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Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government

Lexington, Kentucky
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Division of Central Purchasing

Date of Issue: February 3, 2022

INVITATION TO BID #13-2022 Vehicle Equipment Installation Rebid

Bid Opening Date: February 17, 2021 **Bid Opening Time:** 2:00 PM
Address: 200 East Main Street, 3rd Floor, Room 338, Lexington, Kentucky 40507
Type of Bid: Price Contract

Pre Bid Meeting: N/A **Pre Bid Time:** N/A
Address: N/A

Sealed bids will be received via Ion Wave, until **2:00 PM**, prevailing local time on **2/17/2021**. Bids must be received by the above-mentioned date and time. Bids should be submitted via:

Ion Wave
<https://lexingtonky.ionwave.net>

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government assumes no responsibility for bids that are not delivered as indicated above. All bids must be signed. Bids are to include all shipping, handling and associated fees to the point of delivery located at: Lexington, KY

Check One:	Proposed Delivery:
<input type="checkbox"/> Bid Specifications Met <input type="checkbox"/> Exceptions to Bid Specifications. <i>Exceptions shall be itemized and attached to bid proposal submitted.</i>	<input type="text"/> days after acceptance of bid.
Procurement Card Usage —The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government may be using Procurement Cards to purchase goods and services and also to make payments. Will you accept Procurement Cards? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

Submitted by: Ridgenet Network Group, LLC.
Firm Name

6833 KY Highway 1247
Address

Science Hill, KY, 42553
City, State & Zip

Bid must be signed: Alex Wilson - CFO/Owner
(original signature) Signature of Authorized Company Representative – Title

Alex Wilson
Representative's Name (Typed or printed)

606-280-9815 Ext. 2802
Area Code - Phone – Extension Fax #

Alex.wilson@ridgenet.us
E-Mail Address

The Affidavit in this bid must be completed before your firm can be considered for award of this contract.

AFFIDAVIT

Comes the Affiant, Alex Wilson, and after being first duly sworn under penalty of perjury as follows:

1. His/her name is Alex Wilson and he/she is the individual submitting the bid or is the authorized representative of Ridgenet Network Group, LLC, the entity submitting the bid (hereinafter referred to as "Bidder")
2. Bidder will pay all taxes and fees, which are owed to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government at the time the bid is submitted, prior to award of the contract and will maintain a "current" status in regard to those taxes and fees during the life of the contract.
3. Bidder will obtain a Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government business license, if applicable, prior to award of the contract.
4. Bidder has authorized the Division of Central Purchasing to verify the above-mentioned information with the Division of Revenue and to disclose to the Urban County Council that taxes and/or fees are delinquent or that a business license has not been obtained.
5. Bidder has not knowingly violated any provision of the campaign finance laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky within the past five (5) years and the award of a contract to the Bidder will not violate any provision of the campaign finance laws of the Commonwealth.
6. Bidder has not knowingly violated any provision of Chapter 25 of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Code of Ordinances, known as "Ethics Act."
7. Bidder acknowledges that "knowingly" for purposes of this Affidavit means, with respect to conduct or to circumstances described by a statute or ordinance defining an offense, that a person is aware or should have been aware that his conduct is of that nature or that the circumstance exists.

Further, Affiant sayeth naught. _____

STATE OF Kentucky

COUNTY OF Pulaski

The foregoing instrument was subscribed, sworn to and acknowledged before me

by Alex Wilson on this the 14th day of February, 2022.

My Commission expires: 4/7/25



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Please refer to Section II. Bid Conditions, Item "U" prior to completing this form.

I. GREEN PROCUREMENT

A. ENERGY

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government is committed to protecting our environment and being fiscally responsible to our citizens.

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government mandates the use of Energy Star compliant products if they are available in the marketplace (go to www.Energystar.gov). If these products are available, but not submitted in your pricing, your bid will be rejected as non-compliant.

ENERGY STAR is a government program that offers businesses and consumers energy-efficient solutions, making it easy to save money while protecting the environment for future generations.

Key Benefits

These products use 25 to 50% less energy
Reduced energy costs without compromising quality or performance
Reduced air pollution because fewer fossil fuels are burned
Significant return on investment
Extended product life and decreased maintenance

B. GREEN SEAL CERTIFIED PRODUCTS

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government is also committed to using other environmentally friendly products that do not negatively impact our environment. Green Seal is a non-profit organization devoted to environmental standard setting, product certification, and public education.

Go to www.Greenseal.org to find available certified products. These products will have a reduced impact on the environment and on human health. The products to be used must be pre-approved by the LFUCG prior to commencement of any work in any LFUCG facility. If a Green Seal product is not available, the LFUCG must provide a signed waiver to use an alternate product. Please provide information on the Green Seal products being used with your bid response.

C. GREEN COMMUNITY

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (LFUCG) serves as a principal, along with the University of Kentucky and Fayette County Public Schools, in the Bluegrass Partnership for a Green Community. The Purchasing Team component of the Partnership collaborates on economy of scale purchasing that promotes and enhances environmental initiatives. Specifically, when applicable, each principal is interested in obtaining best value products and/or services which promote environment initiatives via solicitations and awards from the other principals.

If your company is the successful bidder on this Invitation For Bid, do you agree to extend the same product/service pricing to the other principals of the Bluegrass Partnership for a Green Community (i.e. University of Kentucky and Fayette County Schools) if requested?

Yes No

II. Bid Conditions

- A. No bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days after the date and time set for opening.
- B. No bid may be altered after the date and time set for opening. In the case of obvious errors, the Division of Central Purchasing may permit the withdrawal of a bid. The decision as to whether a bid may be withdrawn shall be that of the Division of Central Purchasing.
- C. Acceptance of this proposal shall be enactment of an Ordinance by the Urban County Council.
- D. The bidder agrees that the Urban County Government reserves the right to reject any and all bids for either fiscal or technical reasons, and to award each part of the bid separately, all parts to one vendor or all parts to multiple vendors.
- E. Minor exceptions may not eliminate the bidder. The decision as to whether any exception is minor shall be entirely that of the head of the requisitioning Department or Division and the Director of the Division of Central Purchasing. The Urban County Government may waive technicalities and informalities where such waiver would best serve the interests of the Urban County Government.
- F. Manufacturer's catalogue numbers, trade names, etc., where shown herein are for descriptive purposes and are to guide the bidder in interpreting the standard of quality, design, and performance desired, and shall not be construed to exclude proposals based on furnishing other types of materials and/or services. However, any substitution or departure proposed by the bidder must be clearly noted and described; otherwise, it will be assumed that the bidder intends to supply items specifically mentioned in this Invitation for Bids.
- G. The Urban County Government may require demonstrations of the materials proposed herein prior to acceptance of this proposal.
- H. Bids must be submitted on this form and must be signed by the bidder or his authorized representative. Unsigned bids will not be considered.
- I. Bids must be submitted prior to the date and time indicated for opening. Bids submitted after this time will not be considered.
- J. Bids that are not submitted via Ion Wave will be rejected.
- K. Bidder is requested to show both unit prices and lot prices. In the event of error, the unit price shall prevail.
- L. A certified check or Bid Bond in the amount of XX percent of the bid price must be attached hereto. This check must be made payable to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, and will be returned when the material and/or services specified herein have been delivered in accordance with specifications. In the event of failure to perform within the time period set forth in this bid, it is agreed the certified check may be cashed and the funds retained by the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government as liquidated damages. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned when the bid has been awarded.
- M. The delivery dates specified by bidder may be a factor in the determination of the successful bidder.
- N. Tabulations of bids received may be mailed to bidders. Bidders requesting tabulations must enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope with the bid.
- O. The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government is exempt from Kentucky Sales Tax and Federal Excise Tax on materials purchased from this bid invitation. Materials purchased by the bidder for construction projects are not tax exempt and are the sole responsibility of the bidder.
- P. All material furnished hereunder must be in full compliance with OSHA regulations.
- Q. If more than one bid is offered by one party, or by any person or persons representing a party, all such bids shall be rejected.
- R. Signature on the face of this bid by the Bidder or his authorized representative shall be construed as acceptance of and compliance with all terms and conditions contained herein.
- S. The Entity (regardless of whether construction contractor, non-construction contractor or supplier) agrees to

provide equal opportunity in employment for all qualified persons, to prohibit discrimination in employment because of race, color, religion, sex (including pregnancy, sexual orientation or gender identity), national origin, disability, age, genetic information, political affiliation, or veteran status, and to promote equal employment through a positive, continuing program from itself and each of its sub-contracting agents. This program of equal employment opportunity shall apply to every aspect of its employment policies and practices.

