



## **Solicitation Number: RFP #113021**

### **CONTRACT**

This Contract is between Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and Oshkosh Corporation, 1917 Four Wheel Dr., Oshkosh, WI 54902 (Supplier), and Supplier's consolidated subsidiaries as defined in the Proposal.

Sourcewell is a State of Minnesota local government unit and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) that offers cooperative procurement solutions to government entities. Participation is open to eligible federal, state/province, and municipal governmental entities, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public entities located in the United States and Canada. Sourcewell issued a public solicitation for Firefighting Apparatus and Fire Service Vehicles from which Supplier was awarded a contract.

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

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

- A. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Contract is effective upon the date of the final signature below.
- B. **EXPIRATION DATE AND EXTENSION.** This Contract expires February 10, 2026, unless it is cancelled sooner pursuant to Article 22. This Contract may be extended one additional year upon the request of Sourcewell and written agreement by Supplier.
- C. **SURVIVAL OF TERMS.** Notwithstanding any expiration or termination of this Contract, all payment obligations incurred prior to expiration or termination will survive, as will the following: Articles 11 through 14 survive the expiration or cancellation of this Contract. All other rights will cease upon expiration or termination of this Contract.

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

- A. **EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES.** Supplier will provide the Equipment, Products, or Services as stated in its Proposal submitted under the Solicitation Number listed above.

Supplier's Equipment, Products, or Services Proposal (Proposal) is attached and incorporated into this Contract.

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

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

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

C. **DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, AND/OR RESELLERS.** Upon Contract execution and throughout the Contract term, Supplier must provide to Sourcewell a current means to validate or authenticate Supplier's authorized dealers, distributors, or resellers relative to the Equipment, Products, and Services offered under this Contract, which will be incorporated into this Contract by reference. It is the Supplier's responsibility to ensure Sourcewell receives the most current information.

### **3. PRICING**

All Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract will be priced at or below the price stated in Supplier's Proposal.

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

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

A. **SHIPPING AND SHIPPING COSTS.** All delivered Equipment and Products must be properly packaged. Damaged Equipment and Products may be rejected. If the damage is not readily

apparent at the time of delivery, Supplier must permit the Equipment and Products to be returned within a reasonable time at no cost to Sourcewell or its Participating Entities. Participating Entities reserve the right to inspect the Equipment and Products at a reasonable time after delivery where circumstances or conditions prevent effective inspection of the Equipment and Products at the time of delivery. In the event of the delivery of nonconforming Equipment and Products, the Participating Entity will notify the Supplier as soon as possible and the Supplier will replace nonconforming Equipment and Products with conforming Equipment and Products that are acceptable to the Participating Entity.

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

Sourcewell may declare the Supplier in breach of this Contract if the Supplier intentionally delivers substandard or inferior Equipment or Products.

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

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

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

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

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

- Identify the applicable Sourcewell contract number;
- Clearly specify the requested change;
- Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

A. ORDERS AND PAYMENT. To access the contracted Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract, a Participating Entity must clearly indicate to Supplier that it intends to access this Contract; however, order flow and procedure will be developed jointly between Sourcewell and Supplier. Typically, a Participating Entity will issue an order directly to Supplier or its authorized subsidiary, distributor, dealer, or reseller. If a Participating Entity issues a purchase order, it may use its own forms, but the purchase order should clearly note the applicable Sourcewell

contract number. All Participating Entity orders under this Contract must be issued prior to expiration or cancellation of this Contract; however, Supplier performance, Participating Entity payment obligations, and any applicable warranty periods or other Supplier or Participating Entity obligations may extend beyond the term of this Contract.

Supplier's acceptable forms of payment are included in its attached Proposal. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.

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

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

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

1. The Participating Entity fails to receive funding or appropriation from its governing body at levels sufficient to pay for the equipment, products, or services to be purchased; or
2. Federal, state, or provincial laws or regulations prohibit the purchase or change the Participating Entity's requirements.

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

## **7. CUSTOMER SERVICE**

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

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

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

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

A. CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY REPORT. Each calendar quarter, Supplier must provide a contract sales activity report (Report) to the Sourcwell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract. Reports are due no later than 45 days after the end of each calendar quarter. A Report must be provided regardless of the number or amount of sales during that quarter (i.e., if there are no sales, Supplier must submit a report indicating no sales were made).

The Report must contain the following fields:

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

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

The Supplier will submit payment to Sourcwell for the percentage of administrative fee stated in the Proposal multiplied by the total sales of all Equipment, Products, and Services purchased

by Participating Entities under this Contract during each calendar quarter. Payments should note the Supplier's name and Sourcewell-assigned contract number in the memo; and must be mailed to the address above "Attn: Accounts Receivable" or remitted electronically to Sourcewell's banking institution per Sourcewell's Finance department instructions. Payments must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter.

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

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

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

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

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

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

A. **AUDIT.** Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 16C.05, subdivision 5, the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices relevant to this Agreement are subject to examination by Sourcewell or the Minnesota State Auditor for a minimum of six years from the end of this Contract. This clause extends to Participating Entities as it relates to business conducted by that Participating Entity under this Contract.

B. **ASSIGNMENT.** Neither party may assign or otherwise transfer its rights or obligations under this Contract without the prior written consent of the other party and a fully executed assignment agreement. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld. Any prohibited assignment will be invalid.

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

D. **WAIVER.** Failure by either party to take action or assert any right under this Contract will not be deemed a waiver of such right in the event of the continuation or repetition of the circumstances giving rise to such right. Any such waiver must be in writing and signed by the parties.

E. **CONTRACT COMPLETE.** This Contract represents the complete agreement between the parties. No other understanding regarding this Contract, whether written or oral, may be used to bind either party. For any conflict between the attached Proposal and the terms set out in Articles 1-22 of this Contract, the terms of Articles 1-22 will govern.

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

### **11. INDEMNITY AND HOLD HARMLESS**

Supplier must indemnify, defend, save, and hold Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees incurred by Sourcewell or its Participating Entities, arising out of any act or omission in the performance of this Contract by the Supplier or its agents or employees; this indemnification includes injury or death to person(s) or property alleged to have been caused by some defect in the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract to the extent the Equipment, Product, or Service has been used according to its specifications. Sourcewell's responsibility will be governed by the State of Minnesota's Tort Liability Act (Minnesota Statutes Chapter 466) and other applicable law.

