck speakers and can also accommodate satellite radio. The display is available in English, Spanish and French Canadian.</p> <p><b>SmartAir:</b></p> <p>Peterbilt's proprietary SmartAir system provides a factory installed, no-idle climate control solution that delivers maximum comfort while also reducing emissions and lowering fuel costs. The SmartAir system is powered by four, heavy-duty AGM batteries that are charged during normal driving conditions. When the engine is off, SmartAir provides quiet, efficient, high-power cooling capacity for up to 10 hours on a single charge. Peterbilt's SmartAir design features one of the smallest footprints in the industry. It also features on-board diagnostics, full automatic temperature control in A/C and heating modes and a digital LCD display that makes it easier to control the unit and provides battery monitoring. The system is fully integrated with Peterbilt's existing sleeper HVAC systems, resulting in increased cooling performance, enhanced reliability, reduced maintenance and lower overall operating costs.</p> <p><b>SmartLinq:</b></p> <p>Peterbilt's SmartLINQ remote diagnostic system complements fleet management operations by providing real-time notifications should a vehicle's onboard diagnostics system generate a service event. This easy-to-use, web-based</p>

system helps you prioritize which trucks should be serviced at the next convenient opportunity or which may need immediate attention. SmartLINQ provides four levels of notification – Stop Now, Service Now, Service Soon and Informational – as well as the fault codes generated from any vehicle requiring service. SmartLINQ allows the fleet to proactively schedule a service appointment with a Peterbilt dealer to ensure the needed resources are available when the vehicle arrives for service, getting your truck back on the road as quickly as possible. With SmartLINQ, Peterbilt helps you eliminate unscheduled downtime.

#### Collision Mitigation:

Peterbilt offers both the Bendix Wingman Collision Mitigation System as well as the Meritor OnGuard System. These systems utilize forward radar detection to provide driver alerts and active braking when objects are detected in the road or if closing on the vehicle ahead. Systems also offer lane-keeping technology as well as side object detection. Camera-integrated option provides enhanced object detection and can even read speed limit signs and alert drivers if over the limit. Systems can provide electronic stability control to prevent rollovers as well as adaptive cruise control with reduces throttle and/or applies the service brakes to maintain safe distance with vehicles ahead.

#### HID + LED headlights:

Peterbilt offers both High-Intensity-Discharge headlights and LED headlights. HID's provide the best available forward visibility, while LEDs provide superior wide-range/close-range lighting

#### Predictive Cruise:

Predictive Cruise if offered and provides (via forward radar sensor) for automated reduced throttle and/or service brake application to maintain safe distance with vehicles ahead.

#### Driver Performance Assistant:

When manual transmission is specified, Driver Performance Assistant provides a visual aid to drivers to encourage them to operate in the vehicles RPM "sweet spot" as well as "shift now" notifications to optimize shift patterns for operational efficiency and improved fuel economy.

#### Driver Information Display:

The standard Peterbilt Driver Information Display, located in the center of the dash cluster, provides the operator with the following selections via a toggle switch: Standard view shows cruise status, park-brake status, and gear selected. Optional views show virtual gauges (i.e. voltmeter, transmission temperature gauge), engine RPM display, shut-down timer, trip information (fuel economy, miles operated, hours operated, idle time, etc.), truck information (VIN, engine make/model, transmission make/model, etc.), and diagnostics/warnings (fault codes with descriptions).

#### Stability Control with Automatic Traction Control:

Electronic Stability Control prevents roll-over situation by applying the anti-lock service brakes to individual wheels to maintain truck balance when taking turns. Combined with automatic traction control, the technology greatly enhances safety for drivers/fleets.

#### Zinc coated frame rails:

Peterbilt offers a zinc coating for its frame rails and crossmembers that significantly reduces corrosion over the life of the truck.

Peterbilt offers a bump-fin style cooling system for extreme dirt environments to reduce wear on the engine.

#### Allison FuelSense:

Allison FuelSense technology optimizes shift patterns depending on the fleet's desired operating characteristics (power/max-fuel-economy/blend).

Peterbilt offers RollTek Air-Bag-equipped seats for enhanced safety in rollover accidents.

Peterbilt offers the full line of NFPA requirements including Seat & Occupancy sensor & warning, NFPA seats, NFPA grab handles, etc.

Peterbilt offers pre-wiring Provisions for fleet communication systems, camera systems, custom maintenance systems, etc.

Standard technology on Peterbilt trucks that provide value to fleets:

FRAME

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Steel rails with gussets to maximize RBM.  
 Huck bobtail fasteners provide a consistent and durable clamping force up to 600% greater than bolted frames. Tamper resistant round head and collar offers improved paint adhesion and corrosion resistance. Swage indicating features on collar allows for visual inspection of clamped joint.  
 Rubber-lined clamps along frame rail to protect air & electric lines routed in frame.  
 Chassis hose and wiring bundles conveniently routed through gussets provides protection for lines.

#### STEER AXLE

Zerk fittings on tie rod ends, king pins, and draglink ball joints for ease of maintenance and help extend service life of components.  
 Greaseless spring pins reduce maintenance and improve ride quality.  
 Cognis EMGARD® Synthetic Axle Lube reduces wear and extends maintenance intervals, resulting in increased uptime. Provides improved fluid flow to protect components in extreme cold conditions and withstand the stress from high temperatures, extending component life.  
 Glidekote splines on steering shaft extend service life of components.

#### DRIVE AXLE

Laser factory axle alignment (accurate to .030 of an inch) to improve handling and reduce tire wear.  
 Magnetic rear axle oil drain plug captures and holds any metal fragments in drive axle lube to extend service life.

#### ENGINES & RELATED SYSTEMS

Magnetic engine oil drain plug captures and holds any metal fragments in engine oil to extend service life.  
 Silicone radiator and heater hoses enhance value, durability and reliability.  
 ClimaTech extended life coolant extends maintenance intervals which reduces maintenance costs.  
 Constant tension and torque band clamps reduce leaks.  
 Stainless steel hard-line manifold reduces coolant hoses in the engine compartment to improve durability and appearance.  
 Thermal fuse in the air conditioning compressor clutch allows the pulley to free spin in the event of a compressor failure, thus reducing belt wear and vehicle downtime.  
 Weather pack silicone sealed electrical chassis connectors enhance value, durability and reliability.  
 Maintenance free 12V batteries provide reliable power for starting and accessories.  
 Stranded copper battery cables are double aught (00) or larger to reduce resistance.  
 Stainless steel flex exhaust tubing & clamps provide durability.  
 Optimized exhaust routing to simplify the truck order process and provide optimal performance.

#### AIR SYSTEM

Teflon-lined, stainless steel braided compressor discharge hose provides long service life in high operating temperatures.

#### FUEL TANKS

Aluminum fuel tanks with heavy-duty aluminum brackets and stainless steel straps.  
 Wire braid fuel lines increase durability and reduce potential for leaks.

#### ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

Multiplex electrical design utilizing the industry standard J1939 data bus that sends multiple signals over a single wire instead of having an individual wire for each function. This allows each component (engine, transmission and instrumentation) to communicate to each other. This design improves reliability and offers increased functionality.  
 Proprietary Electronic Service Analyst (ESA) allows dealer to monitor the electrical system, isolate sensors and gauges, and keep a log of service history.  
 Braided chassis harness cover provides durability.  
 Convoluted tube covering on harnesses protects from chaffing.  
 Wires numbered every 4 inches or less for ease of serviceability.

#### CAB / HOOD

Proprietary all-aluminum cab is light weight and durable for long service life.  
 Spring assisted, hood opening for serviceability.  
 Proprietary anti-blow-down locking mechanism that keeps the hood open during servicing and prevents unintentional closing.  
 One piece roof reduces potential for leaks.  
 Lap seam construction and aircraft fasteners has greater clamp load than rivets.

Double wall stamped aluminum doors provide virtually water-tight, rattle-free performance. Full length, light weight hidden gravity-hinge system that provides low resistance and ease for closing doors providing durability.  
Interior Left and Right Side Grab Handles for easy access into the cab.

CAB INTERIOR

LH & RH door mounted map pockets with door mounted step lights  
Cast rubber flooring with integral sound barrier.  
Integrated "dead pedal" for driver comfort.  
Four ergonomically positioned entry / egress grabhandles  
Proprietary non-slip threshold plate accented with a chrome inset and Peterbilt Red Oval adds a touch of Peterbilt class to safety and convenience.

LIGHTS

Projector module pod headlights provide outstanding visibility.  
'Headlight On Warning' when headlights are active with door open and ignition off. The high beam headlamp icon flashes and sounds an audible alarm.  
Headlights turn on automatically when windshield wiper blades are activated.  
Lighting system is protected by an impact resistant Lexan® lens and requires no special tools for lamp adjustment or bulb replacement.

DASH & INSTRUMENTATION

Driver Information Display that allows the driver to view diagnostic information and monitor truck system behavior. Information such as fuel economy, optimum engine speed and engine and transmission system management provides driver feedback and improves operating performance.  
Dash features an "in-mold" color process that imbeds the color into the material making the color permanent and eliminating peeling and fading.  
LED backlit gauges to prevent eye fatigue.

PAINT

Dupont Imron Elite two-stage non-metallic paint, one color cab / hood.

38	Describe any "green" initiatives that relate to your company or to your products or services, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.	<p>Peterbilt offers more models with CNG &amp; LNG engines than any other OEM and has sold more CNG/LNG trucks and offered them longer (since 1996) than any other OEM.</p> <p>Peterbilt's full line of engines are approved for the use of Biodiesel up to B20.</p> <p>Peterbilt just launched 3 Battery-Electric-Vehicles that are for sale; (Model 220EV - available NOW) and starting in CY2021 (Model 520EV &amp; Model 579EV).</p> <p>Investing in Sustainable Operations:</p> <p>All Company manufacturing locations that have been in operation for more than two years have achieved ISO14001 certification.</p> <p>The Company has invested \$160 million over the past ten years in facility projects that have improved energy efficiency, reduced emissions, reduced water consumption and waste including \$35 million in reusable containers.</p> <p>First in the truck industry to implement chassis robotic paint systems. This process has enhanced paint quality, reduced cost and decreased paint usage, waste and air emissions.</p> <p>Reducing Greenhouse Gas Emissions</p> <p>From 2009 to 2016 Peterbilt reduced greenhouse gas emissions 32% on a per revenue basis.</p> <p>Hazardous air emissions have been reduced by over 200 metric tonnes per year in paint and other processes.</p> <p>Peterbilt joined the CDP Reporter Services for reporting greenhouse gas emissions and to benchmark performance to continue reducing our greenhouse gas footprint.</p> <p>Reducing Waste</p> <p>Many of the Company's manufacturing locations achieve "zero waste to landfill" by recycling, employing reusable containers and composting food and paper waste.</p> <p>Conserving Resources</p> <p>Peterbilt reduces the use of water through internal recycling, reduces paint waste through robotic paint systems and conserves energy by using new technologies such regenerative dynamometers that capture electricity from vehicle testing.</p> <p>Products</p> <p>All Peterbilt vehicles have near-zero emissions of NOx, a smog causing compound, and are compliant with all applicable standards including those by the California Air Resources Board (CARB), the US Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and the European Commission.</p> <p>Peterbilt uses Ecodesign, a software tool, to reduce environmental impacts through product design. Through this process, engineers increase recyclability of our trucks, reduce air emissions, use lighter materials to reduce fuel consumption and use fewer hazardous materials.</p> <p>Fuel-Efficient, Low-Emission PACCAR Engines</p> <p>Peterbilt has strengthened its leadership in environmental stewardship by expanding its global portfolio of high performing low emission engines.</p> <p>Over the past five years, these engines have reduced GHG emissions by up to 14%. NOx and particulate matter have also been reduced by over 83%.</p>
39	Identify any third-party issued eco-labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the equipment or products included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.	<p>Peterbilt's full engine offerings all meet or exceed all Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and California Air Resources Board (CARB) emissions requirements.</p> <p>All plants that manufacture Peterbilt products are ISO 14001:2004 and/or ISO 14001:2015 Certified.</p> <p>Peterbilt offers EPA-Certified Green-House-Gas Emissions tires on all of its products.</p> <p>See Line Item 38 for additional details.</p>
40	Describe any Women or Minority Business Entity (WMBE), Small Business Entity (SBE), or veteran owned business certifications that your company or hub partners have obtained. Upload documentation of certification (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>Peterbilt's Dealer Network has several dealers/groups that operate as WMBE, SBE, and/or veteran owned businesses.</p> <p>Example certification (Montana Peterbilt) attached.</p> <p>Other certifications/inquiries available upon request to Peterbilt Motors.</p>

<p>41</p>	<p>What unique attributes does your company, your products, or your services offer to Sourcwell participating entities? What makes your proposed solutions unique in your industry as it applies to Sourcwell participating entities?</p>	<p>Peterbilt is a US based (Headquartered in Denton, Texas) company that offers the widest array of trucks in the industry. Peterbilt offers Class 5 Conventional trucks, Class 6 &amp; 7 Cab-Over trucks, Class 6 &amp; 7 Conventional trucks &amp; tractors, Class 8 Conventional trucks &amp; tractors AND Class 8 Cab-Over trucks &amp; tractors.</p> <p>No other OEM has the variety of trucks offered by Peterbilt Motors.</p> <p>This allows for a Sourcwell member fleet to procure all of their trucks from one OEM/Dealer. This "one-stop-shopping" benefits the member through a single source for all trucks, parts, and service needs, streamlining their operations. For example, if a fleet needs a large cab-over refuse truck, a small cab-over for paint striping, and a conventional tandem truck for a dump/plow application, Peterbilt is the ONLY OEM that can provide all 3 trucks.</p> <p>Peterbilt offers Class leading re-sale values on all of its trucks. If/when a Sourcwell Member trades/sells/auctions its used Peterbilts they will get significantly more than any competitor. This is reflected in NADA book values and can also be extracted from "Truck Paper" pricing.</p> <p>94% of Peterbilt trucks in-serviced in Calendar Year 1999 were still in-serviced in Calendar Year 2019 94% of 20-year-old trucks were still being put into service. This is a testament to Peterbilt's design philosophy of durable, reliable, custom engineered work trucks.</p>
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**Table 9: Warranty**

**Describe in detail your manufacturer warranty program, including conditions and requirements to qualify, claims procedure, and overall structure. You may upload representative samples of your warranty materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response in addition to responding to the questions below.**

Line Item	Question	Response *
42	Do your warranties cover all products, parts, and labor?	Yes. See attached for full warranty schedule. For extended warranty information, members can reach out to their local Peterbilt dealer or Peterbilt's Sourcewell manager listed on the contract. Hundreds of different combinations of extended warranties are available, including custom warranties to match the members needs (ex - more years, less miles/yr, etc.)
43	Do your warranties impose usage restrictions or other limitations that adversely affect coverage?	No.
44	Do your warranties cover the expense of technicians' travel time and mileage to perform warranty repairs?	Yes.
45	Are there any geographic regions of the United States (and Canada, if applicable) for which you cannot provide a certified technician to perform warranty repairs? How will Sourcewell participating entities in these regions be provided service for warranty repair?	No.
46	Will you cover warranty service for items made by other manufacturers that are part of your proposal, or are these warranties issues typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer?	Typically warranty for components added to a truck AFTER FACTORY DELIVERY (i.e. a Refuse Body or Dump Body, etc.) is covered by the OEM/Dealer/Distributor for that Body.  However, a number of Peterbilt Dealers are authorized distributors and/or service locations for other manufacturers/Body-Companies and can therefore provide warranty support.  Peterbilt Dealer locations that are also authorized dealers/distributors for other manufacturers/Body-Companies can be researched via the Peterbilt dealer or manufacturer/Body-Company website or by contacting the Peterbilt Motors National Account Manager that manages the Sourcewell Contract listed on the Peterbilt landing page on the Sourcewell website.
47	What are your proposed exchange and return programs and policies?	Exchange & return policies for trucks are at the discretion of the individual Peterbilt dealer providing the vehicle.
48	Describe any service contract options for the items included in your proposal.	Service contracts direct through Peterbilt Motors would only be available through Peterbilt's company-owned Lease operations (PacLease).  The majority of service contract options would be handled through Peterbilt Motors dealer network.  Most Peterbilt Dealers offer service contracts that provide a variety of options i.e. Preventive Maintenance, towing services, DOT inspections, tire exchange programs, oil analysis, winter prep, etc.  Most Peterbilt dealers can also offer on-site technicians, mobile-service, and full-maintenance-contracts.

**Table 10: Payment Terms and Financing Options**

Line Item	Question	Response *
49	What are your payment terms (e.g., net 10, net 30)?	<p>Payment terms are at the discretion of Peterbilt Dealers and vary depending on the type of truck purchased, body installed (if applicable), lead-times for components, etc.</p> <p>Payment terms are negotiable - typically Peterbilt dealers can provide payment terms that match what the Sourcewell member requests.</p>
50	Do you provide leasing or financing options, especially those options that schools and governmental entities may need to use in order to make certain acquisitions?	<p>Yes; Peterbilt Motors offers a full range of financing options including municipal leases through Paccar Financial Corporation (PFC), a Division of Paccar (Peterbilt is also a Division of Paccar).</p> <p>In addition to PFC, Peterbilt dealers can provide financing options through various banks and other financial partners. Also, many Dealer Groups operate their own finance companies and can provide options for Sourcewell members.</p>
51	Briefly describe your proposed order process. Include enough detail to support your ability to report quarterly sales to Sourcewell as described in the Contract template. For example, indicate whether your dealer network is included in your response and whether each dealer (or some other entity) will process the Sourcewell participating entities' purchase orders.	<p>Peterbilt Motors has created a special sales code that is added electronically in our "Truck Specification Software" that designates the truck(s) being ordered as a Sourcewell transaction. Peterbilt dealers submit Sourcewell orders electronically to Peterbilt Motors. A quarterly report is generated that shows all trucks that were ordered with the code. Peterbilt's Sourcewell Manager then cross references the code with warranty start dates to determine what trucks were put into service during that particular quarter. Although not required by Sourcewell, Peterbilt Sourcewell Manager then obtains copies of all invoices to the Sourcewell members for those trucks and verifies pricing. The trucks are then loaded onto the Sourcewell quarterly report and submitted to Sourcewell and at the same time submitted to Peterbilt accounting for check processing to pay Sourcewell.</p> <p>All purchase orders from Sourcewell members go directly to and are processed by Peterbilt dealers.</p> <p>For trucks on the ground that were not ordered for particular Sourcewell deals (stock trucks), dealers submit pricing to Peterbilt's Sourcewell Manager to verify that the sell price meets our Sourcewell contract pricing. Those "stock trucks" are then added to the quarterly tracking database.</p>
52	Do you accept the P-card procurement and payment process? If so, is there any additional cost to Sourcewell participating entities for using this process?	No.

**Table 11: Pricing and Delivery**

Provide detailed pricing information in the questions that follow below. Keep in mind that reasonable price and product adjustments can be made during the term of an awarded Contract as described in the RFP, the template Contract, and the Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form.

Line Item	Question	Response *
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53	<p>Describe your pricing model (e.g., line-item discounts or product-category discounts). Provide detailed pricing data (including standard or list pricing and the Sourcewell discounted price) on all of the items that you want Sourcewell to consider as part of your RFP response. If applicable, provide a SKU for each item in your proposal. Upload your pricing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.</p>	<p>See attached Peterbilt-Sourcewell Pricing.</p> <p>Peterbilt will continue with pricing that provides a %-off-of-list format. Peterbilt's published Sourcewell pricing lists sample MSRP/List prices for each model offered.</p> <p>Peterbilt will provide pricing for EVERY model we offer. Sourcewell members need to simply have their local Peterbilt dealer build their truck specification, obtain the specification from the dealer with the final list price. Member then takes the appropriate % (varies by Model) off of that list price to give them their final ceiling price for the truck. Price includes Peterbilt's factory freight and the Peterbilt dealer's profit &amp; pre-delivery-inspection.</p> <p>Pricing does not include any components or services provided by the dealer - ex) Body, additional components like lights, cameras, etc., additional fuel, truck clean-up, local delivery, etc.</p> <p>Also not included are any extended coverages requested and any engineering vehicle layout drawings if needed.</p> <p>*** Medium-Duty/Heavy-Duty Commercial trucks do not have true MSRPs - list prices can vary greatly depending on options. For example, the difference between a manual transmission and automatic transmission can be \$10,000+ in list price. Aggressive deep-lug all terrain tires can add \$5,000+.</p> <p>Battery-Electric-Vehicles (BEV) will be priced using the same method as described above for the cab &amp; chassis (truck) except that the BEV Systems cost will be added to the cab &amp; chassis price separately.</p>	
54	<p>Quantify the pricing discount represented by the pricing proposal in this response. For example, if the pricing in your response represents a percentage discount from MSRP or list, state the percentage or percentage range.</p>	<p>Peterbilt's discount for the Sourcewell contract is a %-off-of-List-Price format. The %-off yields truck pricing that is equalized to our best Marketing Program at the time of the RFP which will provide for substantial savings for Sourcewell members.</p> <p>As per the comments in Line Item 53, Price is established by taking the appropriate % (varies by Model) off of the final list price of the truck (after dealer specs the truck per the Sourcewell member's specifications). Price yielded includes Peterbilt's factory freight and the Peterbilt dealer's profit &amp; pre-delivery-inspection.</p> <p>Pricing does not include any components or services provided by the dealer - ex) Body, additional components like lights, cameras, etc., additional fuel, truck clean-up, local delivery, etc.</p> <p>Also not included are any extended coverages requested and engineering vehicle layout drawings if needed.</p> <p>See attached Pricing Proposal.</p> <p>To sum up the pricing proposal, Sourcewell Members will get the following discounts:</p> <p>Model 220: 23%  Model 325: 27%  Model 330: 31%  Model 337: 32%  Model 348: 35%  Model 365: 43%  Model 367: 43%  Model 567: 43%  Model 579: 44%  Model 389: 44%  Model 520: 42%</p> <p>Example: Sourcewell member works with local dealer to build a spec for a Model 348 and final list price with all options is \$130,000. Sourcewell member simply takes 35% off of that and the number yielded is what they would pay for the truck. \$130,000 - \$45,500 (\$130,000 X 35%) = \$84,500.</p>	

55	Describe any quantity or volume discounts or rebate programs that you offer.	<p>Peterbilt Motors Company AND its Dealers will provide quantity/volume discounts on a case by case basis - simply contact local dealer or Peterbilt Sourcewell contract manager. Typically this would be for transactions of 10 or more trucks.</p> <p>Rebates are also available for purchases of 10 or more trucks. For rebate structure/questions, etc., Sourcewell member will simply need to contact Peterbilt's Sourcewell Contract Manger.</p>	*
56	Propose a method of facilitating "sourced" products or related services, which may be referred to as "open market" items or "nonstandard options". For example, you may supply such items "at cost" or "at cost plus a percentage," or you may supply a quote for each such request.	<p>Peterbilt dealers can provide turnkey solutions for Sourcewell Members. Peterbilt dealers can provide one invoice that includes the truck cab &amp; chassis and all other components required on the vehicle.</p> <p>Examples of such components (or "sourced goods"):</p> <p>Bodies (refuse, dump, vacuum, etc.) Accessories (plows, additional lights, cameras, etc.)</p> <p>Peterbilt dealers will provide both Bodies &amp; Accessories at cost plus a maximum of 10%. Cost plus 10% amount may not exceed \$7,000 for Bodies &amp; Accessories.</p>	*
57	Identify any element of the total cost of acquisition that is NOT included in the pricing submitted with your response. This includes all additional charges associated with a purchase that are not directly identified as freight or shipping charges. For example, list costs for items like pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	<p>Items not included in Peterbilt's "%-off-of-List-Price" pricing are mentioned in Line Items 53 &amp; 54.</p> <p>Truck (cab &amp; chassis) price calculated from %-off-of-list-price equation includes Peterbilt factory freight charge and dealer profit and pre-delivery-inspection (PDI).</p> <p>Price does not include any component or service provided post factory delivery.</p> <p>Examples of components/services NOT included from Peterbilt Motors:</p> <p>Extended truck warranty Extended engine warranty Peterbilt Engineering Vehicle layout drawings</p> <p>Examples of components/services NOT included from Peterbilt Motors and provided by the Peterbilt Dealer:</p> <p>Body Federal Excise Tax (FET) - if applicable Other taxes Doc fees local delivery clean-up/truck wash additional manuals training additional lights camera systems additional fuel additional diesel exhaust fluid</p>	*
58	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcewell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	<p>Freight from the Peterbilt factory where the truck is being manufactured to the 1st delivery point (either Body-Company or Peterbilt Dealer) IS included in Peterbilt's Sourcewell pricing.</p> <p>Delivery of truck from the Body-Company or Peterbilt Dealer to the Sourcewell member is NOT included in Peterbilt's Sourcewell pricing and will be called out as a separate line item on the Body Company invoice and/or the Peterbilt dealer final invoice.</p>	*
59	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	<p>Terms for freight, shipping, and delivery to Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, and Puerto Rico no different that US from a pricing perspective.</p> <p>Time to ship estimated at 2-3 additional weeks for Alaska/Hawaii/Puerto Rico</p>	*
60	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	<p>Peterbilt Motors dealers can offer delivery spread out across a calendar year and sometimes 2-3 years at the same price (depending on purchase volume) or max 1% increase per year. Trucks can be delivered at intervals that suit the Sourcewell members need/budget.</p> <p>Peterbilt dealer can also offer to "stock" trucks that match Sourcewell Members' specifications and have them ready to deliver asap.</p>	*

**Table 12: Pricing Offered**

Line Item	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
61	c. better than the Proposer typically offers to GPOs, cooperative procurement organizations, or state purchasing departments.	Peterbilt pricing proposal reflects our best Marketing Program offered YTD in CY2020 and due to limits placed on dealer profit/pdi and other costs, the final pricing is better than what is typically offered.

**Table 13: Audit and Administrative Fee**

Line Item	Question	Response *
62	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed Contract with Sourcwell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcwell participating entities obtain the proper pricing, that the Vendor reports all sales under the Contract each quarter, and that the Vendor remits the proper administrative fee to Sourcwell.	<p>As noted in Line Item 51, Peterbilt Motors has created a special sales code that is added electronically in our "Truck Specification Software" that designates the truck(s) being ordered as a Sourcwell transaction.</p> <p>Peterbilt dealers submit Sourcwell orders electronically to Peterbilt Motors. A quarterly report is generated that shows all trucks that were ordered with the code.</p> <p>Peterbilt's Sourcwell Manager then cross references the code with warranty start dates to determine what trucks were put into service during that particular quarter.</p> <p>Although not required by Sourcwell, Peterbilt Sourcwell Manager then obtains copies of all Peterbilt dealer invoices to the Sourcwell members for those trucks and verifies pricing meets the Sourcwell Contract.</p> <p>The trucks are then loaded onto the Sourcwell quarterly report and submitted to Sourcwell and at the same time submitted to Peterbilt accounting for check processing to pay Sourcwell.</p> <p>For trucks on the ground that were not ordered for particular Sourcwell deals (stock trucks), and therefore do not have the Sourcwell electronic code on them, dealers have been formally instructed through Peterbilt's Sourcwell dealer training material to notify Peterbilt Motors of any stock trucks that sell to a Sourcwell member. Dealers must also submit pricing for those stock trucks to Peterbilt's Sourcwell Manager to verify that the sell price meets our Sourcwell contract pricing.</p>
63	Identify a proposed administrative fee that you will pay to Sourcwell for facilitating, managing, and promoting the Sourcwell Contract in the event that you are awarded a Contract. This fee is typically calculated as a percentage of Vendor's sales under the Contract or as a per-unit fee; it is not a line-item addition to the Member's cost of goods. (See the RFP and template Contract for additional details.)	Peterbilt Motors proposes to continue to offer the flat \$500/truck administrative fee that was provided for our current Sourcwell contract.