- T. The Kentucky Equal Employment Opportunity Act of 1978 (KRS 45.560-45.640) requires that any county, city, town, school district, water district, hospital district, or other political subdivision of the state shall include in directly or indirectly publicly funded contracts for supplies, materials, services, or equipment hereinafter entered into the following provisions:

During the performance of this contract, the contractor agrees as follows:

- (1) *The contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, age or national origin;*
- (2) *The contractor will state in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the contractors that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, age or national origin;*
- (3) *The contractor will post notices in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, setting forth the provisions of the non-discrimination clauses required by this section; and*
- (4) *The contractor will send a notice to each labor union or representative of workers with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding advising the labor union or workers' representative of the contractor's commitments under the nondiscrimination clauses.*

The Act further provides:

KRS 45.610. Hiring minorities - Information required

- (1) *For the length of the contract, each contractor shall hire minorities from other sources within the drawing area, should the union with which he has collective bargaining agreements be unwilling to supply sufficient minorities to satisfy the agreed upon goals and timetable.*
- (2) *Each contractor shall, for the length of the contract, furnish such information as required by KRS 45.560 to KRS 45.640 and by such rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto and will permit access to all books and records pertaining to his employment practices and work sites by the contracting agency and the department for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with KRS 45.560 to 45.640 and such rules, regulations and orders issued pursuant thereto.*

KRS 45.620. Action against contractor - Hiring of minority contractor or subcontractor

- (1) *If any contractor is found by the department to have engaged in an unlawful practice under this chapter during the course of performing under a contract or subcontract covered under KRS 45.560 to 45.640, the department shall so certify to the contracting agency and such certification shall be binding upon the contracting agency unless it is reversed in the course of judicial review.*
- (2) *If the contractor is found to have committed an unlawful practice under KRS 45.560 to 45.640, the contracting agency may cancel or terminate the contract, conditioned upon a program for future compliance approved by the contracting agency and the department. The contracting agency may declare such a contractor ineligible to bid on further contracts with that agency until such time as the contractor complies in full with the requirements of KRS 45.560 to 45.640.*
- (3) *The equal employment provisions of KRS 45.560 to 45.640 may be met in part by a contractor by subcontracting to a minority contractor or subcontractor. For the provisions of KRS 45.560 to 45.640, a minority contractor or subcontractor shall mean a business that is owned and controlled by one or more persons disadvantaged by racial or ethnic circumstances.*

KRS 45.630 Termination of existing employee not required, when

Any provision of KRS 45.560 to 45.640 notwithstanding, no contractor shall be required to terminate an existing employee upon proof that that employee was employed prior to the date of the contract.

KRS 45.640 Minimum skills

Nothing in KRS 45.560 to 45.640 shall require a contractor to hire anyone who fails to demonstrate the minimum skills required to perform a particular job.

It is recommended that all of the provisions above quoted to be included as special conditions in each contract. In the case of a contract exceeding \$250,000, the contractor is required to furnish evidence that his work-force in Kentucky is representative of the available work-force in the area from which he draws employees, or to supply an Affirmative Action plan which will achieve such representation during the life of the contract.

- U. Any party, firm or individual submitting a proposal pursuant to this invitation must be in compliance with the requirements of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government regarding taxes and fees before they can be considered for award of this invitation and must maintain a "current" status with regard to those taxes and fees throughout the term of the contract. The contractor must be in compliance with Chapter 13 from the Code of Ordinances of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government. The contractor must be in compliance with Ordinance 35-2000 pursuant to contractor registration with the Division of Building Inspection. If applicable, said business must have a Fayette County business license.

Pursuant to KRS 45A.343 and KRS 45A.345, the contractor shall

- (1) *Reveal any final determination of a violation by the contractor within the previous five year period pursuant to KRS Chapters 136 (corporation and utility taxes), 139 (sales and use taxes), 141 (income taxes), 337 (wages and hours), 338 (occupational safety and health of employees), 341 (unemployment and compensation) and 342 (labor and human rights) that apply to the contractor; and*
- (2) *Be in continuous compliance with the above-mentioned KRS provisions that apply to the contractor for the duration of the contract.*

A contractor's failure to reveal the above or to comply with such provisions for the duration of the contract shall be grounds for cancellation of the contract and disqualification of the contractor from eligibility for future contracts for a period of two (2) years.

- V. Vendors who respond to this invitation have the right to file a notice of contention associated with the bid process or to file a notice of appeal of the recommendation made by the Director of Central Purchasing resulting from this invitation.

Notice of contention with the bid process must be filed within 3 business days of the bid/proposal opening by (1) sending a written notice, including sufficient documentation to support contention, to the Director of the Division of Central Purchasing or (2) submitting a written request for a meeting with the Director of Central Purchasing to explain his/her contention with the bid process. After consulting with the Commissioner of Finance the Chief Administrative Officer and reviewing the documentation and/or hearing the vendor, the Director of Central Purchasing shall promptly respond in writing findings as to the compliance with bid processes. If, based on this review, a bid process irregularity is deemed to have occurred the Director of Central Purchasing will consult with the Commissioner of Finance, the Chief Administrative Officer and the Department of Law as to the appropriate remedy. Notice of appeal of a bid recommendation must be filed within 3 business days of the bid recommendation by (1) sending a written notice, including sufficient documentation to support appeal, to the Director, Division of Central Purchasing or (2) submitting a written request for a meeting with the Director of Central Purchasing to explain his appeal. After reviewing the documentation and/or hearing the vendor and consulting with the Commissioner of Finance and the Chief Administrative Officer, the Director of Central Purchasing shall in writing, affirm or withdraw the recommendation.

III. Procurement Contract Bid Conditions

- A. The terms of this agreement shall be for 1 year(s) from the date of acceptance of this contract by the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government. This agreement may be automatically extended for an additional 1 year(s) renewal. This contract may be canceled by either party thirty (30) days after delivery by canceling party of written notice of intent to cancel to the other contracting party.

- B. Price Changes **(Space Checked Applies)**
 - (XXX)1. Prices quoted in response to the Invitation shall be firm prices for the first 90 days of the Procurement Contract. After 90 days, prices may be subject to revision and such changes shall be based on general industry changes. Revision may be either increases or decreases and may be requested by either party. There will be no more than one (1) price adjustment per quarter. Requests for price changes shall be received in writing at least twenty (20) days prior to the effective date and are subject to written acceptance before becoming effective. Proof of the validity of a request for revision shall be responsibility of the requesting party. The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government shall receive the benefit of any decline that the seller shall offer his other accounts.

 - () 2. No provision for price change is made herein. Prices are to be firm for the term of this contract.

 - () 3. See bid specifications.

- C. If any contract item is not available from the vendor, the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, at its option, may permit the item to be back-ordered or may procure the item on the open market.

- D. All invoices must bear reference to the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Purchasing document numbers which are being billed.

- E. This contract may be canceled by the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government if it is determined that the Bidder has failed to perform under the terms of this agreement, such cancellation to be effective upon receipt of written notice of cancellation by the Bidder.

- F. No substitutions for articles specified herein may be made without prior approval of the Division of Central Purchasing.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY AGREEMENT

Standard Title VI Assurance

The Lexington Fayette-Urban County Government, (hereinafter referred to as the "Recipient") hereby agrees that as a condition to receiving any Federal financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Transportation, it will comply with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, 78Stat.252, 42 U.S.C. 2000d-4 (hereinafter referred to as the "Act"), and all requirements imposed by or pursuant to Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, U.S. Department of Transportation, Subtitle A, Office of the Secretary, (49 CFR, Part 21) Nondiscrimination in Federally Assisted Program of the Department of Transportation – Effectuation of Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (hereinafter referred to as the "Regulations") and other pertinent directives, no person in the United States shall, on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex, age (over 40), religion, sexual orientation, gender identity, veteran status, or disability be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subjected to discrimination under any program or activity for which the Recipient receives Federal financial assistance from the U.S. Department of Transportation, including the Federal Highway Administration, and hereby gives assurance that will promptly take any necessary measures to effectuate this agreement. This assurance is required by subsection 21.7(a) (1) of the Regulations.

The Law

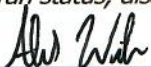
- Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (amended 1972) states that it is unlawful for an employer to discriminate in employment because of race, color, religion, sex, age (40-70 years) or national origin.
- Executive Order No. 11246 on Nondiscrimination under Federal contract prohibits employment discrimination by contractor and sub-contractor doing business with the Federal Government or recipients of Federal funds. This order was later amended by Executive Order No. 11375 to prohibit discrimination on the basis of sex.
- Section 503 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 states: *The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of physical or mental disability.*
- Section 2012 of the Vietnam Era Veterans Readjustment Act of 1973 requires Affirmative Action on behalf of disabled veterans and veterans of the Vietnam Era by contractors having Federal contracts.
- Section 206(A) of Executive Order 12086, Consolidation of Contract Compliance Functions for Equal Employment Opportunity, states: *The Secretary of Labor may investigate the employment practices of any Government contractor or sub-contractor to determine whether or not the contractual provisions specified in Section 202 of this order have been violated.*

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government practices Equal Opportunity in recruiting, hiring and promoting. It is the Government's intent to affirmatively provide employment opportunities for those individuals who have previously not been allowed to enter into the mainstream of society. Because of its importance to the local Government, this policy carries the full endorsement of the Mayor, Commissioners, Directors and all supervisory personnel. In following this commitment to Equal Employment Opportunity and because the Government is the benefactor of the Federal funds, it is both against the Urban County Government policy and illegal for the Government to let contracts to companies which knowingly or unknowingly practice discrimination in their employment practices. Violation of the above mentioned ordinances may cause a contract to be canceled and the contractors may be declared ineligible for future consideration.

Please sign this statement in the appropriate space acknowledging that you have read and understand the provisions contained herein. Return this document as part of your application packet.

Bidders

I/We agree to comply with the Civil Rights Laws listed above that govern employment rights of minorities, women, veteran status, disability and age.



