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Project #111744

SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT

The following sole source procurement is hereby published in accordance with City Code 5.33.120.C. This notice was posted on April 22, 2010 and shall remain posted for a minimum of seven (7) days prior to contract award.

Procurement Description: On behalf of UASI Grant #UA07-0164, the Clark Regional Emergency Services Agency (CRESA) requires the enhancement and upgrade of the FirstWatch software application as currently being used by Clark County CRESA.

Justification: In August, 2006 the Clark County Board of County Commissioners approved the purchase of a software application and annual maintenance for FirstWatch Software, a bio-surveillance tool. In January, 2007 CRESA entered into a software license agreement with FirstWatch Solutions, Inc. for an early warning software product that provides real-time live computer aided dispatch (CAD) data monitoring for anomalies that indicate increased activity of specific pre-identified medical conditions. The software license, upgrade, and interface are required in order to allow for additional custom reporting. FirstWatch is the single contractor/supplier for the FirstWatch software and the proposed project requires use of the current provider in order to utilize the pre-existing knowledge of the existing contractor regarding the specifics of the hardware and software system.

Any firm with questions regarding this procurement may contact the Bureau of Purchases, B. J. Gibson, CPPO, Procurement Supervisor at 503-823-7665 or bgibson@ci.portland.or.us.

The City requires the Contractor to provide the product and deliver all materials without the use of any subcontractors. In accordance with PCC 5.33.710 any firm adversely affected by the award of contract shall have seven (7) days from the issuance of this sole source notice to file a protest. The protest must be filed in writing to the Chief Procurement Officer and must specify the grounds upon which the protest is based. The Chief Procurement Officer shall not consider a protest submitted after the timeline established in this Notice of Intent to make a sole source purchase. Any protest must include the following information:

- Sufficient information to identify this notice of intent to make a sole source purchase;
- A detailed statement of all the legal and factual grounds for the protest;
- Evidence or supporting documentation that supports the grounds on which the protest is based;
- A description of the resulting harm to the affected person;
- The relief requested.

The Chief Procurement Officer will review the protest and issue a written decision.

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