### **12. GOVERNMENT DATA PRACTICES**

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

### **13. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PUBLICITY, MARKETING, AND ENDORSEMENT**

#### **A. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

1. *Grant of License.* During the term of this Contract:
  - a. Sourcewell grants to Supplier a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use the trademark(s) provided to Supplier by Sourcewell in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Sourcewell's relationship with Supplier.
  - b. Supplier grants to Sourcewell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Supplier's trademarks in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Supplier's relationship with Sourcewell.
2. *Limited Right of Sublicense.* The right and license granted herein includes a limited right of each party to grant sublicenses to their respective subsidiaries, distributors, dealers,



resellers, marketing representatives, and agents (collectively “Permitted Sublicensees”) in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties’ relationship to Participating Entities. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this Article by any of their respective sublicensees.

*3. Use; Quality Control.*

- a. Neither party may alter the other party’s trademarks from the form provided and must comply with removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.
- b. Each party agrees to use, and to cause its Permitted Sublicensees to use, the other party’s trademarks only in good faith and in a dignified manner consistent with such party’s use of the trademarks. Upon written notice to the breaching party, the breaching party has 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the breach or the license will be terminated.

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

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

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

C. **MARKETING.** Any direct advertising, marketing, or offers with Participating Entities must be approved by Sourcewell. Send all approval requests to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract.

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

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

The substantive and procedural laws of the State of Minnesota will govern this Contract. Venue for all legal proceedings arising out of this Contract, or its breach, must be in the appropriate state court in Todd County, Minnesota or federal court in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

#### **15. FORCE MAJEURE**

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

#### **16. SEVERABILITY**

If any provision of this Contract is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be illegal, unenforceable, or void then both parties will be relieved from all obligations arising from that provision. If the remainder of this Contract is capable of being performed, it will not be affected by such determination or finding and must be fully performed.

#### **17. PERFORMANCE, DEFAULT, AND REMEDIES**

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

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

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

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

The party claiming default must provide written notice of the default, with 30 calendar days to cure the default. Time allowed for cure will not diminish or eliminate any liability for liquidated or other damages. If the default remains after the opportunity for cure, the non-defaulting party may:

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

## 18. INSURANCE

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

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

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

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

Minimum limits:

\$500,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident

\$500,000 policy limit for bodily injury by disease

\$500,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease

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

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage

\$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury

\$2,000,000 aggregate for Products-Completed operations

\$2,000,000 general aggregate

3. *Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain insurance covering all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles in limits of liability not less than indicated below. The coverage must be subject to terms

no less broad than ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 0001 (2010 edition or newer), or equivalent.

Minimum Limits:

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

4. *Umbrella Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain umbrella coverage over Employer's Liability, Commercial General Liability, and Commercial Automobile.

Minimum Limits:

\$2,000,000

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

B. CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE. Prior to commencing under this Contract, Supplier must furnish to Sourcewell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Contract. Prior to expiration of the policy(ies), renewal certificates must be mailed to Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 or sent to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract. The certificates must be signed by a person authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf.

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

C. ADDITIONAL INSURED ENDORSEMENT. Supplier agrees to list Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their officers, agents, and employees, as an additional insured under the Supplier's commercial general liability insurance policy with respect to liability arising out of activities, "operations," or "work" performed by or on behalf of Supplier, and products and completed operations of Supplier.

D. WAIVER OF SUBROGATION. Omitted.

E. UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY/SELF-INSURED RETENTION. The limits required by this Contract can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies), or self-insured retention.

## 19. COMPLIANCE

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

B. DAVIS-BACON ACT, AS AMENDED (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3148). When required by federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. § 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. Supplier must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

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

D. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT. If the federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental,

developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency. Supplier certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

M. FEDERAL SEAL(S), LOGOS, AND FLAGS. The Supplier not use the seal(s), logos, crests, or reproductions of flags or likenesses of Federal agency officials without specific pre-approval.

N. NO OBLIGATION BY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. The U.S. federal government is not a party to this Contract or any purchase by an Participating Entity and is not subject to any obligations or liabilities to the Participating Entity, Supplier, or any other party pertaining to any matter resulting from the Contract or any purchase by an authorized user.

O. PROGRAM FRAUD AND FALSE OR FRAUDULENT STATEMENTS OR RELATED ACTS. The Contractor acknowledges that 31 U.S.C. 38 (Administrative Remedies for False Claims and Statements) applies to the Supplier's actions pertaining to this Contract or any purchase by a Participating Entity.



P. FEDERAL DEBT. The Supplier certifies that it is non-delinquent in its repayment of any federal debt. Examples of relevant debt include delinquent payroll and other taxes, audit disallowance, and benefit overpayments.

Q. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. The Supplier must notify the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity as soon as possible if this Contract or any aspect related to the anticipated work under this Contract raises an actual or potential conflict of interest (as described in 2 C.F.R. Part 200). The Supplier must explain the actual or potential conflict in writing in sufficient detail so that the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity are able to assess the actual or potential conflict; and provide any additional information as necessary or requested.

R. U.S. EXECUTIVE ORDER 13224. The Supplier, and its subcontractors, must comply with U.S. Executive Order 13224 and U.S. Laws that prohibit transactions with and provision of resources and support to individuals and organizations associated with terrorism.

S. PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract it will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.216.

T. DOMESTIC PREFERENCES FOR PROCUREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.322.

## **22. CANCELLATION**

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

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Oshkosh Corporation

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Jeremy Schwartz

James W. Johnson

Title: Chief Procurement Officer

Title: Executive Vice President and President  
Fire & Emergency Segment

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Date: APRIL 5 '22

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Title: Executive Director/CEO

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## Vendor Details

Company Name: Pierce Manufacturing  
Does your company conduct business under any other name? If yes, please state: WISCONSIN  
Address: 2600 American Drive  
Appleton , WI 54914  
Contact: Michelle Swokowski  
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Phone: 920-832-3272  
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## Specifications