Signature



Name of Business

GENERAL PROVISIONS OF BID CONTRACT

By signing the below, bidder acknowledges that it understands and agrees with the following provisions related to its bid response and the provision of any goods or services to LFUCG upon selection by LFUCG pursuant to the bid request:

1. Bidder shall comply with all Federal, State & Local regulations concerning this type of service or good. All applicable state laws, ordinances and resolutions (including but not limited to Section 2-33 (Discrimination due to sexual orientation or gender identity) and Chapter 13 (Licenses and Regulations) of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government Code of Ordinances, and Resolution No. 484-17 (Minority, Women, and Veteran-Owned Businesses)) and the regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over the project shall apply to the contract, and shall be deemed to be incorporated herein by reference.
2. Failure to submit ALL forms and information required by LFUCG may be grounds for disqualification.
3. Addenda: All addenda and IonWave Q&A, if any, must be considered by the bidder in making its response, and such addenda shall be made a part of the requirements of the bid contract. Before submitting a bid response, it is incumbent upon bidder to be informed as to whether any addenda have been issued, and the failure of the bidder to cover any such addenda may result in disqualification of that response.
4. Bid Reservations: LFUCG reserves the right to reject any or all bid responses, to award in whole or part, and to waive minor immaterial defects in proposals. LFUCG may consider any alternative proposal that meets its basic needs.
5. Liability: LFUCG is not responsible for any cost incurred by bidder in the preparation of its response.
6. Changes/Alterations: Bidder may change or withdraw a proposal at any time prior to the opening; however, no oral modifications will be allowed. Only letters, or other formal written requests for modifications or corrections of a previously submitted proposal which is addressed in the same manner as the bid response, and received by LFUCG prior to the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids, will be accepted. The bid response when opened, will then be corrected in accordance with such written request(s), provided that the written request is contained in a sealed envelope which is plainly marked "modifications of bid response".
7. Clarification of Submittal: LFUCG reserves the right to obtain clarification of any point in a bid or to obtain additional information from any bidder.
8. Bribery Clause: By his/her signature on its response, bidder certifies that no employee of his/hers, any affiliate or subcontractor, has bribed or attempted to bribe an officer or employee of the LFUCG.
9. Additional Information: While not necessary, the bidder may include any product brochures, software documentation, sample reports, or other documentation that may assist LFUCG in better understanding and evaluating the bid response. Additional documentation shall not serve as a substitute for other documentation which is required by the LFUCG to be submitted with the bid response.
10. Ambiguity, Conflict or other Errors: If a bidder discovers any ambiguity, conflict, discrepancy, omission or other error in the bid request of LFUCG, it shall immediately notify LFUCG of such error in writing and request modification or clarification of the document if allowable by the LFUCG.
11. Agreement to Bid Terms: In submitting its bid response, the bidder agrees that it has carefully examined the specifications and all provisions relating to LFUCG's bid request, including but not limited to the bid contract. By submission of its bid response, bidder states that it understands the meaning, intent and requirements of LFUCG's bid request and agrees to the same. The successful bidder shall warrant that it is familiar with and understands all provisions herein and shall warrant that it can comply with them. No additional compensation to bidder shall be authorized for services, expenses, or goods reasonably covered under these provisions that the bidder omits from its bid response.
12. Cancellation: LFUCG may unilaterally terminate the bid contract with the selected bidder(s) at any time, with or without cause, by providing at least thirty (30) days advance written notice unless a different advance

written notice period is negotiated prior to contract approval. Payment for services or goods received prior to termination shall be made by the LFUCG provided these goods or services were provided in a manner acceptable to the LFUCG. Payment for those goods and services shall not be unreasonably withheld.

13. **Assignment of Contract:** The selected bidder(s) shall not assign or subcontract any portion of the bid contract with LFUCG without the express written consent of LFUCG. Any purported assignment or subcontract in violation hereof shall be void. It is expressly acknowledged that LFUCG shall never be required or obligated to consent to any request for assignment or subcontract; and further that such refusal to consent can be for any or no reason, fully within the sole discretion of LFUCG.
14. **No Waiver:** No failure or delay by LFUCG in exercising any right, remedy, power or privilege hereunder, nor any single or partial exercise thereof, nor the exercise of any other right, remedy, power or privilege shall operate as a waiver hereof or thereof. No failure or delay by LFUCG in exercising any right, remedy, power or privilege under or in respect of this bid proposal or bid contract shall affect the rights, remedies, powers or privileges of LFUCG hereunder or shall operate as a waiver thereof.
15. **Authority to do Business:** Each bidder must be authorized to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky and must be in good standing and have full legal capacity to provide the goods or services specified in the bid proposal. Each bidder must have all necessary right and lawful authority to submit the bid response and enter into the bid contract for the full term hereof including any necessary corporate or other action authorizing the bidder to submit the bid response and enter into this bid contract. If requested, the bidder will provide LFUCG with a copy of a corporate resolution authorizing this action and/or a letter from an attorney confirming that the proposer is authorized to do business in the Commonwealth of Kentucky. All bid responses must be signed by a duly authorized officer, agent or employee of the bidder.
16. **Governing Law:** This bid request and bid contract shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. In the event of any proceedings regarding this matter, the bidder agrees that the venue shall be the Fayette County Circuit Court or the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Kentucky, Lexington Division and that the bidder expressly consents to personal jurisdiction and venue in such Court for the limited and sole purpose of proceedings relating to these matters or any rights or obligations arising thereunder.
17. **Ability to Meet Obligations:** Bidder affirmatively states that there are no actions, suits or proceedings of any kind pending against bidder or, to the knowledge of the bidder, threatened against the bidder before or by any court, governmental body or agency or other tribunal or authority which would, if adversely determined, have a materially adverse effect on the authority or ability of bidder to perform its obligations under this bid response or bid contract, or which question the legality, validity or enforceability hereof or thereof.
18. **Price Discrepancy:** When applicable, in case of price discrepancy, unit bid price written in words will prevail followed by unit price written in numbers then total amount bid per line item.
19. Bidder understands and agrees that its employees, agents, or subcontractors are not employees of LFUCG for any purpose whatsoever. Bidder is an independent contractor at all times related to the bid response or bid contract.
20. Contractor [or Vendor or Vendor's Employees] will not appropriate or make use of the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government (LFUCG) name or any of its trade or service marks or property (including but not limited to any logo or seal), in any promotion, endorsement, advertisement, testimonial or similar use without the prior written consent of the government. If such consent is granted LFUCG reserves the unilateral right, in its sole discretion, to immediately terminate and revoke such use for any reason whatsoever. Contractor agrees that it shall cease and desist from any unauthorized use immediately upon being notified by LFUCG.
21. If any term or provision of this bid contract shall be found to be illegal or unenforceable, the remainder of the contract shall remain in full force and such term or provision shall be deemed stricken.



Signature

2-14-2022
Date

WORKFORCE ANALYSIS FORM

Name of Organization: Ridgenet Network Group, LLC.

Categories	Total	White (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Hispanic or Latino		Black or African-American (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Asian (Not Hispanic or Latino)		American Indian or Alaskan Native (not Hispanic or Latino)		Two or more races (Not Hispanic or Latino)		Total		
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
Administrators	2	x															2	
Professionals																		
Superintendents																		
Supervisors	2	x															2	
Foremen																		
Technicians	6	x															6	
Protective Service																		
Para-Professionals																		
Office/Clerical	1		x															1
Skilled Craft																		
Service/Maintenance																		
Total:	11																	

Prepared by: Alex Wilson - CFO/owner
(Name and Title)

Date: 02, 14, 2022

Revised 2015-Dec-15

**DIRECTOR, DIVISION OF CENTRAL PURCHASING
LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT
200 EAST MAIN STREET
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40507**

**NOTICE OF REQUIREMENT FOR AFFIRMATIVE ACTION TO ENSURE
EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES AND DBE CONTRACT PARTICIPATION**

The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government has set a goal that not less than ten percent (10%) of the total value of this contract be subcontracted to MBE/WBE's, and set a goal that not less than three percent (3%) of the total value of this contract be subcontracted to Veteran-Owned Small Businesses. The goal for the utilization of Certified MBE/WBE's and Veteran-Owned Small Businesses as subcontractors are recommended goals. Contractors who fail to meet such goals will be expected to provide written explanations to the Director of the Division of Central Purchasing of efforts they have made to accomplish the recommended goals and the extent to which they are successful in accomplishing the recommended goals will be a consideration in the procurement process.

For assistance in locating MBE/WBE Subcontractors contact Sherita Miller at 859/258-3320 or by writing the address listed below:

Sherita Miller, Division of Central Purchasing
Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
200 East Main Street – Room 338
Lexington, Kentucky 40507
smiller@lexingtonky.gov

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
MWDBE PARTICIPATION GOALS

A. GENERAL

- 1) The LFUCG request all potential contractors to make a concerted effort to include Minority-Owned (MBE), Woman-Owned (WBE), Disadvantaged (DBE) Business Enterprises and Veteran-Owned Small Businesses (VOSB) as subcontractors or suppliers in their bids.
- 2) Toward that end, the LFUCG has established 10% of total procurement costs as a Goal for participation of Minority-Owned, Woman-Owned and Disadvantaged Businesses on this contract.
- 3) **It is therefore a request of each Bidder to include in its bid, the same goal (10%) for MWDBE participation and other requirements as outlined in this section.**
- 4) The LFUCG has also established a 3% of total procurement costs as a Goal for participation for of Veteran-Owned Businesses.
- 5) **It is therefore a request of each Bidder to include in its bid, the same goal (3%) for Veteran-Owned participation and other requirements as outlined in this section.**

B. PROCEDURES

- 1) The successful bidder will be required to report to the LFUCG, the dollar amounts of all payments submitted to Minority-Owned, Woman-Owned or Veteran-Owned subcontractors and suppliers for work done or materials purchased for this contract. (See Subcontractor Monthly Payment Report)
- 2) Replacement of a Minority-Owned, Woman-Owned or Veteran-Owned subcontractor or supplier listed in the original submittal must be requested in writing and must be accompanied by documentation of Good Faith Efforts to replace the subcontractor / supplier with another MWDBE Firm; this is subject to approval by the LFUCG. (See LFUCG MWDBE Substitution Form)
- 3) For assistance in identifying qualified, certified businesses to solicit for potential contracting opportunities, bidders may contact:
 - a) The Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, Division of Central Purchasing (859-258-3320)
- 4) The LFUCG will make every effort to notify interested MWDBE and Veteran-Owned subcontractors and suppliers of each Bid Package, including information on the scope of work, the pre-bid meeting time and location, the bid date, and all other pertinent information regarding the project.