**Table 14A: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Line Item	Question	Response *
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64	Provide a detailed description of the equipment, products, and services that you are offering in your proposal.	<p>Peterbilt Motors offers the widest product line in the industry for Sourcewell members.</p> <p>Peterbilt offers the following products:</p> <p>Model 220: Cab-over cab. Truck configuration only (no tractor). 26,000 LBS GVW – 33,000 LBS GVW. 6.7 Liter diesel engine. Automated/automatic transmissions. Common applications include Street-Sweepers, Paint-Stripers, Stake-bed-trucks, and Van-body-trucks.</p> <p>Model 325: Conventional cab. Truck configuration only (no tractor). 19,500 LBS GVW. 6.7 Liter or 9 Liter diesel engine. Automated/automatic transmissions. Common applications include Service/Mechanics-trucks, Stake-bed-trucks, flat-bed-trucks, and Van-body-trucks.</p> <p>Model 330: Conventional cab. Truck configuration only (no tractor). 26,000 LBS GVW. Paccar 6.7 Liter or 9 Liter diesel engine. Automated/automatic transmissions. Common applications include Service/Mechanics-trucks, Stake-bed-trucks, flat-bed-trucks, and Van-body-trucks.</p> <p>Model 337: Conventional cab. Truck or tractor configuration. 26,000 LBS – 33,000 LBS GVW (52,000 LBS GVWR). 6.7 Liter or 9 Liter diesel engine. Automated/automatic or manual transmissions. Common applications include Dump-trucks, Van-body-trucks, hook-lift-trucks, and Utility-trucks.</p> <p>Model 348: Conventional cab. Truck or tractor configuration. 33,000 LBS – 66,000 LBS GVW &amp; GVWR. 6.7 Liter or 9 Liter diesel or CNG/LNG engine. Automated/automatic or manual transmissions. Common applications include Dump/Plow-trucks, Vacuum-trucks, Crane-trucks, Refuse/Waste Collection-trucks and Tank-trucks.</p> <p>Model 365: Conventional cab. Truck or tractor configuration. 66,000 LBS – 80,000+ LBS GVW &amp; GVWR. 9 Liter, 11 Liter, and 13 Liter diesel engine and 9 Liter and 12 Liter CNG or LNG engine. Automated/automatic or manual transmissions. Common applications include Dump-trucks, Vacuum-trucks, Tank-trucks, and Crane-trucks.</p> <p>Model 367: Conventional cab. Truck or tractor configuration. 80,000+ LBS GVW &amp; GVWR. 13 Liter and 15 Liter diesel engine. Automated/automatic or manual transmissions. Common applications include Heavy-haul-tractors, Heavy-Dump-trucks, Tank-trucks, and Vacuum trucks.</p> <p>Model 567: Conventional cab. Truck or tractor configuration. 66,000 LBS – 80,000+ GVW &amp; GVWR. 9 Liter, 11 Liter, 13 Liter, and 15 Liter diesel engine. Automated/automatic or manual transmissions. Common applications include Dump-trucks, Crane-trucks, Tank-trucks, and Low-Boy-tractors.</p> <p>Model 579: Conventional cab. Tractor configuration only (no truck). 66,000 LBS – 80,000 LBS GVWR. 9 Liter, 11 Liter, 13 Liter, or 15 Liter diesel engine and 12 Liter CNG or LNG engine. Automated/automatic or manual transmissions. Common applications include Van-Body-tractors, Flat-Bed-tractors, Tanker-tractors, and Low-Boy-tractors.</p> <p>Model 389: Conventional cab. Tractor or truck configurations. 80,000+ LBS GVW &amp; GVWR. 13 Liter or 15 Liter diesel engine. Automated/automatic or manual transmissions. Common applications include Heavy-haul-tractors, Heavy-Dump-tractors, Low-Boy-tractors, and Heavy-Dump-trucks.</p> <p>Model 520: Cab-over cab. Truck configuration and limited tractor configurations. 66,000 LBS – 80,000 LBS GVW and 80,000 LBS GVWR. Automated/automatic or manual transmissions. Common applications include Refuse/Waste-Collection-trucks (Rear-Load, Automated-Side-Loader, Front-Loader, etc.), Paint-Striping-trucks, and Concrete-Pumping-trucks.</p> <p>Additional details can be found at <a href="https://www.peterbilt.com/trucks">https://www.peterbilt.com/trucks</a></p>
65	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	<p>Truck &amp; related Parts:</p> <p>Peterbilt Motors Company and its sister division, Paccar Parts can provide comprehensive parts solutions (all makes/all models) for Sourcewell members. Some members can qualify for National Account Parts pricing depending on volumes. Paccar Parts offers and "Online Parts Counter" (<a href="https://parts.peterbilt.com/">https://parts.peterbilt.com/</a>), 24/7-365 parts ordering, consolidated billing, and Universal Credit Lines.</p> <p>In addition, Several Peterbilt Dealers operate very large Parts operations with their own dedicated distributions centers and can provide comprehensive parts solutions to Sourcewell members by way of substantial discounts, delivery service, and inventory management services.</p>

**Table 14B: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Indicate below what Classes of equipment are offered in this proposal.

Line Item	Category or Type	Offered *	Comments
66	Class 8 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Conventional cab & Cab-Over. Trucks & tractors. Body-installation unlimited. Up to 160,000 LBS GVWR. *
67	Class 7 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Conventional cab & Cab-Over. Trucks & tractors. Body-installation unlimited. Up to 33,000 LBS GCW and 66,000 LBS GVWR *
68	Class 6 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Conventional cab & Cab-Over. Trucks & tractors. Body-installation unlimited. Up to 26,000 LBS GVW and 52,000 LBS GVWR *
69	Class 5 chassis	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Conventional cab. Truck only. Body-installation unlimited. Up to 19,500 LBS GVW *
70	Class 4 chassis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	Peterbilt does not offer Class 4 chassis. *

**Table 15: Industry Specific Questions**

Line Item	Question	Response *
71	If you are awarded a contract, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the contract.	<p>1) Peterbilt Motors tracks market share for several segments, 1 of which is Government/Municipal/etc. Peterbilt Sales force and Dealer Network are graded heavily on market share performance, both by Peterbilt Senior &amp; Executive Management but also by Peterbilt's parent company, PACCAR, Inc. Performance regarding market share is weighted heavily for Peterbilt department evaluations (i.e. Vocational/Government Sales Team, Medium-Duty Sales Team, etc.) as well as individual evaluations and effects individual compensation.</p> <p>2) Peterbilt Motors created a specific tracking sales-code for Sourcewell transactions. This code is entered by Peterbilt dealers when truck specifications are created for Sourcewell members and is tied to the specification when it is submitted for final order. This allows Peterbilt to track all Sourcewell ordered trucks. In addition, dealers are required to submit VIN numbers for all stock trucks that sell to Sourcewell members. Stock trucks are trucks ordered for dealers to put on the ground in inventory to sell to the general public and therefore are not ordered with the Sourcewell tracking code. Dealers must submit their stock-truck Sourcewell sales quarterly to Peterbilt Motors.</p> <p>Using this data, Peterbilt recognizes the highest volume Dealer-Group with the "Sourcewell Most Valuable Partner" award annually and in addition recognizes the #1 Sales Person nationally. Monthly standings are sent out to the Dealer Groups &amp; Individuals to encourage participation &amp; competition.</p>

72	Describe your company's offering in relation to alternative fuel sources, including electric or others.	<p>Peterbilt Motors Company is the industry's #1 provider of Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) and Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG) trucks &amp; tractors. Peterbilt has been selling CNG/LNG trucks for over 20 years.</p> <p>Peterbilt offers the Cummins L9N &amp; ISX12N in several models: Model 337 (truck or tractor), Model 348 (truck or tractor), Model 567 (truck or tractor), and Model 520 Cab-Over (truck only).</p> <p>All of Peterbilt's engines (PX7, PX9, MX-11, and MX-13) as well as the Cummins engines offered by Peterbilt (X15) are compatible with Bio-diesel up to 20% (B20).</p> <p>Peterbilt Motors also offers the broadest range of Battery-Electric-Vehicles (BEVs) on the market.</p> <p>Peterbilt offers 3 distinct Models of BEVs:</p> <p>Peterbilt Model 220EV. Cab-Over; truck configuration. Commons applications include box/van for delivery, stake bed, and flat-bed.</p> <p>Peterbilt Model 579EV. Conventional Cab; tractor configuration. Local delivery or Port application.</p> <p>Peterbilt Model 520EV. Cab-Over; truck configuration. Refuse applications.</p>
73	Describe any manufacturing processes or materials utilized that contribute to chassis strength, cab strength, overall durability, driver safety that differentiate your offerings.	<p>Each Peterbilt truck is hand-made at one of our 3 manufacturing facilities. All components that make up each individual Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) are tracked by their serial number, at what station they were installed, by what employee, using what tools, at what specific time of the day and even the exact torque value of components fastened to the truck. This allows for optimum monitoring of supplier quality, any manufacturing errors, and insight into issues in the field (i.e. - failure in the field can more easily be traced to a particular batch of parts or a particular supplier, manufacturing process may need adjusted, etc.).</p> <p>Peterbilt Motors uses the highest quality materials that exceed most NHTSA, TMC, or SAE standards. All conventional cabs are aluminum in construction and use aircraft grade huck or henrob fasteners for assembly.</p> <p>Chassis strength:</p> <p>All OEMs use similar frame RAILS in regards to PSI/RBM - Peterbilt is the only OEM that uses FIVE 5/8" huck fasteners on each side of the crossmembers in the frame. This gives Peterbilt the absolute strongest frame in the industry - up to 600% stronger.</p> <p>Most of Peterbilt's conventional cabs (325/330/337/348/365/367/389) are constructed of aluminum and are fastened together with adjoining aluminum sheets overlapped (lap-seam construction) and fastened with aircraft quality huck fasteners. Peterbilt's other conventional cabs (567/579) use the same lap-seam process but use robotically punched henrob fasteners along with 2 adhesives (structural &amp; acoustic) to fasten the cab together.</p> <p>This superior frame and cab construction contributes to Peterbilt having 94% of it's trucks in-serviced in 1999 STILL being in-serviced in 2019! - Class leading durability.</p> <p>Safety features include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bendix ESP Stability Control System</li> <li>Bendix Wingman collision mitigation</li> <li>Meritor OnGuard</li> <li>Smart Traction Control</li> <li>Battery disconnect switches</li> <li>Auto Neutral activates with parking brake</li> <li>Brake lock PTO control</li> <li>Seat belt and occupancy sensor</li> <li>Remote keyless entry</li> <li>Optional Severe Service Cab</li> <li>Orange/Red seat belts</li> <li>RollTek Air-bag equipped seats</li> </ul> <p>Other Peterbilt features &amp; benefits/advantages:</p> <p>FRAME</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Steel rails with gussets to maximize RBM.</li> <li>• Huck bobtail fasteners provide a consistent and durable clamping force up to 600% greater than bolted frames. Tamper resistant round head and collar offers improved paint adhesion and corrosion resistance. Swage indicating features on collar allows for visual inspection of clamped joint.</li> <li>• 3-piece C-Channel crossmember with cast gussets for the strongest crossmembers in the industry.</li> </ul>

- Each crossmember is attached with FIVE 5/8" huck fasteners making for the strongest frames in the industry.
- Rubber-lined clamps along frame rail to protect air & electric lines routed in frame.
- Chassis hose and wiring bundles conveniently routed through gussets provides protection for lines.
- Standard front wheel mudflaps reduce road spray, help maintain a cleaner truck and better visibility.
- Two frame mounted tow pins standard.

#### STEER AXLE

- Available with set forward front axle configuration for a smoother ride or set back front axle configuration for increased maneuverability and optimized weight distribution.
- Factory front axle alignment to improve handling and reduce tire wear.
- Zerk fittings on tie rod ends, king pins, and draglink ball joints for ease of maintenance and help extend service life of components.
- Greaseless spring pins reduce maintenance and improve ride quality.
- Standard oil seals for long lasting leak protection.
- Cognis EMGARD® Synthetic Axle Lube reduces wear and extends maintenance intervals, resulting in increased uptime. Provides improved fluid flow to protect components in extreme cold conditions and withstand the stress from high temperatures, extending component life.
- Glidekote splines on steering shaft extend service life of components.

#### DRIVE AXLE

- Laser factory axle alignment (accurate to .030 of an inch) to improve handling and reduce tire wear.
- Magnetic rear axle oil drain plug captures and holds any metal fragments in drive axle lube to extend service life.
- Parking brakes on ALL drive axles for optimal performance.
- Cognis EMGARD® Synthetic Axle Lube for all Rear Axles.

#### ENGINES & RELATED SYSTEMS

- Magnetic engine oil drain plug captures and holds any metal fragments in engine oil to extend service life.
- Silicone radiator and heater hoses enhance value, durability and reliability.
- ClimaTech extended life coolant extends maintenance intervals which reduces maintenance costs.
- Low coolant level sensor warns of low coolant condition to prevent engine damage.
- Constant tension and torque band clamps reduce leaks.
- Stainless steel hard-line manifold reduces coolant hoses in the engine compartment to improve durability and appearance.
- Thermal fuse in the air conditioning compressor clutch allows the pulley to free spin in the event of a compressor failure, thus reducing belt wear and vehicle downtime.
- Weather pack silicone sealed electrical chassis connectors enhance value, durability and reliability.
- 12 Volt System with circuit protection for reliable easy maintenance and service.
- Composite fan is light-weight but strong and corrosion resistant.
- Full fan shroud, ring and rubber boot improves under hood airflow and provides a robust fan-to-radiator shroud interface for greater cooling capacity.
- Maintenance free 12V batteries provide reliable power for starting and accessories.
- Stranded copper battery cables are double aught (00) or larger to reduce resistance.
- Stainless steel air cleaner straps, brackets and fasteners provide a durable bright finish.
- Molded rubber air intake connections with lined stainless steel clamps seal to prevent contaminants in air intake.
- Washer bottle with 1.3 gallon capacity extends maintenance intervals to refill.
- Polished stainless steel grille with a distinctive punched oval grille pattern provides a durable bright finish.
- Stainless steel flex exhaust tubing & clamps provide durability.
- Optimized exhaust routing to simplify the truck order process and provide optimal performance.
- 5" diameter chrome plated steel standpipe cools exhaust for safety.

#### TRANSMISSION & RELATED SYSTEMS

- Synthetic lubricant to reduce friction, improve efficiency and extend component life.
- Magnetic transmission oil drain plug captures and holds any metal fragments in transmission oil to extend service life.
- Coated driveshaft splines extend service life.
- Configured Clutch to simplify the truck order process and provide optimal performance.
- Torque limiting clutch brake

#### AIR SYSTEM

- Engine mounted air compressor with remote mounted air system filter dryer to

reduce moisture in air system components.

- Teflon-lined, stainless steel braided compressor discharge hose provides long service life in high operating temperatures.
- Schrader valve for charging of air system from external source.

#### FUEL TANKS

- Aluminum fuel tanks with heavy-duty aluminum brackets and stainless steel straps.
- Under cab fuel tanks include steps for cab access.
- Single fuel tank will receive a single draw / single return fuel system.
- Dual fuel tanks will receive dual draw / dual return fuel system equalizes fuel load.
- Top draw fuel plumbing reduces chance of introducing air into the fuel system during low fuel level conditions due to the central placement of the fuel pickup tube.
- Optimized filler neck location on under cab fuel tanks optimizes access and safety.
- Paddle handle filler cap with threadless filler neck to avoid stripping
- Wire braid fuel lines increase durability and reduce potential for leaks.

#### ELECTRICAL SYSTEM

- Multiplex electrical design utilizing the industry standard J1939 data bus that sends multiple signals over a single wire instead of having an individual wire for each function. This allows each component (engine, transmission and instrumentation) to communicate to each other. This design improves reliability and offers increased functionality.
- Proprietary Electronic Service Analyst (ESA) allows dealer to monitor the electrical system, isolate sensors and gauges, and keep a log of service history.
- Automatically resetting circuit breakers in selected circuits
- Braided chassis harness cover provides durability.
- Convoluted tube covering on harnesses protects from chaffing.
- Wires numbered every 4 inches or less for ease of serviceability.
- Power distribution center in cab is centrally located in a protected environment for easy access.

#### CAB / HOOD

- Proprietary all-aluminum cab is light weight and durable for long service life.
- Light-weight, gently sloped, hood with and one-piece grille crown improves air flow and increases visibility.
- Spring assisted 90 degree hood opening for serviceability.
- Proprietary anti-blow-down locking mechanism that keeps the hood open during servicing and prevents unintentional closing.
- Hood latch on each side secures the hood to the cowl.
- Three point rubber cab mounting
- One piece roof reduces potential for leaks.
- Lap seam construction and aircraft fasteners has greater clamp load than rivets.
- Bulkhead style doors provide virtually water-tight, rattle-free performance.
- Extruded aluminum door frames for strength and durability.
- Full length, heavy-duty piano-type stainless steel door hinges and pins provide durability.
- View window in RH door for safety.
- Electric windshield wipers and washers with intermittent wiper function
- Grab handles mounted on cab LH & RH for cab access.
- Convex mirror over RH door and below each rear view mirror for improved visibility and safety

#### CAB INTERIOR

- Upper and lower dash panels in a dark charcoal color that is not only easier to clean and shows less scratches and scuffs, but also improves driver visibility due to less glare.
- Contoured door pads featuring integrated ergonomic armrests for driver comfort
- LH & RH door mounted map pockets with built-in courtesy lights
- Power lift passenger window controls integrated into the door panel are within easy reach of the driver for safe and convenient operation.
- Padded vinyl headliner is easy to clean.
- Two inside sunvisors with map straps provide driver and passenger comfort and convenience.
- Two coat hooks for driver and passenger convenience.
- Integrated cup holder in dash
- Cast rubber flooring with integral sound barrier.
- Heater / air conditioner with dedicated side window defroster
- Adjustable steering column
- Key start ignition for an automotive feel.
- Ignition and doors keyed alike for driver convenience.
- Cigar lighter and ashtray with power port
- Integrated "dead pedal" for driver comfort.
- Five ergonomically positioned entry / egress grabhandles
- Proprietary non-slip threshold plate accented with a chrome inset and Peterbilt Red Oval adds a touch of Peterbilt class to safety and convenience.
- Header mounted dome light

- Driver and passenger dome and reading lights
- Footwell lighting
- 12-volt power outlet in dash
- Peterbilt in-dash Navigation System available

LIGHTS

- State-of-the-art halogen projector module pod headlights increase visibility.
- 'Headlight On Warning' when headlights are active with door open and ignition off. The high beam headlamp icon flashes and sounds an audible alarm.
- Headlights turn on automatically when windshield wiper blades are activated.
- Polished cast aluminum headlight pod housing with LED side-turn indicators and an impact resistant lens matches durability with style.

DASH & INSTRUMENTATION

- Driver Information Display that allows the driver to view diagnostic information and monitor truck system behavior. Information system such as fuel economy, optimum engine speed and engine and transmission system management provides driver feedback and improves operating performance.
- Ergonomic dash provides enhanced driver comfort and productivity.
- Dash features an "in-mold" color process that imbeds the color into the material making the color permanent and eliminating peeling and fading.
- LED backlit gauges to prevent eye fatigue.
- Standard warning lights with audible alarm for high coolant temperature, low oil pressure and low air pressure
- Warning indicators for high beam, parking brake, turn signals, low fuel, road surface ice potential
- Seat belt reminder
- Cruise control for driver convenience.
- Rocker switches with long-life LED indicators that are easy to reach for driver safety and convenience.

PAINT

- The best paint in the industry: Dupont Imron Elite two-stage non-metallic paint, one color cab / hood

74	Describe any differentiating serviceability attributes (remote diagnostics, etc.) your proposal offers.	<p>Peterbilt hoods tilt a full 90-degrees providing class-leading engine compartment access for optimum serviceability of all components. All other OEMs hood tilt at approximately 75% or worse.</p> <p>In addition, Peterbilt's cabs do NOT have dog-houses which push the back end of the engine into the cab. Peterbilt's engine bay with no dog-house provides the best engine access for service in the industry.</p> <p>Peterbilt's 2-piece windshield offering provides for the lowest cost AND shortest downtime when replacing broken windshields. Approximately \$75 &amp; 30 minutes vs approximately \$400 &amp; 3-4 hours vs 1-piece windshields.</p> <p>Peterbilt offers individually replaceable gauges that allow for fast &amp; inexpensive gauge replacement. Approximately 10 minutes &amp; \$50 to replace a gauge in the gauge "cluster" vs ALL other OEMs needing the entire cluster replaced if 1 gauge goes out - approximately \$1,200 &amp; 1-2 hours.</p> <p>Peterbilt's cabin air filter is located out of the elements and easy to access near the passenger footwell. Other OEMs have external cabin air filters that require the windshield cowl to be removed and are exposed to the elements.</p> <p>Peterbilt uses weatherpack connectors with o-ring seals on wiring connection points to keep the elements out and provide secure connections. All wires clearly numbered (every 4 inches) and include aluminum tags to help identify them for easier service.</p> <p>Air lines are color-coded for simple tracing.</p> <p>Published Labor Times for Common Maintenance and Repair Items Show that a Peterbilt can Save up to 20% on Labor Costs</p> <p>Peterbilt conventional Medium-Duty trucks and 365/367/389 use a 3/8" piano hinge for door mounting. Other OEMs use light-duty-automotive style hinges (2). Piano hinge maintains door alignment over the life of the truck vs door alignment required for other OEMs. Improper door alignment wears the rubber-seal/weatherstripping and can even wear metal, causing element &amp; wind noise intrusion as well as corrosion.</p> <p>Peterbilt trucks come standard with on-board-diagnostics, visible to the driver via the "Driver Information Display". The on-board diagnostics will alert the driver of a fault code and provide the fault code number and a brief description. If the fault requires service soon or immediately the display will provide the driver with the level of the fault and the time (in hours) to de-rate and if severe, the time in hours to (shut-down). If, for example, a fault has a time in hours to de-rate of 5-hours and the operator has only 2 hours left in their route, they can finish their route and return to their shop or take to the dealer at the end of their route. Without on-board-diagnostics and just a simple dash light, operators would often times cut their route off as soon as the light illuminated.</p> <p>Peterbilt also offers Remote-diagnostics via our SmartLinq system. SmartLinq (free for the first 2 years on all Class 8 Peterbilt Models) provides the same information noted above (on-board-diagnostics) but additionally through a desktop and/or mobile app format. The SmartLinq web portal can be set up for management by one or several fleet personnel and provides a dashboard that will display a map of all SmartLinq-enabled trucks the fleet operates. The vehicles move on the map in real time and will display color-coded symbols to denote their current operating status (i.e. green-normal, yellow-service soon, red-service now, etc.). Each truck can be clicked on for more detailed information. Email notifications can be set up to alert the fleet SmartLinq administrator(s) when a truck experiences a fault code and can be tailored to only alert when faults are mission disabling, etc. More information can be found at <a href="https://www.peterbilt.com/innovation/technology/smartLINQ">https://www.peterbilt.com/innovation/technology/smartLINQ</a></p> <p>Peterbilt dealers offer "RapidCheck" service. Peterbilt launched the Rapid Check service program to provide diagnostics and an estimate of repairs in two hours or less.</p> <p>The program is available throughout the more than 405 locations in the Peterbilt dealer network.</p> <p>Within two hours, Rapid Check provides basic vehicle diagnostics, with more complex diagnostics if necessary. The information is evaluated and repairs are provided along with an estimated time needed to complete the work - again; all within 2 hours.</p> <p>The service is being offered to maximize customer uptime. The service is available for ANY truck make or model, not just Peterbilt.</p>
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## Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form

Only those Proposer Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications that have been accepted by Sourcewell have been incorporated into the contract text.

### Documents

#### Ensure your submission document(s) conforms to the following:

1. Documents in PDF format are preferred. Documents in Word, Excel, or compatible formats may also be provided.
  2. Documents should NOT have a security password, as Sourcewell may not be able to open the file. It is your sole responsibility to ensure that the uploaded document(s) are not either defective, corrupted or blank and that the documents can be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
  3. Sourcewell may reject any response where any document(s) cannot be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
  4. If you need to upload more than one (1) document for a single item, you should combine the documents into one zipped file. If the zipped file contains more than one (1) document, ensure each document is named, in relation to the submission format item responding to. For example, if responding to the Marketing Plan category save the document as "Marketing Plan."
- [Financial Strength and Stability](#) - paccar-2019-Annual Report.pdf - Wednesday May 06, 2020 07:48:59
  - [Marketing Plan/Samples](#) - Marketing Plan.pdf - Friday May 29, 2020 11:40:01
  - [WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates](#) - Montana Peterbilt LLC - MBE.pdf - Monday June 08, 2020 14:38:16
  - [Warranty Information](#) - Warranty Schedule.pdf - Tuesday June 09, 2020 07:50:55
  - [Pricing](#) - SOURCEWELL CUSTOMER PRICING CY2021-2024 RFP Proposal - Peterbilt Motors Company.pdf - Tuesday June 09, 2020 09:17:49
  - [Additional Document](#) - Peterbilt Dealer Directory.pdf - Friday May 22, 2020 12:40:07

## Proposer's Affidavit

### **PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE**

I certify that I am the authorized representative of the Proposer submitting the foregoing Proposal with the legal authority to bind the Proposer to this Affidavit and Assurance of Compliance:

1. The Proposer is submitting this Proposal under its full and complete legal name, and the Proposer legally exists in good standing in the jurisdiction of its residence.
2. The Proposer warrants that the information provided in this Proposal is true, correct, and reliable for purposes of evaluation for contract award.
3. The Proposer, including any person assisting with the creation of this Proposal, has arrived at this Proposal independently and the Proposal has been created without colluding with any other person, company, or parties that have or will submit a proposal under this solicitation; and the Proposal has in all respects been created fairly without any fraud or dishonesty. The Proposer has not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement or arrangement with any person or business in an effort to influence any part of this solicitation or operations of a resulting contract; and the Proposer has not taken any action in restraint of free trade or competitiveness in connection with this solicitation. Additionally, if Proposer has worked with a consultant on the Proposal, the consultant (an individual or a company) has not assisted any other entity that has submitted or will submit a proposal for this solicitation.
4. To the best of its knowledge and belief, and except as otherwise disclosed in the Proposal, there are no relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest. An organizational conflict of interest exists when a vendor has an unfair competitive advantage or the vendor's objectivity in performing the contract is, or might be, impaired.
5. The contents of the Proposal have not been communicated by the Proposer or its employees or agents to any person not an employee or legally authorized agent of the Proposer and will not be communicated to any such persons prior to Due Date of this solicitation.
6. If awarded a contract, the Proposer will provide to Sourcewell Participating Entities the equipment, products, and services in accordance with the terms, conditions, and scope of a resulting contract.
7. The Proposer possesses, or will possess before delivering any equipment, products, or services, all applicable licenses or certifications necessary to deliver such equipment, products, or services under any resulting contract.
8. The Proposer agrees to deliver equipment, products, and services through valid contracts, purchase orders, or means that are acceptable to Sourcewell Members. Unless otherwise agreed to, the Proposer must provide only new and first-quality products and related services to Sourcewell Members under an awarded Contract.
9. The Proposer will comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules, and orders.
10. The Proposer understands that Sourcewell will reject RFP proposals that are marked "confidential" (or "nonpublic," etc.), either substantially or in their entirety. Under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.591, subdivision 4, all proposals are considered nonpublic data until the evaluation is complete and a Contract is awarded. At that point, proposals become public data. Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37 permits only certain narrowly defined data to be considered a "trade secret," and thus nonpublic data under Minnesota's Data Practices Act.
11. Proposer its employees, agents, and subcontractors are not:
  - a. Included on the "Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons" list maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the United States Department of the Treasury found at: <https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf>;
  - b. Included on the government-wide exclusions lists in the United States System for Award Management found at: <https://www.sam.gov/portal/3>; or
  - c. Presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated

by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this solicitation.