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

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

Line Item	Question	Response *
1	Proposer Legal Name (one legal entity only): (In the event of award, will execute the resulting contract as "Supplier")	Oshkosh Corporation
2	Identify all subsidiary entities of the Proposer whose equipment, products, or services are included in the Proposal.	Pierce Manufacturing Inc. Oshkosh Airport Products, LLC
3	Identify all applicable assumed names or DBA names of the Proposer or Proposer's subsidiaries in Line 1 or Line 2 above.	As used herein, the "Company," "we," "us" and "our" refers to Oshkosh Corporation and its consolidated subsidiaries. "Oshkosh" refers to Oshkosh Corporation, subsidiaries, Pratt & Miller Engineering & Fabrications, LLC (Pratt Miller), Pierce Manufacturing Inc. (Pierce), McNeilus Companies, Inc. (McNeilus) and its wholly owned subsidiaries, Oshkosh Airport Products, LLC (Airport Products), Kewaunee Fabrications, LLC (Kewaunee (IMT) or any other subsidiaries. Other assume names herein are often identified to be Frontline Communications, ARFF, Airport , Pierce.
4	Proposer Physical Address:	Oshkosh Corporation 1917 Four Wheel Dr. Oshkosh WI, 54902  Pierce Manufacturing Inc. 2600 American Dr. Appleton WI, 54914  Oshkosh Airport Products, LLC. 1515 County Rd. O Neenah WI, 54956
5	Proposer website address (or addresses):	www.oshkoshcorp.com www.Piercemfg.com, www.frontlinecomm.com, www.oshkoshairport.com,
6	Proposer's Authorized Representative (name, title, address, email address & phone) (The representative must have authority to sign the "Proposer's Assurance of Compliance" on behalf of the Proposer and, in the event of award, will be expected to execute the resulting contract):	James W. Johnson Executive Vice President and President, Fire & Emergency Segment Pierce Manufacturing Inc. 2600 American Drive Appleton, WI 54914 Email: jjohnson@piercemfg.com Phone: 920-832-3000 Refer to authorized signers for Oshkosh Corporation, Pierce Manufacturing and Oshkosh Airport Products in additional documents.
7	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Michelle Swokowski Sales Operations Manager, Pierce Manufacturing Inc. 2600 American Drive Appleton WI 54914 Email: mswokowski@piercemfg.com Phone: 920-832-3272
8	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Brianna Propson, Sales Representative, Oshkosh Airport Products, LLC. 1515 County RD O Neenah WI, 54956 Email: bpropson@airport.oshkoshcorp.com Phone: 920-215-5135

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

Line Item	Question	Response *
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Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested equipment, products or services.

#### Oshkosh Corporation Overview

Oshkosh Corporation was founded in 1917, driven by a breakthrough four-wheel drive system that gave people the courage and confidence to go places they never thought they would. Today, more than 14,000 Oshkosh team members are putting over 850 active patented technologies to work serving, developing, and connecting communities around the world. Oshkosh Corporation is a leading manufacturer and marketer of access equipment, specialty vehicles and truck bodies for the primary markets of access equipment, defense, fire & emergency and municipal, refuse hauling, concrete placement as well as airport services. s. Oshkosh products can be found in more than 150 countries under the brands of JLG®, Pierce®, Oshkosh® Defense, McNeilus®, IMT®, Jerr-Dan®, Frontline™, Oshkosh® Airport Products, and London™ and Pratt Miller.

Pierce and Airport Products are subsidiaries of Oshkosh and are part of the Fire & Emergency Segment of Oshkosh. We believe in advancing the world around us through building, serving, and protecting people and communities. We are united by a common purpose: to make a difference in people's lives. Our values are the belief system that helps us ensure our behaviors are aligned with our purpose and drive us to do great work for great people.

#### Oshkosh Core Values:

##### WE PUT PEOPLE FIRST

- We treat people how they need to be treated.
- We keep people safe, within our walls and those using our products.
- We care for the emotional, physical, and financial wellbeing of our people.
- We celebrate what makes each of us unique.
- We value other's words and ideas.
- We respect the impact we have on each other; on the people we serve and in communities around the world.

##### WE DO THE RIGHT THING

- We do the right thing, the right way, for the right reasons.
- We take responsibility for our actions.
- We speak up and share our thoughts and concerns.
- We keep our promises.
- We respect our environment: both where we work and the planet we rely on.

##### WE PERSEVERE

- We push the bounds of technology and engineering to bring value to our customers and those who count on us.
- We challenge the impossible to make a difference every day.
- We are courageous and steadfast.
- We strive to overcome obstacles and achieve our goals.

##### WE ARE BETTER TOGETHER

- We welcome ideas different from our own.
- We rely on diversity to drive innovation.
- We create an inclusive, empowering environment for all.
- We work together across geographies, platforms, business units and functions to help our company reach its fullest potential.

#### Business Philosophy:

Our strategy is "Innovate. Serve. Advance." We innovate customer solutions by combining leading technology and operational strength to empower and protect the everyday hero. We serve and support those who rely on us with a relentless focus throughout the product lifecycle. We advance by expanding into new markets and geographies to make a difference around the world.

As a corporation, our culture is one committed to conducting business with integrity, in accordance with the highest ethical standards and in compliance with applicable laws and regulations. The guidelines, laws, regulations, policies, and procedures that govern our conduct as employees and contractors of Oshkosh Corporation are embodied in our Code of Ethics & Standards of Conduct - The Oshkosh Way.

#### Business Longevity:

Pierce was founded in 1913 and is the leading domestic designer and manufacturer of fire apparatus assembled on custom chassis, designed, and manufactured to meet the special needs of firefighters. Pierce also designs and manufactures fire apparatus assembled on commercially available chassis, which are produced for multiple end-customer applications. Pierce's engineering expertise allows it to design its vehicles to meet stringent industry guidelines and government regulations for safety and effectiveness. Pierce primarily serves domestic municipal customers, but also sells fire apparatus to the DoD, airports, universities, and large industrial companies, and in international markets. Pierce's history of innovation, research and development in consultation with firefighters has resulted in a broad product line that features a wide range of innovative, high-quality custom and commercial firefighting equipment with advanced fire suppression capabilities. In an effort to be a single-source supplier for its customers, Pierce offers a full line of custom and commercial fire apparatus and emergency vehicles, including pumpers, aerial platform, ladder and tiller trucks, tankers, light-, medium- and heavy-duty rescue vehicles, wildland