C. DEFINITIONS

- 1) A Minority-Owned Business Enterprise (MBE) is defined as a business which is certified as being at least 51% owned, managed and controlled by persons of African American, Hispanic, Asian, Pacific Islander, American Indian or Alaskan Native Heritage.
- 2) A Woman-Owned Business Enterprise (WBE) is defined as a business which is certified as being at least 51% owned, managed and controlled by one or more women.
- 3) A Disadvantaged Business (DBE) is defined as a business which is certified as being at least

51% owned, managed and controlled by a person(s) that are economically and socially disadvantaged.

- 4) A Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB) is defined as a business which is certified as being at least 51% owned, managed and controlled by a veteran and/or a service disabled veteran.
- 5) Good Faith Efforts are efforts that, given all relevant circumstances, a bidder or proposer actively and aggressively seeking to meet the goals, can reasonably be expected to make. In evaluating good faith efforts made toward achieving the goals, whether the bidder or proposer has performed the efforts outlined in the Obligations of Bidder for Good Faith Efforts outlined in this document will be considered, along with any other relevant factors.

D. OBLIGATION OF BIDDER FOR GOOD FAITH EFFORTS

- 1) **The bidder shall make a Good Faith Effort to achieve the Participation Goal for MWDBE and Veteran-Owned subcontractors/suppliers. The failure to meet the goal shall not necessarily be cause for disqualification of the bidder; however, bidders not meeting the goal are required to furnish with their bids written documentation of their Good Faith Efforts to do so.**
- 2) Award of Contract shall be conditioned upon satisfaction of the requirements set forth herein.
- 3) The Form of Proposal includes a section entitled "MWDBE Participation Form". The applicable information must be completed and submitted as outlined below.
- 4) **Failure to submit this information as requested may be cause for rejection of bid or delay in contract award.**

E. DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR GOOD FAITH EFFORTS

- 1) Bidders reaching the Goal are required to submit only the MWDBE Participation Form." The form must be fully completed including names and telephone number of participating MWDBE firm(s); type of work to be performed; estimated value of the contract and value expressed as a percentage of the total Lump Sum Bid Price. The form must be signed and dated, and is to be submitted with the bid.
- 2) Bidders not reaching the Goal must submit the "MWDBE Participation Form", the "Quote Summary Form" and a written statement documenting their Good Faith Effort to do so. If bid includes no MWDBE and/or Veteran participation, bidder shall enter "None" on the subcontractor / supplier form). In addition, the bidder must submit written proof of their Good Faith Efforts to meet the Participation Goal:
 - a. Advertised opportunities to participate in the contract in at least two (2) publications of general circulation media; trade and professional association publications; small and minority business or trade publications; and publications or trades targeting minority, women and disadvantaged businesses not less than fifteen (15) days prior to the deadline for submission of bids to allow MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to participate.
 - b. Included documentation of advertising in the above publications with the bidders good faith efforts package
 - c. Attended LFUCG Central Purchasing Economic Inclusion Outreach event

- d. Attended pre-bid meetings that were scheduled by LFUCG to inform MWDBEs and/or Veteran-Owned businesses of subcontracting opportunities
- e. Sponsored Economic Inclusion event to provide networking opportunities for prime contractors and MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses.
- f. Requested a list of MWDBE and/or Veteran subcontractors or suppliers from LFUCG and showed evidence of contacting the companies on the list(s).
- g. Contacted organizations that work with MWDBE companies for assistance in finding certified MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to work on this project. Those contacted and their responses should be a part of the bidder's good faith efforts documentation.
- h. Sent written notices, by certified mail, email or facsimile, to qualified, certified MWDBEs and/or Veteran-Owned businesses soliciting their participation in the contract not less than seven (7) days prior to the deadline for submission of bids to allow them to participate effectively.
- i. Followed up initial solicitations by contacting MWDBEs and Veteran-Owned Businesses to determine their level of interest.
- j. Provided the interested MWDBE firm and/or Veteran-Owned business with adequate and timely information about the plans, specifications, and requirements of the contract.
- k. Selected portions of the work to be performed by MWDBE firms and/or Veteran-Owned businesses in order to increase the likelihood of meeting the contract goals. This includes, where appropriate, breaking out contract work items into economically feasible units to facilitate MWDBE and Veteran participation, even when the prime contractor may otherwise perform these work items with its own workforce
- l. Negotiated in good faith with interested MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses not rejecting them as unqualified without sound reasons based on a thorough investigation of their capabilities. Any rejection should be so noted in writing with a description as to why an agreement could not be reached.
- m. Included documentation of quotations received from interested MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses which were not used due to uncompetitive pricing or were rejected as unacceptable and/or copies of responses from firms indicating that they would not be submitting a bid.
- n. Bidder has to submit sound reasons why the quotations were considered unacceptable. The fact that the bidder has the ability and/or desire to perform the contract work with its own forces will not be considered a sound reason for rejecting a MWDBE and/or Veteran-Owned business's quote. Nothing in this provision shall be construed to require the bidder to accept unreasonable quotes in order to satisfy MWDBE and Veteran goals.
- o. Made an effort to offer assistance to or refer interested MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to obtain the necessary equipment, supplies, materials, insurance and/or

bonding to satisfy the work requirements of the bid proposal

p. Made efforts to expand the search for MWBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses beyond the usual geographic boundaries.

q. Other--any other evidence that the bidder submits which may show that the bidder has made reasonable good faith efforts to include MWDBE and Veteran participation.

Note: Failure to submit any of the documentation requested in this section may be cause for rejection of bid. Bidders may include any other documentation deemed relevant to this requirement which is subject to review by the MBE Liaison. Documentation of Good Faith Efforts must be submitted with the Bid, if the participation Goal is not met.



MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISE PROGRAM

Sherita Miller, MPA
Minority Business Enterprise Liaison
Division of Central Purchasing
Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
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859-258-3323

OUR MISSION: The mission of the Minority Business Enterprise Program is to facilitate the full participation of minority and women owned businesses in the procurement process and to promote economic inclusion as a business imperative essential to the long term economic viability of Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government.

To that end the city council adopted and implemented Resolution 484-2017 – A Certified Minority, Women and Disadvantaged Business Enterprise ten percent (10%) minimum goal and a three (3%) minimum goal for Certified Veteran-Owned Small Businesses and Certified Service Disabled Veteran – Owned Businesses for government contracts.

The resolution states the following definitions shall be used for the purposes of reaching these goals (a full copy is available in Central Purchasing):

Certified Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) – a business in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned, managed and controlled by a person(s) who is socially and economically disadvantaged as defined by 49 CFR subpart 26.

Certified Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) – a business in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned, managed and controlled by an ethnic minority (i.e. African American, Asian American/Pacific Islander, Hispanic Islander, Native American/Native Alaskan Indian) as defined in federal law or regulation as it may be amended from time-to-time.

Certified Women Business Enterprise (WBE) – a business in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned, managed and controlled by a woman.

Certified Veteran-Owned Small Business (VOSB) – a business in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned, managed and controlled by a veteran who served on active duty with the U.S. Army, Air Force, Navy, Marines or Coast Guard.

Certified Service Disabled Veteran Owned Small Business (SDVOSB) – a business in which at least fifty-one percent (51%) is owned, managed and controlled by a disabled veteran who served on active duty with the U.S. Army, Air Force, Navy, Marines or Coast Guard.

The term “Certified” shall mean the business is appropriately certified, licensed, verified, or validated by an organization or entity recognized by the Division of Purchasing as having the appropriate credentials to make a determination as to the status of the business.

To comply with Resolution 484-2017, prime contractors and minority, women and veteran owned businesses must enroll in the new Diverse Business Management Compliance system, <https://lexingtonky.diversitycompliance.com/>

We have compiled the list below to help you locate certified MBE, WBE and DBE certified businesses. Below is a listing of contacts for LFUCG Certified MWDBEs and Veteran-Owned Small Businesses in (<https://lexingtonky.ionwave.net>)

Business	Contact	Email Address	Phone
LFUCG	Sherita Miller	smiller@lexingtonky.gov	859-258-3323
Commerce Lexington – Minority Business Development	Tyrone Tyra	ttyra@commercelexington.com	859-226-1625
Tri-State Minority Supplier Diversity Council	Susan Marston	smarston@tsmsdc.com	502-365-9762
Small Business Development Council	Shawn Rogers UK SBDC	shawn.rogers@uky.edu	859-257-7666
Community Ventures Corporation	Phyllis Alcorn	palcorn@cvky.org	859-231-0054
KY Transportation Cabinet (KYTC)	Melvin Bynes	Melvin.bynes2@ky.gov	502-564-3601
KYTC Pre-Qualification	Shella Eagle	Shella.Eagle@ky.gov	502-782-4815
Ohio River Valley Women’s Business Council (WBENC)	Sheila Mixon	smixon@orvwbc.org	513-487-6537
Kentucky MWBE Certification Program	Yvette Smith, Kentucky Finance Cabinet	Yvette.Smith@ky.gov	502-564-8099
National Women Business Owner’s Council (NWBOC)	Janet Harris-Lange	janet@nwvoc.org	800-675-5066
Small Business Administration	Robert Coffey	robertcoffey@sba.gov	502-582-5971
LaVoz de Kentucky	Andres Cruz	lavozdeky@yahoo.com	859-621-2106
The Key News Journal	Patrice Muhammad	production@keynewsjournal.com	859-685-8488



LFUCG MWDBE PARTICIPATION FORM

Bid/RFP/Quote Reference # 13-2022

The MWDBE and/or veteran subcontractors listed have agreed to participate on this Bid/RFP/Quote. If any substitution is made or the total value of the work is changed prior to or after the job is in progress, it is understood that those substitutions must be submitted to Central Purchasing for approval immediately. **Failure to submit a completed form may cause rejection of the bid.**

MWDBE Company, Name, Address, Phone, Email	MBE WBE or DBE	Work to be Performed	Total Dollar Value of the Work	% Value of Total Contract
1. N/A				
2.				
3.				
4.				