By checking this box I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Proposer's Affidavit, have the legal authority to submit this Proposal on behalf of the Proposer, and that this electronic acknowledgment has the same legal effect, validity, and enforceability as if I had hand signed the Proposal. This signature will not be denied such legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because an electronic signature or electronic record was used in its formation. - Joe Curran, National Fleet Sales Manager, Peterbilt Motors Company

The Proposer declares that there is an actual or potential Conflict of Interest relating to the preparation of its submission, and/or the Proposer foresees an actual or potential Conflict of Interest in performing the contractual obligations contemplated in the bid.

Yes  No

The Bidder acknowledges and agrees that the addendum/addenda below form part of the Bid Document.

Check the box in the column "I have reviewed this addendum" below to acknowledge each of the addenda.

File Name	I have reviewed the below addendum and attachments (if applicable)	Pages
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**AMENDMENT #1  
TO  
CONTRACT #060920-PMC**

THIS AMENDMENT is effective upon the date of the last signature below by and between **Sourcewell** and **Peterbilt Motors Company** (Vendor).

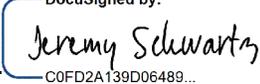
Sourcewell awarded a contract to Vendor to provide Class 4-8 Chassis with Related Equipment, Accessories, and Services to Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, effective July 30, 2020, through August 1, 2024 (Contract).

The parties wish to amend the Contract to replace Vendor’s updated Authorized Representative from Joe Curran to:

Wesley Slavin  
Director of Sales Operations  
940-591-4016  
Wesley.Slavin@paccar.com

Except as amended above, the Original Agreement remains in full force and effect.

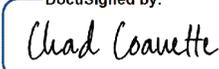
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**Solicitation Number: RFP #110421****CONTRACT**

This Contract is between Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and Elliott Equipment Company, 3514 South 25<sup>th</sup> Street, Omaha, NE 68105 (Supplier).

Sourcewell is a State of Minnesota local government unit and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) that offers cooperative procurement solutions to government entities. Participation is open to eligible federal, state/province, and municipal governmental entities, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public entities located in the United States and Canada. Sourcewell issued a public solicitation for Public Utility Equipment with Related Accessories and Supplies from which Supplier was awarded a contract.

Supplier desires to contract with Sourcewell to provide equipment, products, or services to Sourcewell and the entities that access Sourcewell's cooperative purchasing contracts (Participating Entities).

**1. TERM OF CONTRACT**

- A. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Contract is effective upon the date of the final signature below.
- B. **EXPIRATION DATE AND EXTENSION.** This Contract expires December 27, 2025, unless it is cancelled sooner pursuant to Article 22. This Contract may be extended one additional year upon the request of Sourcewell and written agreement by Supplier.
- C. **SURVIVAL OF TERMS.** Notwithstanding any expiration or termination of this Contract, all payment obligations incurred prior to expiration or termination will survive, as will the following: Articles 11 through 14 survive the expiration or cancellation of this Contract. All other rights will cease upon expiration or termination of this Contract.

**2. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES**

- A. **EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES.** Supplier will provide the Equipment, Products, or Services as stated in its Proposal submitted under the Solicitation Number listed above.

Supplier's Equipment, Products, or Services Proposal (Proposal) is attached and incorporated into this Contract.

All Equipment and Products provided under this Contract must be new and the current model. Supplier may offer close-out or refurbished Equipment or Products if they are clearly indicated in Supplier's product and pricing list. Unless agreed to by the Participating Entities in advance, Equipment or Products must be delivered as operational to the Participating Entity's site.

This Contract offers an indefinite quantity of sales, and while substantial volume is anticipated, sales and sales volume are not guaranteed.

B. **WARRANTY.** Supplier warrants that all Equipment, Products, and Services furnished are free from liens and encumbrances, and are free from defects in design, materials, and workmanship. In addition, Supplier warrants the Equipment, Products, and Services are suitable for and will perform in accordance with the ordinary use for which they are intended. Supplier's dealers and distributors must agree to assist the Participating Entity in reaching a resolution in any dispute over warranty terms with the manufacturer. Any manufacturer's warranty that extends beyond the expiration of the Supplier's warranty will be passed on to the Participating Entity.

C. **DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, AND/OR RESELLERS.** Upon Contract execution and throughout the Contract term, Supplier must provide to Sourcewell a current means to validate or authenticate Supplier's authorized dealers, distributors, or resellers relative to the Equipment, Products, and Services offered under this Contract, which will be incorporated into this Contract by reference. It is the Supplier's responsibility to ensure Sourcewell receives the most current information.

### **3. PRICING**

All Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract will be priced at or below the price stated in Supplier's Proposal.

When providing pricing quotes to Participating Entities, all pricing quoted must reflect a Participating Entity's total cost of acquisition. This means that the quoted cost is for delivered Equipment, Products, and Services that are operational for their intended purpose, and includes all costs to the Participating Entity's requested delivery location.

Regardless of the payment method chosen by the Participating Entity, the total cost associated with any purchase option of the Equipment, Products, or Services must always be disclosed in the pricing quote to the applicable Participating Entity at the time of purchase.

A. **SHIPPING AND SHIPPING COSTS.** All delivered Equipment and Products must be properly packaged. Damaged Equipment and Products may be rejected. If the damage is not readily apparent at the time of delivery, Supplier must permit the Equipment and Products to be

returned within a reasonable time at no cost to Sourcewell or its Participating Entities. Participating Entities reserve the right to inspect the Equipment and Products at a reasonable time after delivery where circumstances or conditions prevent effective inspection of the Equipment and Products at the time of delivery. In the event of the delivery of nonconforming Equipment and Products, the Participating Entity will notify the Supplier as soon as possible and the Supplier will replace nonconforming Equipment and Products with conforming Equipment and Products that are acceptable to the Participating Entity.

Supplier must arrange for and pay for the return shipment on Equipment and Products that arrive in a defective or inoperable condition.

Sourcewell may declare the Supplier in breach of this Contract if the Supplier intentionally delivers substandard or inferior Equipment or Products.

B. SALES TAX. Each Participating Entity is responsible for supplying the Supplier with valid tax-exemption certification(s). When ordering, a Participating Entity must indicate if it is a tax-exempt entity.

C. HOT LIST PRICING. At any time during this Contract, Supplier may offer a specific selection of Equipment, Products, or Services at discounts greater than those listed in the Contract. When Supplier determines it will offer Hot List Pricing, it must be submitted electronically to Sourcewell in a line-item format. Equipment, Products, or Services may be added or removed from the Hot List at any time through a Sourcewell Price and Product Change Form as defined in Article 4 below.

Hot List program and pricing may also be used to discount and liquidate close-out and discontinued Equipment and Products as long as those close-out and discontinued items are clearly identified as such. Current ordering process and administrative fees apply. Hot List Pricing must be published and made available to all Participating Entities.

#### **4. PRODUCT AND PRICING CHANGE REQUESTS**

Supplier may request Equipment, Product, or Service changes, additions, or deletions at any time. All requests must be made in writing by submitting a signed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form to the assigned Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator. This approved form is available from the assigned Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator. At a minimum, the request must:

- Identify the applicable Sourcewell contract number;
- Clearly specify the requested change;
- Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;

- Individually list all Equipment, Products, or Services affected by the requested change, along with the requested change (e.g., addition, deletion, price change); and
- Include a complete restatement of pricing documentation in Microsoft Excel with the effective date of the modified pricing, or product addition or deletion. The new pricing restatement must include all Equipment, Products, and Services offered, even for those items where pricing remains unchanged.

A fully executed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form will become an amendment to this Contract and will be incorporated by reference.

## **5. PARTICIPATION, CONTRACT ACCESS, AND PARTICIPATING ENTITY REQUIREMENTS**

A. PARTICIPATION. Sourcewell's cooperative contracts are available and open to public and nonprofit entities across the United States and Canada; such as federal, state/province, municipal, K-12 and higher education, tribal government, and other public entities.

The benefits of this Contract should be available to all Participating Entities that can legally access the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract. A Participating Entity's authority to access this Contract is determined through its cooperative purchasing, interlocal, or joint powers laws. Any entity accessing benefits of this Contract will be considered a Service Member of Sourcewell during such time of access. Supplier understands that a Participating Entity's use of this Contract is at the Participating Entity's sole convenience and Participating Entities reserve the right to obtain like Equipment, Products, or Services from any other source.

Supplier is responsible for familiarizing its sales and service forces with Sourcewell contract use eligibility requirements and documentation and will encourage potential participating entities to join Sourcewell. Sourcewell reserves the right to add and remove Participating Entities to its roster during the term of this Contract.

B. PUBLIC FACILITIES. Supplier's employees may be required to perform work at government-owned facilities, including schools. Supplier's employees and agents must conduct themselves in a professional manner while on the premises, and in accordance with Participating Entity policies and procedures, and all applicable laws.

## **6. PARTICIPATING ENTITY USE AND PURCHASING**

A. ORDERS AND PAYMENT. To access the contracted Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract, a Participating Entity must clearly indicate to Supplier that it intends to access this Contract; however, order flow and procedure will be developed jointly between Sourcewell and Supplier. Typically, a Participating Entity will issue an order directly to Supplier or its authorized subsidiary, distributor, dealer, or reseller. If a Participating Entity issues a purchase order, it may use its own forms, but the purchase order should clearly note the applicable Sourcewell

contract number. All Participating Entity orders under this Contract must be issued prior to expiration or cancellation of this Contract; however, Supplier performance, Participating Entity payment obligations, and any applicable warranty periods or other Supplier or Participating Entity obligations may extend beyond the term of this Contract.

Supplier's acceptable forms of payment are included in its attached Proposal. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.

B. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS/PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM.** Additional terms and conditions to a purchase order, or other required transaction documentation, may be negotiated between a Participating Entity and Supplier, such as job or industry-specific requirements, legal requirements (e.g., affirmative action or immigration status requirements), or specific local policy requirements. Some Participating Entities may require the use of a Participating Addendum; the terms of which will be negotiated directly between the Participating Entity and the Supplier. Any negotiated additional terms and conditions must never be less favorable to the Participating Entity than what is contained in this Contract.

C. **SPECIALIZED SERVICE REQUIREMENTS.** In the event that the Participating Entity requires service or specialized performance requirements not addressed in this Contract (such as e-commerce specifications, specialized delivery requirements, or other specifications and requirements), the Participating Entity and the Supplier may enter into a separate, standalone agreement, apart from this Contract. Sourcewell, including its agents and employees, will not be made a party to a claim for breach of such agreement.

D. **TERMINATION OF ORDERS.** Participating Entities may terminate an order, in whole or in part, immediately upon notice to Supplier in the event of any of the following events:

1. The Participating Entity fails to receive funding or appropriation from its governing body at levels sufficient to pay for the equipment, products, or services to be purchased; or
2. Federal, state, or provincial laws or regulations prohibit the purchase or change the Participating Entity's requirements.

E. **GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.** The governing law and venue for any action related to a Participating Entity's order will be determined by the Participating Entity making the purchase.

## **7. CUSTOMER SERVICE**

A. **PRIMARY ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE.** Supplier will assign an Account Representative to Sourcewell for this Contract and must provide prompt notice to Sourcewell if that person is changed. The Account Representative will be responsible for:

- Maintenance and management of this Contract;
- Timely response to all Sourcwell and Participating Entity inquiries; and
- Business reviews to Sourcwell and Participating Entities, if applicable.

B. BUSINESS REVIEWS. Supplier must perform a minimum of one business review with Sourcwell per contract year. The business review will cover sales to Participating Entities, pricing and contract terms, administrative fees, sales data reports, supply issues, customer issues, and any other necessary information.

## **8. REPORT ON CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE FEE PAYMENT**

A. CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY REPORT. Each calendar quarter, Supplier must provide a contract sales activity report (Report) to the Sourcwell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract. Reports are due no later than 45 days after the end of each calendar quarter. A Report must be provided regardless of the number or amount of sales during that quarter (i.e., if there are no sales, Supplier must submit a report indicating no sales were made).

The Report must contain the following fields:

- Participating Entity Name (e.g., City of Staples Highway Department);
- Participating Entity Physical Street Address;
- Participating Entity City;
- Participating Entity State/Province;
- Participating Entity Zip/Postal Code;
- Participating Entity Contact Name;
- Participating Entity Contact Email Address;
- Participating Entity Contact Telephone Number;
- Sourcwell Assigned Entity/Participating Entity Number;
- Item Purchased Description;
- Item Purchased Price;
- Sourcwell Administrative Fee Applied; and
- Date Purchase was invoiced/sale was recognized as revenue by Supplier.

B. ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. In consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcwell, the Supplier will pay an administrative fee to Sourcwell on all Equipment, Products, and Services provided to Participating Entities. The Administrative Fee must be included in, and not added to, the pricing. Supplier may not charge Participating Entities more than the contracted price to offset the Administrative Fee.

The Supplier will submit payment to Sourcwell for the percentage of administrative fee stated in the Proposal multiplied by the total sales of all Equipment, Products, and Services purchased

by Participating Entities under this Contract during each calendar quarter. Payments should note the Supplier's name and Sourcewell-assigned contract number in the memo; and must be mailed to the address above "Attn: Accounts Receivable" or remitted electronically to Sourcewell's banking institution per Sourcewell's Finance department instructions. Payments must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter.

Supplier agrees to cooperate with Sourcewell in auditing transactions under this Contract to ensure that the administrative fee is paid on all items purchased under this Contract.

In the event the Supplier is delinquent in any undisputed administrative fees, Sourcewell reserves the right to cancel this Contract and reject any proposal submitted by the Supplier in any subsequent solicitation. In the event this Contract is cancelled by either party prior to the Contract's expiration date, the administrative fee payment will be due no more than 30 days from the cancellation date.

#### **9. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

Supplier's Authorized Representative is the person named in the Supplier's Proposal. If Supplier's Authorized Representative changes at any time during this Contract, Supplier must promptly notify Sourcewell in writing.

#### **10. AUDIT, ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENTS, WAIVER, AND CONTRACT COMPLETE**

A. **AUDIT.** Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 16C.05, subdivision 5, the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices relevant to this Agreement are subject to examination by Sourcewell or the Minnesota State Auditor for a minimum of six years from the end of this Contract. This clause extends to Participating Entities as it relates to business conducted by that Participating Entity under this Contract.

B. **ASSIGNMENT.** Neither party may assign or otherwise transfer its rights or obligations under this Contract without the prior written consent of the other party and a fully executed assignment agreement. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld. Any prohibited assignment will be invalid.

C. **AMENDMENTS.** Any amendment to this Contract must be in writing and will not be effective until it has been duly executed by the parties.

D. **WAIVER.** Failure by either party to take action or assert any right under this Contract will not be deemed a waiver of such right in the event of the continuation or repetition of the circumstances giving rise to such right. Any such waiver must be in writing and signed by the parties.

E. **CONTRACT COMPLETE.** This Contract represents the complete agreement between the parties. No other understanding regarding this Contract, whether written or oral, may be used to bind either party. For any conflict between the attached Proposal and the terms set out in Articles 1-22 of this Contract, the terms of Articles 1-22 will govern.

F. **RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES.** The relationship of the parties is one of independent contractors, each free to exercise judgment and discretion with regard to the conduct of their respective businesses. This Contract does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship such as master-servant, or principal-agent.

### **11. INDEMNITY AND HOLD HARMLESS**

Supplier must indemnify, defend, save, and hold Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees incurred by Sourcewell or its Participating Entities, arising out of any act or omission in the performance of this Contract by the Supplier or its agents or employees; this indemnification includes injury or death to person(s) or property alleged to have been caused by some defect in the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract to the extent the Equipment, Product, or Service has been used according to its specifications. Sourcewell's responsibility will be governed by the State of Minnesota's Tort Liability Act (Minnesota Statutes Chapter 466) and other applicable law.

### **12. GOVERNMENT DATA PRACTICES**

Supplier and Sourcewell must comply with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13, as it applies to all data provided by or provided to Sourcewell under this Contract and as it applies to all data created, collected, received, stored, used, maintained, or disseminated by the Supplier under this Contract.

### **13. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PUBLICITY, MARKETING, AND ENDORSEMENT**

#### **A. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

1. *Grant of License.* During the term of this Contract:
  - a. Sourcewell grants to Supplier a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use the trademark(s) provided to Supplier by Sourcewell in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Sourcewell's relationship with Supplier.
  - b. Supplier grants to Sourcewell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Supplier's trademarks in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Supplier's relationship with Sourcewell.
2. *Limited Right of Sublicense.* The right and license granted herein includes a limited right of each party to grant sublicenses to their respective subsidiaries, distributors, dealers,

resellers, marketing representatives, and agents (collectively “Permitted Sublicensees”) in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties’ relationship to Participating Entities. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this Article by any of their respective sublicensees.

*3. Use; Quality Control.*

- a. Neither party may alter the other party’s trademarks from the form provided and must comply with removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.
- b. Each party agrees to use, and to cause its Permitted Sublicensees to use, the other party’s trademarks only in good faith and in a dignified manner consistent with such party’s use of the trademarks. Upon written notice to the breaching party, the breaching party has 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the breach or the license will be terminated.

4. As applicable, Supplier agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Sourcewell and its Participating Entities against any and all suits, claims, judgments, and costs instituted or recovered against Sourcewell or Participating Entities by any person on account of the use of any Equipment or Products by Sourcewell or its Participating Entities supplied by Supplier in violation of applicable patent or copyright laws.

*5. Termination.* Upon the termination of this Contract for any reason, each party, including Permitted Sublicensees, will have 30 days to remove all Trademarks from signage, websites, and the like bearing the other party’s name or logo (excepting Sourcewell’s pre-printed catalog of suppliers which may be used until the next printing). Supplier must return all marketing and promotional materials, including signage, provided by Sourcewell, or dispose of it according to Sourcewell’s written directions.

B. **PUBLICITY.** Any publicity regarding the subject matter of this Contract must not be released without prior written approval from the Authorized Representatives. Publicity includes notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, research, reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared by or for the Supplier individually or jointly with others, or any subcontractors, with respect to the program, publications, or services provided resulting from this Contract.

C. **MARKETING.** Any direct advertising, marketing, or offers with Participating Entities must be approved by Sourcewell. Send all approval requests to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract.

D. **ENDORSEMENT.** The Supplier must not claim that Sourcewell endorses its Equipment, Products, or Services.

#### **14. GOVERNING LAW, JURISDICTION, AND VENUE**

The substantive and procedural laws of the State of Minnesota will govern this Contract. Venue for all legal proceedings arising out of this Contract, or its breach, must be in the appropriate state court in Todd County, Minnesota or federal court in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

#### **15. FORCE MAJEURE**

Neither party to this Contract will be held responsible for delay or default caused by acts of God or other conditions that are beyond that party's reasonable control. A party defaulting under this provision must provide the other party prompt written notice of the default.

#### **16. SEVERABILITY**

If any provision of this Contract is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be illegal, unenforceable, or void then both parties will be relieved from all obligations arising from that provision. If the remainder of this Contract is capable of being performed, it will not be affected by such determination or finding and must be fully performed.

#### **17. PERFORMANCE, DEFAULT, AND REMEDIES**

A. **PERFORMANCE.** During the term of this Contract, the parties will monitor performance and address unresolved contract issues as follows:

1. *Notification.* The parties must promptly notify each other of any known dispute and work in good faith to resolve such dispute within a reasonable period of time. If necessary, Sourcewell and the Supplier will jointly develop a short briefing document that describes the issue(s), relevant impact, and positions of both parties.
2. *Escalation.* If parties are unable to resolve the issue in a timely manner, as specified above, either Sourcewell or Supplier may escalate the resolution of the issue to a higher level of management. The Supplier will have 30 calendar days to cure an outstanding issue.
3. *Performance while Dispute is Pending.* Notwithstanding the existence of a dispute, the Supplier must continue without delay to carry out all of its responsibilities under the Contract that are not affected by the dispute. If the Supplier fails to continue without delay to perform its responsibilities under the Contract, in the accomplishment of all undisputed work, the Supplier will bear any additional costs incurred by Sourcewell and/or its Participating Entities as a result of such failure to proceed.

B. **DEFAULT AND REMEDIES.** Either of the following constitutes cause to declare this Contract, or any Participating Entity order under this Contract, in default:

1. Nonperformance of contractual requirements, or
2. A material breach of any term or condition of this Contract.

The party claiming default must provide written notice of the default, with 30 calendar days to cure the default. Time allowed for cure will not diminish or eliminate any liability for liquidated or other damages. If the default remains after the opportunity for cure, the non-defaulting party may:

- Exercise any remedy provided by law or equity, or
- Terminate the Contract or any portion thereof, including any orders issued against the Contract.

## 18. INSURANCE

A. REQUIREMENTS. At its own expense, Supplier must maintain insurance policy(ies) in effect at all times during the performance of this Contract with insurance company(ies) licensed or authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota having an "AM BEST" rating of A- or better, with coverage and limits of insurance not less than the following:

1. *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability.*

Workers' Compensation: As required by any applicable law or regulation.

Employer's Liability Insurance: must be provided in amounts not less than listed below:

Minimum limits:

\$500,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident

\$500,000 policy limit for bodily injury by disease

\$500,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease

2. *Commercial General Liability Insurance.* Supplier will maintain insurance covering its operations, with coverage on an occurrence basis, and must be subject to terms no less broad than the Insurance Services Office ("ISO") Commercial General Liability Form CG0001 (2001 or newer edition), or equivalent. At a minimum, coverage must include liability arising from premises, operations, bodily injury and property damage, independent contractors, products-completed operations including construction defect, contractual liability, blanket contractual liability, and personal injury and advertising injury. All required limits, terms and conditions of coverage must be maintained during the term of this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage

\$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury

\$2,000,000 aggregate for Products-Completed operations

\$2,000,000 general aggregate

3. *Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain insurance covering all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles in limits of liability not less than indicated below. The coverage must be subject to terms

no less broad than ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 0001 (2010 edition or newer), or equivalent.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each accident, combined single limit

4. *Umbrella Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain umbrella coverage over Employer's Liability, Commercial General Liability, and Commercial Automobile.

Minimum Limits:

\$2,000,000

5. *Network Security and Privacy Liability Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain coverage for network security and privacy liability. The coverage may be endorsed on another form of liability coverage or written on a standalone policy. The insurance must cover claims which may arise from failure of Supplier's security resulting in, but not limited to, computer attacks, unauthorized access, disclosure of not public data – including but not limited to, confidential or private information, transmission of a computer virus, or denial of service.

Minimum limits:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence

\$2,000,000 annual aggregate

Failure of Supplier to maintain the required insurance will constitute a material breach entitling Sourcewell to immediately terminate this Contract for default.

B. CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE. Prior to commencing under this Contract, Supplier must furnish to Sourcewell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Contract. Prior to expiration of the policy(ies), renewal certificates must be mailed to Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 or sent to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract. The certificates must be signed by a person authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf.

Failure to request certificates of insurance by Sourcewell, or failure of Supplier to provide certificates of insurance, in no way limits or relieves Supplier of its duties and responsibilities in this Contract.

C. ADDITIONAL INSURED ENDORSEMENT AND PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY INSURANCE CLAUSE. Supplier agrees to list Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their officers, agents, and employees, as an additional insured under the Supplier's commercial general liability insurance policy with respect to liability arising out of activities, "operations," or "work" performed by or on behalf of Supplier, and products and completed operations of Supplier. The policy provision(s) or endorsement(s) must further provide that coverage is

primary and not excess over or contributory with any other valid, applicable, and collectible insurance or self-insurance in force for the additional insureds.

D. **WAIVER OF SUBROGATION.** Supplier waives and must require (by endorsement or otherwise) all its insurers to waive subrogation rights against Sourcewell and other additional insureds for losses paid under the insurance policies required by this Contract or other insurance applicable to the Supplier or its subcontractors. The waiver must apply to all deductibles and/or self-insured retentions applicable to the required or any other insurance maintained by the Supplier or its subcontractors. Where permitted by law, Supplier must require similar written express waivers of subrogation and insurance clauses from each of its subcontractors.

E. **UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY/SELF-INSURED RETENTION.** The limits required by this Contract can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies), or self-insured retention.

## **19. COMPLIANCE**

A. **LAWS AND REGULATIONS.** All Equipment, Products, or Services provided under this Contract must comply fully with applicable federal laws and regulations, and with the laws in the states and provinces in which the Equipment, Products, or Services are sold.

B. **LICENSES.** Supplier must maintain a valid and current status on all required federal, state/provincial, and local licenses, bonds, and permits required for the operation of the business that the Supplier conducts with Sourcewell and Participating Entities.

## **20. BANKRUPTCY, DEBARMENT, OR SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION**

Supplier certifies and warrants that it is not in bankruptcy or that it has previously disclosed in writing certain information to Sourcewell related to bankruptcy actions. If at any time during this Contract Supplier declares bankruptcy, Supplier must immediately notify Sourcewell in writing.

Supplier certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Supplier certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this Contract. Supplier further warrants that it will provide immediate written notice to Sourcewell if this certification changes at any time.

## **21. PROVISIONS FOR NON-UNITED STATES FEDERAL ENTITY PROCUREMENTS UNDER UNITED STATES FEDERAL AWARDS OR OTHER AWARDS**

Participating Entities that use United States federal grant or FEMA funds to purchase goods or services from this Contract may be subject to additional requirements including the procurement standards of the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 C.F.R. § 200. Participating Entities may have additional requirements based on specific funding source terms or conditions. Within this Article, all references to “federal” should be interpreted to mean the United States federal government. The following list only applies when a Participating Entity accesses Supplier’s Equipment, Products, or Services with United States federal funds.

A. **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.** Except as otherwise provided under 41 C.F.R. § 60, all contracts that meet the definition of “federally assisted construction contract” in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 C.F.R. §60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity” (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 C.F.R. §, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” and implementing regulations at 41 C.F.R. § 60, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor.” The equal opportunity clause is incorporated herein by reference.