		<p>rough terrain response vehicles, mobile command and control centers, bomb squad vehicles, hazardous materials control vehicles and other emergency response vehicles. Refer to "Pierce Timeline.pdf" in Financial Strength and Stability folder.</p> <p>Oshkosh Airport Products is a leader in the design and sale of ARFF vehicles to domestic and international airports. These highly specialized vehicles are required to be in service at most airports worldwide to support commercial airlines in the event of an emergency. Our first Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF) vehicle was delivered to the U.S. Navy in 1968.</p> <p>We are able to attract and retain new customers because we take pride in a quality product we build and provide second to none in service and support nationwide. We are the leading manufacturer of fire apparatus because of this – our loyal customers!</p> <p>Refer to "9. Oshkosh Corporation 2020 Annual Report.pdf", "9. Oshkosh Strategy Innovate Serve Advance Strategy.pdf", "9. The_Oshkosh_Way_English.pdf", "9. 2020_Sustainability_Report.pdf", and "9. Equal Employment Opportunity.pdf" in Financial Strength and Stability folder for more information.</p>
10	<p>What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?</p>	<p>The Sourcewell consortium program will extend another avenue for the fire industry customer base to purchase a fire apparatus efficiently and effectively through a proven program.</p> <p>The Sourcewell consortium will be a nationwide including Canada avenue that is promoted across the Pierce sales force that consists of 23 authorized Pierce Dealers and their respective team members.</p> <p>The fundamental expectation is around education and promotion. The Pierce Dealer network and Airport Products sales team is expected to understand our product and the tools available to the customer to achieve what is in the best interest of the customer.</p>
11	<p>Demonstrate your financial strength and stability with meaningful data. This could include such items as financial statements, SEC filings, credit and bond ratings, letters of credit, and detailed reference letters. Upload supporting documents (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.</p>	<p>Pierce Manufacturing Inc. and Oshkosh Airport Products, LLC are subsidiaries of Oshkosh Corporation, which is a publicly traded company.</p> <p>We have attached our annual report, SEC Filings along with the Dunn &amp; Bradstreet report often used by lenders and investors to determine a company's eligibility for credit. This report along with any of the financial statements demonstrate Oshkosh Corporation and its subsidiaries to be financially sound. For additional information please refer to the below path.  <a href="http://investor.oshkoshcorporation.com/investors/overview/">http://investor.oshkoshcorporation.com/investors/overview/</a></p> <p>Oshkosh Corporation maintains an investment grade credit rating. The rating agencies periodically update the Company's credit ratings as events or changes in economic conditions occur. As of September 30, 2021, the long-term credit ratings assigned to the Company's senior debt securities by the credit rating agencies engaged by the Company were as follows: Fitch Ratings BBB-; Moody's Investor Services, Inc. Baaa3; Standards &amp; Poor's BBB.</p> <p>Refer to "11. Oshkosh Corp Q4 and-Full-Year-Results-2021.pdf", "11. Oshkosh Corporation Form 10-K.pdf", "11. D&amp;B Finance Analytics Report.pdf", "11. Bank of America. Oshkosh Reference.pdf", "11. Pierce Manufacturing Certificate of Status 062021.pdf", and "11. Oshkosh Airport Products Certificate of Status July 2021.pdf" in Financial Strength and Stability folder for more information.</p>

12	What is your US market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	<p>Pierce is the leader in domestic market share of fire apparatus. Oshkosh Corporation is traded on the New York Stock Exchange since 2002. Financial information can be obtained by visiting the below link.  <a href="http://investor.oshkoshcorporation.com/investors/financial-information/annual-and-quarterly-reports/default.aspx">http://investor.oshkoshcorporation.com/investors/financial-information/annual-and-quarterly-reports/default.aspx</a></p> <p>Fire &amp; Emergency segment. Through Pierce, the Company is the leading domestic designer and manufacturer of fire apparatus assembled on custom chassis, designed and manufactured to meet the special needs of firefighters. Pierce also designs and manufactures fire apparatus assembled on commercially available chassis, which are produced for multiple end-customer applications. Pierce's engineering expertise allows it to design its vehicles to meet stringent industry guidelines and government regulations for safety and effectiveness. Pierce primarily serves domestic municipal customers, but also sells fire apparatus to the DoD, airports, universities and large industrial companies, and in international markets. Pierce's history of innovation, research and development in consultation with firefighters has resulted in a broad product line that features a wide range of innovative, high-quality custom and commercial firefighting equipment with advanced fire suppression capabilities. In an effort to be a single-source supplier for its customers, Pierce offers a full line of custom and commercial fire apparatus and emergency vehicles, including pumpers, aerial platform, ladder and tiller trucks, tankers, light-, medium- and heavy-duty rescue vehicles, wildland rough terrain response vehicles, mobile command and control centers, bomb squad vehicles, hazardous materials control vehicles and other emergency response vehicles.</p> <p>The Company, through Airport Products, is a leader in the design and sale of ARFF vehicles to domestic and international airports. These highly specialized vehicles are required to be in service at most airports worldwide to support commercial airlines in the event of an emergency. Many of the largest airports in the United States, including LaGuardia International Airport, John F. Kennedy International Airport, O'Hare International Airport, Denver International Airport, Baltimore-Washington International Airport, Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport, Tampa International Airport, Philadelphia International Airport and San Francisco International Airport, are served by the Company's ARFF vehicles. The U.S. government also maintains a fleet of ARFF vehicles that are used to support military operations throughout the world. Internationally, the Company's vehicles serve, among others, Beijing, China and more than fifty other airports in China; Singapore; Indonesia; Quebec, Canada; Abu Dhabi, UAE; and Birmingham, Cardiff, Manchester and Liverpool, United Kingdom. In addition, the Company has recently delivered ARFF vehicles to airports in Mexico, Japan, Egypt, Nepal, Iraq and the British Virgin Islands. The Company believes that the performance and reliability of its ARFF vehicles contribute to the Company's strong position in this market.</p> <p>The Company, through its Frontline brand, is a leading manufacturer, system designer and integrator of broadcast vehicles, including electronic field production trailers, satellite news gathering and electronic news gathering vehicles for broadcasters and command trucks for local and federal governments along with being a leading supplier of military simulator shelters and trailers under the Oshkosh Specialty Vehicles (OSV) brand. The Company's vehicles have been used worldwide to broadcast the NFL Super Bowl, the FIFA World Cup and the Olympics.</p>	*
13	What is your Canadian market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	<p>Pierce along with their strong dealer sales and service network that has driven increase Canadian market share. The Pierce Canadian dealer consist of 3 dealers that lead multiple service locations. We also partner with MAXI-METAL Inc leveraging the MAXI Saber program since 2016 and US Contender since 2017. Each Dealer has a signed dealer agreement to sell Pierce fire apparatus in the designated territory awarded to them. They are Prime on contracts and are supported by the 2500+ Pierce employees.</p>	*
14	Has your business ever petitioned for bankruptcy protection? If so, explain in detail.	No	*