The undersigned company representative submits the above list of MWDBE firms to be used in accomplishing the work contained in this Bid/RFP/Quote. Any misrepresentation may result in the termination of the contract and/or be subject to applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and false claims.

Ridgenet Network Group, LLC.
Company

Alan White
Company Representative

2-14-2022
Date

CFO/owner
Title



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Ridgenet Network Group
Company

2-14-2022
Date

Alex Wilson
Company Representative

CFO/owner
Title



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LFUCG MWDBE SUBSTITUTION FORM

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The substituted MWDBE and/or veteran subcontractors listed below have agreed to participate on this Bid/RFP/Quote. These substitutions were made prior to or after the job was in progress. These substitutions were made for reasons stated below and are now being submitted to Central Purchasing for approval. By the authorized signature of a representative of our company, we understand that this information will be entered into our file for this project. **Failure to submit this form may cause rejection of the bid.**

SUBSTITUTED MWDBE Company Name, Address, Phone, Email	MWDBE Formally Contracted/ Name, Address, Phone, Email	Work to Be Performed	Reason for the Substitution	Total Dollar Value of the Work	% Value of Total Contract
1. N/A					
2.					
3.					
4.					

The undersigned acknowledges that any misrepresentation may result in termination of the contract and/or be subject to applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and false claims.

Ridgenet Network Group, LLC.
Company

2-14-2022
Date

Alex Wilson
Company Representative

CFO/owner
Title



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MWDBE QUOTE SUMMARY FORM

Bid/RFP/Quote Reference # 13-2022

The undersigned acknowledges that the minority and/or veteran subcontractors listed on this form did submit a quote to participate on this project. Failure to submit this form may cause rejection of the bid.

Company Name <u>N/A</u>	Contact Person
Address/Phone/Email	Bid Package / Bid Date

MWDBE Company Address	Contact Person	Contact Information (work phone Email, cell)	Date Contacted	Services to be performed	Method of Communication (email, phone meeting, ad, event etc)	Total dollars \$\$ Do Not Leave Blank (Attach Documentation)	MBE * AA HA AS NA Female	Veteran

(MBE designation / AA=African American / HA= Hispanic American/AS = Asian American/Pacific Islander/ NA= Native American)

The undersigned acknowledges that all information is accurate. Any misrepresentation may result in termination of the contract and/or be subject to applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and claims.

Ridgenet Network Group, LLC
Company

Alex Wilson
Company Representative

2-14-2022
Date

CFO/owner
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LFUCG SUBCONTRACTOR MONTHLY PAYMENT REPORT

The LFUCG has a 10% goal plan adopted by city council to increase the participation of minority and women owned businesses in the procurement process. The LFUCG also has a 3% goal plan adopted by cited council to increase the participation of veteran owned businesses in the procurement process. In order to measure that goal LFUCG will track spending with MWDBE and Veteran contractors on a monthly basis. By the signature below of an authorized company representative, you certify that the information is correct, and that each of the representations set forth below is true. Any misrepresentation may result in termination of the contract and/or prosecution under applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and false claims. Please submit this form monthly to the Division of Central Purchasing/ 200 East Main Street / Room 338 / Lexington, KY 40507.

Bid/RFP/Quote # 13-2022

Total Contract Amount Awarded to Prime Contractor for this Project _____

Project Name/ Contract # <i>N/A</i>	Work Period/ From: _____ To: _____
Company Name:	Address:
Federal Tax ID:	Contact Person:

Subcontractor Vendor ID (name, address, phone, email)	Description of Work	Total Subcontract Amount	% of Total Contract Awarded to Prime for this Project	Total Amount Paid for this Period	Purchase Order number for subcontractor work (please attach PO)	Scheduled Project Start Date	Scheduled Project End Date

By the signature below of an authorized company representative, you certify that the information is correct, and that each of the representations set forth below is true. Any misrepresentations may result in the termination of the contract and/or prosecution under applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and false claims.

Ridgenet Network Group, LLC.
Company

Alex Wilson
Company Representative

2-14-2022
Date

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LFUCG STATEMENT OF GOOD FAITH EFFORTS

Bid/RFP/Quote # 13-2022

By the signature below of an authorized company representative, we certify that we have utilized the following Good Faith Efforts to obtain the maximum participation by MWDBE and Veteran-Owned business enterprises on the project and can supply the appropriate documentation.

_____ Advertised opportunities to participate in the contract in at least two (2) publications of general circulation media; trade and professional association publications; small and minority business or trade publications; and publications or trades targeting minority, women and disadvantaged businesses not less than fifteen (15) days prior to the deadline for submission of bids to allow MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to participate.

_____ Included documentation of advertising in the above publications with the bidders good faith efforts package

_____ Attended LFUCG Central Purchasing Economic Inclusion Outreach event

_____ Attended pre-bid meetings that were scheduled by LFUCG to inform MWDBEs and/or Veteran-Owned Businesses of subcontracting opportunities

_____ Sponsored Economic Inclusion event to provide networking opportunities for prime contractors and MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses

_____ Requested a list of MWDBE and/or Veteran subcontractors or suppliers from LFUCG and showed evidence of contacting the companies on the list(s).

_____ Contacted organizations that work with MWDBE companies for assistance in finding certified MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to work on this project. Those contacted and their responses should be a part of the bidder's good faith efforts documentation.

_____ Sent written notices, by certified mail, email or facsimile, to qualified, certified MWDBEs soliciting their participation in the contract not less than seven (7) days prior to the deadline for submission of bids to allow them to participate effectively.

_____ Followed up initial solicitations by contacting MWDBEs and Veteran-Owned businesses to determine their level of interest.

_____ Provided the interested MWDBE firm and/or Veteran-Owned business with adequate and timely information about the plans, specifications, and requirements of the contract.

_____ Selected portions of the work to be performed by MWDBE firms and/or Veteran-Owned businesses in order to increase the likelihood of meeting the contract goals. This includes, where appropriate, breaking out contract work items into economically feasible units to facilitate MWDBE and Veteran participation, even when the prime contractor may otherwise perform these work items with its own workforce

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_____ Included documentation of quotations received from interested MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses which were not used due to uncompetitive pricing or were rejected as unacceptable and/or copies of responses from firms indicating that they would not be submitting a bid.

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_____ Made an effort to offer assistance to or refer interested MWDBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses to obtain the necessary equipment, supplies, materials, insurance and/or bonding to satisfy the work requirements of the bid proposal

_____ Made efforts to expand the search for MWBE firms and Veteran-Owned businesses beyond the usual geographic boundaries.

_____ Other--any other evidence that the bidder submits which may show that the bidder has made reasonable good faith efforts to include MWDBE and Veteran participation.

NOTE: Failure to submit any of the documentation requested in this section may be cause for rejection of bid. Bidders may include any other documentation deemed relevant to this requirement which is subject to approval by the MBE Liaison. Documentation of Good Faith Efforts must be submitted with the Bid, if the participation Goal is not met.

The undersigned acknowledges that all information is accurate. Any misrepresentations may result in termination of the contract and/or be subject to applicable Federal and State laws concerning false statements and claims.

Ridgenet Network Group, LLC.
Company

2-14-2022
Date

Alex Wilson
Company Representative

CEO/owner
Title

Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government
Division of Police

SPECIFICATION FOR VEHICLE EQUIPMENT INSTALLATION

The following specifications are for the Chevrolet Police Tahoe 4WD 4DR

The Division of Police will provide the equipment to be installed but will not supply the wire, connectors, fuse holder, grounding blocks or fuses.

New Patrol Vehicle and Emergency Equipment

ITEM	PART#
2021 Police Chevrolet Tahoe 4WD 4DR	
Brother Car Adapter Hard Wired 14FT	LB3692
Brother Pocket Jet 7	PJ762
Emergency Hammer	FE334
Fire Extinguisher with Vehicle Bracket	ABC
First Aid Kit	326 Piece
Havis Arm Rest	C-ARM-105
Havis Computer Side Pole (for Dock) (Tahoe)	C-HDM-204
Havis Console for Chevrolet Tahoe	C-VSW-1005-TAH-PM
Havis Cup Holder (Tahoe)	C-CUP2-I
Havis Tilt Swivel Device	C-MD-112
Kendall Sharps Container	KEN8303SA
Mobile Data Computer (TBD)	
Panorama Sharkee Antenna GPSB AFGB-832 C23F-5M	GPSB AFGB-832 C23F-5M
Panorama Sharkee Antenna Cables for Dock	C29T-5SJ C32SP-5T C23FP-5T
Setina Cage Prisoner Restraint 10-XL / 12VS Front and Rear Partitions	PK1152TAH15 / PK0316TAH152ND
Streamlight Direct Wire DC Cord	22050
StreamLight Flashlight Charger - Small	75100
TAIT Radio Mobile 800Mhz P25	TAIT TM9455
Whelen Light Bar/Siren Legacy System w/CANCT3, CANCTL2 &CC5K2-Cantrol, Control Head & OBD harness, 25 ft cable length, SA315P w/SAK70-Siren speaker with Tahoe bracket	GB2SP3J
Whelen Tahoe Grill Mount (4)	IONBKT9
Whelen Blue Wide Angle ION (2) in Front Grill	WION*
Whelen Blue Wide Angle ION (1) in Rear Drivers side cargo window	WION*
Whelen Blue Wide Angle ION (1) in Rear Passenger side cargo window	WION*
Whelen Red Wide Angle ION (2) in Front Grill	WION*
Whelen White LED Mini "T" ION w/Chrome Flange (2)	TLMIC/TIONMFC
Whelen Red "T" ION (2) Drivers Side Running Board	TLI*
Whelen Blue "T" ION (2) Passenger Side Running Board	TLI*
Whelen Blue "T" ION (1) Installed on Drivers Side Left of license plate	TLI*
Whelen Blue "T" ION (1) Installed on Passenger Side Right of license plate	TLI*
Whelen Blue "T" ION (1) Installed left side of license plate factory light	TLI*

Whelen Blue "T" ION (1) Installed right side of license plate factory light	TLI*
Whelen Blue "T" ION (1) on interior cargo lift gate	TLI*
Truck Vault Cargo Box	T-CHTAHS1-21N-TR-PP
Drivers side fender light	TLI*
Passenger fender light	TLI*
Whelen rear DUO inner edge.	BS548

ALL EQUIPMENT WILL NEED TO BE PICKED UP IN LEXINGTON SEPARATELY FROM PICKING UP THE VEHICLE TO BE UPFITTED. THE EQUIPMENT WILL NOT BE SENT WITH THE VEHICLE.