B. **DAVIS-BACON ACT, AS AMENDED (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3148).** When required by federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. § 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. Supplier must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

C. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. §§ 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5). Under 40 U.S.C. § 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. § 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence. This provision is hereby incorporated by reference into this Contract. Supplier certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

D. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT. If the federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency. Supplier certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

E. CLEAN AIR ACT (42 U.S.C. § 7401-7671Q.) AND THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT (33 U.S.C. § 1251-1387). Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 require the non-federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401- 7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251- 1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

F. DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION (EXECUTIVE ORDERS 12549 AND 12689). A contract award (see 2 C.F.R. § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 C.F.R. §180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 C.F.R. § 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 C.F.R. § 1989 Comp., p. 235), “Debarment and Suspension.” SAM Exclusions contains the names

of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. Supplier certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation by any federal department or agency.

G. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT, AS AMENDED (31 U.S.C. § 1352). Suppliers must file any required certifications. Suppliers must not have used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Suppliers must disclose any lobbying with non-federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-federal award. Suppliers must file all certifications and disclosures required by, and otherwise comply with, the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. § 1352).

H. RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with the record retention requirements detailed in 2 C.F.R. § 200.333. The Supplier further certifies that it will retain all records as required by 2 C.F.R. § 200.333 for a period of 3 years after grantees or subgrantees submit final expenditure reports or quarterly or annual financial reports, as applicable, and all other pending matters are closed.

I. ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

J. BUY AMERICAN PROVISIONS COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with all applicable provisions of the Buy American Act. Purchases made in accordance with the Buy American Act must follow the applicable procurement rules calling for free and open competition.

K. ACCESS TO RECORDS (2 C.F.R. § 200.336). Supplier agrees that duly authorized representatives of a federal agency must have access to any books, documents, papers and records of Supplier that are directly pertinent to Supplier's discharge of its obligations under this Contract for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. The right also includes timely and reasonable access to Supplier's personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion relating to such documents.

L. PROCUREMENT OF RECOVERED MATERIALS (2 C.F.R. § 200.322). A non-federal entity that is a state agency or agency of a political subdivision of a state and its contractors must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation

and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 C.F.R. § 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

M. FEDERAL SEAL(S), LOGOS, AND FLAGS. The Supplier not use the seal(s), logos, crests, or reproductions of flags or likenesses of Federal agency officials without specific pre-approval.

N. NO OBLIGATION BY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. The U.S. federal government is not a party to this Contract or any purchase by an Participating Entity and is not subject to any obligations or liabilities to the Participating Entity, Supplier, or any other party pertaining to any matter resulting from the Contract or any purchase by an authorized user.

O. PROGRAM FRAUD AND FALSE OR FRAUDULENT STATEMENTS OR RELATED ACTS. The Contractor acknowledges that 31 U.S.C. 38 (Administrative Remedies for False Claims and Statements) applies to the Supplier's actions pertaining to this Contract or any purchase by a Participating Entity.

P. FEDERAL DEBT. The Supplier certifies that it is non-delinquent in its repayment of any federal debt. Examples of relevant debt include delinquent payroll and other taxes, audit disallowance, and benefit overpayments.

Q. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. The Supplier must notify the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity as soon as possible if this Contract or any aspect related to the anticipated work under this Contract raises an actual or potential conflict of interest (as described in 2 C.F.R. Part 200). The Supplier must explain the actual or potential conflict in writing in sufficient detail so that the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity are able to assess the actual or potential conflict; and provide any additional information as necessary or requested.

R. U.S. EXECUTIVE ORDER 13224. The Supplier, and its subcontractors, must comply with U.S. Executive Order 13224 and U.S. Laws that prohibit transactions with and provision of resources and support to individuals and organizations associated with terrorism.

S. PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract it will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.216.

T. DOMESTIC PREFERENCES FOR PROCUREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.322.

**22. CANCELLATION**

Sourcewell or Supplier may cancel this Contract at any time, with or without cause, upon 60 days' written notice to the other party. However, Sourcewell may cancel this Contract immediately upon discovery of a material defect in any certification made in Supplier's Proposal. Cancellation of this Contract does not relieve either party of financial, product, or service obligations incurred or accrued prior to cancellation.

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Elliott Equipment Company

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**Specifications****Table 1: Proposer Identity & Authorized Representatives**

**General Instructions** (applies to all Tables) Sourcwell prefers a brief but thorough response to each question. Do not merely attach additional documents to your response without also providing a substantive response. Do not leave answers blank; respond "N/A" if the question does not apply to you (preferably with an explanation).

Line Item	Question	Response *
1	Proposer Legal Name (one legal entity only): (In the event of award, will execute the resulting contract as "Supplier")	Elliott Equipment Company EIN: 47-0741258
2	Identify all subsidiary entities of the Proposer whose equipment, products, or services are included in the Proposal.	n/a
3	Identify all applicable assumed names or DBA names of the Proposer or Proposer's subsidiaries in Line 1 or Line 2 above.	n/a
4	Proposer Physical Address:	3514 South 25th Street Omaha, NE 68105
5	Proposer website address (or addresses):	www.elliottequip.com
6	Proposer's Authorized Representative (name, title, address, email address & phone) (The representative must have authority to sign the "Proposer's Assurance of Compliance" on behalf of the Proposer and, in the event of award, will be expected to execute the resulting contract):	M.J. DuBois, President of DuCo, LLC will be acting as both Contract Administrator and Authorized Negotiator for the duration of the proposal period and any subsequent contract award. See attached Authorization Letter. DuCo, LLC 1079 Tamiami Trl N #350 Nokomis, FL 34275 email: mjdubois@ducollc.com Phone: 410-924-1004
7	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	M.J. DuBois, Authorized Contract Administrator DuCo, LLC 1079 Tamiami Trl N #350 Nokomis, FL 34275 email: mjdubois@ducollc.com Phone: 410-924-1004
8	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Jim Glazer, President Elliott Equipment Company 3514 South 25th Street Omaha, NE 68105 402-932-9492 jim.glazer@elliottequip.com

**Table 2: Company Information and Financial Strength**

Line Item	Question	Response *
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<p>9</p>	<p>Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested equipment, products or services.</p>	<p>Elliott Equipment Company was founded in 1948 by Richard Elliott. The company has been a leading supplier to users in the utility, governmental, sign and lighting, electrical contractor, mining, and related industries for over 70 years. Elliott products were instrumental in building our nation's electrical grid and interstate highway system and continue that tradition to this day.</p> <p>Elliott's mission is 'Creating the Best Solutions for Lifting and Positioning People and Materials'. This simple phrase says a great deal about Elliott, as follows:</p> <p>Creating – Creativity and innovation have been at the core of Elliott since its inception. Elliott was a pioneer in truck-mounted construction equipment. Over the years, Elliott has engineered products that have helped change the work practices of crews in multiple industries, improving safety and efficiency along the way.</p> <p>The Best Solutions – Elliott takes the time to listen closely to its customers, enabling them to design the best machine for their work. Equally importantly, it takes the time to build it to last. Elliott products have exceptionally long useful lives. This helps retain their value and ensure years of trouble-free ownership. In fact, Elliott is still selling repair parts for units built in the 1970's.</p> <p>For Lifting and Positioning People and Materials– All of Elliott's products are multi-functional, and can perform as an aerial work platform, crane and/or digger derrick. They can be further customized, allowing them to do additional tasks as well. This flexibility increases their utilization and maximizes a crew's productivity. The combination of innovation, solid construction and multi-functionality results in Elliott's ability to deliver a solution to optimize the users work as well as their budget.</p> <p>Elliott's values build upon this mission and reflect who they are and how they approach their business. They are as follows:          Safety - It is essential in the workplace and the solutions they provide.          Customer Satisfaction - Elliott is dedicated to exceeding their customer's expectations.          Culture - They operate with integrity, in a dynamic environment based on trust, teamwork, mutual respect and fun.          Sustainability - They are responsible to their team members, customers, and stakeholders, to position their business for long term growth and financial stability.</p> <p>As a family-owned company, Elliott's culture is unique and long-term oriented. Elliott is customer focused and prudently managed. They truly care about the people they serve. These values have led to an outstanding reputation and long-term growth over the years.</p> <p>Current ownership purchased Elliott Equipment Company in 1991. At the time of purchase, Elliott offered only two models, a 50 foot and an 80-foot HiReach aerial. Despite the narrow offering, Elliott had loyal customers in the governmental and utility markets.</p> <p>Ownership has dramatically expanded the product line that started with the base two models of HiReach product. The Company now offers a line of over 33 models of HiReach material handling aerial work platforms that range from 45 to 240 feet in working height with options for a variety of platform sizes, platform accessories, insulation, and material handling.</p> <p>Elliott entered the truck mounted crane industry in 2002, to provide users a supplier that was customer solution focused and willing to customize products for their unique applications. Elliott now offers 32 models ranging from 10 to 50 tons in capacity. Elliott cranes are found in diverse applications from power line construction, to road and rail maintenance to mining support.</p> <p>Elliott recently developed its first digger derricks, for use in transmission construction and storm repair. These machines feature long booms, large lifting capacity, and high torque. Like all Elliott machines, the digger derricks are multi-functional, and are capable of digging, lifting loads and positioning people.</p> <p>Product development and innovation are only one part of the company's growth. Ownership has invested significant amounts in plant, equipment, systems, and support to allow Elliott to produce its products consistently, efficiently and with the highest quality. In 2020, Elliott relocated its entire operation to a modern, 210,000 sq/ft production facility in Omaha, NE. The facility is designed to optimize product flow, allowing Elliott the ability to significantly increase its manufacturing capacity and efficiency.</p> <p>When owners purchased the company, Elliott had a total of two factory salesmen, who represented the company directly to the end-users. Elliott now has a sales, service and rental network throughout the U.S. and Canada. Elliott has recently begun establishing a specialized network of distributors to focus specifically on governmental users. These dealers typically sell products like street sweepers, vacuum trucks, and the like. Elliott's products are highly complementary to these lines. By establishing this network Elliott will gain significant exposure to these markets and should allow accelerated growth in the years to come.</p> <p>Elliott will soon celebrate its 75th anniversary. Not only is Elliott one of the very few firms to survive to this milestone, because of its customer and employee focused mission and values, the Company is growing and thriving with its best years still to come.</p>
<p>10</p>	<p>What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?</p>	<p>Elliott is excited about the possibility of another awarded Sourcewell Contract. They have an expectation that a contract awarded will allow your Members to have continued access to innovative, exceptionally built, customizable, multi-function product solutions to their public works, material handling and utility needs.</p> <p>An award will also allow Elliott to participate in reinforcing their goals of superior sales and service support by offering a tool for their distributors to utilize in expanding their market reach. Elliott feels very strongly about their participation in this contract and has actively pursued and signed distributors that are "government houses" that specialize in sales to municipal customers in the last 18 months. These specialized dealers have been actively promoting Elliott's equipment and current Sourcewell Contract extensively throughout the US and Canada.</p> <p>Elliott has experienced a growth in municipal sales due to the Sourcewell Contract and firmly expects that trend to continue.</p>

11	Demonstrate your financial strength and stability with meaningful data. This could include such items as financial statements, SEC filings, credit and bond ratings, letters of credit, and detailed reference letters. Upload supporting documents (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	Elliott is a financially strong company. Please see the attached Great Western Bank Reference Letter, and State of Nebraska Certificate of Good Standing.	*
12	What is your US market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	Elliott's HiReach products are very unique, and have few direct competitors. They are not 'bucket trucks' as they offer material handling and platform tools that bucket trucks do not offer. Elliott estimates an 80% market share for those models.  Elliott has approximately 20% market share in cranes under 18 tons, which is a primary size for Sourcewell customers. They also have a 40% market share in transmission digger derricks.	*
13	What is your Canadian market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	Elliott estimates that their Canadian market share mirrors their US market share.	*
14	Has your business ever petitioned for bankruptcy protection? If so, explain in detail.	Elliott has never petitioned for bankruptcy.	*
15	How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer whichever question (either a) or b) just below) best applies to your organization. a) If your company is best described as a distributor/dealer/reseller (or similar entity), provide your written authorization to act as a distributor/dealer/reseller for the manufacturer of the products proposed in this RFP. If applicable, is your dealer network independent or company owned? b) If your company is best described as a manufacturer or service provider, describe your relationship with your sales and service force and with your dealer network in delivering the products and services proposed in this RFP. Are these individuals your employees, or the employees of a third party?	b) Elliott Equipment is a manufacturer, located in Omaha Nebraska, which works directly through a North American distribution network. The distributors in North America are individually owned companies. These distributors are assigned a geographic territory for exclusive product representation. Each distributor has sales, service and parts responsibilities within their geographic territory . Elliott also employs "in house" sales, service and parts personnel that support their distributors.	*
16	If applicable, provide a detailed explanation outlining the licenses and certifications that are both required to be held, and actually held, by your organization (including third parties and subcontractors that you use) in pursuit of the business contemplated by this RFP.	See attached Nebraska Motor Vehicle Dealer License.  Elliott HiReach aerial work-platforms are designed and built in accordance with ANSI A92.2 standards.  Elliott BoomTruck cranes are designed and built in accordance with ASME B30.5 Standards.  Elliott Boom Trucks with personnel handling are designed and built in accordance with ASME B30.23 Standards.  Elliott Digger Derricks are designed and built in accordance with ANSI A10.31 Standards.  Elliott cranes meet OSHA Standard 1926-1400.	*
17	Provide all "Suspension or Debarment" information that has applied to your organization during the past ten years.	Elliott Equipment has never been suspended or disbarred.	*

**Table 3: Industry Recognition & Marketplace Success**

Line Item	Question	Response *	
18	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years	Elliott is recognized by the National Safety Council as one of the safest workplaces in Nebraska, for over eight years running. Elliott has also been awarded the Nebraska Small Exporter of The Year by the Nebraska Business Development Council. They were recently recognized by Lift and Access as a LLEAP awardee and have been chosen as Construction Equipment Magazine's Top 100 New Products of the Year on multiple occasions..  10/2021 - Model I211 aerial was awarded first place in the Vehicle-Mounted Aerial Lift Category for their LLEAP Awards (The Leadership in Lifting Equipment and Aerial Platforms - LLEAP. Awards normally recognize innovative equipment, support products and services introduced during the previous 12 months.  Elliott Equipment hosted the American Welding Society for their annual awards meeting.  Nebraska's Governor, Pete Ricketts visited Elliott October 1, 2021 to proclaim National Manufacturing Month.	*
19	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years	Approximately 10% of Elliott's sales over the past three years have gone to governmental users. Of that 10%, the primary users include municipalities, utilities, toll roads and DOT's, school districts, universities, airports and light rail. Elliott envisions this percentage to increase over time, as they have added dedicated governmental distributors to their distribution team.	*
20	What percentage of your sales are to the education sector in the past three years	Less than 1% of Elliott's sales have been to the education sector.	*
21	List any state, provincial, or cooperative purchasing contracts that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	Sourcewell is the only cooperative purchasing contract Elliott currently holds.	*
22	List any GSA contracts or Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements (SOSA) that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	While many Federal agencies (DOE, DOD and NASA) use their products, Elliott does not currently have a GSA contract.	*

**Table 4: References/Testimonials**

**Line Item 23.** Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcewell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *	
City of Huntington Beach 200 Main Street Huntington Beach, CA 92648	Cody Jahn, Fleet Operations Supervisor	714-536-5431	*
South Dakota DOT 700 E. Broaway Ave Pierre, SD 57501-2586	Tyler Green, Equipment Manager	605-280-9513 Tyler.green@state.sd.us	*
Metropolitan Airports Commission 6040 28th Ave S Minneapolis, MN 55450	Wayne Steele, Fleet Manager	612-467-0633 wayne.steele@mspmac.org	*

**Table 5: Top Five Government or Education Customers**

**Line Item 24.** Provide a list of your top five government, education, or non-profit customers (entity name is optional), including entity type, the state or province the entity is located in, scope of the project(s), size of transaction(s), and dollar volumes from the past three years.

Entity Name	Entity Type *	State / Province *	Scope of Work *	Size of Transactions *	Dollar Volume Past Three Years *	
New Jersey Transit Department	Government	New Jersey - NJ	HiReach Platforms	3 units	\$1,275,836.0	*
Orange County Water District	Government	California - CA	Boom Trucks	2 units	\$850,568.00	*
South Dakota DOT	Government	South Dakota - SD	80' HiReach Platforms	2 units	\$473,553.00	*
Las Vegas Valley Water District	Government	Nevada - NV	Boom Trucks and HiReach Platform	2 units	\$431,330.00	*
Maryland Port Administration	Government	Maryland - MD	110' HiReach Platform	2 units	\$368,596.00	*

**Table 6: Ability to Sell and Deliver Service**

Describe your company's capability to meet the needs of Sourcwell participating entities across the US and Canada, as applicable. Your response should address in detail at least the following areas: locations of your network of sales and service providers, the number of workers (full-time equivalents) involved in each sector, whether these workers are your direct employees (or employees of a third party), and any overlap between the sales and service functions.

Line Item	Question	Response *
25	Sales force.	Elliott's sales team is comprised of two inside sales managers and three regional sales managers. They work with the distributors and end users in a consultative approach, to ensure they have the optimal machine to do their job.
26	Dealer network or other distribution methods.	Elliott's products are sold, serviced and rented through a network of authorized distributors throughout the United States and Canada. Since the start of their relationship with Sourcwell, they have added a number of the leading distributors of governmental products in the United States to their network. Their pipeline of potential Sourcwell sales has never been larger. See the attached list of exclusive Elliott Equipment distributors.
27	Service force.	Elliott's service team includes five technical support representatives and a four person parts team supporting our nationwide distributor network. They also maintain a supplemental service network in addition to their distributors to minimize any user downtime.
28	Describe the ordering process. If orders will be handled by distributors, dealers or others, explain the respective roles of the Proposer and others.	<p>Sourcwell Members will work directly with their Elliott Distributor on a contract sale.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. When the Member decides to purchase a new Elliott unit, the member will contact their local Elliott distributor.</li> <li>2. The Member will request a Sourcwell quote from their Distributor and provide their Member Number.</li> <li>3. Elliott's internal sales staff will work with the distributor and price out a unit based on the SW price and provide the distributor with a Sourcwell Worksheet (see attached sample). The distributor provides the authorized quote to the Member</li> <li>4. The distributor will receive the Purchase Order from the Sourcwell Member and when placing the order with Elliott to build the unit, return the Sourcwell Worksheet with the Purchase Order.</li> <li>5. Elliott's Distributor will invoice, deliver the unit once built and train the unit at the customer facility.</li> </ol>
29	Describe in detail the process and procedure of your customer service program, if applicable. Include your response-time capabilities and commitments, as well as any incentives that help your providers meet your stated service goals or promises.	<p>Elliott maintains a dedicated quality and after sales support team to support its customers, dealers and service providers. The goal of Elliott's aftersales support is to keep their customer's machines up and always running, with zero downtime. This starts at the factory, where they have a rigorous quality and product testing system, to ensure each machine works as it should when it leaves. Their local dealers perform an predelivery check to prior to placing the machine in service with the user.</p> <p>Elliott offers the longest warranty in the industry, with one year parts and labor on aerials and digger derricks, two years parts and labor on cranes and a lifetime structural warranty on all products.</p> <p>Elliott measures its warranty as a percentage of sales, its quality in terms of scrap, rework and check out time, and its service and parts response time. Continuous improvement in these areas is expected each year.</p> <p>Elliott maintains a significant spare parts inventory and incentivizes its dealers to do the same. The vast majority of parts orders are filled within 24 hours. Next day parts delivery is available upon request.</p> <p>Elliott's service technicians are available 24-7 to support their dealers and customers. Elliott has recently begun adding Bluetooth technology to its machines to assist in remote electrical and hydraulic system troubleshooting. In addition to its dealer network, Elliott has a supplemental network of service-only providers to enhance customer response time. Elliott regularly reviews its dealer's service capabilities and performance, to ensure they offer the highest levels of support to their customers.</p>
30	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcwell participating entities in the United States.	Elliott and their distributors sell and service Elliott products throughout the United States and Canada currently and expects to maintain that path with Sourcwell Members.
31	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcwell participating entities in Canada.	Elliott views the US and Canada as a single market (North America). Canadian exports comprise approximately 10% of their annual sales. Elliott has distributors across Canada that sell and support their products, just as we do in the United States. Elliott expects to maintain their superior level of sales and service within all areas in Canada.
32	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract.	Sourcwell is Elliott's sole cooperative purchasing contract. Elliott will have no restrictions on their contract sales and support anywhere in North America.
33	Identify any Sourcwell participating entity sectors (i.e., government, education, not-for-profit) that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract. Explain in detail. For example, does your company have only a regional presence, or do other cooperative purchasing contracts limit your ability to promote another contract?	Elliott wishes to sell to and support all Sourcwell Members and sees no restrictions for any entity sectors.
34	Define any specific contract requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	Elliott has no additional requirements or restrictions for Alaska, Hawaii or any US Territory other than time in shipment and the applicable cost of shipping. All items will be disclosed on the quotation prior to a Member issuing a Purchase Order.

**Table 7: Marketing Plan**

Line Item	Question	Response *
35	Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this contract opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>Elliott believes it is imperative to the success of their anticipated Sourcewell Contract award that the Executive Staff embraces the culture of contract sales. With the support/directive from Elliott Management and a "Go-To-Market" strategy developed, Elliott will continue to educate their sales, service, and distributor network about the award and what it will mean in maximizing municipal sales avenues. Both DuCo LLC (our Contract Administrator) and Sourcewell Supplier Development personnel will help with this process, make sure goals are met, and contract requirements are maintained. Elliott will hold national sales meetings to promote any new award to their internal staff, and distributors. The education of the distributor's sales teams will be accomplished by both one on one meetings and by group sales meetings. Elliott's response to this solicitation has been designed with success in mind; they believe that both the distributor and Sourcewell Member must be accepting of their Pricing for realization of their goals.</p> <p>Elliott will utilize Sourcewell's promotional flags at industry trade shows, Sourcewell Logo's on municipal market specific literature, ads, and web site. See attached examples</p>
36	Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.	<p>Elliott maintains a presence on social media outlets, including LinkedIn, Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. Their goal in doing so is to maintain and grow their user interaction with the Elliott brand by sharing Company and product news, success stories and other industry items of interest. Elliott continues to grow in followers each week.</p> <p>In addition to those items, Elliott has a monthly e-newsletter that it sends to customers and prospects. They also utilize Google Adwords to drive additional traffic to their website.</p>
37	In your view, what is Sourcewell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcewell-awarded contract into your sales process?	<p>Sourcewell has an exceptional reputation and based on their steady increase of sales, knows how to promote their contracts. Elliott believes that Sourcewell's marketing model works. The basis for longevity is service related and from what Elliott's municipal customers are saying, Sourcewell is aware of this concept. Elliott Expects the same existence at trade shows, Getting to Know You and Sourcewell University events will be continued as can be in the new COVID environment.</p> <p>Sourcewell Vendor paraphernalia available to contract holders is also helpful for trade shows and the new Vendor Supplier section of the Website has been and will be utilized.</p>
38	Are your products or services available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.	Elliott's products do not lend themselves to e-procurement ordering; there is no option for it.

**Table 8: Value-Added Attributes**

Line Item	Question	Response *
39	Describe any product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training programs that you offer to Sourcewell participating entities. Include details, such as whether training is standard or optional, who provides training, and any costs that apply.	In conjunction with their dealers, Elliott offers a variety of services, including, but not limited to, operator and mechanic training, crane operator certification, periodic inspections and more. Dealer provided operator training is standard. Sourcewell members can work with their dealer or Elliott to design a custom training curriculum. In depth training like this typically costs \$1,800 per day, plus travel.
40	Describe any technological advances that your proposed products or services offer.	During the past three years, Elliott has been on a campaign to update their control systems from direct wiring to a CANbus network. This improves reliability and service times. In addition, their controls have Bluetooth capability, which allows the user to contact the dealer or factory for trouble shooting. The Bluetooth package gives additional operating information and adaptability for the user. This technology is on all of Elliott cranes with cabs, and is making its way through to the HiReach line starting with the V60 and L65 models.