15	<p>How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer whichever question (either a) or b) just below) best applies to your organization.</p> <p>a) If your company is best described as a distributor/dealer/reseller (or similar entity), provide your written authorization to act as a distributor/dealer/reseller for the manufacturer of the products proposed in this RFP. If applicable, is your dealer network independent or company owned?</p> <p>b) If your company is best described as a manufacturer or service provider, describe your relationship with your sales and service force and with your dealer network in delivering the products and services proposed in this RFP. Are these individuals your employees, or the employees of a third party?</p>	<p>Pierce and Airport Products are best described as manufacturers.</p> <p>Pierce and Airport Products are best described as manufacturers. The Pierce Dealer network consists of 20 US based Dealers and 3 Canadian based Dealers. Each Dealer has a signed dealer agreement to sell Pierce fire apparatus in the designated territory awarded to them. They are Prime on contracts and are supported by the 2500+ Pierce employees. The Company believes the geographic breadth, size and quality of its Pierce fire apparatus sales and service organization are competitive advantages in a market characterized by a few large manufacturers and numerous small, regional competitors.</p> <p>Pierce's fire apparatus is sold through an extensive network of independent sales and service organizations with over 300 hundred sales representatives in the U.S. and Canada, which combine broad geographical reach with high frequency of contact with fire departments and municipal government officials. These sales and service organizations are supported by product and marketing support professionals and contract administrators at Pierce. The Company believes high frequency of contact and local presence are important to cultivate major, and typically infrequent, purchases involving the city or town council, fire department, purchasing, finance and mayoral offices, among others, that may participate in a fire apparatus bid and selection process. After the sale, Pierce's nationwide local parts and service capability is available to help municipalities maintain peak readiness for this vital municipal service.</p> <p>Oshkosh Airport Products The Company markets its Oshkosh-branded ARFF vehicles through a combination of direct sales representatives domestically and an extensive network of representatives and distributors in international markets, including Canada. Certain of these international representatives and distributors also handle Pierce products and will follow the same process as noted above. For service, we support both with internal service support which is available 24/7/365 via our support line at 1-800-222-6635 and external sales representatives.</p> <p>Refer to "15. Pierce. Airport Manufacturer. Products.pdf" in Company Information and Financial Strength folder for an overview of our manufacturing capabilities and product offerings.</p>
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16	If applicable, provide a detailed explanation outlining the licenses and certifications that are both required to be held, and actually held, by your organization (including third parties and subcontractors that you use) in pursuit of the business contemplated by this RFP.	<p>Pierce Manufacturing Inc. holds state licensing for Sales, Manufacturing, Motor Vehicles, and dealer license used accordance to the state laws. The Pierce Dealer network licenses independently holds as required by law in the state in which they sell. Airport Products holds manufacturer's license, where required.</p> <p>We also hold our Vendors accountable to the utmost standards. Beyond ISO certifications and compliance, we require our supply chain of major components to obtain a score of 80% or above on a supplier quality audit performed by Oshkosh Corporation supplier quality.</p> <p>ISO 9001:2015 Certification: Pierce Manufacturing Inc. was the first single-source manufacturer of custom fire apparatus in North America to achieve ISO 9001 certification. Pierce has achieved ISO 9001:2015 certification which covers all aspects of our business life cycle, from engineering and manufacturing to customer service. ISO 9001 certification demonstrates a company's commitment to quality. To keep their ISO 9001 registered status, companies are re-audited twice per year through third-party verification to prove they are maintaining good practices. ISO 9001 certification further assures customers that a fundamental quality system is in place. It's a solid foundation for continuous improvement always striving to get even better. An ISO-certified manufacturer, like Pierce, accepts nothing but the best from its suppliers. Pierce asks its suppliers to meet many of the same stringent quality requirements and works with them to improve their quality systems as well.</p> <p>Refer to "16. ISO 9001.2015 Pierce Mfg and entities.pdf" in Financial Strength and Stability folder for certificate.</p> <p>UL/ULC: Pierce is the first fire apparatus manufacturer to be both third party certified to NFPA 1901-2013 edition and ULC listed to Canada ULC-S515-04 standard. Third Party Vehicle Inspection Program by Underwriters Laboratories to ensure our products are 100% N.F.P.A. compliant to 1901 standards. The certification includes all design, production, operational and performance testing of the complete apparatus. All products must pass all tests before a truck is released into Canada. This commitment to quality applies to trucks sold in the U.S. as well.</p> <p>Refer to "16. Sample UL Certs 35796 Pump Line Voltage Aerial Cert.pdf" in Financial Strength and Stability folder for sample certificate.</p> <p>ISO 14001:2015 Certification: Our Neenah facility is also ISO 14001:2015 certified for our Environmental Management System. Various Pierce and Airport Products vehicles are manufactured in this space.</p> <p>Refer to "16. ISO 14001 Oshkosh Airport Products.pdf" in Financial Strength and Stability folder for certificate.</p>
17	Provide all "Suspension or Debarment" information that has applied to your organization during the past ten years.	Neither Oshkosh Corporation or subsidiary such as Pierce Manufacturing and Airport Products have suspension or debarment that applies within the past 10 years.

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

Line Item	Question	Response *
18	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years	<p>Oshkosh Corporation is honored to be named and recognized for the following awards and recognitions. World's Most Ethical Companies in 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021. Oshkosh is one of only 124 companies, representing 52 industry sectors in 19 countries on five continents named to this prestigious list. We were the only company selected in the "Trucks and Other Vehicles" category, underscoring our commitment to leading ethical business standards and practices. This achievement is only possible with a commitment to sustainability, connecting with our communities and strong ethical culture and team members who believe in doing the right thing. Link: <a href="https://investors.oshkoshcorp.com/news/news-details/2021/Oshkosh-Corporation-named-one-of-the-Worlds-Most-Ethical-Companies-for-sixth-consecutive-year/default.aspx">https://investors.oshkoshcorp.com/news/news-details/2021/Oshkosh-Corporation-named-one-of-the-Worlds-Most-Ethical-Companies-for-sixth-consecutive-year/default.aspx</a></p> <p>FORTUNE's World's Most Admired Companies in 2019 and 2020. Oshkosh Corporation is one of 330 companies to achieve this honor, as ranked by industry peers, highlighting some of the most respected and successful companies from around the world. <a href="https://investors.oshkoshcorp.com/news/news-details/2021/Oshkosh-Corporation-named-one-of-the-Worlds-Most-Admired-Companies-by-FORTUNE/default.aspx">https://investors.oshkoshcorp.com/news/news-details/2021/Oshkosh-Corporation-named-one-of-the-Worlds-Most-Admired-Companies-by-FORTUNE/default.aspx</a></p>

In 2020 and 2021, the company was awarded one of America's Most Responsible Companies by Newsweek. Oshkosh has earned this award for two consecutive years and is ranked #159 out of 399 companies on the list. America's Most Responsible Companies were defined based on key performance indicators around environmental, social and corporate governance areas. For more info please refer to the link below: <https://www.oshkoshcorp.com/en/news/12-23-20-most-responsible-newsweek>

Oshkosh Corporation was named a Military Friendly Company in 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021. Being named a Military Friendly Company highlights our commitment to caring for our team member and having a culture where veterans can thrive. . Please reference the link for additional detail: <https://www.oshkoshcorp.com/en/news>

Oshkosh Corporation has been listed on the Dow Jones Sustainability World Index in 2019, 2020 and 2021. Please review the link below for additional info. <https://investors.oshkoshcorp.com/news/news-details/2020/Oshkosh-Corporation-Named-to-the-Dow-Jones-Sustainability-World-Index-for-Second-Consecutive-Year/default.aspx>

Oshkosh Corporation is honored to be named and recognized for the following awards and recognitions.  
World's Most Ethical Companies in 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021. Oshkosh is one of only 124 companies, representing 52 industry sectors in 19 countries on five continents named to this prestigious list. We were the only company selected in the "Trucks and Other Vehicles" category, underscoring our commitment to leading ethical business standards and practices. This achievement is only possible with a commitment to sustainability, connecting with our communities and strong ethical culture and team members who believe in doing the right thing.