Total install per unit including Graphic Package and any delivery charge applicable: \$ 2,875.00

Vehicle storage:

Fenced or Garage Protected. A representative from the Technical Services Unit will conduct Onsite inspection of where the vehicles will be stored prior to any vehicle taken to the vendor.

Items required that the Vendor supply:

All necessary wiring, connectors, harnesses, relays, fuses, fuse holders and mounting hardware.

Any deviation from listed items must be approved by Division of Police TSU personnel in writing.

Equipment Installation Requirements

Proper installation of the equipment requires the installer to have a good understanding of automotive electronics systems and procedures.

All equipment to be installed needs to be properly and safely installed to the manufactures recommendation.

The installer assumes full responsibility for proper mounting of the equipment and location of the installed equipment specified by Technical Services Unit based on providing ultimate safety to all passengers of the vehicle.

If mounting the equipment requires drilling holes the installer must be sure that no vehicle components or other vital parts could be damaged by the drilling process. Check both side of the mounting surface before drilling begins. Also de-burr the holes and remove any metal shards or remnants. Install grommets into all wire passage holes.

All supplies wire that connects to the positive terminal of the battery must be sized to supply at least 125% of the maximum operation current and be fused at the battery to carry that load.

Connect the fuse wire to the positive terminal on the battery. There must not be more than two feet of the wire between the fuse and the battery.

For the equipment to operate at optima efficiency a good electrical connection must be made. No splices. All connection needs to be terminated by the installer to the manufactures recommendation.

For the equipment to operate at optima efficiency a good electrical connection to chassis ground must be made. The recommended procedure requires the equipment ground wire to be connected directly to the negative battery post.

Do not install the equipment or route any wire in the deployment areas of the air bag. Equipment mounted or located in the air bag deployment area will damage or reduce the effectiveness of the air bag or become a projectile that could cause serious personal injury or death. Refer to the vehicle owner's manual for the air bag deployment area.

If the equipment uses a remote device for activation or control, make sure that the device is located in an area that allows both the vehicle and device to be operated safely in any driving condition.

All wiring shall follow factory wiring routes and not deviate from the wiring schemes and directions from the Technical Services Unit. Further wiring diagrams will be provided upon bid award.

No wiring should be pulled tight due to short wire length, wiring path followed or by cable tie in a way that restricts motion of moveable items or limits access to connectors.

Equipment type, brand or location will be installed as directed by the schematics and directions of the Technical Services Unit. Installation guides and pictures will be provided by Technical Services Unit.

No tapping or splicing into factory or equipment wires unless directed by a Technical Services Unit technician (e.g. factory horn ring loop).

All interior and exterior connections shall use Molex MX-150 sealed connectors. If there are any slots not being used on the connector the vendor SHALL plug all open ports with an MX-150 Plug. Example of connectors Lexington uses Molex MX-150- 2way, 3 way, 4 way, 6 way, 2x2, 16 way and a 20 way connector.

All wire SHALL be GXL type of the color, gauge as directed by the schematics.

Wires shall be wrapped in loom were required by Lexington, examples are in the grill area of the vehicle and for wire management to the core installed on the cargo box and underneath the vehicle where the wires are exposed for the running board lights.

All vehicles will be inspected and returned for correction if any of the above directions are not followed.

Overlooked installation problems do not relieve the installers of issues not found during the inspection.

A. Items mounted to the Chevrolet Tahoe *electronic sliding tray*

- a. **Truck Vault Equipment Equipment/Gun Box**
- b. **Whelen Core Siren System**
- c. **Cinch 5 Position Ground Block**
- d. **Horn Relay Interface – Automotive type**
- e. **Delphi Fuse Holder – 4 Position ATC**

B. Items in *console area*

- a. **Tait Dash Mount Radio and Remote Speaker**
- b. **MDC docking Station**
- c. **Havis Console w/ Arm Rest – Cup Holder – Computer Side Mount – 12v Outlets – Relocate Factory Audio and USB Connectors**
- d. **Cinch Console Ground Block**
- e. **Radar Power and Speed Connector**
- f. **Flashlight Charger and Connector**
- g. **Brother Pocket Jet printer Installed in Havis Console**
- h. **Delphi Fuse Holder – 4 Position ATC**
- i. **Setina Prisoner Cage**

C. *Exterior*

- a. **Whelen IONs LED lights in the Grill – 4 total**
- b. **Whelen TIONs Qty 2 in each running board**
- c. **Whelen Legacy Lightbar**
- d. **Whelen TIONs license plate LEDs – Qty 2**
- e. **Whelen Headlight Flasher**
- f. **Whelen Siren Driver/Speaker w/ Bracket**
- g. **Whelen White LED “Mini “T” ION w/Chrome Flange -Grill**
- h. **Whelen Blue & Red Wide Angle “T” ION mounted in rear spoiler**
- i. **Whelen TIONs Fender LEDs Passenger and Driver (1) each side – Total Qty 2**
- j. **Whelen TION LED Qty 2 – Lift Lights**
- k. **Sharkee Antenna for GPS, Radio and Cellular connection**

D. Interior Lighting

- a. **Whelen TION LED – Qty 1 – Lift Gate Work Light**
- b. **Whelen Red ION mounted in left rear cargo window**
- c. **Whelen Blue ION mounted in right rear cargo window**
- d. **Whelen rear DUO Inner Edge mounted inside rear cargo glass**

E Miscellaneous

- a. **Fire Extinguisher**
- b. **Emergency Hammer**
- c. **First Aid Kit**

Example of Wire Lexington requires the vendor to use. All Wire colors must be followed by the vendor on every vehicle. NO EXCEPTIONS

COLOR WIRE	FUNCTION	LENGTH IN FEET
2021 PATROL TAHOE		
WHT/BLU 20AWG	BACKLIGHT	10
GRY 20AWG	DOCK TRIGGER	12
Gray/Orange 20AWG	HIGHBEAM FLASHER	
Grey/Black 20 AWG	IP DIMMING	
RED 18AWG	FLASHLIGHT CHARGER	12
BLU 18AWG	FROM CONSOLE TO TRAY RELAY PIN 30	12
VIO 18AWG	FROM CONSOLE TO TRAY RELAY PIN 87A	12
BLK ZIP 22AWG	FROM RADIO SPEAKER OUTPUT WIRE TO CANTROL	14
WHT/BLU 20AWG	DAYTIME RUNNING LIGHTS DS	24
WHT/VIO 20AWG	DAYTIME RUNNING LIGHTS PS	32
BLK 18AWG	GM RELAY 3 AND 4 CONTROL - COIL	11
Orange 14AWG	LOAD + RELAY3	14
GREEN	GREEN EXPANSION MOD COMMUNICATION	14
WHT/BLK 20AWG	HORN RELAY PIN 85	1' 9"
WHT/BRN * 20AWG	HORN RING TO PIN 87 RELAY	1' 9"
RED/WHT 20AWG	IGN. TO CANTROL	10
GRY/WHT 20AWG	LICENSE PLATE TION DS	11
WHT 20AWG	LICENSE PLATE TION PS	12
YEL	LIFT GATE TION DS	12

20AWG		
GRY/VIO 20AWG	LIFT GATE TION PS	12
GRN 14AWG	ONE HOLE TO FACTORY GM WIRING	2
ORN * 14AWG	ONE HOLE TO FACTORY GM WIRING	2
WHT/RED 20AWG	PARK DETECT	12
RED/BLK ZIP 18AWG	PRINTER FACTORY WIRE	ADD 17"
WHT/BRN* 18AWG	RADAR POWER	12
WHT/ORN 20AWG	REAR FLASH (BCM)	12
YEL/ORG 20AWG	RUNNINGBOARD FRONT DS	16
YEL/GRN 20AWG	RUNNINGBOARD FRONT PS	12
ORG * 20AWG	RUNNINGBOARD REAR DS	20
GY/BLU 20AWG	RUNNINGBOARD REAR PS	16
YEL/BLK 20AWG	SIDE CARGO LIGHT DS	9
YEL/BRN 20AWG	SIDE CARGO LIGHT PS	7
BRN 18AWG	SIREN JUMPER TO CONSOLE	13
ORN * 18AWG	SIREN JUMPER TO CONSOLE	13
WHT/GRN 20AWG	WORK LIGHT IN LIFT GATE	12
WHITE/GRAY 20AWG	SHIELD EXPANSION MOD COMMUNICATIONS	
WHITE/BLACK 20AWG	SURVEILLANCE MODE	
GRAY 20AWG	GRAY EXPANSION MOD COMMUNICATIONS	
GREEN 14AWG	RELAY 4 + LOAD	



ADDENDUM #1

Bid Number: **13-2022**

Date: February 11, 2022

Subject: **Vehicle Equipment Installation**

Please address inquiries to:

Jessica Allinder, Buyer
(859) 258-3320

TO ALL PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

Please be advised of the following clarifications to the above referenced bid:

- 1) We have removed the requirement requesting that you be a direct distributor for Whelen and Havis. The bid opening has been extended to Friday, February 18, 2022.

Todd Slatin, Director
Division of Central Purchasing

All other terms and conditions of the Bid and specifications are unchanged. This letter should be signed, attached to and become a part of your Bid.