<p>41</p>	<p>Describe any "green" initiatives that relate to your company or to your products or services, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.</p>	<p>Elliott's Green Product Attributes                  Designed a special manifold to reduce number of hydraulic fittings and leak points.                  Remote engine start/stop to allow engine shut down to minimize fuel usage and emissions.                  ANSI A92.2 compliance for aerial work platforms (HiReach, SkyWalk, ELine).                  ANSI A10.31 compliance for digger derricks.                  ASME B30.5 compliance for boom trucks/cranes.                  All products are designed to optimize strength and weight. This allows products to be mounted on lighter chassis to consume less fuel.                  Products are designed and built to minimize weight while maximizing product life. Lower weight products also minimize impact on roads, prolonging road life.                  Products are designed to minimize operator fatigue and for safe operator use. Ingress/egress, operator controls, sight-lines and set up/tear down are all factored into design.                  Safe and Healthy Buildings                  Eye and ear protection required, hearing testing required, buildings monitored for noise level and air quality.                  Lean environment where materials and tools are minimized and in their place.                  New, state of the art ventilation and air filtration for paint, prep and burning operations.                  Safety scrap and waste are key performance indicators that are measured and worked for continuous improvement. Safety committee, safety meetings, safety recognition.                  Worker's compensation experience mod of .78, far better than industry average.                  All lighting in buildings has been retrofit with LED fixtures and motion sensors for better light and lower energy consumption.                  Waste is properly marked and disposed of. Paper is recycled. Laser or plasma cut steel is computer nested to minimize waste. Steel scrap is recycled. Elliott reclaims cleaning solvents used in paint preparation.                  On line registration, manuals and parts ordering significantly reduce paper use.                  Elliott is Efficient in Use of Materials                  Well-designed structures not only give the machine a longer useful life (reflected in its lifetime structural warranty), but also lengthen chassis life, by minimizing chassis frame twist and maximizing the structure of the chassis. The longer lived products reduce the need for rapid replacement.                  Multi-functionality allows more work to be done with a single machine which reduces machine count. Minimized piece count of machine to reduce opportunities for rework and scrap.                  Products are designed to minimize weight / material.                  Designed to reduce downtime, so fewer hydraulic fittings, fewer electrical connections, designed to maximize user safety and productivity.                  Rework and scrap are tracked for continuous improvement.                  Vendors are evaluated for quality and defects to reduce their scrap and rework.                  Training on floor ensures proper work is done, reducing scrap and rework.                  Only certified welders are used, to minimize material waste.                  Units are designed for exceptionally long useful life, and given lifetime structural warranty – this minimizes the need for regular replacement which saves trucks and other resources.                  Elliott moved to a new energy efficient building in April 2020. The building has excellent natural lighting and LED lights throughout with motion sensors. Green also includes safety and Elliott is consistently recognized by the National Safety Council as one of the safest companies in Nebraska.</p>
<p>42</p>	<p>Identify any third-party issued eco-labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the equipment or products included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.</p>	<p>Elliott does not have any third party certifications. It is important to note however, that during their current contract term, they have moved locations to a far more energy efficient building with state of the art air handling, energy efficient lighting, excellent material flow and new electrical systems. In addition, one of the primary considerations in their product designs is weight. They recently redesigned their most popular model and reduced its weight by over 20%. This contributes to increased fuel economy and lower ownership costs for Elliott users.</p>
<p>43</p>	<p>Describe any Women or Minority Business Entity (WMBE), Small Business Entity (SBE), or veteran owned business certifications that your company or hub partners have obtained. Upload documentation of certification (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.</p>	<p>A number of Elliott's local distributors are SBE, MBE, WMBE or Veteran owned businesses. The actual participation of each will be dictated by the customer's delivery area. The actual percentage of SBE, MBE, WMBE or Veteran owned business information can be provided to the customer upon request prior to the order being placed.                  Elliott is also utilizing a Small Woman Owned Business, DuCo, LLC, to administer the proposed Sourcewell Contract.</p>

44	<p>What unique attributes does your company, your products, or your services offer to Sourcewell participating entities? What makes your proposed solutions unique in your industry as it applies to Sourcewell participating entities?</p>	<p>Only Elliott HiReach aeriels have the platform size and accessories of self-propelled aerial combined with platform material handling and main boom lifting capabilities. This allows crews to use one machine to do the work of two, increasing utilization and reducing equipment costs.</p> <p>All Elliott aeriels are telescopic. Their 'point and shoot' design allows greater side reach to minimize lane closures and eliminates tail swing, protecting workers from accidentally moving a portion of the boom into traffic. Like a Swiss Army Knife, HiReach aeriels let workers do more jobs with a single piece of equipment.</p> <p>Elliott cranes are unique in that they can mount on lighter chassis, which differentiates them in water and sewer related activities. Only Elliott cranes have the capability to power hydraulic tools like clam buckets or grapples at the boom tip, eliminating the need to drag a hydraulic line on the ground. Elliott cranes can be equipped with remote control work platforms or post hole augers for even more savings to Sourcewell members.</p> <p>Elliott's digger derricks have taller tip heights, greater lifting capacity, and higher digging torque than any other machines on the market. They also can mount on a tandem axle chassis, with no permits required.</p> <p>Currently Elliott has several design initiatives in progress which will benefit Sourcewell members. One of these is reducing the weight of the Company's aerial work platforms, so they use less material and can fit on smaller trucks (or offer more carrying capacity on larger trucks) minimizing the need for a CDL and maximizing fuel economy.</p> <p>Examples of this include their new L65, which replaces one of their most popular units, the L60, and offers more reach, better lifting and weighs 3,000 lbs. less. The new M87, 87-foot aerial fits on a non-CDL chassis and offers more reach and lifting capacity on this class of chassis than anyone in the world. Elliott's new digger derricks also can mount on tandem axle chassis with no pusher or tag axle needed.</p> <p>Elliott is also transitioning to a next generation control system for its products, that allows for operators to individualize the performance of their machines and perform diagnostic system checks using Bluetooth technology.</p> <p>A third initiative is to allow users to maximize the utilization of their investment. As an example, Elliott's new E150 transmission machine is the industry's first machine to feature interchangeable booms and platforms, material handling and over-center boom operation. This single machine can do the work of five, literally cutting the cost of operation by over 50%, while simultaneously improving machine utilization and worker efficiency.</p>
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**Table 9: Warranty**

Describe in detail your manufacturer warranty program, including conditions and requirements to qualify, claims procedure, and overall structure. You may upload representative samples of your warranty materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response in addition to responding to the questions below.

Line Item	Question	Response *
45	Do your warranties cover all products, parts, and labor?	<p>Elliott's warranties cover parts and labor for one year (two years for cranes). Elliott is the only company in the industry to offer a lifetime structural warranty on all of their products.</p> <p>Customers can purchase extended parts and labor warranties if desired.</p>
46	Do your warranties impose usage restrictions or other limitations that adversely affect coverage?	No usage restrictions are imposed on the warranty. The only limitations apply if equipment has been misused, modified, not maintained, operator error or third party (non-Elliott) replacement parts have been used.
47	Do your warranties cover the expense of technicians' travel time and mileage to perform warranty repairs?	Elliott's warranty covers technician travel time and mileage. This work is typically performed by the distributor closest to the user.
48	Are there any geographic regions of the United States or Canada (as applicable) for which you cannot provide a certified technician to perform warranty repairs? How will Sourcewell participating entities in these regions be provided service for warranty repair?	Elliott does not expect any region not to be covered by their distributors. Elliott has distributors and service providers coast to coast. Most of these have physical shops as well as the ability to provide field service and warranty repair.
49	Will you cover warranty service for items made by other manufacturers that are part of your proposal, or are these warranties issues typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer?	Elliott's warranty covers all Elliott supplied items. Chassis are covered under their respective manufacturer's warranties. In cases of other significant third party parts that are added to the machine (like a welder/generator or rail gear), or provided by the user, the warranty would be a pass through from their respective manufacturer.
50	What are your proposed exchange and return programs and policies?	Elliott manufactures specialized equipment, built to suit, and does not offer exchanges or returns.
51	Describe any service contract options for the items included in your proposal.	<p>The purchasing Member can contact the local distributor for any service contracts. This is not something that can be purchased at the factory level.</p> <p>Customers can choose to purchase extended warranties of up to five years for their unit and/or truck chassis at the time of new unit purchase.</p>

**Table 10: Payment Terms and Financing Options**

Line Item	Question	Response *
52	Describe your payment terms and accepted payment methods?	Payment terms are net 30 days unless otherwise arranged prior to purchase on a case-by-case basis. Payments or units can be made by check, wire transfer or Automated Clearing House transfer (ACH).
53	Describe any leasing or financing options available for use by educational or governmental entities.	Elliott will offer municipal and non-profit leasing through third party vendors if there is Member interest. Elliott does not quote rates or terms for leasing, however it should be known to Members that we have this service available to them. Elliott will work with other Sourcewell Awarded Vendors (NCL) or any leasing agency of the Member's choice.
54	Describe any standard transaction documents that you propose to use in connection with an awarded contract (order forms, terms and conditions, service level agreements, etc.). Upload a sample of each (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	See the attached Sourcewell Distributor Worksheet commonly used with the current Sourcewell Contract. This form will be used with any future award for information to the Distributor and recognition as a Sourcewell Sale.
55	Do you accept the P-card procurement and payment process? If so, is there any additional cost to Sourcewell participating entities for using this process?	P-card procurement is not accepted.

**Table 11: Pricing and Delivery**

Provide detailed pricing information in the questions that follow below. Keep in mind that reasonable price and product adjustments can be made during the term of an awarded Contract as described in the RFP, the template Contract, and the Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form.

Line Item	Question	Response *
56	Describe your pricing model (e.g., line-item discounts or product-category discounts). Provide detailed pricing data (including standard or list pricing and the Sourcewell discounted price) on all of the items that you want Sourcewell to consider as part of your RFP response. If applicable, provide a SKU for each item in your proposal. Upload your pricing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	It is Elliott's intent to offer a percentage discount from the manufacturer list price to the Sourcewell Members on all of the items being proposed in this offer. Elliott's discount will be based on a percentage off of the base model and price listed options.
57	Quantify the pricing discount represented by the pricing proposal in this response. For example, if the pricing in your response represents a percentage discount from MSRP or list, state the percentage or percentage range.	Elliott is offering a discount of 7% on HiReach and Digger Derricks and a 6% discount on Boom Truck Cranes. This discount will be for the Elliott Base Unit and Elliott Price Listed options. Chassis will not be discounted.
58	Describe any quantity or volume discounts or rebate programs that you offer.	Elliott will offer additional discounts for volume purchases. There will be an additional 2% discount off the base unit discounted price for a single Purchase Order for 4 or more units.  At this time, Elliott does not offer any rebate programs.
59	Propose a method of facilitating "sourced" products or related services, which may be referred to as "open market" items or "nonstandard options". For example, you may supply such items "at cost" or "at cost plus a percentage," or you may supply a quote for each such request.	It is Elliott's intention to cover all items available on their commercial price lists. Elliott does realize, from time to time, there may be individual requirements that will not be listed. Elliott will provide any items "specific" to Sourcewell Members needs that they are able to. The pricing for such items will be cost plus 20%. Prior to accepting an order with Open Market items from a Sourcewell Member, Elliott will discuss the availability of a specific request and price the item. Any documentation of cost that Elliott can provide for these items will be presented on an individual basis when requested.  In cases where there is additional engineering and integration required, Elliott will provide this cost information to the customer at the time of their quote.

60	Identify any element of the total cost of acquisition that is NOT included in the pricing submitted with your response. This includes all additional charges associated with a purchase that are not directly identified as freight or shipping charges. For example, list costs for items like pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	<p>There are several costs not included in the pricing submitted in this proposal. These costs are listed below:</p> <p>Freight and Delivery: Freight costs will be pre-paid and added to the Members Quote and Invoice. Small items will be, in most cases, delivered by UPS. Other freight carriers may be utilized in shipments, i.e. Federal Express, DHL drive-away service, and common carrier. The actual cost of shipment will be passed through to the customer. Elliott will not mark up this item for profit. Minimal handling fees may be added where special packaging is required. The Member will be notified of these charges if applicable prior to order placement.</p> <p>Federal Excise Tax: Elliott is required by law to collect Federal Excise Tax on any truck mounted unit rated above 33,000 GVW. This tax will be added to the customer invoice as a separate line item. Elliott will pay this tax directly to the Internal Revenue Service. The rate of tax is calculated at 12%. Most municipal and non-profit entities are exempt from this tax. If Elliott is provided a Federal Excise Tax Exemption Certificate, they will not be required to collect this tax.</p> <p>Mounting Fee: This fee is charged to the customer when ordering a truck mounted unit. Mounting fees cover the cost of the mounting of the body on the desired truck chassis.</p> <p>Federally Mandated Items: The cost of any federally mandated items will be passed on to the Member. Elliott pricing includes any federally mandated items that are mandated at the time of this proposal. Should there be a Federal Mandate after the date of this proposal, any cost incurred to meet the requirements of this mandate will be passed on to the member. Any costs applicable will be provided to the Member prior to any Purchase Order being issued. This fee would typically be charged to meet any future EPA standards that may arise. An example of such costs would be in meeting Federal Emission Standards.</p> <p>Local Dealer Pre-Delivery Inspection, On Site Training, and Local Delivery Fees: These costs are charged by local dealers to inspect, test, in service the unit, local extended delivery and follow up training. These costs are a pass through cost to the member from the local dealer.</p>
61	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcewell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	<p>All freight charges are pre-paid and added to the Member quotation for convenience. Members always have the choice of picking up the units at the factory or retaining a 3rd party of their choice to deliver the equipment. The freight charges are at a pass-through price. Elliott has negotiated quantity-discounted shipping rates and will pass those discounts on to the Members.</p> <p>Most offered items are custom built to customer specification. Anticipated delivery of items ordered on a stock chassis or customer supplied chassis is expected to be 45-90 days after receipt of order or customer chassis. Anticipated delivery of an item ordered on a "special order" chassis is expected to be 120-180 days after receipt of order; however, this time can vary greatly depending upon chassis manufacturer back log.</p> <p>Delivery of truck mounted units will be pre-paid and added to Member Quotation and Invoice. Both "Drive-A-Way" service and common carrier service will be used.</p>
62	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	<p>The shipping and delivery charges for Canada, Alaska and Hawaii and any other off shore location are the same as the previously stated delivery programs for the contiguous US. The shipping charges to the port location will be calculated in the same manner.</p> <p>If the customer wishes that Elliott deliver via ocean transport, Elliott will pass on the negotiated shipping rates that they will pay to the ocean transport carrier to the Member. It has been their experience that the customers in these locations usually have their own negotiated rates with shipping carriers. If this is the case, Elliott will provide the customer shipping to their desired port and provide the customer with the appropriate documentation required. Elliott strives to provide the equipment as customer specified and to their satisfaction upon delivery.</p>
63	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	<p>As stated above, Elliott passes on negotiated bid freight pricing to their customers.</p> <p>Most of the Elliott distributors have units in stock and Member's can purchase those units to enhance delivery times and in some cases better prices.</p>

**Table 12: Pricing Offered**

Line Item	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
64	c. better than the Proposer typically offers to GPOs, cooperative procurement organizations, or state purchasing departments.	Elliott gives the best discounts available to Sourcewell Members.

**Table 13: Audit and Administrative Fee**

Line Item	Question	Response *
65	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed Contract with Sourcewell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcewell participating entities obtain the proper pricing, that the Vendor reports all sales under the Contract each quarter, and that the Vendor remits the proper administrative fee to Sourcewell. Provide sufficient detail to support your ability to report quarterly sales to Sourcewell as described in the Contract template.	Elliott closely monitors their distributor's Sourcewell opportunities and sales. Typically, Elliott's distributors request pricing from Elliott for each machine they are selling. This is because Elliott's products are all customizable, and governmental customers tailor their equipment to best fit their applications. As an additional tracking mechanism, Elliott reviews their warranty registrations and contacts all of their customers when they register a unit, this is done for customer satisfaction, distributor satisfaction and when municipal customers are involved, to verify what vehicle they used to purchase their unit.
66	If you are awarded a contract, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the contract.	Elliott establishes annual objectives with their distributors and reviews their progress throughout the year. Items they specifically track include sales calls, quotations, quotations converted to orders, and total sales under the Sourcewell contract. Elliott then discusses the dealer's progress on these and develops an ongoing plan to improve their performance.
67	Identify a proposed administrative fee that you will pay to Sourcewell for facilitating, managing, and promoting the Sourcewell Contract in the event that you are awarded a Contract. This fee is typically calculated as a percentage of Vendor's sales under the Contract or as a per-unit fee; it is not a line-item addition to the Member's cost of goods. (See the RFP and template Contract for additional details.)	Elliott proposes an administrative fee of 1%. The fee will be calculated on the Member price.

**Table 14A: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Line Item	Question	Response *
68	Provide a detailed description of the equipment, products, and services that you are offering in your proposal.	<p>HiReach – HiReach Truck-Mounted Material Handling Aerial Work Platforms</p> <p>Elliott HiReach material handling aerial work platforms feature a heavy duty, telescopic boom design, with easy 'point and shoot' operation. Material handling is available for all HiReach products, commonly both on the main boom and in work platform. This allows the machines to multi-function, increasing their versatility and lowering operating costs by eliminating the need for two separate units and chassis.</p> <p>Elliott's HiReach product line offers working heights from 48-240 feet. They offer 19 models within this range, all of which can be customized to optimize them for the user's application. This wide variety of models allows users to reach further and gives flexibility in choosing the optimal height for their application.</p> <p>The telescopic nature of Elliott's machines eliminates tail-swing inherent in an articulated boom. This simplifies operation and eliminates the risk of inadvertently swinging the 'knuckle' of the boom into traffic. The telescopic design also maximizes side reach, allowing users to reach further in a single set up.</p> <p>The HiReach work platform is unique in that it has an open rail design and is typically sized at 40"x60" or larger (up to 16 feet long). The standard 40"x60" platform allows for more than double the work surface of a typical 24"x48" two-worker fiberglass bucket. In addition, the open rail of the HiReach platform allows for far greater range of access for workers than enclosed bucket. Also offered, enclosed fiberglass buckets upon request; however users almost always opt for the platform design.</p> <p>Only Elliott offers "Office in the Sky" platform accessories include 110V, hydraulic tools, air tools, pressure washer, welder, oxy/acetylene, material handling forks and material handling jib winch. This is the largest range of platform tools of any truck mounted aerial device and allows users to maximize the types of work they do while in the air.</p> <p>Elliott HiReach units can also handle materials from both the main boom and the work platform. Typically the units offer 5,900 lbs. capacity from the main boom and 500 lbs. from the platform. Insulated units offer 3,650 lbs. material handling and longer units offer up to 15,000 lbs. material handling. This adds additional functionality and allows one machine to do the work of two or more.</p> <p>Users can also add an optional post hole digger to three and four section units (50-90 feet models), to provide a third major application to their machine.</p> <p>Elliott will further customize their units for fit a unique application. For example, they offer special outriggers that allow users to clear guardrails and get extra vertical penetration for the shoulder. Special bodies, lighting, tool circuits, recovery winches and other equipment are also available.</p> <p>All Elliott HiReach units are certified to ANSI A92.2 in personnel, material handling, and digging modes. This ensures outstanding stability and structural integrity.</p> <p>Elliott HiReach units feature a full-length sub-frame and oversize turret and bearing. This allows Elliott to back them with a lifetime structural warranty.</p> <p>Finally, Elliott works with all chassis manufacturers and can either supply a chassis or the user can supply their own if desired.</p> <p><b>Digger Derricks</b> Elliott has a growing line of digger derricks. Currently there are three models, with 86-, 105- and 115-foot tip heights, respectively. Elliott digger derricks are designed for use in the most demanding applications - transmission line construction and storm work. They feature the longest boom lengths, highest digging torque, wide digging radius, class leading material handling capacity at digging radius, full hydraulic controls and can mount on standard tandem axle chassis. Elliott is in the process of expanding their digger derrick product line, and plan to add multiple new models in the coming three years.</p> <p>Elliott Digger Derricks are backed by a one-year parts and labor warranty and lifetime structural warranty which is the best in the industry.</p> <p><b>Boom Truck - Boom Truck Mounted Telescopic Cranes</b> In addition to their HiReach aeriels and digger derricks, Elliott offers 14 models of truck mounted telescoping cranes 'BoomTrucks' that range from 10-50 tons of lifting capacity, boom lengths from 39 to 142 feet, and tip heights up to 207 feet. All of Elliott's BoomTrucks feature a telescopic design for simple 'point and shoot' operation.</p> <p>Elliott offers the widest selection of telescopic truck mounted cranes between 10-18 tons in the industry. These models are tailored for typical Sourcewell member applications, as they are compact, easy to operate and customizable. Users can add several options including hydraulic powered grapples, radio remote controlled work platforms, post hole diggers, lights, bodies and much more.</p> <p>Like all Elliott products, their BoomTrucks use the latest technology from industry leading suppliers to ensure smooth and trouble-free operation. All Elliott Boom Trucks comply with ASME B30.5 and ASME B30.23 for mobile and locomotive cranes.</p> <p>Elliott Boom Trucks are backed by a two-year parts and labor warranty and lifetime structural warranty which is the best in the industry.</p>
69	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	<p>Truck-mounted multi-function equipment Material handling aerial work platforms Boom Truck cranes Digger Derricks</p>

**Table 14B: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Indicate below if the listed types or classes of equipment, products, and services are offered within your proposal. Provide additional comments in the text box provided, as necessary.

Line Item	Category or Type	Offered *	Comments
70	Telescopic, articulated, mast, and boom, aerial lifts, towers, buckets, and platforms	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	HiReach models and cranes are offered in this category.
71	Digger derricks, and cable placing, pulling, and tensioning equipment	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Elliott offers digger derrick models in this response
72	Directional drills, trenchless excavation equipment, thrust and boring machines, soil piercing tools, trenchers, rock wheels, and pile drivers	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	not offered
73	Utility locating equipment	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	not offered
74	Accessories, supplies, replacement or wear parts, and services related to the offering of equipment in Lines 69-72	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No	not offered - to offer this kind of item would require more effort to track and report sales than is possible at this time.

**Table 15: Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form**

**Line Item 75. NOTICE:** To identify any exception, or to request any modification, to the Sourcewell template Contract terms, conditions, or specifications, a Proposer must submit the exception or requested modification on the **Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form** immediately below. The contract section, the specific text addressed by the exception or requested modification, and the proposed modification must be identified in detail. Proposer's exceptions and proposed modifications are subject to review and approval of Sourcewell and will not automatically be included in the contract.

Contract Section	Term, Condition, or Specification	Exception or Proposed Modification

**Documents**

Ensure your submission document(s) conforms to the following:

1. Documents in PDF format are preferred. Documents in Word, Excel, or compatible formats may also be provided.
2. Documents should NOT have a security password, as Sourcewell may not be able to open the file. It is your sole responsibility to ensure that the uploaded document(s) are not either defective, corrupted or blank and that the documents can be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
3. Sourcewell may reject any response where any document(s) cannot be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
4. If you need to upload more than one (1) document for a single item, you should combine the documents into one zipped file. If the zipped file contains more than one (1) document, ensure each document is named, in relation to the submission format item responding to. For example, if responding to the Marketing Plan category save the document as "Marketing Plan."

- [Pricing](#) - 2021 Elliott Sourcewell Price List.zip - Sunday October 24, 2021 12:31:02
- [Financial Strength and Stability](#) - Elliott Financial Strgth Docs.zip - Sunday October 24, 2021 12:31:42
- [Marketing Plan/Samples](#) - Elliott Marketing Docs.zip - Sunday October 24, 2021 12:32:28
- WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates (optional)
- [Warranty Information](#) - Elliott Warranty Docs.zip - Sunday October 24, 2021 12:32:44
- [Standard Transaction Document Samples](#) - SW Worksheet - End User Info.pdf - Sunday October 24, 2021 12:32:58
- [Upload Additional Document](#) - References.zip - Sunday October 24, 2021 12:33:15

## Addenda, Terms and Conditions

### PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE

I certify that I am the authorized representative of the Proposer submitting the foregoing Proposal with the legal authority to bind the Proposer to this Affidavit and Assurance of Compliance:

1. The Proposer is submitting this Proposal under its full and complete legal name, and the Proposer legally exists in good standing in the jurisdiction of its residence.
2. The Proposer warrants that the information provided in this Proposal is true, correct, and reliable for purposes of evaluation for contract award.
3. The Proposer, including any person assisting with the creation of this Proposal, has arrived at this Proposal independently and the Proposal has been created without colluding with any other person, company, or parties that have or will submit a proposal under this solicitation; and the Proposal has in all respects been created fairly without any fraud or dishonesty. The Proposer has not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement or arrangement with any person or business in an effort to influence any part of this solicitation or operations of a resulting contract; and the Proposer has not taken any action in restraint of free trade or competitiveness in connection with this solicitation. Additionally, if Proposer has worked with a consultant on the Proposal, the consultant (an individual or a company) has not assisted any other entity that has submitted or will submit a proposal for this solicitation.
4. To the best of its knowledge and belief, and except as otherwise disclosed in the Proposal, there are no relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest. An organizational conflict of interest exists when a vendor has an unfair competitive advantage or the vendor's objectivity in performing the contract is, or might be, impaired.
5. The contents of the Proposal have not been communicated by the Proposer or its employees or agents to any person not an employee or legally authorized agent of the Proposer and will not be communicated to any such persons prior to Due Date of this solicitation.
6. If awarded a contract, the Proposer will provide to Sourcewell Participating Entities the equipment, products, and services in accordance with the terms, conditions, and scope of a resulting contract.
7. The Proposer possesses, or will possess before delivering any equipment, products, or services, all applicable licenses or certifications necessary to deliver such equipment, products, or services under any resulting contract.
8. The Proposer agrees to deliver equipment, products, and services through valid contracts, purchase orders, or means that are acceptable to Sourcewell Members. Unless otherwise agreed to, the Proposer must provide only new and first-quality products and related services to Sourcewell Members under an awarded Contract.
9. The Proposer will comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules, and orders.
10. The Proposer understands that Sourcewell will reject RFP proposals that are marked "confidential" (or "nonpublic," etc.), either substantially or in their entirety. Under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.591, subdivision 4, all proposals are considered nonpublic data until the evaluation is complete and a Contract is awarded. At that point, proposals become public data. Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37 permits only certain narrowly defined data to be considered a "trade secret," and thus nonpublic data under Minnesota's Data Practices Act.
11. Proposer its employees, agents, and subcontractors are not:
  1. Included on the "Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons" list maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the United States Department of the Treasury found at: <https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf>;
  2. Included on the government-wide exclusions lists in the United States System for Award Management found at: <https://sam.gov/SAM/>; or
  3. Presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this solicitation.

By checking this box I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Proposer's Affidavit, have the legal authority to submit this Proposal on behalf of the Proposer, and that this electronic acknowledgment has the same legal effect, validity, and enforceability as if I had hand signed the Proposal. This signature will not be denied such legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because an electronic signature or electronic record was used in its formation. - M.J. DuBois, Contract Administrator, DuCo, LLC

The Proposer declares that there is an actual or potential Conflict of Interest relating to the preparation of its submission, and/or the Proposer foresees an actual or potential Conflict of Interest in performing the contractual obligations contemplated in the bid.

Yes  No

The Bidder acknowledges and agrees that the addendum/addenda below form part of the Bid Document.

Check the box in the column "I have reviewed this addendum" below to acknowledge each of the addenda.

File Name	I have reviewed the below addendum and attachments (if applicable)	Pages
<b>Addendum_4_Public_Utility_Equipment_RFP_110421</b> Thu October 14 2021 04:33 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2
<b>Addendum_3_Public_Utility_Equipment_RFP_110421</b> Mon September 27 2021 05:28 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1
<b>Addendum_2_Public_Utility_Equipment_RFP_110421</b> Fri September 24 2021 03:55 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1
<b>Addendum_1_Public_Utility_Equipment_RFP_110421</b> Mon September 20 2021 02:54 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1

**Solicitation Number: RFP #091521****CONTRACT**

This Contract is between Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and 72 Hour LLC dba: National Auto Fleet Group, 490 Auto Center Drive, Watsonville, CA 95076 (Supplier).

Sourcewell is a State of Minnesota local government unit and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) that offers cooperative procurement solutions to government entities. Participation is open to eligible federal, state/province, and municipal governmental entities, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public entities located in the United States and Canada. Sourcewell issued a public solicitation for Automobiles, SUVs, Vans, and Light Trucks with Related Equipment and Accessories from which Supplier was awarded a contract.

Supplier desires to contract with Sourcewell to provide equipment, products, or services to Sourcewell and the entities that access Sourcewell's cooperative purchasing contracts (Participating Entities).

**1. TERM OF CONTRACT**

- A. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Contract is effective upon the date of the final signature below.
- B. **EXPIRATION DATE AND EXTENSION.** This Contract expires November 8, 2025, unless it is cancelled sooner pursuant to Article 22. This Contract may be extended one additional year upon the request of Sourcewell and written agreement by Supplier.
- C. **SURVIVAL OF TERMS.** Notwithstanding any expiration or termination of this Contract, all payment obligations incurred prior to expiration or termination will survive, as will the following: Articles 11 through 14 survive the expiration or cancellation of this Contract. All rights will cease upon expiration or termination of this Contract.

**2. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES**

- A. **EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES.** Supplier will provide the Equipment, Products, or Services as stated in its Proposal submitted under the Solicitation Number listed above.

Supplier's Equipment, Products, or Services Proposal (Proposal) is attached and incorporated into this Contract.

All Equipment and Products provided under this Contract must be new and the current model. Supplier may offer close-out or refurbished Equipment or Products if they are clearly indicated in Supplier's product and pricing list. Unless agreed to by the Participating Entities in advance, Equipment or Products must be delivered as operational to the Participating Entity's site.

This Contract offers an indefinite quantity of sales, and while substantial volume is anticipated, sales and sales volume are not guaranteed.