Link: <https://investors.oshkoshcorp.com/news/news-details/2021/Oshkosh-Corporation-named-one-of-the-Worlds-Most-Ethical-Companies-for-sixth-consecutive-year/default.aspx>

FORTUNE's World's Most Admired Companies in 2019 and 2020. Oshkosh Corporation is one of 330 companies to achieve this honor, as ranked by industry peers, highlighting some of the most respected and successful companies from around the world. <https://investors.oshkoshcorp.com/news/news-details/2021/Oshkosh-Corporation-named-one-of-the-Worlds-Most-Admired-Companies-by-FORTUNE/default.aspx>

In 2020 and 2021, the company was awarded one of America's Most Responsible Companies by Newsweek. Oshkosh has earned this award for two consecutive years and is ranked #159 out of 399 companies on the list. America's Most Responsible Companies were defined based on key performance indicators around environmental, social and corporate governance areas. For more info please refer to the link below: <https://www.oshkoshcorp.com/en/news/12-23-20-most-responsible-newsweek>

Oshkosh Corporation was named a Military Friendly Company in 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 and 2021. Being named a Military Friendly Company highlights our commitment to caring for our team member and having a culture where veterans can thrive. . Please reference the link for additional detail: <https://www.oshkoshcorp.com/en/news>

Oshkosh Corporation has been listed on the Dow Jones Sustainability World Index in 2019, 2020 and 2021. Please review the link below for additional info. <https://investors.oshkoshcorp.com/news/news-details/2020/Oshkosh-Corporation-Named-to-the-Dow-Jones-Sustainability-World-Index-for-Second-Consecutive-Year/default.aspx>

Oshkosh was named one of the "World's Best Employers" by Forbes in 2020. The 2020 results included 750 multinational and large corporations across 45 countries. Oshkosh is ranked #76 out of 750.  
Please refer to the link: <https://www.oshkoshcorp.com/en/news/12-11-20-forbes>

Oshkosh is one of Barron's 100 Most Sustainable Companies for the years 2019, 2020 and 2021. Please review the link for additional information. <https://investors.oshkoshcorp.com/news/news-details/2021/Oshkosh-Corporations-focus-on-sustainability-earns-recognition-from-Barrons-and-SP-Global/default.aspx>

Pierce's focus on energy efficiency is focused on being good stewards of company resources, budgets, and the company's ecological footprint. This earned them the recognition for Focus on Energy 2020 Energy Efficiency Excellence Award <https://www.piercemfg.com/pierce/blog/pierce-recognized-with-focus-on-energy-excellence-award>

		<p>Pierce also Achieved TRUE (Total Resource Use and Efficiency) Zero Waste Certification at the Gold level. TRUE certification is administered by Green Business Certification Inc. (GBCI), an organization that independently recognizes excellence in green business industry performance and practice globally</p> <p>2021 Sterling Manufacturing Business Excellence Award - Florida facility has been awarded the 2021 Sterling Manufacturing Business Excellence Award at the Gold Level! This award went out to the company that was found to be a high performing manufacturer in seven categories. Pierce Bradenton demonstrated outstanding leadership and management systems to meet the need of customers and stakeholders <a href="https://www.facebook.com/Pierce/posts/10165217512965527">https://www.facebook.com/Pierce/posts/10165217512965527</a></p> <p>Pierce was awarded the "Above and Beyond Award" by ESGR August of 2021. Pierce was 1 of 3 large companies in Wisconsin recognized for their outstanding support of our Guard and Reserve forces.</p> <p>Oshkosh Corporation has been named one of the "Best Managed Companies" by the Wall Street Journal in 2018 and 2019. Please visit the link for additional detail: <a href="https://www.businesswire.com/news/home/20191209005496/en/Oshkosh-Corporation-Named-One-of-the-%E2%80%9CBest-Managed-Companies-of-2019%E2%80%9D-by-the-Wall-Street-Journal">https://www.businesswire.com/news/home/20191209005496/en/Oshkosh-Corporation-Named-One-of-the-%E2%80%9CBest-Managed-Companies-of-2019%E2%80%9D-by-the-Wall-Street-Journal</a></p> <p>ISO 14001:2015 Environmental Management System To further solidify and standardize our environmental performance, Pierce Manufacturing and the Airport Products Group are in the first domestically of formalizing an Environmental Management System for our Neenah manufacturing facility in accordance with ISO 14001:2015 for all of Oshkosh Corporation Recognized by RobecoSAM with the Industry Mover Award for critical steps taken to propel corporate sustainability by measuring impact and disclosing results. Oshkosh Corporation has achieved many awards throughout the years. Many of the awards highlight specific subsidiaries such as Pierce and Airport Products. There are many more that have not been incorporated but are incorporated on our websites. We are proud and work hard to maintain these achievements.</p> <p>Refer to "18. TRUE CERTS-ID 1000128616.pdf" in Additional Documents folder for certificate.</p>	
19	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years	Oshkosh has great relationship with various governmental sectors throughout the organization. We are a publicly traded company therefore the information available does not include specific sales detail.	*
20	What percentage of your sales are to the education sector in the past three years	Pierce and Airport on occasion will sell to education sectors such as Universities, Colleges, High Schools, or Fire schools. The market for our product in this group is limited.	*
21	List any state, provincial, or cooperative purchasing contracts that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	<p>Pierce Manufacturing participates in nationwide and state-level contracts. All programs are aligned to offer the best solutions on a consistent platform. Contracts with an asterisk (*) also have contracts held by Airport Products.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Sourcewell*</li> <li>2. H-GAC*</li> <li>3. NASPO Value Point</li> <li>4. NPPGov</li> <li>5. Lamas</li> <li>6. BuyBoard</li> <li>7. Florida Sherriff's</li> <li>8. Ohio State</li> <li>9. Costars</li> </ol>	*
22	List any GSA contracts or Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements (SOSA) that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	Current GSA (General Services Administration) contract is GS30F021DA	*

#### Table 4: References/Testimonials

**Line Item 23.** Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcewell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *	
Knoxville Fire Department	Bobby Palmer	865-595-4474	*
Howell Fire District #3	Louis Memmolo,III	732-905-8530	*
Clark County	Riccardo Terzo	702-455-8341	*
Tampa International Airport	Oren Hanson	813-267-0335	

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

**Line Item 24.** Provide a list of your top five government, education, or non-profit customers (entity name is optional), including entity type, the state or province the entity is located in, scope of the project(s), size of transaction(s), and dollar volumes from the past three years.