COMPANY NAME: Ridgenet Network Group, LLC.

ADDRESS: 6833 KY Highway 1247, Science Hill, KY 42553

SIGNATURE OF BIDDER: Alan White



Vendors bidding on the equipment install must be a direct distributor for Whelen and Havis and will need to provide proof. No Exceptions.

**LFUCG DIVISION OF POLICE
REFLECTIVE VEHICLE GRAPHICS**

The Division of Police will not provide the materials for this part of the Bid – the vendor will supply the labor and materials.

SCOPE: This specification outlines the minimum requirements for a reflective automotive graphic kit designed to fit a variety of Police vehicles including patrol cars, SUV's, motorcycles, boats, etc.

PRINTED GRAPHIC MATERIAL REQUIREMENTS: The base sheeting shall be 3M 680 CR series film, a highly flexible, self-adhesive retro-reflective cast PVC film specially designed for high quality fleet vehicle graphic applications that has a positional, pressure-activated adhesive, premium laminate overcast and a total thickness of .01 to .02 inches.

Color Matching:

Blue – PMS 286C (“Lexington Blue”)

Black – 3M 9705 with halftone

Red – to match 3M 680-72

White – unprinted 3M IJ680-10 white

PATROL VEHICLE GRAPHIC DESIGN AND ENGINEERING REQUIREMENTS: All graphic panels are to be engineered and produced so that each panel fits within a specific body panel (i.e. Front Door) and does not require

cutting of the graphic during the installation. These cuts should allow for tolerance from vehicle to vehicle. Excess premask is to be included to act as a positioning aid and it is to conform to the body features of the vehicle. All decals shall be kiss cut, pre-spaced, and pre-masked. All decal segments must be in one (1) piece, splicing is NOT acceptable.

The vendor will provide graphic design artwork or adapt original design artwork, including any setup required. Any fee associated with this requirement should be included in the bid cost. Graphic design artwork, related products and files are copyrighted property of the Lexington Division of Police. This includes but is not limited to reproduction, derivative, distribution, and display rights without written consent from the Lexington Division of Police.

WARRANTY: All items provided under this contract shall be warranted for 5 years against fading, cracking or peeling. Written proof of the 3M Matched Component System warranty shall be submitted with bid proposal. In the case of warranty, the vendor will be responsible for providing replacement graphics and any required removal/installation at no charge to the Division of Police.

ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS OF BIDDERS: Bids will be accepted only from vendors with a minimum of 1 year experience selling or manufacturing fleet graphics. Vendor production capabilities must ensure that the successful bidder be able to modify the decal design in support of Division of Police needs and accommodate changes in the make and body style of selected police vehicles. Successful vendor must also demonstrate capability to provide graphics for additional vehicle types not specifically listed, including specialty units, trucks, boats, aircraft, etc. Successful vendor agrees to submit a complete set of sample decals to Division of Police for approval, prior to beginning a production run.

Successful vendor agrees to provide on-site application instructions, assistance, or training to LFUCG employees performing decal application. All costs related to such training shall be at vendor's expense.

PATROL SUV DESIGN: 2021 Police Chevrolet Tahoe

The kit is to be designed and printed so that any panel for a 2021 Chevrolet Tahoe will fit any other 2021 Chevrolet Tahoe taking into consideration any tolerances from vehicle to vehicle. This will allow mixing of parts (within a particular vehicle model) as necessary during installation or when vehicles require repair. All lettering is to be all capital letters and in the Eurobold typeface. Each panel must be printed as one piece with no seam. This stripe is to be printed in sections to fit the fenders, front door and rear door. Applied within the stripping is the Division of Police shield. ALL SECTIONS MUST BE CONSISTENT SO AS TO ENSURE WHEN ANY ONE ELEMENT/SECTION IS APPLIED TO A VEHICLE THE STRIPES WILL MATCH UP WITHOUT A DISCERNABLE VARIANCE OR DIFFERENCE IN WIDTH, ALIGNMENT OR COLOR BETWEEN THE TWOELEMENTS/SECTIONS.

ITEM A –Unit Numbers (Left and Right Front Quarter Panel and Rear Lift Gate) Panel of four blue numbers, 8.75” x 2.5”, is to be provided for the upper left and right side of the front quarter panel and one panel of white numbers for upper right side of rear lift gate.

ITEM B – Front Quarter Panels (Left and Right)

The reflective stripe panel is approximately 56in x 10.5in. From top to bottom the stripe is black, fading to solid blue in the center and fading back to black at the bottom.

ITEM C – Front Door (Left and Right)

The reflective stripe panel is approximately 10.5 inches in height at its tallest point and approximately 48 inches long. From top to bottom the stripe is black, fading to solid blue in the center and fading back to black at the bottom with the letters “POL” on the driver side and “ICE” on the passenger side showing in white base material.

ITEM D – Rear Door (Left and Right)

The reflective stripe panel is approximately 10.5 inches in height at its tallest point and approximately 43.5 inches long. From top to bottom the stripe is black, fading to solid blue in the center and fading back to black at the bottom with the letters “ICE” on the driver side and “POL” on the passenger side in white base material showing.

ITEM E – Rear Quarter Panel (Left and Right)

The reflective stripe panel is approximately 15.25 inches in height at its tallest point and approximately 42.5 inches long. From top to bottom the stripe is black, fading to solid blue in the center and fading back to black at the bottom. At the rear of the panel near the tail-light assembly shall be the numbers “911” that extend over the top of the stripe by approximately 1 inch in white base material showing. The word “EMERGENCY” in red is below the 911.

ITEM F – Rear Lift Gate Wrap

The lift gate wrap is approximately 17 inches in height and 61 inches long. The lettering is to be in the style and colors for the front door lettering. From top to bottom the stripe is black, fading to solid blue in the center and fading back to black at the bottom with “POLICE” lettering 32.5 inches wide and 3.75 inches tall centered on lower half showing in white base material.

ITEM G – Rear Lift Gate Lexington Lettering

The rear lift gate Lexington Lettering will be approximately 26.5 x 2.5 inch lettering “LEXINGTON” centered on the upper lift gate between the hatch trim and glass. Lettering is blue with black drop shadow, same as Item J.

ITEM H – LEXINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT Shield

The shield (badge) is to be incorporated in ITEM B, the Front Quarter Panel, and is a High-Resolution photographic quality reproduction of the LFUCG Division of Police breast badge. This shield is 10.5 inches tall by 9 inches wide maintaining proportion to the actual badge. Successful Vendor will be responsible for successfully reproducing the shield graphic from a digital photograph to be provided by LFUCG Division of Police. This photograph will be furnished to the apparent low bidder and must be returned, along with proof sample, within fifteen (15) working days after notification prior to award of contract. To ensure conformity, a full-size sample must be presented to the LFUCG Division of Police prior to award. An artist rendering or drawing is not acceptable.

ITEM I – Windshield Graphic

Pre-spaced lettering is to read POLICE (reversed) in white, approximately 3 inches in height by 29 inches in width.

ITEM J – LEXINGTON Panel (Along Rockers)

A separate panel to read LEXINGTON approximately 52 inches in length by 4.5 inches in height shall be provided for each side. Lettering is blue with black drop shadow. It will be centered 1 inch above the bottom body line and centered between the bottom left corner of the front door and bottom right corner of the rear door (DS), and the bottom right corner of the front door and bottom left corner of the rear door (PS).

ITEM K – Unit Roof Numbers

Each graphic kit shall include the Roof Number panel consisting of four digits measuring 15 inches tall x 34 inches wide positioned 10 inches to the rear of the light bar and proportionally sized for legibility by Police air units. They are to be standard 3M 680-85 black. All panels are to be shipped loose and separate from the graphics kit.

ITEM I -- American Flag installed on Driver and Passenger Side C-Pillar. The Flag is approximately 5.5 inches in length and approximately 3 inches in height.

PACKAGING SPECIFICATIONS – Chevrolet Tahoe:

Each graphic kit is to consist of 3 sets of Unit Numbers, Front Quarter Panel (DS & PS), Front Door (DS & PS), Rear Door (DS & PS), Rear Quarter Panel (DS & PS), Rear Lift Gate Wrap, Rear Lift Gate Lettering, 2 sets of Lexington Panel (DS & PS), and (1) set of Roof Numbers. The kit is to be thermal sealed in a polybag and packaged in such a way to ensure no folding, wrinkling and/or Premask/Liner pop off the graphic. Due to the size, Item K (roof number panels) for each kit are to be packaged separately

PART LABELING: Each Graphic Panel is to be labeled as to vehicle side and position as applicable (i.e. Driver Side Front Quarter Panel)

“SPARE PARTS” are to be packaged separately, such as all right front quarter panels, packaged together.

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS: Detailed installation instructions are to be provided showing step by step procedures, including pictorial views to aid in proper installation techniques.

DELIVERY: Not more than 30 Days after receipt of order. Pick up and delivery of the vehicle from Police Technical Services unit will be the vendors responsibility and SHALL be included in the total upfit cost of the vehicle.

GENERAL INFORMATION: Photographs of current decal kit are available. Bidders may inspect a Patrol Tahoe to verify color and sizes by contacting the LFUCG Division of Police - Fleet Liaison. IT WILL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE VENDOR TO VIEW THE DECAL ON THE VEHICLE, SAMPLE PACKAGES WILL NOT BE MAILED OUT.