B. **WARRANTY.** Supplier warrants that all Equipment, Products, and Services furnished are free from liens and encumbrances, and are free from defects in design, materials, and workmanship. In addition, Supplier warrants the Equipment, Products, and Services are suitable for and will perform in accordance with the ordinary use for which they are intended. Supplier's dealers and distributors must agree to assist the Participating Entity in reaching a resolution in any dispute over warranty terms with the manufacturer. Any manufacturer's warranty that extends beyond the expiration of the Supplier's warranty will be passed on to the Participating Entity.

C. **DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, AND/OR RESELLERS.** Upon Contract execution and throughout the Contract term, Supplier must provide to Sourcewell a current means to validate or authenticate Supplier's authorized dealers, distributors, or resellers relative to the Equipment, Products, and Services offered under this Contract, which will be incorporated into this Contract by reference. It is the Supplier's responsibility to ensure Sourcewell receives the most current information.

### **3. PRICING**

All Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract will be priced at or below the price stated in Supplier's Proposal.

When providing pricing quotes to Participating Entities, all pricing quoted must reflect a Participating Entity's total cost of acquisition. This means that the quoted cost is for delivered Equipment, Products, and Services that are operational for their intended purpose, and includes all costs to the Participating Entity's requested delivery location.

Regardless of the payment method chosen by the Participating Entity, the total cost associated with any purchase option of the Equipment, Products, or Services must always be disclosed in the pricing quote to the applicable Participating Entity at the time of purchase.

A. **SHIPPING AND SHIPPING COSTS.** All delivered Equipment and Products must be properly packaged. Damaged Equipment and Products may be rejected. If the damage is not readily apparent at the time of delivery, Supplier must permit the Equipment and Products to be

returned within a reasonable time at no cost to Sourcewell or its Participating Entities. Participating Entities reserve the right to inspect the Equipment and Products at a reasonable time after delivery where circumstances or conditions prevent effective inspection of the Equipment and Products at the time of delivery. In the event of the delivery of nonconforming Equipment and Products, the Participating Entity will notify the Supplier as soon as possible and the Supplier will replace nonconforming Equipment and Products with conforming Equipment and Products that are acceptable to the Participating Entity.

Supplier must arrange for and pay for the return shipment on Equipment and Products that arrive in a defective or inoperable condition.

Sourcewell may declare the Supplier in breach of this Contract if the Supplier intentionally delivers substandard or inferior Equipment or Products.

B. SALES TAX. Each Participating Entity is responsible for supplying the Supplier with valid tax-exemption certification(s). When ordering, a Participating Entity must indicate if it is a tax-exempt entity.

C. HOT LIST PRICING. At any time during this Contract, Supplier may offer a specific selection of Equipment, Products, or Services at discounts greater than those listed in the Contract. When Supplier determines it will offer Hot List Pricing, it must be submitted electronically to Sourcewell in a line-item format. Equipment, Products, or Services may be added or removed from the Hot List at any time through a Sourcewell Price and Product Change Form as defined in Article 4 below.

Hot List program and pricing may also be used to discount and liquidate close-out and discontinued Equipment and Products as long as those close-out and discontinued items are clearly identified as such. Current ordering process and administrative fees apply. Hot List Pricing must be published and made available to all Participating Entities.

#### **4. PRODUCT AND PRICING CHANGE REQUESTS**

Supplier may request Equipment, Product, or Service changes, additions, or deletions at any time. All requests must be made in writing by submitting a signed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form to the assigned Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator. This approved form is available from the assigned Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator. At a minimum, the request must:

- Identify the applicable Sourcewell contract number;
- Clearly specify the requested change;
- Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;

- Individually list all Equipment, Products, or Services affected by the requested change, along with the requested change (e.g., addition, deletion, price change); and
- Include a complete restatement of pricing documentation in Microsoft Excel with the effective date of the modified pricing, or product addition or deletion. The new pricing restatement must include all Equipment, Products, and Services offered, even for those items where pricing remains unchanged.

A fully executed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form will become an amendment to this Contract and will be incorporated by reference.

## **5. PARTICIPATION, CONTRACT ACCESS, AND PARTICIPATING ENTITY REQUIREMENTS**

A. PARTICIPATION. Sourcewell's cooperative contracts are available and open to public and nonprofit entities across the United States and Canada; such as federal, state/province, municipal, K-12 and higher education, tribal government, and other public entities.

The benefits of this Contract should be available to all Participating Entities that can legally access the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract. A Participating Entity's authority to access this Contract is determined through its cooperative purchasing, interlocal, or joint powers laws. Any entity accessing benefits of this Contract will be considered a Service Member of Sourcewell during such time of access. Supplier understands that a Participating Entity's use of this Contract is at the Participating Entity's sole convenience and Participating Entities reserve the right to obtain like Equipment, Products, or Services from any other source.

Supplier is responsible for familiarizing its sales and service forces with Sourcewell contract use eligibility requirements and documentation and will encourage potential participating entities to join Sourcewell. Sourcewell reserves the right to add and remove Participating Entities to its roster during the term of this Contract.

B. PUBLIC FACILITIES. Supplier's employees may be required to perform work at government-owned facilities, including schools. Supplier's employees and agents must conduct themselves in a professional manner while on the premises, and in accordance with Participating Entity policies and procedures, and all applicable laws.

## **6. PARTICIPATING ENTITY USE AND PURCHASING**

A. ORDERS AND PAYMENT. To access the contracted Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract, a Participating Entity must clearly indicate to Supplier that it intends to access this Contract; however, order flow and procedure will be developed jointly between Sourcewell and Supplier. Typically, a Participating Entity will issue an order directly to Supplier or its authorized subsidiary, distributor, dealer, or reseller. If a Participating Entity issues a purchase order, it may use its own forms, but the purchase order should clearly note the applicable Sourcewell

contract number. All Participating Entity orders under this Contract must be issued prior to expiration or cancellation of this Contract; however, Supplier performance, Participating Entity payment obligations, and any applicable warranty periods or other Supplier or Participating Entity obligations may extend beyond the term of this Contract.

Supplier's acceptable forms of payment are included in its attached Proposal. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.

B. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS/PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM.** Additional terms and conditions to a purchase order, or other required transaction documentation, may be negotiated between a Participating Entity and Supplier, such as job or industry-specific requirements, legal requirements (e.g., affirmative action or immigration status requirements), or specific local policy requirements. Some Participating Entities may require the use of a Participating Addendum; the terms of which will be negotiated directly between the Participating Entity and the Supplier. Any negotiated additional terms and conditions must never be less favorable to the Participating Entity than what is contained in this Contract.

C. **SPECIALIZED SERVICE REQUIREMENTS.** In the event that the Participating Entity requires service or specialized performance requirements not addressed in this Contract (such as e-commerce specifications, specialized delivery requirements, or other specifications and requirements), the Participating Entity and the Supplier may enter into a separate, standalone agreement, apart from this Contract. Sourcewell, including its agents and employees, will not be made a party to a claim for breach of such agreement.

D. **TERMINATION OF ORDERS.** Participating Entities may terminate an order, in whole or in part, immediately upon notice to Supplier in the event of any of the following events:

1. The Participating Entity fails to receive funding or appropriation from its governing body at levels sufficient to pay for the equipment, products, or services to be purchased; or
2. Federal, state, or provincial laws or regulations prohibit the purchase or change the Participating Entity's requirements.

E. **GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.** The governing law and venue for any action related to a Participating Entity's order will be determined by the Participating Entity making the purchase.

## **7. CUSTOMER SERVICE**

A. **PRIMARY ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE.** Supplier will assign an Account Representative to Sourcewell for this Contract and must provide prompt notice to Sourcewell if that person is changed. The Account Representative will be responsible for:

- Maintenance and management of this Contract;
- Timely response to all Sourcwell and Participating Entity inquiries; and
- Business reviews to Sourcwell and Participating Entities, if applicable.

B. BUSINESS REVIEWS. Supplier must perform a minimum of one business review with Sourcwell per contract year. The business review will cover sales to Participating Entities, pricing and contract terms, administrative fees, sales data reports, supply issues, customer issues, and any other necessary information.

## **8. REPORT ON CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE FEE PAYMENT**

A. CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY REPORT. Each calendar quarter, Supplier must provide a contract sales activity report (Report) to the Sourcwell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract. Reports are due no later than 45 days after the end of each calendar quarter. A Report must be provided regardless of the number or amount of sales during that quarter (i.e., if there are no sales, Supplier must submit a report indicating no sales were made).

The Report must contain the following fields:

- Participating Entity Name (e.g., City of Staples Highway Department);
- Participating Entity Physical Street Address;
- Participating Entity City;
- Participating Entity State/Province;
- Participating Entity Zip/Postal Code;
- Participating Entity Contact Name;
- Participating Entity Contact Email Address;
- Participating Entity Contact Telephone Number;
- Sourcwell Assigned Entity/Participating Entity Number;
- Item Purchased Description;
- Item Purchased Price;
- Sourcwell Administrative Fee Applied; and
- Date Purchase was invoiced/sale was recognized as revenue by Supplier.

B. ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. In consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcwell, the Supplier will pay an administrative fee to Sourcwell on all Equipment, Products, and Services provided to Participating Entities. The Administrative Fee must be included in, and not added to, the pricing. Supplier may not charge Participating Entities more than the contracted price to offset the Administrative Fee.

The Supplier will submit payment to Sourcwell for the percentage of administrative fee stated in the Proposal multiplied by the total sales of all Equipment, Products, and Services purchased

by Participating Entities under this Contract during each calendar quarter. Payments should note the Supplier's name and Sourcewell-assigned contract number in the memo; and must be mailed to the address above "Attn: Accounts Receivable" or remitted electronically to Sourcewell's banking institution per Sourcewell's Finance department instructions. Payments must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter.

Supplier agrees to cooperate with Sourcewell in auditing transactions under this Contract to ensure that the administrative fee is paid on all items purchased under this Contract.

In the event the Supplier is delinquent in any undisputed administrative fees, Sourcewell reserves the right to cancel this Contract and reject any proposal submitted by the Supplier in any subsequent solicitation. In the event this Contract is cancelled by either party prior to the Contract's expiration date, the administrative fee payment will be due no more than 30 days from the cancellation date.

#### **9. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

Supplier's Authorized Representative is the person named in the Supplier's Proposal. If Supplier's Authorized Representative changes at any time during this Contract, Supplier must promptly notify Sourcewell in writing.

#### **10. AUDIT, ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENTS, WAIVER, AND CONTRACT COMPLETE**

A. **AUDIT.** Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 16C.05, subdivision 5, the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices relevant to this Agreement are subject to examination by Sourcewell or the Minnesota State Auditor for a minimum of six years from the end of this Contract. This clause extends to Participating Entities as it relates to business conducted by that Participating Entity under this Contract.

B. **ASSIGNMENT.** Neither party may assign or otherwise transfer its rights or obligations under this Contract without the prior written consent of the other party and a fully executed assignment agreement. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld. Any prohibited assignment will be invalid.

C. **AMENDMENTS.** Any amendment to this Contract must be in writing and will not be effective until it has been duly executed by the parties.

D. **WAIVER.** Failure by either party to take action or assert any right under this Contract will not be deemed a waiver of such right in the event of the continuation or repetition of the circumstances giving rise to such right. Any such waiver must be in writing and signed by the parties.

E. **CONTRACT COMPLETE.** This Contract represents the complete agreement between the parties. No other understanding regarding this Contract, whether written or oral, may be used to bind either party. For any conflict between the attached Proposal and the terms set out in Articles 1-22 of this Contract, the terms of Articles 1-22 will govern.

F. **RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES.** The relationship of the parties is one of independent contractors, each free to exercise judgment and discretion with regard to the conduct of their respective businesses. This Contract does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship such as master-servant, or principal-agent.

### **11. INDEMNITY AND HOLD HARMLESS**

Supplier must indemnify, defend, save, and hold Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees incurred by Sourcewell or its Participating Entities, arising out of any act or omission in the performance of this Contract by the Supplier or its agents or employees; this indemnification includes injury or death to person(s) or property alleged to have been caused by some defect in the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract to the extent the Equipment, Product, or Service has been used according to its specifications. Sourcewell's responsibility will be governed by the State of Minnesota's Tort Liability Act (Minnesota Statutes Chapter 466) and other applicable law.

### **12. GOVERNMENT DATA PRACTICES**

Supplier and Sourcewell must comply with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13, as it applies to all data provided by or provided to Sourcewell under this Contract and as it applies to all data created, collected, received, stored, used, maintained, or disseminated by the Supplier under this Contract.

### **13. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PUBLICITY, MARKETING, AND ENDORSEMENT**

#### **A. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

1. *Grant of License.* During the term of this Contract:
  - a. Sourcewell grants to Supplier a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use the trademark(s) provided to Supplier by Sourcewell in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Sourcewell's relationship with Supplier.
  - b. Supplier grants to Sourcewell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Supplier's trademarks in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Supplier's relationship with Sourcewell.
2. *Limited Right of Sublicense.* The right and license granted herein includes a limited right of each party to grant sublicenses to their respective subsidiaries, distributors, dealers,

resellers, marketing representatives, and agents (collectively “Permitted Sublicensees”) in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties’ relationship to Participating Entities. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this Article by any of their respective sublicensees.

*3. Use; Quality Control.*

- a. Neither party may alter the other party’s trademarks from the form provided and must comply with removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.
- b. Each party agrees to use, and to cause its Permitted Sublicensees to use, the other party’s trademarks only in good faith and in a dignified manner consistent with such party’s use of the trademarks. Upon written notice to the breaching party, the breaching party has 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the breach or the license will be terminated.

4. As applicable, Supplier agrees to indemnify and hold harmless Sourcewell and its Participating Entities against any and all suits, claims, judgments, and costs instituted or recovered against Sourcewell or Participating Entities by any person on account of the use of any Equipment or Products by Sourcewell or its Participating Entities supplied by Supplier in violation of applicable patent or copyright laws.

*5. Termination.* Upon the termination of this Contract for any reason, each party, including Permitted Sublicensees, will have 30 days to remove all Trademarks from signage, websites, and the like bearing the other party’s name or logo (excepting Sourcewell’s pre-printed catalog of suppliers which may be used until the next printing). Supplier must return all marketing and promotional materials, including signage, provided by Sourcewell, or dispose of it according to Sourcewell’s written directions.

B. **PUBLICITY.** Any publicity regarding the subject matter of this Contract must not be released without prior written approval from the Authorized Representatives. Publicity includes notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, research, reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared by or for the Supplier individually or jointly with others, or any subcontractors, with respect to the program, publications, or services provided resulting from this Contract.

C. **MARKETING.** Any direct advertising, marketing, or offers with Participating Entities must be approved by Sourcewell. Send all approval requests to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract.

D. **ENDORSEMENT.** The Supplier must not claim that Sourcewell endorses its Equipment, Products, or Services.

#### **14. GOVERNING LAW, JURISDICTION, AND VENUE**

The substantive and procedural laws of the State of Minnesota will govern this Contract. Venue for all legal proceedings arising out of this Contract, or its breach, must be in the appropriate state court in Todd County, Minnesota or federal court in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

#### **15. FORCE MAJEURE**

Neither party to this Contract will be held responsible for delay or default caused by acts of God or other conditions that are beyond that party's reasonable control. A party defaulting under this provision must provide the other party prompt written notice of the default.

#### **16. SEVERABILITY**

If any provision of this Contract is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be illegal, unenforceable, or void then both parties will be relieved from all obligations arising from that provision. If the remainder of this Contract is capable of being performed, it will not be affected by such determination or finding and must be fully performed.

#### **17. PERFORMANCE, DEFAULT, AND REMEDIES**

A. **PERFORMANCE.** During the term of this Contract, the parties will monitor performance and address unresolved contract issues as follows:

1. *Notification.* The parties must promptly notify each other of any known dispute and work in good faith to resolve such dispute within a reasonable period of time. If necessary, Sourcewell and the Supplier will jointly develop a short briefing document that describes the issue(s), relevant impact, and positions of both parties.
2. *Escalation.* If parties are unable to resolve the issue in a timely manner, as specified above, either Sourcewell or Supplier may escalate the resolution of the issue to a higher level of management. The Supplier will have 30 calendar days to cure an outstanding issue.
3. *Performance while Dispute is Pending.* Notwithstanding the existence of a dispute, the Supplier must continue without delay to carry out all of its responsibilities under the Contract that are not affected by the dispute. If the Supplier fails to continue without delay to perform its responsibilities under the Contract, in the accomplishment of all undisputed work, the Supplier will bear any additional costs incurred by Sourcewell and/or its Participating Entities as a result of such failure to proceed.

B. **DEFAULT AND REMEDIES.** Either of the following constitutes cause to declare this Contract, or any Participating Entity order under this Contract, in default:

1. Nonperformance of contractual requirements, or
2. A material breach of any term or condition of this Contract.

The party claiming default must provide written notice of the default, with 30 calendar days to cure the default. Time allowed for cure will not diminish or eliminate any liability for liquidated or other damages. If the default remains after the opportunity for cure, the non-defaulting party may:

- Exercise any remedy provided by law or equity, or
- Terminate the Contract or any portion thereof, including any orders issued against the Contract.

## 18. INSURANCE

A. REQUIREMENTS. At its own expense, Supplier must maintain insurance policy(ies) in effect at all times during the performance of this Contract with insurance company(ies) licensed or authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota having an "AM BEST" rating of A- or better, with coverage and limits of insurance not less than the following:

1. *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability.*

Workers' Compensation: As required by any applicable law or regulation.

Employer's Liability Insurance: must be provided in amounts not less than listed below:

Minimum limits:

\$500,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident

\$500,000 policy limit for bodily injury by disease

\$500,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease

2. *Commercial General Liability Insurance.* Supplier will maintain insurance covering its operations, with coverage on an occurrence basis, and must be subject to terms no less broad than the Insurance Services Office ("ISO") Commercial General Liability Form CG0001 (2001 or newer edition), or equivalent. At a minimum, coverage must include liability arising from premises, operations, bodily injury and property damage, independent contractors, products-completed operations including construction defect, contractual liability, blanket contractual liability, and personal injury and advertising injury. All required limits, terms and conditions of coverage must be maintained during the term of this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage

\$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury

\$2,000,000 aggregate for Products-Completed operations

\$2,000,000 general aggregate

3. *Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain insurance covering all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles in limits of liability not less than indicated below. The coverage must be subject to terms

no less broad than ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 0001 (2010 edition or newer), or equivalent.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each accident, combined single limit

4. *Umbrella Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain umbrella coverage over Employer's Liability, Commercial General Liability, and Commercial Automobile.

Minimum Limits:

\$2,000,000

5. *Network Security and Privacy Liability Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain coverage for network security and privacy liability. The coverage may be endorsed on another form of liability coverage or written on a standalone policy. The insurance must cover claims which may arise from failure of Supplier's security resulting in, but not limited to, computer attacks, unauthorized access, disclosure of not public data – including but not limited to, confidential or private information, transmission of a computer virus, or denial of service.

Minimum limits:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence

\$2,000,000 annual aggregate

Failure of Supplier to maintain the required insurance will constitute a material breach entitling Sourcewell to immediately terminate this Contract for default.

B. CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE. Prior to commencing under this Contract, Supplier must furnish to Sourcewell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Contract. Prior to expiration of the policy(ies), renewal certificates must be mailed to Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 or sent to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract. The certificates must be signed by a person authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf.

Failure to request certificates of insurance by Sourcewell, or failure of Supplier to provide certificates of insurance, in no way limits or relieves Supplier of its duties and responsibilities in this Contract.

C. ADDITIONAL INSURED ENDORSEMENT AND PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY INSURANCE CLAUSE. Supplier agrees to list Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their officers, agents, and employees, as an additional insured under the Supplier's commercial general liability insurance policy with respect to liability arising out of activities, "operations," or "work" performed by or on behalf of Supplier, and products and completed operations of Supplier. The policy provision(s) or endorsement(s) must further provide that coverage is

primary and not excess over or contributory with any other valid, applicable, and collectible insurance or self-insurance in force for the additional insureds.

D. **WAIVER OF SUBROGATION.** Supplier waives and must require (by endorsement or otherwise) all its insurers to waive subrogation rights against Sourcewell and other additional insureds for losses paid under the insurance policies required by this Contract or other insurance applicable to the Supplier or its subcontractors. The waiver must apply to all deductibles and/or self-insured retentions applicable to the required or any other insurance maintained by the Supplier or its subcontractors. Where permitted by law, Supplier must require similar written express waivers of subrogation and insurance clauses from each of its subcontractors.

E. **UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY/SELF-INSURED RETENTION.** The limits required by this Contract can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies), or self-insured retention.

## **19. COMPLIANCE**

A. **LAWS AND REGULATIONS.** All Equipment, Products, or Services provided under this Contract must comply fully with applicable federal laws and regulations, and with the laws in the states and provinces in which the Equipment, Products, or Services are sold.

B. **LICENSES.** Supplier must maintain a valid and current status on all required federal, state/provincial, and local licenses, bonds, and permits required for the operation of the business that the Supplier conducts with Sourcewell and Participating Entities.

## **20. BANKRUPTCY, DEBARMENT, OR SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION**

Supplier certifies and warrants that it is not in bankruptcy or that it has previously disclosed in writing certain information to Sourcewell related to bankruptcy actions. If at any time during this Contract Supplier declares bankruptcy, Supplier must immediately notify Sourcewell in writing.

Supplier certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Supplier certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this Contract. Supplier further warrants that it will provide immediate written notice to Sourcewell if this certification changes at any time.

## **21. PROVISIONS FOR NON-UNITED STATES FEDERAL ENTITY PROCUREMENTS UNDER UNITED STATES FEDERAL AWARDS OR OTHER AWARDS**

Participating Entities that use United States federal grant or FEMA funds to purchase goods or services from this Contract may be subject to additional requirements including the procurement standards of the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 C.F.R. § 200. Participating Entities may have additional requirements based on specific funding source terms or conditions. Within this Article, all references to “federal” should be interpreted to mean the United States federal government. The following list only applies when a Participating Entity accesses Supplier’s Equipment, Products, or Services with United States federal funds.

A. **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.** Except as otherwise provided under 41 C.F.R. § 60, all contracts that meet the definition of “federally assisted construction contract” in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 C.F.R. §60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity” (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 C.F.R. §, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” and implementing regulations at 41 C.F.R. § 60, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor.” The equal opportunity clause is incorporated herein by reference.

B. **DAVIS-BACON ACT, AS AMENDED (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3148).** When required by federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. § 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. Supplier must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

C. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. §§ 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5). Under 40 U.S.C. § 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. § 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence. This provision is hereby incorporated by reference into this Contract. Supplier certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

D. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT. If the federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency. Supplier certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

E. CLEAN AIR ACT (42 U.S.C. § 7401-7671Q.) AND THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT (33 U.S.C. § 1251-1387). Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 require the non-federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401- 7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251- 1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

F. DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION (EXECUTIVE ORDERS 12549 AND 12689). A contract award (see 2 C.F.R. § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 C.F.R. §180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 C.F.R. § 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 C.F.R. § 1989 Comp., p. 235), “Debarment and Suspension.” SAM Exclusions contains the names

of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. Supplier certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation by any federal department or agency.

G. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT, AS AMENDED (31 U.S.C. § 1352). Suppliers must file any required certifications. Suppliers must not have used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Suppliers must disclose any lobbying with non-federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-federal award. Suppliers must file all certifications and disclosures required by, and otherwise comply with, the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. § 1352).

H. RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with the record retention requirements detailed in 2 C.F.R. § 200.333. The Supplier further certifies that it will retain all records as required by 2 C.F.R. § 200.333 for a period of 3 years after grantees or subgrantees submit final expenditure reports or quarterly or annual financial reports, as applicable, and all other pending matters are closed.

I. ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

J. BUY AMERICAN PROVISIONS COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with all applicable provisions of the Buy American Act. Purchases made in accordance with the Buy American Act must follow the applicable procurement rules calling for free and open competition.

K. ACCESS TO RECORDS (2 C.F.R. § 200.336). Supplier agrees that duly authorized representatives of a federal agency must have access to any books, documents, papers and records of Supplier that are directly pertinent to Supplier's discharge of its obligations under this Contract for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. The right also includes timely and reasonable access to Supplier's personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion relating to such documents.

L. PROCUREMENT OF RECOVERED MATERIALS (2 C.F.R. § 200.322). A non-federal entity that is a state agency or agency of a political subdivision of a state and its contractors must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation

and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 C.F.R. § 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

M. FEDERAL SEAL(S), LOGOS, AND FLAGS. The Supplier not use the seal(s), logos, crests, or reproductions of flags or likenesses of Federal agency officials without specific pre-approval.

N. NO OBLIGATION BY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. The U.S. federal government is not a party to this Contract or any purchase by an Participating Entity and is not subject to any obligations or liabilities to the Participating Entity, Supplier, or any other party pertaining to any matter resulting from the Contract or any purchase by an authorized user.

O. PROGRAM FRAUD AND FALSE OR FRAUDULENT STATEMENTS OR RELATED ACTS. The Contractor acknowledges that 31 U.S.C. 38 (Administrative Remedies for False Claims and Statements) applies to the Supplier's actions pertaining to this Contract or any purchase by a Participating Entity.

P. FEDERAL DEBT. The Supplier certifies that it is non-delinquent in its repayment of any federal debt. Examples of relevant debt include delinquent payroll and other taxes, audit disallowance, and benefit overpayments.

Q. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. The Supplier must notify the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity as soon as possible if this Contract or any aspect related to the anticipated work under this Contract raises an actual or potential conflict of interest (as described in 2 C.F.R. Part 200). The Supplier must explain the actual or potential conflict in writing in sufficient detail so that the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity are able to assess the actual or potential conflict; and provide any additional information as necessary or requested.

R. U.S. EXECUTIVE ORDER 13224. The Supplier, and its subcontractors, must comply with U.S. Executive Order 13224 and U.S. Laws that prohibit transactions with and provision of resources and support to individuals and organizations associated with terrorism.

S. PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract it will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.216.

T. DOMESTIC PREFERENCES FOR PROCUREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.322.

## 22. CANCELLATION

Sourcwell or Supplier may cancel this Contract at any time, with or without cause, upon 60 days' written notice to the other party. However, Sourcwell may cancel this Contract immediately upon discovery of a material defect in any certification made in Supplier's Proposal. Cancellation of this Contract does not relieve either party of financial, product, or service obligations incurred or accrued prior to cancellation.

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72 Hour LLC dba: National Auto  
Fleet Group

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## Vendor Details

Company Name: 72 HOUR LLC  
Does your company conduct business under any other name? If yes, please state: National Auto Fleet Group  
Address: 490 Auto Center Drive  
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## Specifications

**Table 1: Proposer Identity & Authorized Representatives**

**General Instructions** (applies to all Tables) Sourcwell prefers a brief but thorough response to each question. Do not merely attach additional documents to your response without also providing a substantive response. Do not leave answers blank; respond "N/A" if the question does not apply to you (preferably with an explanation).