Entity Name	Entity Type *	State / Province *	Scope of Work *	Size of Transactions *	Dollar Volume Past Three Years *
U.S. Army	Government	District of Columbia - DC	Pumpers, rescues, aerials	N/A	N/A
U.S. Air Force	Government	District of Columbia - DC	Pumpers, rescues, aerials	N/A	N/A
Bureau of Land Management	Government	District of Columbia - DC	Wildland pumpers	N/A	N/A
U.S. Navy	Government	District of Columbia - DC	Pumpers, rescues, aerials	N/A	N/A
U.S. Marine Corps	Government	District of Columbia - DC	Pumpers, rescues, aerials	N/A	N/A

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

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

Line Item	Question	Response *
25	Sales force.	<p>Pierce Manufacturing has an inside sales force that manages a given territory The support can range from dealers, customer request, trade shows, warranties, specifics support within the bids, managing the sale and configuration The inside sales folks work with internal Pierce contacts to ensure a successful build and delivery to our preferred dealer network.</p> <p>The Oshkosh Airport Products sales force consists of 2 regional sales managers who are direct employees of Oshkosh Airport Products. Our sales team is committed to the full customer lifecycle, from initial contact throughout the vehicle life. In addition, our internal sales managers coordinate with our Canadian dealership to support the customer relationship.</p> <p>Refer to "25. 26. 27. Directory - Pierce Dealership Territories Map.pdf", "25. 26. Pierce Authorized Dealer_2021_Listing.pdf", "25. ARFF RSM Map Nov 2021.pdf", and "25. Pierce and Airport Internal Contacts Org Chart.pdf" in the Additional Documents folder for more information.</p>
26	Dealer network or other distribution methods.	<p>Pierce product is sold via the authorized Pierce Dealer network of 300+ sales representatives that are located across the US and Canada and are backed by the Pierce factory support of 2500+ employees to assist with product, quality, and service. In addition, the sales force is comprised of legacy tenure as well as new generations. Many of our sales representatives came from or are still part of the fire industry in some way.</p> <p>There are Dealers located across the US and Canada that have been assigned territory to provide Sales, Service, and aftermarket support 24/7 365 days of the year. The dealer network has invested in on hand inventory as well as the factory and dedicated aftermarket inventory available online for them to utilize and drop ship to the end customer's location.</p> <p>As previously mentioned, we also partner with MAXIMETAL to support our Canadian customers by being a distributor for MAXIMETAL products.</p> <p>Oshkosh Airport Products sells direct domestically and partners with dealer organizations internationally, including Canada.</p> <p>Refer to "25. 26. 27. Directory - Pierce Dealership Territories Map.pdf" and "25. 26. Pierce Authorized Dealer_2021_Listing.pdf" in the Additional Documents folder for more information.</p>

27	Service force.	<p>Pierce and its dealer network offer a wide variety of Aftermarket services to help customers maintain their Pierce branded fire apparatus. 70+ service centers throughout North America are dedicated to servicing Pierce apparatus thru its industry-leading, independently owned &amp; managed dealer network. 20 United States &amp; 3 Canadian dealerships support our wide array of service centers. Pierce authorized service centers offer:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dedicated Service Professionals</li> <li>• Nearly 250 mobile service vehicles, strategically located throughout North America</li> <li>• Offer scheduled &amp; unscheduled maintenance services</li> <li>• 24/7 access to Pierce Technical Support Hot-Line,</li> <li>• Ability to execute warranty-related repairs, in accordance with the Pierce limited warranty statement.</li> </ul> <p>Pierce also offers a full line of spare parts, available for purchase thru its dedicated dealer network. The spare parts warehouse, located in Appleton, Wisconsin, boasts over 100,000 sq. ft. of storage space, all of which supports Pierce fire apparatus. Key facts about the warehouse include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dedicated and committed on-hand spare parts inventory</li> <li>• Management of over 100,000 unique spare part numbers (inventory, min/max, pricing, country of origin, etc.)</li> <li>• Same-day &amp; next-day shipping services from UPS, FedEx, and XPO</li> <li>• 24/7 website to locate and check pricing &amp; availability of spare parts by authorized dealer</li> <li>• Tens of thousands of digital photographs &amp; 3D artwork of replacement parts for fast &amp; easy identification</li> </ul> <p>Pierce offers a complete set of training classes, for both operators &amp; maintainers, to keep your Pierce apparatus running at peak performance.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Regional &amp; Corporate training events held throughout the calendar year</li> <li>• Instructors with over 100 combined years of Pierce &amp; industry expertise</li> <li>• Innovative "Training Truck"; key technology mounted on stand-alone truck to simulate any key system</li> <li>• Technology training on key components such as Pierce Ultimate Configuration (PUC™) water pumps, TAK-4® independent suspension systems, Husky™ Foam systems, and Command Zone™ III</li> <li>• Operation overview of foam &amp; aerial devices</li> </ul> <p>Attached you will find a summary per authorized dealer mobile vehicles and acknowledgment of service technicians along with dealer contact and the territory they cover.</p> <p>Oshkosh Airport Products employs full time Field Service Representatives to provide vehicle in-service, training, and service work. We also rely on support from organizations across the US and have service provider agreements to provide local support to our customers as well. In addition, we are supported through Oshkosh Corporation's training center to provide world-class maintenance and operations training. These trainings are designed specifically for our ARFF products and are available to our dealers and customers alike.</p> <p>Refer to "25. 26. 27. Directory - Pierce Dealership Territories Map.pdf", "27. Pierce Dealer Service &amp; Sales Coverage.pdf", and "27. ARFF Service Providers Map.pdf" in the Additional Documents folder for more information.</p>
28	Describe the ordering process. If orders will be handled by distributors, dealers or others, explain the respective roles of the Proposer and others.	<p>When the customer works with the Pierce authorized dealer they will accept all purchase orders; however, every sale is configured in the Pierce customized truck configurator, Pulse. This sales tool includes the corresponding cooperative procurement option applicable to the sale. This option is used to generate monthly audits that Pierce performs with their dealer network as well as generate the quarterly required reports sent direct to the contracting agency. The authorized Dealer network utilizes the customized apparatus specification software (PULSE) to configure to the customer's expectations and is used internally throughout the supply chain of the order from booking the order to engineer the final product. The tool is supported with internal communication tools such as workflow, Communication Central, online scheduling, Build Status, and a complete Truck Library. This provides our Dealer network a direct link to the factory to accurately communicate details to the end user.</p> <p>Airport Products will be the primary point of contact for sales inquiries, except where we have an authorized dealer. With complexity of ARFF vehicles, our team will work directly with the customer to customize their truck configuration using the base vehicle as a starting point. Options will be added to the base price with the Sourcewell discount. This quotation will be used by the customer to issue a purchase order or contract which will be reviewed by Airport Products and accepted. Airport Products will then be responsible for manufacture of the vehicle.</p>
29	Describe in detail the process and procedure of your customer service program, if applicable. Include your response-time capabilities and commitments, as well as any incentives	<p><b>AFTERMARKET PIERCE MODEL</b></p> <p>Pierce service after the sale is where we truly are set apart from others. The Pierce Dealer network spans across the US and Canada and each have made investment in facilities, inventory, staff, and training. The Dealer is the first point of contact for the customer however all customers can access Pierceparts.com to aid in any</p>