PRICING SHEET

Complete Kit for **Chevrolet Tahoe**, current year or newer

\$ 675.00

Front Quarter Panel (DS or PS) For any quantity	\$ <u>81.00</u>	
Front Door (DS or PS) For any quantity	\$ <u>70.00</u>	
Rear Door (DS or PS) For any quantity	\$ <u>62.00</u>	
Rear Quarter Panel (DS or PS) For any quantity	\$ <u>90.00</u>	
Rear Lift Gate Wrap For any quantity	\$ <u>144.00</u>	
Rear Lift Gate Lexington Lettering For any quantity	\$ <u>9.20</u>	
Windshield Graphic For any quantity	\$ <u>12.08</u>	
LEXINGTON Panel (Rockers) For any quantity	\$ <u>32.81</u>	
Unit Number Panels (4-digit, pre-spaced) For any quantity	\$ <u>3.03</u>	
Unit Number (Single digits) For any quantity	\$ <u>0.75</u>	
Roof Number Panels (4-digit, pre-spaced) For any quantity	\$ <u>70.83</u>	
Roof Numbers (Single-digit) For any quantity	\$ <u>17.70</u>	
DELIVERY:	<u>2</u>	Days ARO

Installation Option Chevrolet Tahoe: As needed, the successful vendor will be requested to install graphics kits on specific Patrol Vehicles. Vendor is required to complete installations of graphics within 5 calendar days after orders are placed. The five days on this installation option is only referring to install of graphics and or a complete remarking. Please note a complete remarking is removing old graphics from a current vehicle and installing new ones.

Installation only:	\$ <u>150.00</u>	per vehicle
Complete Re-marking:	\$ <u>675.00</u>	per vehicle
Other Installation:	\$ <u>50.00</u>	per hour

Bid Evaluation: All bids will be evaluated on a best value basis considering price **and** delivery. The total of all price items listed in the above specification (Complete installations, unit prices and installation options) will be used as the basis for the price component. Delivery (Days ARO) will be used as the basis for the delivery component. If vendors submit a range for delivery (example: 4 to 6 days), the higher number will be used in the evaluation.

Weighted Score Price Calculation: $\text{Best Price}/\text{Price} \times \text{Total Number of Points}$

Weighted Score Delivery Calculation: $\text{Best Delivery Time}/\text{Delivery} \times \text{Total Number of Points}$

Total Points: Weighted Score Price + Weighted Score Delivery

	Company A	Company B	Company C	Company D
Price	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 3,900.00	\$ 3,200.00	\$ 5,500.00
Total Number of Points	70	70	70	70
Best Price	\$ 3,200.00	\$ 3,200.00	\$ 3,200.00	\$ 3,200.00
Weighted Score Price	56.00	57.44	70.00	40.73

Delivery (days ARO)	1.00	7.00	10.00	1.00
Total Number of Points	30	30	30	30
Best Delivery Time	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Weighted Score Delivery	30.00	4.29	3.00	30.00
Total Points	86.0000	61.7216	73.0000	70.7273

In the example shown above, Company A would be awarded as the respondent with the highest total points.

**RISK MANAGEMENT PROVISIONS
INSURANCE AND INDEMNIFICATION**

INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS PROVISION

- (1) It is understood and agreed by the parties that Contractor hereby assumes the entire responsibility and liability for any and all damages to persons or property caused by or resulting from or arising out of any act or omission on the part of Contractor or its employees, agents, servants, owners, principals, licensees, assigns or subcontractors of any tier (hereinafter "CONTRACTOR") under or in connection with this agreement and/or the provision of goods or services and the performance or failure to perform any work required thereby.
- (2) CONTRACTOR shall indemnify, save, hold harmless and defend the Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government and its elected and appointed officials, employees, agents, volunteers, and successors in interest (hereinafter "LFUCG") from and against all liability, damages, and losses, including but not limited to, demands, claims, obligations, causes of action, judgments, penalties, fines, liens, costs, expenses, interest, defense costs and reasonable attorney's fees that are in any way incidental to or connected with, or that arise or are alleged to have arisen, directly or indirectly, from or by CONTRACTOR's performance or breach of the agreement and/or the provision of goods or services provided that: (a) it is attributable to personal injury, bodily injury, sickness, or death, or to injury to or destruction of property (including the loss of use resulting therefrom), or to or from the negligent acts, errors or omissions or willful misconduct of the CONTRACTOR; and (b) not caused solely by the active negligence or willful misconduct of LFUCG.
- (3) In the event LFUCG is alleged to be liable based upon the above, CONTRACTOR shall defend such allegations and shall bear all costs, fees and expenses of such defense, including but not limited to, all reasonable attorneys' fees and expenses, court costs, and expert witness fees and expenses, using attorneys approved in writing by LFUCG, which approval shall not be unreasonably withheld.
- (4) These provisions shall in no way be limited by any financial responsibility or insurance requirements, and shall survive the termination of this agreement.
- (5) LFUCG is a political subdivision of the Commonwealth of Kentucky. CONTRACTOR acknowledges and agrees that LFUCG is unable to provide indemnity or otherwise save, hold harmless, or defend the CONTRACTOR in any manner.

FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

BIDDER/CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that it shall, prior to final acceptance of its bid and the commencement of any work, demonstrate the ability to assure compliance with the above Indemnity provisions and these other risk management provisions.

INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS

YOUR ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS BELOW, AND YOU MAY NEED TO CONFER WITH YOUR INSURANCE AGENTS, BROKERS, OR CARRIERS TO DETERMINE IN ADVANCE OF SUBMISSION OF A RESPONSE THE AVAILABILITY OF THE INSURANCE COVERAGES AND ENDORSEMENTS REQUIRED HEREIN. IF YOU FAIL TO COMPLY WITH THE INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS BELOW, YOU MAY BE DISQUALIFIED FROM AWARD OF THE CONTRACT.

Required Insurance Coverage

BIDDER/CONTRACTOR shall procure and maintain for the duration of this contract the following or equivalent insurance policies at no less than the limits shown below and cause its subcontractors to maintain similar insurance with limits acceptable to LFUCG in order to protect LFUCG against claims for injuries to persons or damages to property which may arise from or in connection with the performance of the work hereunder by CONTRACTOR. The cost of such insurance shall be included in any bid:

<u>Coverage</u>	<u>Limits</u>
General Liability (Insurance Services Office Form CG 00 01)	\$1 million per occurrence, \$2 million aggregate or \$2 million combined single limit
Commercial Automobile Liability (Insurance Services Office Form CA 0001)	combined single, \$1 million per occurrence
Worker's Compensation	Statutory
Employer's Liability	\$500,000.00

The policies above shall contain the following conditions:

- a. All Certificates of Insurance forms used by the insurance carrier shall be properly filed and approved by the Department of Insurance for the Commonwealth of Kentucky (DOI). LFUCG shall be named as an additional insured in the General Liability Policy and Commercial Automobile Liability Policy using the Kentucky DOI approved forms.
- b. The General Liability Policy shall be primary to any insurance or self-insurance retained by LFUCG.
- c. The General Liability Policy shall include a Products and Completed Operations endorsement or Premises and Operations Liability endorsement unless deemed not to apply by LFUCG.
- d. LFUCG shall be provided at least 30 days advance written notice via certified mail, return receipt requested, in the event any of the required policies are canceled or non-renewed.
- e. Said coverage shall be written by insurers acceptable to LFUCG and shall be in a form acceptable to LFUCG. Insurance placed with insurers with a rating classification of no less than Excellent (A or A-) and a financial size category of no less than VIII, as defined by the most current Best's Key Rating Guide shall be deemed automatically acceptable.

Renewals

After insurance has been approved by LFUCG, evidence of renewal of an expiring policy must be submitted to LFUCG, and may be submitted on a manually signed renewal endorsement form. If the policy or carrier has changed, however, new evidence of coverage must be submitted in accordance with these Insurance Requirements.

Deductibles and Self-Insured Programs

IF YOU INTEND TO SUBMIT A SELF-INSURANCE PLAN IT MUST BE FORWARDED TO LEXINGTON-FAYETTE URBAN COUNTY GOVERNMENT, DIVISION OF RISK MANAGEMENT, 200 EAST MAIN STREET, LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40507 NO LATER THAN A MINIMUM OF FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS PRIOR TO THE RESPONSE DATE. Self-insurance programs, deductibles, and self-insured retentions in insurance policies are subject to separate approval by Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government's Division of Risk Management, upon review of evidence of BIDDER/CONTRACTOR's financial capacity to respond to claims. Any such programs or retentions must provide LFUCG with at least the same protection from liability and defense of suits as would be afforded by first-dollar insurance coverage. If BIDDER/CONTRACTOR satisfies any portion of the insurance requirements through deductibles, self-insurance programs, or self-insured retentions, BIDDER/CONTRACTOR agrees to provide Lexington-Fayette Urban County Government, Division of Risk Management, the following data prior to the final acceptance of bid and the commencement of any work:

- a. Latest audited financial statement, including auditor's notes.
- b. Any records of any self-insured trust fund plan or policy and related accounting statements.
- c. Actuarial funding reports or retained losses.
- d. Risk Management Manual or a description of the self-insurance and risk management program.
- e. A claim loss run summary for the previous five (5) years.
- f. Self-Insured Associations will be considered.

Safety and Loss Control

CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable federal, state, and local safety standards related to the performance of its works or services under this Agreement and take necessary action to protect the life, health and safety and property of all of its personnel on the job site, the public, and LFUCG.

Verification of Coverage

BIDDER/CONTRACTOR agrees to furnish LFUCG with all applicable Certificates of Insurance signed by a person authorized by the insurer to bind coverage on its behalf prior to final award, and if requested, shall provide LFUCG copies of all insurance policies, including all endorsements.

Right to Review, Audit and Inspect

CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that LFUCG may review, audit and inspect any and all of its records and operations to insure compliance with these Insurance Requirements.

DEFAULT

BIDDER/CONTRACTOR understands and agrees that the failure to comply with any of these insurance, safety, or loss control provisions shall constitute default and that LFUCG may elect at its option any single remedy or penalty or any combination of remedies and penalties, as available, including but not limited to purchasing insurance and charging BIDDER/CONTRACTOR for any such insurance premiums purchased, or suspending or terminating the work.

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