Line Item	Question	Response *
1	Proposer Legal Name (one legal entity only): (In the event of award, will execute the resulting contract as "Supplier")	72 Hour LLC
2	Identify all subsidiary entities of the Proposer whose equipment, products, or services are included in the Proposal.	WCAF, LLC WCDJR, LLC Alan Jay Automotive Inc
3	Identify all applicable assumed names or DBA names of the Proposer or Proposer's subsidiaries in Line 1 or Line 2 above.	NAFG has numerous subsidiaries and DBA's including but not limited to: National Auto Fleet Group, Chevrolet of Watsonville, Watsonville Ford Watsonville CDJR Watsonville Fleet Group Alan Jay Chrysler Jeep Inc Alan Jay Chevrolet, Cadillac Alan Jay Buick, GMC Alan Jay Auto Outlet Clewiston Motor Company, Inc Alan Jay Chrysler Dodge Ram Jeep Alan Jay Lincoln Alan Jay Ford Alan Jay Nissan Alan Jay Toyota
4	Proposer Physical Address:	490 Auto Center Drive Watsonville, CA 95076
5	Proposer website address (or addresses):	www.NationalAutoFleetGroup.com
6	Proposer's Authorized Representative (name, title, address, email address & phone) (The representative must have authority to sign the "Proposer's Assurance of Compliance" on behalf of the Proposer and, in the event of award, will be expected to execute the resulting contract):	Jesse Cooper Fleet Manager  1-855-289-6572 490 Auto Center Drive Watsonville, CA 95076 Jcooper@nationalautofleetgroup.com
7	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Jesse Cooper Fleet Manager  1-855-289-6572 490 Auto Center Drive Watsonville, CA 95076 Jcooper@nationalautofleetgroup.com
8	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Clarke Cooper Fleet Manger  1-855-289-6572 490 Auto Center Drive Watsonville, CA 95076 ClarkeCooper@watsonvillefleetgroup.com

**Table 2: Company Information and Financial Strength**

Line Item	Question	Response *
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9	Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested equipment, products or services.	<p>National Auto Fleet Group started as a new division of 72 Hour LLC, in the summer of 2010 in the heart of Southern California. We began our network with a single automobile dealership and have now grown our network to encompass numerous dealerships located in and outside of California.</p> <p>We stand by providing opportunities for advancement by hiring and promoting from within our organization. Many of the Fleet Managers who started with us in 2010 are still with us today.</p> <p>Through the years, we have evolved and adapted to the new technology driven trends that are revolutionizing the automotive industry today. However, our brand's fundamental core values have remained unchanged – We are committed to do right for the members. If we take care of them, they will in return take care of us.</p> <p>National Auto Fleet Group's operational blueprint and business philosophy has always been the "4 RIGHT's" for every member: We deliver the RIGHT vehicle, at the RIGHT time, to the RIGHT place at the RIGHT price.</p> <p>The integrity of our business stems on our deep family roots in the automotive industry. We are and always will be family owned and operated with our future generations already in their infant stages today. We are committed to pioneering our industry for decades to come.</p>
10	What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?	<p>If awarded, this would be our 5th Sourcewell Contract and we would execute as such. We will continue to serve your members and provide them with excellent customer service while continuing to advance customer satisfaction. Along with implementing new business growth strategies that will ultimately launch us into new heights once again.</p> <p>Furthermore, we will launch our Partner Program detailed in the attached "marketing Plan Compressed" Zip file. This next generation application will give members the power to select upfitters they would like NAFG to partner with in providing satisfactory quotes and service. We see tremendous value in building out these mutually beneficial partnerships, so we can provide 100% satisfactory turnkey solutions to the members.</p>
11	Demonstrate your financial strength and stability with meaningful data. This could include such items as financial statements, SEC filings, credit and bond ratings, letters of credit, and detailed reference letters. Upload supporting documents (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>To demonstrate NAFG's financial strength and stability, we have uploaded Bank Commitment letters under the Financial Strength Section of the online application. We have a direct line of credit of \$52,000,00.00 that we are currently utilizing with our current and past Sourcewell Contracts. However, this number is not capped as we have the freedom to extend the cap to accommodate the revolving needs of the members.</p> <p>Referenced below is a short register of some of our market success from awarded government contracts that encompass over \$140,000,000.00 worth of products and goods under our current Sourcewell Contract.</p> <p>A. City of San Diego, CA \$ 72,000,000 contract under our Sourcewell Contract 120716-NAF.</p> <p>B. City of San Diego, CA \$ 55,400,000 contract under our Sourcewell Contract 081716-NAF.</p> <p>C. Government Fleet Article Highlighting our transaction with the City of San Diego, CA procuring over 100 Police vehicles through NAFG Sourcewell Contract 120716-NAF.</p> <p>D. City of Los Angeles World Airports, CA Contract for \$ 24,003,500 under Sourcewell Contract 120716-NAF for the procurement of 400 vehicles.</p> <p>E. City of Los Angeles Harbor, CA Contract Extension to \$ 4,500,000 contract under Sourcewell Contract 120716-NAF.</p> <p>F. City of Los Angeles Harbor, CA Contract for \$1,500,000 under our Sourcewell Contract 120716-NAF.</p> <p>G. City of Los Angeles Harbor, CA Renewal for another \$ 1,500,000 under Sourcewell Contract Class 6, 7 and 8 Contract 081716-NAF.</p> <p>H. City of Costa Mesa, CA Contract \$1,023,220 under our Sourcewell Contract 120716-NAF.</p> <p>I. Blanket Contracts with the State of Maryland, MD off our current Class 6, 7 and 8 Chassis Contract 081716-NAF.</p> <p>J. Blanket Contracts with the State of Maryland, MD off our Current Sourcewell Contract 120716-NAF.</p> <p>We have also attached our Commitment Letter's for unparalleled support from leading nationally recognized upfit suppliers such as The Knapheide Manufacturing Company. Along with regional suppliers such as Brand FX and Phenix Truck Body located in Southern California serve as regional support locations, whom we often work alongside to fulfill all member needs with past, present, and future orders with NAFG.</p> <p>Included are also Upfitter Recommendation letters to illustrate how National Auto Fleet Group has taken a proactive interest in building mutually beneficial relationship with our upfitters. Mutuality and reciprocity relationships between body companies and our dealer's are two of the key components that help members receive what they need in a smooth and efficient fashion.</p> <p>In addition, the adoption of our Class 6, 7, and 8 Contract from Anne Arundel County in the state of Maryland is as an example of how National Auto Fleet Group attracts and retains new clients by demonstrating to them there's a better and more efficient way of finding turnkey solutions.</p> <p>Lastly, we have attached supporting documents that help emphasize and exemplify our growth since our first awarded Sourcewell Contract in 2012. We sincerely hope it helps portray our commitment to building lifelong rapport and trust with our partner upfitters and members.</p>
12	What is your US market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	. Of our respective brands and OEM's we represent, the US market share is estimated to be 60 – 75%.
13	What is your Canadian market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	It is difficult to estimate the market share for the brands and OEM's we represent, however we estimate that it should be the same 60 -75 % of the US share.
14	Has your business ever petitioned for bankruptcy protection? If so, explain in detail.	No.

15	<p>How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer whichever question (either a) or b) just below) best applies to your organization.</p> <p>a) If your company is best described as a distributor/dealer/reseller (or similar entity), provide your written authorization to act as a distributor/dealer/reseller for the manufacturer of the products proposed in this RFP. If applicable, is your dealer network independent or company owned?</p> <p>b) If your company is best described as a manufacturer or service provider, describe your relationship with your sales and service force and with your dealer network in delivering the products and services proposed in this RFP. Are these individuals your employees, or the employees of a third party?</p>	<p>National Auto Fleet Group is a dealer network best categorized as "A" - Distributer/Dealer/Reseller and Dealer Partner for (15) OEM Manufacturers including Ford Motor Company, Chevrolet, RAM, GMC, Buick, Chrysler, Dodge, Jeep, Toyota, Nissan, KIA, BMW, Honda, Cadillac and Volkswagen, All orders are placed with the franchised dealer and ultimately titled directly to the member. All appropriate certification certificates and authorized DMV/Factory licenses may be found in the "Related Certification" section uploaded to this RFP. It should be noted we do not sell used equipment to members.</p>
16	<p>If applicable, provide a detailed explanation outlining the licenses and certifications that are both required to be held, and actually held, by your organization (including third parties and subcontractors that you use) in pursuit of the business contemplated by this RFP.</p>	<p>Required licenses include a Dealer's License, a Franchise issued by the Manufacture, a Department of Motor Vehicles License, as well as a Reseller's permit license. All which NAFG and Dealer Partner's hold. Please review our attachment documents in section "Related Certification" for licenses that we either solely own or are jointly owned by our partner dealers that pertain to this RFP. A list of all our licenses are below, some of which may not pertain to class 1-3 but to class 4-8.</p> <p>CA Certificate of Good Standing 200824810190  State of Florida License Certificates:  VF/1000974/4  VF/1000950/1  VF/1046516/1  VF/1024619/2  VF/1024619/1  VF/1018615/1  VF/1021891/1  VF/1000974/3  VF/1105916/1  VF/1020705/1  VF/1000969/1  CA State Seller's Permit 101-135239  CA State Seller's Permit 245364864-00001  Department of Motor Vehicle, Vehicle Dealer/ License Number 97772  Department of Motor Vehicle, Vehicle Dealer License Number 97771  Department of Motor Vehicle, Vehicle Dealer License Number 43609  Bureau of Automotive repair Registration # ARD00296319 123120  CA State Seller's Permit 232781952-00001  City of Watsonville Business License Number 1792  City of Watsonville Business License Number 4358  Fictitious Business Names from Santa Cruz County for National Auto Fleet Group FBN: 2017-0000138  California General Resale Certificate  Dun &amp; Bradstreet Number: 023680653  Government of The District of Columbia Certificate  Government of the District of Columbia Tax Registration # 7815888160711  City of Los Angeles Tax Registration  Government of The District of Columbia CLEAN HANDS CERTIFICATION  San Diego Freightliner Seller's Permit  Commonwealth of Virginia State Corporation Commission Certificate  State of Maryland Good Standing Certificate  Kansas Department of Revenue for Kansas City Peterbilt  New Jersey Department of Treasury Registration Certificate  New Jersey Business Registration  Notice of Compliance of the Canton City Codified Ordinance  Employee Information Report for the State of New Jersey  State of Maryland New Sales and Use tax License  CA State Seller's Permit 98-037902 00006  South Carolina Department of Motor Vehicles License Number 36133  State of South Carolina Retail License  Commonwealth of Kentucky Vehicle Dealer License 1583 20 100  State of West Virginia Dealer License  Commonwealth of Kentucky Vehicle Dealer License 1581 20 036  State of Tennessee Vehicle Dealer License</p>
17	<p>Provide all "Suspension or Debarment" information that has applied to your organization during the past ten years.</p>	<p>Not Applicable, none.</p>

**Table 3: Industry Recognition & Marketplace Success**

Line Item	Question	Response *
18	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years	National Auto Fleet Group's received its most prestigious award for Top Placement within Ford Motor Company as the leading dealership in Government Sales. In addition, our Chevrolet brand was highly ranked and honored 4/5 consecutive years by General Motors.
19	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years	Within our fleet division, 90% of our contracts within the past three years have been with government accounts.
20	What percentage of your sales are to the education sector in the past three years	Within the past 3 years 90% of our sales have been to government accounts, 20% of which are within the education sector.
21	List any state, provincial, or cooperative purchasing contracts that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	We hold the State of California contract with volumes from 200 to 500 units a year over the past three years. In addition, our Sourcwell Contract's 091219, 081716 and 120716 that we have maintained over the past three years has sold combined north of 400 million of Combined Quarterly Sales.
22	List any GSA contracts or Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements (SOSA) that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	National Auto Fleet Group's focus lies on the Sourcwell Contract. NAFG holds no other GSA contract, Standing Offers, or Supply Arrangements other than the State of California contract. Our annual sales volume is estimated to be north of \$200 million.

**Table 4: References/Testimonials**

Line Item 23. Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcwell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *
Port of Los Angeles, CA	Mr. Dave Comer	310-72-3794
County of Venture, CA	Mr. Jorge Brilla	805-672-2044
City of Austin, TX	Mr. Matt Sager	512-978-2637
County of San Joaquin, CA	Mr. David Myers	209-468-9745
City of Palo Alto, CA	Ms. Danitra Bahlman	650-496-5920

**Table 5: Top Five Government or Education Customers**

Line Item 24. Provide a list of your top five government, education, or non-profit customers (entity name is optional), including entity type, the state or province the entity is located in, scope of the project(s), size of transaction(s), and dollar volumes from the past three years.

Entity Name	Entity Type *	State / Province *	Scope of Work *	Size of Transactions *	Dollar Volume Past Three Years *
City of Austin	Government	Texas - TX	Purchaser	10-15 Vehicles at once, Vans and SUVs	Over 1M
Los Angeles Department of Water and Power	Government	California - CA	Purchaser	Over 120 Vehicles, Vans and SUVs	Over 3M
Port of Los Angeles	Government	California - CA	Purchaser	Over 80 Trucks, Vans and SUVs	Over 2M
Anne Arundel County	Government	Maryland - MD	Purchaser	Over 40 Trucks, Vans and SUVs	Over 1M
City of San Diego	Government	California - CA	Purchaser	Over 500 Trucks, Vans, SUV'	Over 15M

**Table 6: Ability to Sell and Deliver Service**

Describe your company's capability to meet the needs of Sourcwell participating entities across the US and Canada, as applicable. Your response should address in detail at least the following areas: locations of your network of sales and service providers, the number of workers (full-time equivalents) involved in each sector, whether these workers are your direct employees (or employees of a third party), and any overlap between the sales and service functions.

Line Item	Question	Response *
25	Sales force.	<p>Our sales force consists of direct and an indirect sales force. Our direct sales force consists of direct employees and partner dealers, which exceeds an employee count of 300 personnel both full time and part time. Many of our sales force are spread across the US and we leverage our relationships with our larger class dealerships to service the members lower class vehicle needs as well. A cross sales force. These individuals help support our dealerships and NAFG Fleet Division directly. On the other hand, our indirect sales force made up of upfitters and partner suppliers consists of over 100 personnel with our partner network and sales force growing annually.</p> <p>With both direct and indirect sales force staff working together, NAFG has been able to successfully grow, maintain and service the demand of the members. As the number of your members grow, we will continuously welcome more staff to not only meet customer demand, but also to exceed customer expectations.</p>

26	Dealer network or other distribution methods.	<p>Our franchise network in Canada and the U.S. is fortunately second to none. Our 15 proposed OEMS previously mentioned, all of which have established a presence nationwide with factory stores strategically placed where all members can receive service and complete warranty repairs with their respective products.</p> <p>Simple put the North American and Canadian automobile supply chain network is one of the best in the world. Of the 15 brands we represent, the OEMs have put in place a dealer network across all 50 states that will allow us to best serve all members.</p>	*
27	Service force.	<p>The 15 manufactures we represent have thousands of service locations that would be easily accessible to all your members. Service centers and warranty repair facilities for all 15 OEMs are ample and ready to help service our members and their needs. However, Alaska and Hawaii may be exceptions as they may have farther distances between franchises where members can utilize the repair services.</p>	*
28	Describe the ordering process. If orders will be handled by distributors, dealers or others, explain the respective roles of the Proposer and others.	<p>The member may order their vehicles by navigating to our website, <a href="http://www.NationalAutoFleetGroup.com">www.NationalAutoFleetGroup.com</a> and going through the step-by-step process to generate an online quote or by calling one of our representatives at 855-289-6572 or by sending NAFG an email at <a href="mailto:Fleet@NationalAutoFleetGroup.com">Fleet@NationalAutoFleetGroup.com</a>. Orders are then processed directly to the manufacturer who will work to supply the vehicle to the ship-to location for upfitting or end user desired delivery location.</p>	*
29	Describe in detail the process and procedure of your customer service program, if applicable. Include your response-time capabilities and commitments, as well as any incentives that help your providers meet your stated service goals or promises.	<p>To best demonstrate our Customer Service program, kindly reference the ZIP file "Member Walk Through" that is attached in the Additional Documents folder. Please begin with and review in order that is explained below:</p> <p>How Members Can Get Quotes Online: A member can obtain most quotes by visiting our website <a href="http://www.NationalAutoFleetGroup.com">www.NationalAutoFleetGroup.com</a> where a simple one step form is needed for registration. This is to protect the price information from nonmembers. Once a member registers they will receive an automated welcome email with a demo video on how to use our site. Members will gain access to there very own dashboard which will house all there quotes in one safe secure login. Member's can select which brand they are looking for and model year. Our site shows all the categories the brand offers such as: Cars, Vans, SUV's Trucks and Chassis Cabs. Members will then be able to drill down for the right selection by picking from the filter menu of what cab there looking for (Regular, Extended or Crew) to 2 wheel or 4 wheel drive down to the bed length there looking for. All factory options are then presented for the member to select from, this will show all current factory orderable options, taking the guess work out for the member. Once a member selects a desire build, they will see there Sourcewell Price report showing the MSRP, there contract price, the saving in real dollars and as a percentage. In the PDF example you can see a saving of \$ 9,175.96 of 22.345% to the member showing a significant savings. Members then can chose to add extra's to there order like extra keys' service manuals, sales tax and even request an upfit to be added to there quote. Lastly they will be given a complete turn key quote package to print which will include there customized Quote ID, Description and Specifications of what they build.</p> <p>How Members and Upfitters can Partner with NAFG: Our dedicated website <a href="http://www.NAFGPartner.com">www.NAFGPartner.com</a> was built to accommodate the member who would like a certain upfitter to upfit there vehicles. It was also built for upfitters to have a place to go where they can find information on how to partner with NAFG to better serve there local members.</p> <p>Example of A Member with Upfit Quote: This is an example of how we use our Cab Chassis and combine them with an upfit to provide a turnkey solution for the member in a simple to follow format.</p> <p>ETA System for Members Walk Through: This is where members can easily come to our website, the same website they built there chassis on and track there order like they would a UPS package. We have a very simple display on our homepage "Track your order" where members can enter one of the following: Purchase Order Number, Quote ID, Upfit Quote ID or vin to easily see there in the process there particular order is in.</p> <p>Courtesy Confirmation Explained: After NAFG receives an order from a Member, we always like to send them a Courtesy Confirmation. This is were the member will double check some particulars on there order like, Color, Quantity, Upfit and Specification's are all correct before order placement. We also like to ask for title information at this point so we can help process the paperwork at delivery promptly.</p> <p>Factory Order Cut Off Notices: Here is were we like to highlight were members can access any upcoming factory order cut off dates. We walk them through the process step by step to ensure everyone knows the upcoming order cut off date, we even print this information (if known at the time) right on the cover page of there quotes.</p> <p>Validation Walk Through Example: To demonstrate a price validation, we show what a member would see when they build a truck on our site. At check out the member would see the Total Configured MSRP of \$ 35,730.00, A Sourcewell Price of \$ 27,331.68, Total Saving of \$ 8,398.32 or 23.505% for a 2020 F-250 followed by the pricing page which shows the Minimum Discount of at least 18.50%. As you see we provided an additional 5% discount on top of the 18.50% contract discount. This would be the case in most instances.</p>	*
30	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in the United States.	<p>Our willingness and ability to service members nationwide is unparalleled. We have dedicated staff 5 days a week, from 7am to 7pm standing by ready to assist any member help find the best solution for there needs even if helping assist them to the best Sourcewell Contract that could be a solution. We have a dedicated live chat feature on our online quote generating website in case any member has any trouble at all in building there quotes. NAFG has established a chain of suppliers who are at the ready to serve if called upon by any member. We are here to help.</p>	*
31	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in Canada.	<p>We are willing and eager to soon extend our business model and network into Canada. We believe partnering with local Canadian based dealer groups is key to success in the Canadian market. NAFG's competitive pricing as well as a simple US Dollar to Canadian conversation will help NAFG expand into the Canadian market for participating Sourcewell members.</p>	*
32	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract.	<p>National Auto Fleet Group will handle servicing 100% of all geographic areas located in the United States. Although it is unclear what unseen obstacles we may face in Canada, NAFG is committed to building the same model to service Canada and providing the same level of customer satisfaction, service, and care as in the United States.</p>	*

33	Identify any Sourcewell participating entity sectors (i.e., government, education, not-for-profit) that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract. Explain in detail. For example, does your company have only a regional presence, or do other cooperative purchasing contracts limit your ability to promote another contract?	NAFG will continue to service all Sourcewell Members through our 24 hour a day, 7 days a week online portal with the exclusion of Non-Profits. Unfortunately, Non-Profits are often not eligible for the same discount's government entities are qualified for. However, Non-Profits are subject to a different pricing program and will be evaluated on a case to case basis.
34	Define any specific contract requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	The only possible logistical constraints we may face is the shipping constraints for shipments arriving in Alaska, Hawaii and US Territories. For example, we often provide members in Alaska or Hawaii with vehicles that often have upfits. To circumvent this potential issue, members allow us to add these extra shipping and port costs to their quotes.

**Table 7: Marketing Plan**

Line Item	Question	Response *
35	Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this contract opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>National Auto Fleet Group encompasses a variety of marketing strategies to promote our products and services to streamline the vehicle purchasing process for government entities. Below are a few strategies used to serve as the gateway between our business and public agencies.</p> <p>Website and Inbound Marketing: The creation of a professional customer-focused website is one of our main features to market our products and services. The NAFG website encourages our members to interact and browse through products offered along with pricing and information about National Auto Fleet Group. Inbound marketing is created when potential members are directed to the company website. With this method, we are able to not only connect with members but to put the purchasing ability into the hands of each member. Our inbound marketing strategy attracts members by creating valuable content and experiences tailored to the needs of each individual. Examples include email campaign flyers on our products, informative and how-to videos, social media and engaging members with top-notch customer service to build brand awareness.</p> <p>Email Marketing: One of the main strategies used to engage current and potential members is Email Marketing. Our emails include different types of flyers that consist of information of the Sourcewell contract, promoting manufacturer brands, holiday themed flyers, discounts offered to first time buyers, important cutoff date reminders and upcoming products and events. The use of marketing campaigns plays a major role in enhancing the growth of our client database. Emails are a big part of our daily lives due to government agency employees utilizing emails as their main source of communication. We use campaigner.com as the emailing platform to reach our target members. Videos and descriptive images are used on all flyers and are compatible with a desktop or mobile device. Messages are short and to the point with links leading to the Sourcewell and NAFG homepage. The Campaigner email system allows the ability to track email activity based on open rate, unsubscribes and link clicks which is beneficial to understanding email effectiveness.</p> <p>Once potential members are directed to our website, they are welcomed with a wide range of options to explore an array of our products and services. They are able to register to become a member, view pricing, explore available in-stock vehicles, view how-to-videos, build a vehicle online to request an immediate quote or use our live chat assistant or call/email for live support.</p> <p>Face to Face Marketing Strategies: This strategy has proven to be successful in generating leads and creating lasting relationships by developing genuine connections with prospective members. National Auto Fleet Group attends several trades shows per year to engage members and put a face to the company. This in person meeting aids to build the brand by nurturing relationships between members and other vendors associated through the process. Trade shows attended include GFX, IAPPO, NIGP, ACT, CAPPO, and CASBO throughout the United States.</p> <p>NAFG has many opportunities to make in person presentations to propose products, services offered and to answer any questions potential members may have. These PowerPoint Presentations include topics on NAFG/Sourcewell process, how to facilitate the vehicle purchasing without bidding, informational videos, and the brands and services we provide. These meetings have been held at local cities, counties, school districts, water districts and ports.</p> <p>Relationship Marketing is a vital strategy used in building and maintaining long-term relationships practiced by National Auto Fleet Group on a daily basis.</p> <p>NAFG strives to create a positive and supportive connection with members by providing personalized and responsive customer service practices. The sales team has worked tirelessly to focus on providing outstanding customer support to create a powerful rapport with existing and new members. By going above and beyond, they have enhanced existing relationships and executed customer loyalty with repeat businesses. They strive to deviate from the "Car Salesperson" mentality which is 100% sales driven to a more product and customer service approach by instilling a sense of confidence in our clients. The goal is to regularly assist clients and address any needs and concerns even after the purchase has occurred. The strive to focus on solution selling vs. product selling develops into a mutually beneficial agreement for members and the business.</p> <p>Below are a few examples on successful relationship marketing from our Fleet Department:                      We had a member call in to request financing/lease options for a truck needed through our National Auto Fleet Group/Sourcewell vehicle contract. I contacted another Sourcewell vendor, Matt Geiselhart from NCL Gov Capital and he was happy to assist with a financing quote. The member also requested to trade in a current vehicle in their fleet and was directed to Govdeals for assistance in removing the outdated unit through an auction. The member was able to utilize three Sourcewell contracts to complete his transaction which simplified the entire process. The member was very satisfied with the amount of care and ease through his experience and became a repeat customer. By utilizing a cross-selling strategy, National Auto Fleet Group became his one stop shop to fulfill all fleet vehicle purchasing needs.</p> <p>"I had a member call in desperate to obtain a new truck because an employee had gotten into a serious accident and had the truck totaled. Due to covid restrictions, most manufacturers are currently experiencing microchip shortages which relays to production delays at the factory. We were able to direct buyer to our in-stock inventory on the NAFG website and member was ecstatic to locate truck to meet their needs. Instead of having to wait 30 weeks to receive the new vehicle, member was able to obtain the new truck within 3 weeks."</p>

"I once had a member contact us two years after purchasing a vehicle from us. They had a malfunction with the liftgate on the box truck which caused a logistical nightmare. I was able to contact one of our body vendors that upfitted the lift gate installation and a service technician was able to go onsite to resolve the liftgate issue at no additional cost. The member was very impressed with the quality of our customer service even after purchase. "

"I had a member request a ¾ ton truck pricing but was unsure about their budget at the time. I took the time to go through each option with the client to provide a Sourcewell pricing quote through multiple manufacturers from Ram, Chevrolet and Ford. This empowered the member to have multiple pricing options for review to align with their budget as well as eliminating the need to shop anywhere else. "

"We work with many body companies to assist customers with the body upfitting process. One of our members called in a request to expedite a particular vehicle that was held up at one of their local body upfitters. I contacted the body company representative and put in a request to expedite the upfitting per request of the member. The body company was able to comply with the request and delivery was made sooner than expected."

Word-of-Mouth Marketing: The positive quality of service has led to more sales based on previous customers' impressions on their experience. NAFG's goal is to provide exemplary customer service throughout the entire purchasing process to encourage repeat business and advocate services to other members. NAFG has been fortunate to experience multiple instances of leads generated based solely on word-of-mouth marketing through our existing customers.

Cross-promotion: National Auto Fleet Group is currently collaborating with another Sourcewell Vendor, NCL Government Capital to promote each other's products and services. NCL Government Capital specializes in providing competitive equipment financing programs for municipalities and public education entities across the United States. As a team, NCL and NAFG produced a variety of marketing materials such as videos, flyers and info graphs to promote purchasing and leasing opportunities.

Hoglund Bus Company is another cross-promotion vendor NAFG had the opportunity to create a partnership with. Flyers were created to advertise Chassis from NAFG along with a variety of bus bodies from Hoglund Bus Company.

With cross-promotion, companies exchange knowledge and provide endorsements on websites, social media, and email campaigns. This strategy creates an influx of new leads, brand awareness, increased sales and recurrence of customers. National Auto Fleet Group will continue to create new partnerships and facilitate more cross-promotion opportunities in the near future to provide turnkey solutions for a variety of vehicle purchasing needs.

Coming in 2022, National Auto Fleet Group will be launching a NAFG Partner Website to further increase business growth. The website [www.nafgpartner.com](http://www.nafgpartner.com) is expected to launch next year in 2022. The site encourages body upfitting companies throughout the United States to partner up with NAFG to become a preferred member. The benefits of becoming a preferred member include endorsements on website and social media avenues along with word-of-mouth referral for clients with upfitting needs. Our dedicated public relations representative will conduct phone and in person meetings to discuss the advantages of partnering up with NAFG, therefore generating more cross-promotion opportunities.

Members from government agencies are encouraged to go on the site to search for local body upfitting companies they are interested in working with. As a prerequisite in becoming a preferred vendor, they are required to advertise NAFG and the Sourcewell contract on their business website and refer their clients to purchase their cab/chassis needs through NAFG. This establishes a partnership that will generate increased sales all around. We are still currently building the website and interacting with body companies across the United States that would be interested in partnering up with NAFG.

36	Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.	<p>Social media plays a crucial element in the way people communicate and connect with each other. LinkedIn is the go-to platform used by NAFG as it offers a variety of ways to expand our network by locating and connecting with relevant professionals in the industry. National Auto Fleet Group has utilized LinkedIn to engage current and potential members through personalized messages and posts. Personalized messages include thanking them for registering on site as well as directing them to our link to the website, LinkedIn, YouTube, Facebook and Instagram company pages. The goal is to unite with people already on our database as well as people that would benefit from our products and services. Current flyers or messages about our company are also posted on the LinkedIn site to generate and attract more business. Time is also spent on reading posts from connections and observe any needs that National Auto Fleet Group may assist with.</p> <p>National Auto Fleet Group has begun utilizing video marketing strategies to further promote and market products by engaging on social media channels and email flyers. Programs such as Vimeo, Video Scribe, Cartoon Animator, Adobe Animate, Illustrate, Captive, Photoshop and Movavi Video Editor Plus are employed to edit and create videos to assist in endorsing our company. The following videos were recently created by our marketing department along with outside video production companies:</p> <p>Explainer Video: The first video created was a 90 second explainer video about National Auto Fleet Group that used animated characters to visualize our products and services along with information on the Sourcewell awarded contract. The video has been incorporated into all our weekly email flyers and social media platforms as an informative video on our products and how to purchase vehicles off Sourcewell Government Contract.</p> <p>How To Videos: National Auto Fleet Group has also created step-by-step How-To videos on the process to purchase both Light Duty and Heavy-Duty vehicles off the contract.</p> <p>In Stock Vehicles: This video showcases our in-stock vehicles available and the process of requesting a quote.</p> <p>ETA Tracking System: This video was created to not only introduce but to encourage clients to self-track their vehicle status.</p> <p>Holiday Themed Videos: These amusing videos were created to celebrate the holidays and add humor and lightness to our company and products sold.</p> <p>Cross Promotion Video: This video markets our relationship with NCL Government Capital and Sourcewell to endorse EV vehicles.</p> <p>Videos for social media: Mini videos were created to advertise new vehicles available, pricing and cutoff date reminders.</p> <p>NAFG has recently introduced a newly built live chat feature on our website for customer convenience as well as improving customer service. Visitors have access to chat with a live sales representative 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. With this feature potential customers are provided with another avenue for assistance in addition to emailing and phone calls. The benefits of a live chat option include quicker response time to assist buyers in reaching a purchasing decision and answer their questions.</p> <p>Improving customer service will also lead to increased sales, customer loyalty and engagement. Many studies have shown a strong correlation between live chat and increase in conversion rates. Potential clients appreciate having their questions answered in real-time when trying to build a vehicle quote online and allowing the user to multi-task different projects.</p>
37	In your view, what is Sourcewell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcewell-awarded contract into your sales process?	<p>Sourcewell's mission states: "Our commitment to service and exceeding client expectations." This statement integrates with our relationship marketing strategy with our commitment to go above and beyond for all our members. Sourcewell is a trusted brand that government entities can rely on to access a wide variety of products and services for their everyday needs. With over 40 years of partnerships and relationship building, they are the glue that connects government, education, and nonprofit agencies to companies of all sizes to offer turnkey solutions to their needs.</p> <p>Sourcewell is also a reliable resource for vendors by not only connecting with potential prospects but by providing valuable marketing materials readily available for download on their website. Resources and tools provided include flyers, vendor training videos along with compliance information.</p> <p>The Sourcewell brand integrates a thorough documentation review of all vendors prior to awarding their cooperative contracts to ensure products and services are from reputable vendors. The brand provides a sense of legitimacy of our company name and members recognize that products and services are from reliable sources that will meet their needs.</p> <p>Sourcewell's aim is to simplify the purchasing and procurement process of government entities by eliminating the costly bidding procedure. The process of researching the right vendor is not only stressful and time-consuming but can be expensive as well. Sourcewell has completed the bidding for government entities which simplifies the overall purchasing process by providing access to competitively bid contracts procured by a government agency.</p> <p>Sourcewell has provided NAFG with overwhelming opportunities to work with government agencies across the United States. The Sourcewell name represents a high standard of integrity and ethics which is a dynamic National Auto Fleet Group is proud to be part of. Sourcewell members have access to a contract that is more flexible than the standard bidding process. Sourcewell is an organization that aids government entities to stay competitive without the frustrations and issues involved with the traditional bidding process. This contract can be customized to meet the unique needs of each client. The sales team has incorporated not only this standard of integrity in their sales practice ensuring clients' purchasing needs will always be met. The cost savings and stress-free nature of the cooperative contracts favors that of the traditional bidding process. It enables vendors to work with qualifying government entities in a more efficient manner. We vow to maintain these levels of standards across the board throughout all departments within the company.</p>

38	Are your products or services available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.	<p>Our website provides a hands-on empowering approach to ordering vehicles online. Clients can search through many vehicles makes and models with the ability to customize a vehicle tailored to their specific needs of their agency. A personalized quote with pricing can be available in as little as 5 minutes depending on the complexity of the vehicle. If upfitting is needed, the buyer can list the details of the up-fit while building their vehicle on our website to receive a complete quote or a sales representative can be reached through phone, email or our new live chat feature built on our website.</p> <p>We have recently created and uploaded a "How-To Videos" section on the homepage of our website which highlights a step-by-step process on how to build an online quote. This informative video demonstrates how to navigate the website in how to generate a vehicle quote with or without upfitting options. It begins by explaining how to register on our website as a member and then details on how to select vehicle model and type and the factory options needed.</p> <p>Once a customized quote is built, clients have the option to finalize the sales transaction by submitting a purchase order to our sales team via email. This gives complete autonomy to the client to purchase vehicles without the need to speak to a sales rep. If assistance is needed, they can contact sales through email, live chat or phone.</p> <p>If assistance is required to build a quote, our sales rep is also available to walk a client through the e-procurement process step by step. This ensures someone is available to answer any questions if needed and empowering the client to make any future purchases on their own. Clients may also call or email the needs of the company and receive a customized vehicle quote.</p>
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**Table 8: Value-Added Attributes**

Line Item	Question	Response *
39	Describe any product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training programs that you offer to Sourcewell participating entities. Include details, such as whether training is standard or optional, who provides training, and any costs that apply.	National Auto Fleet Group extends any and all product, equipment, maintenance and operating programs provided by the Manufacturer directly to Sourcewell participating entities during the quoting process. The manufacturer will provide quotes to the member based on the vehicles class and size, and geographic location. NAFG will always pass these quotes onto members and treat them like an upfit to the vehicle.
40	Describe any technological advances that your proposed products or services offer.	Technological accomplishments by Manufactures like Ford Motor Company and General Motors serve members by keeping many models available for members to choose from. Additionally, NAFG allows members the ability to choose to electrify their vehicle by opting into the Motive Power Systems we can still help supply this kind of an upfit. For more information, we have attached the product and pricing information within the "Upfits Available" and "All 15 Manufactures" ZIP files under the supporting documents portion of the application.
41	Describe any "green" initiatives that relate to your company or to your products or services, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.	. National Auto Fleet Group helped create the Climate Mayor Purchasing Collaborative by partnering with over 400 Mayors nationwide. This initiative was created for the benefit of members who wanted to create and sustain an all-electric fleet. We offer 100% purely electric vehicles your members to choose from. Some popular models include the Chevrolet Bolt, Ford Fusion, Ford Mustang Mach-E, as well as Ford's all electric F-150. We are confident that as more OEM's continue to manufacture new electric vehicles, we will provide them for members to select from. More information about this initiative can be found at <a href="http://www.Driveevfleet.org">www.Driveevfleet.org</a>
42	Identify any third-party issued eco-labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the equipment or products included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.	NAFG has the California Air Resource Board (CARB) Certificate as well as the Ford Qualified Vehicle Modifier Certificate on file with some of our partner suppliers and upfitters hold these certifications and these certifications help illustrate how each vehicle conserves energy and remains energy efficient.
43	Describe any Women or Minority Business Entity (WMBE), Small Business Entity (SBE), or veteran owned business certifications that your company or hub partners have obtained. Upload documentation of certification (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	NAFG holds a current partnership with many suppliers some of which are veteran owned such as Pacific Truck Body located in CA. Our Ford, Chevrolet and Ram,Jeep,Dodge,Chrysler stores are jointly owned and operated by Minorities.
44	What unique attributes does your company, your products, or your services offer to Sourcewell participating entities? What makes your proposed solutions unique in your industry as it applies to Sourcewell participating entities?	. National Auto Fleet Group was not only built on dedication and hard work, but also through quantifiable metrics that directly measure the results of our efforts to ensure real goals are being measured and met. Through measuring results, NAFG takes responsibility in ensuring we deliver only the best customer care to your members. NAFG offers members 24 hour website access to customer support to personally walk members through any questions they may have. No matter what the issue may be, we always think outside the box to help members find a solution.

**Table 9A: Warranty**

Describe in detail your manufacturer warranty program, including conditions and requirements to qualify, claims procedure, and overall structure. You may upload representative samples of your warranty materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response in addition to responding to the questions below.

Line Item	Question	Response *
45	Do your warranties cover all products, parts, and labor?	Each of the 15 manufactures we represent cover their own products, parts, and labor. All warranty information may be found in our attachments under the ZIP File "All 15 Manufactures".
46	Do your warranties impose usage restrictions or other limitations that adversely affect coverage?	Prior to purchase, members should be aware of each manufacturer's restrictions. Such as improper use of the vehicle may result in disqualification of coverage under the OEM's warranty. An example of this may be an F-350 being used for a police related pursuit, which may void certain warranties. Although, we always welcome and encourage members to contact us for their particular warranty coverage.
47	Do your warranties cover the expense of technicians' travel time and mileage to perform warranty repairs?	In some cases, manufacturers will tow a member's vehicle to the nearest warranty repair facility in case of a breakdown and cover expenses, but prior approval is required.
48	Are there any geographic regions of the United States or Canada (as applicable) for which you cannot provide a certified technician to perform warranty repairs? How will Sourcewell participating entities in these regions be provided service for warranty repair?	This may vary from manufacturer to manufacturer. Thus, we encourage members to call in prior to purchase and inquire about their specific region and how their warranty repairs will be covered with their manufacturer.
49	Will you cover warranty service for items made by other manufacturers that are part of your proposal, or are these warranties issues typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer?	All warranties are typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer and any upfit warranty will be passed on to the upfitter to perform.
50	What are your proposed exchange and return programs and policies?	If a member changes their mind, NAFG will quickly make every effort to change or cancel the order with the factory. However, once the manufacturer begins producing the vehicle, there are no changes, exchanges, or refunds available. The order is then deemed non-cancellable. This includes any upfit equipment an upfitter has ordered for the unit.
51	Describe any service contract options for the items included in your proposal.	NAFG offers any and all manufacturer service contracts for all members. There are several parameters in which a service contract may be customizable. These customized service contracts will be treated as add factory options and following the same discount schedule provided in the pricing file.

**Table 9B: Performance Standards or Guarantees**

Describe in detail your performance standards or guarantees, including conditions and requirements to qualify, claims procedure, and overall structure. You may upload representative samples of your performance materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response in addition to responding to the questions below.

Line Item	Question	Response *
52	Describe any performance standards or guarantees that apply to your services	The only guarantee we can ever provide is the guarantee that we will treat and help every member that contacts with respect, integrity and professionalism.
53	Describe any service standards or guarantees that apply to your services (policies, metrics, KPIs, etc.)	NAFG and staff uphold high standards with how we provide service to the members, not only holding each other accountable but by embracing member feedback of how we can improve. Then we act upon it and implement improvements.

**Table 10: Payment Terms and Financing Options**

Line Item	Question	Response *
54	Describe your payment terms and accepted payment methods?	Standard payment terms are Net 20, with a 10 – day grace period.
55	Describe any leasing or financing options available for use by educational or governmental entities.	. In order to provide leasing or financing options, NAFG has partnered with National Cooperative Leasing to offer leasing terms for Sourcewell members for all NAFG quotes under the Sourcewell contract. For further review, we have attached a PDF called "NCL Sample Lease" in the "Member Walk Through" Zip file.
56	Describe any standard transaction documents that you propose to use in connection with an awarded contract (order forms, terms and conditions, service level agreements, etc.). Upload a sample of each (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	National Auto Fleet Group's transaction process (Purchase Order) is closely tracked, well documented, and neatly organized to monitor each transaction performed through our Sourcewell Contract. This way, NAFG may produce swift and accurate quarterly reporting.
57	Do you accept the P-card procurement and payment process? If so, is there any additional cost to Sourcewell participating entities for using this process?	Yes, NAFG accepts up to \$2,500 per vehicle. However, any dollar amount higher than \$2,500 will require a P-card/ Credit Card transactional fee that would be passed onto the member

**Table 11: Pricing and Delivery**

Provide detailed pricing information in the questions that follow below. Keep in mind that reasonable price and product adjustments can be made during the term of an awarded Contract as described in the RFP, the template Contract, and the Sourcwell Price and Product Change Request Form.

Line Item	Question	Response *
58	Describe your pricing model (e.g., line-item discounts or product-category discounts). Provide detailed pricing data (including standard or list pricing and the Sourcwell discounted price) on all of the items that you want Sourcwell to consider as part of your RFP response. If applicable, provide a SKU for each item in your proposal. Upload your pricing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	National Auto Fleet Group is offering Line-Item Discounts Off Manufacture Suggested Retail Price for 15 manufacturers that is detailed in the Price File. NAFG will also offer any Upfits to be added to any and all vehicles' that members wish to add. Details are located on the Price Summary Page in the Price File.
59	Quantify the pricing discount represented by the pricing proposal in this response. For example, if the pricing in your response represents a percentage discount from MSRP or list, state the percentage or percentage range.	NAFG has an provided offerings from 15 Brands/OEMS and there respective percentage off vary and are detailed in the "Price File" zip  Each Manufacture Range is detailed in the tabs below, here is an overview Chevrolet from -.077 to 24.45 % Ford Motor Company from -5.19 to 23.31 % GMC from 6.14 to 22.45 % Ram from 4.99 to 14.23 % Dodge from 3.09 to 9.96 % Jeep from 1.38 to 4.17 % Chrysler from 1.65 to 4.55 % Toyota from .03 to 8.98 % Honda from 1.34 to 4.9 % Nissan from -.085 to 14.61 % Buick from 2.36 to6.08 Kia from .69 to 8.39 % BMW from 3.8 to 4.77 % Cadillac from 4.22 to 6.77 % Volkswagen from 2.17 to 2.46 %
60	Describe any quantity or volume discounts or rebate programs that you offer.	If clients are considering an order of 150 or more units, we encourage members to contact us for any additional discounted quotes.
61	Propose a method of facilitating "sourced" products or related services, which may be referred to as "open market" items or "nonstandard options". For example, you may supply such items "at cost" or "at cost plus a percentage," or you may supply a quote for each such request.	"Open Market" products or "Sourced Goods" will be considered and treated as regular upfits. However, they may be quoted up to a 10% mark up, if applicable.
62	Identify any element of the total cost of acquisition that is NOT included in the pricing submitted with your response. This includes all additional charges associated with a purchase that are not directly identified as freight or shipping charges. For example, list costs for items like pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	All considerations have already been taken into account in its entirety. The Price Summary Page and Price Table contained in the price file includes all considered costs. Although if a member requested a specialized quote for a unique situation that requires special training, direction, or installation, the additional costs would be added as a part of the upfit and then included inside the member's quote.
63	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcwell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	All manufactures charge a standard "Factory Destination Charge". However, that is separate from the freight/destination cost that members may incur to ship a vehicle to and from an installer, if applicable. These subsequent locational movements may bare additional freight costs that will be outlined within the members quote for their review prior to purchase.
64	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	Freight, shipping, and delivery terms among these regions sometimes carry additional logistical charges for added ferry, port and driver costs from both to and from the mainland. These added costs will be disclosed on the quote for members to review and approve prior to purchase.
65	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	National Auto Fleet Group already has a well-established Automobile Franchise Distribution Network that allows for swift and relatively seamless delivery to members and their end users.

**Table 12: Pricing Offered**

Line Item	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
66	c. better than the Proposer typically offers to GPOs, cooperative procurement organizations, or state purchasing departments.	NAFG Strives to offer the best overall value to the member with each and every quote.

**Table 13: Audit and Administrative Fee**

Line Item	Question	Response *
67	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed Contract with Sourcewell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcewell participating entities obtain the proper pricing, that the Vendor reports all sales under the Contract each quarter, and that the Vendor remits the proper administrative fee to Sourcewell. Provide sufficient detail to support your ability to report quarterly sales to Sourcewell as described in the Contract template.	Sourcewell participating members are able to obtain proper pricing directly from our website, where they are able to use our user-friendly design to build and price their vehicles. The NAFG is updated daily to reflect updated manufacturer MSRP information. Our system will provide members with an accurate quote 99.99% of the time. In addition, NAFG has a stream line and organized process that calculates administrative fees and allows NAFG to give a turnaround time of 15 – 30 days for quarterly reports.
68	If you are awarded a contract, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the contract.	One of the internal metrics NAFG uses to track and measure success with the Sourcewell Contract is maintained through our website. Our website keeps a detailed log of quotes that members are generating. We oversee and keep track of how many quotes are being generated and which quotes are met with a purchase order. Every month we evaluate our sales indicators and closely monitor the volume and frequency of sales. One example is by evaluating which members are purchasing from our platform – new members or frequent members to ensure we are growing our member base. We use these metrics to measure our projected growth rate and work to exceed our expectations.
69	Identify a proposed administrative fee that you will pay to Sourcewell for facilitating, managing, and promoting the Sourcewell Contract in the event that you are awarded a Contract. This fee is typically calculated as a percentage of Vendor's sales under the Contract or as a per-unit fee; it is not a line-item addition to the Member's cost of goods. (See the RFP and template Contract for additional details.)	NAFG will submit \$ 300 per vehicle purchased through NAFG and \$ 200 per vehicle purchased through our partner dealer Alan Jay Automotive. For the purpose of an admin fee there are no other partner dealer groups considered.

**Table 14A: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Line Item	Question	Response *
70	Provide a detailed description of the equipment, products, and services that you are offering in your proposal.	NAFG has provided a "Model Roll Out" Charts in the "Price File" zip, but of the 15 manufacturers we represent, they have over 100 makes and models for members to choose from that range from Class 1-3 and supporting Class 4 Cab and Chassis trucks. NAFG's platforms can add any upfit of their choosing, ranging from toolboxes to Line Mechanic Bodies. Any and all upfits can be added to any one of our vehicles through one of our upfit partner suppliers or by an upfit supplier of the members choosing. NAFG and the supplier will work together to supply members with turnkey quotes.
71	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	National Auto Fleet Group lists the makes and models of all 15 manufacturers we represent under the ZIP File "All 15 Manufactures". These 15 OEMs make up over 100 combined makes, models, and engine combinations for members to select from along with several subtitle "Upfits" detailed for members in the price file.

**Table 14B: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Indicate below if the listed types or classes of equipment, products, and services are offered within your proposal. Provide additional comments in the text box provided, as necessary.

Line Item	Category or Type	Offered *	Comments
72	Automobiles	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	15 Manufacturers totaling well above 700 makes and models
73	Sport Utility Vehicles	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	15 Manufacturers totaling well above 700 makes and models
74	Vans	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	15 Manufacturers totaling well above 700 makes and models
75	Trucks	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	15 Manufacturers totaling well above 700 makes and models
76	Vehicles described in Lines 72-75 above for Public Safety applications	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	15 Manufacturers totaling well above 700 makes and models
77	Conventional internal combustion models	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	15 Manufacturers totaling well above 700 makes and models
78	Natural gas or propane autogas, hybrid, or alternative fuel models	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	15 Manufacturers totaling well above 700 makes and models
79	Electric powered models	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	15 Manufacturers totaling well above 700 makes and models

**Table 15: Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form**

**Line Item 80. NOTICE:** To identify any exception, or to request any modification, to the Sourcwell template Contract terms, conditions, or specifications, a Proposer must submit the exception or requested modification on the **Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form** immediately below. The contract section, the specific text addressed by the exception or requested modification, and the proposed modification must be identified in detail. Proposer's exceptions and proposed modifications are subject to review and approval of Sourcwell and will not automatically be included in the contract.

Contract Section	Term, Condition, or Specification	Exception or Proposed Modification

**Documents****Ensure your submission document(s) conforms to the following:**

1. Documents in PDF format are preferred. Documents in Word, Excel, or compatible formats may also be provided.
2. Documents should NOT have a security password, as Sourcwell may not be able to open the file. It is your sole responsibility to ensure that the uploaded document(s) are not either defective, corrupted or blank and that the documents can be opened and viewed by Sourcwell.
3. Sourcwell may reject any response where any document(s) cannot be opened and viewed by Sourcwell.
4. If you need to upload more than one (1) document for a single item, you should combine the documents into one zipped file. If the zipped file contains more than one (1) document, ensure each document is named, in relation to the submission format item responding to. For example, if responding to the Marketing Plan category save the document as "Marketing Plan."
  - [Pricing](#) - NAFG Price File for Bid 091521.zip - Monday September 13, 2021 19:29:27
  - [Financial Strength and Stability](#) - Market Success and Financial Stability.zip - Monday September 13, 2021 19:30:12
  - [Marketing Plan/Samples](#) - Marketing Plan Compressed.zip - Tuesday September 14, 2021 11:38:30
  - [WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates](#) - Insurance and Related Documents.zip - Tuesday September 14, 2021 11:40:18
  - [Warranty Information](#) - Warranties RFP 091521.zip - Tuesday September 14, 2021 11:40:36
  - [Standard Transaction Document Samples](#) - Standard Transaction.zip - Monday September 13, 2021 19:54:48
  - [Upload Additional Document](#) - ALL 15 Makes and Upfits.zip - Tuesday September 14, 2021 11:35:54

## Addenda, Terms and Conditions

### PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE

I certify that I am the authorized representative of the Proposer submitting the foregoing Proposal with the legal authority to bind the Proposer to this Affidavit and Assurance of Compliance:

1. The Proposer is submitting this Proposal under its full and complete legal name, and the Proposer legally exists in good standing in the jurisdiction of its residence.
2. The Proposer warrants that the information provided in this Proposal is true, correct, and reliable for purposes of evaluation for contract award.
3. The Proposer, including any person assisting with the creation of this Proposal, has arrived at this Proposal independently and the Proposal has been created without colluding with any other person, company, or parties that have or will submit a proposal under this solicitation; and the Proposal has in all respects been created fairly without any fraud or dishonesty. The Proposer has not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement or arrangement with any person or business in an effort to influence any part of this solicitation or operations of a resulting contract; and the Proposer has not taken any action in restraint of free trade or competitiveness in connection with this solicitation. Additionally, if Proposer has worked with a consultant on the Proposal, the consultant (an individual or a company) has not assisted any other entity that has submitted or will submit a proposal for this solicitation.
4. To the best of its knowledge and belief, and except as otherwise disclosed in the Proposal, there are no relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest. An organizational conflict of interest exists when a vendor has an unfair competitive advantage or the vendor's objectivity in performing the contract is, or might be, impaired.
5. The contents of the Proposal have not been communicated by the Proposer or its employees or agents to any person not an employee or legally authorized agent of the Proposer and will not be communicated to any such persons prior to Due Date of this solicitation.
6. If awarded a contract, the Proposer will provide to Sourcewell Participating Entities the equipment, products, and services in accordance with the terms, conditions, and scope of a resulting contract.
7. The Proposer possesses, or will possess before delivering any equipment, products, or services, all applicable licenses or certifications necessary to deliver such equipment, products, or services under any resulting contract.
8. The Proposer agrees to deliver equipment, products, and services through valid contracts, purchase orders, or means that are acceptable to Sourcewell Members. Unless otherwise agreed to, the Proposer must provide only new and first-quality products and related services to Sourcewell Members under an awarded Contract.
9. The Proposer will comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules, and orders.
10. The Proposer understands that Sourcewell will reject RFP proposals that are marked "confidential" (or "nonpublic," etc.), either substantially or in their entirety. Under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.591, subdivision 4, all proposals are considered nonpublic data until the evaluation is complete and a Contract is awarded. At that point, proposals become public data. Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37 permits only certain narrowly defined data to be considered a "trade secret," and thus nonpublic data under Minnesota's Data Practices Act.
11. Proposer its employees, agents, and subcontractors are not:
  1. Included on the "Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons" list maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the United States Department of the Treasury found at: <https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf>;
  2. Included on the government-wide exclusions lists in the United States System for Award Management found at: <https://sam.gov/SAM/>; or
  3. Presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this solicitation.

By checking this box I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Proposer's Affidavit, have the legal authority to submit this Proposal on behalf of the Proposer, and that this electronic acknowledgment has the same legal effect, validity, and enforceability as if I had hand signed the Proposal. This signature will not be denied such legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because an electronic signature or electronic record was used in its formation. - Jesse Cooper, Fleet Manager, 72 Hour LLC

The Proposer declares that there is an actual or potential Conflict of Interest relating to the preparation of its submission, and/or the Proposer foresees an actual or potential Conflict of Interest in performing the contractual obligations contemplated in the bid.

Yes  No

The Bidder acknowledges and agrees that the addendum/addenda below form part of the Bid Document.

Check the box in the column "I have reviewed this addendum" below to acknowledge each of the addenda.

File Name	I have reviewed the below addendum and attachments (if applicable)	Pages
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<b>Addendum_5_Autos_SUVs_Vans_Trucks_RFP_091521</b> Tue September 7 2021 07:28 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2
<b>Addendum_4_Autos_SUVs_Vans_Trucks_RFP_091521</b> Thu August 26 2021 05:55 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1
<b>Addendum_3_Autos_SUVs_Vans_Trucks_RFP_091521</b> Mon August 23 2021 09:47 AM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1
<b>Addendum_2_Autos_SUVs_Vans_Trucks_RFP_091521</b> Sun August 8 2021 09:02 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1
<b>Addendum_1_Autos_SUVs_Vans_Trucks_RFP_091521</b> Thu August 5 2021 03:58 PM	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	1