that help your providers meet your stated service goals or promises.

service needs they may have.

#### TEAM MEMBERS

Pierce Service Brigade

An army of 600 service technicians across the US and Canada.

#### Certified Master Technicians

We specifically created the Pierce Certified Master Technician program to ensure that our Service Brigade professionals possess the highest level of proficiency with today's sophisticated emergency vehicles, including non-Pierce apparatus.

#### The Right Attitude and the Right Tools

Our team members take pride in going home at the end of each day knowing they made a difference. The mobile training unit takes Customer Service training to another level and brings training to the customer. This mobile unit has built-in training tools and props that are configurable to the training needs of our customers. It allows the technician to troubleshoot, dismantle, and most importantly, provide the hands-on training customers ask for.

#### INVENTORY

As the manufacturer, facilities are available in Appleton, WI, Weyauwega, WI, and Bradenton, FL. These facilities are equipped with factory personnel and committed healthy stock of inventory dedicated to service and replacement parts to ensure quick response and minimize down time.

Furthermore, Pierce Manufacturing Inc. houses inventory in a dedicated facility, with a dedicated shipping area that ensures service parts are given priority and extends a customized, Pierce aftermarket website for authorized Dealers to conduct business in real-time.

#### FACTORY HOURS OF OPERATION

Pierce Manufacturing Inc. and Oshkosh Airport products also maintains a 24 hour/ 7 day a week, toll free emergency hot line and employs a staff of dedicated individuals to troubleshooting and parts support. Pierce Customer Service core hours of operation are Monday – Friday, 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. CST. We also have Pierce factory technicians on call for after-hours support available 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

#### PROBLEM IDENTIFICATION & RESOLUTION

As product or service issues are identified by the customer, they are to contact their local Pierce authorized dealer since they are the customer's first point of contact. All issues are documented, resolved, and archived for future reference by the local dealership. If there is an issue that needs elevated assistance, the dealership will contact the Pierce customer service account representative for assistance.

Parts identification is provided to both the dealer and the Fire Department through an on-line web-based application for the specific truck. Access will be granted using the specific VIN number of the vehicle and the online web application provides the ability to view complete bills of materials, digital photographs, parts drawings, assembly drawings, and access to all current operation, maintenance, and service publications. The end user can access this information via the Guest Login.

#### TECHNICAL SERVICE SUPPORT

Both Pierce and their authorized Dealers can provide both in-house and on-site service for the apparatus along with training per request. Replacement parts and various levels of service after delivery are available from your local Pierce authorized dealer, including but not limited to those shown below:

#### SERVICE:

Warranty repair for Pierce product line for all items except for those that must be handled directly by an authorized component manufacture such as engine and transmission.

Direct access to Pierce technical support

Routine preventative maintenance

Annual aerial ladder testing

Pump testing

Ground ladder testing

NFPA 1911 annual inspections maintenance and testing

Repairs from small minor issues to major overhauls and many other services

Dealer repair services extend to most other fire and emergency rescue product lines in addition to Pierce Manufacturing

Service provided by EVT, ASE, Pierce and industry specific certified technicians

All Pierce authorized sales and service dealers have access to Pierce's extensive level of technical and customer service support staff

#### PARTS:

Pierce authorized dealers maintain a large assortment of products supplied with fire

		<p>apparatus. Including, but not limited to, the most commonly required parts and components required for apparatus repair. This level of inventory enables "out of service" time to be kept to a bare minimum.</p> <p>All Pierce authorized sales and service dealers have access to Pierce's extensive level of replacement parts inventory, which is more than \$15M as well as any Pierce required fabrication services.</p> <p>Oshkosh Airport Products partners with Pierce Manufacturing's internal customer support team to provide the same superior service for municipal products with the smaller scale of ARFF products. We maintain a 24 hour/ 7 day a week, toll free emergency hot line with core hours of operation being Monday through Friday, 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. CST. We also have Pierce factory technicians on call for after-hours support available 24 hours a day, seven days a week via our service support line 1-800-222-6635</p>	
30	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in the United States.	<p>Pierce Manufacturing Inc has 20 US based authorized dealers, each which has an establishes sales and service infrastructure to support the sale of our whole goods from time of sale through its lifecycle.</p> <p>We are committed to support the customer by educating them in all possible avenue to ensure they know the benefits of Sourcewell.</p> <p>Pierce will be able to support the entire US including Hawaii and Alaska along with Canada regions. Our established dealer network includes assignment for these territories.</p> <p>Airport Products is able and willing to provide our products and services to participating entities in the United States.</p>	*
31	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in Canada.	<p>Pierce Manufacturing Inc has 3 US based authorized dealers, each which has an establishes sales and service infrastructure to support the sale of our whole goods from time of sale through its lifecycle. Pierce Manufacturing Inc. has three Dealers that cover the Canadian territories – Commercial Emergency Equipment, Safety Source, and L 'Arsenal.</p> <p>Commercial Emergency Equipment is the largest of those exclusive dealers. They cover Western Canada (BC, AB, SK, MB), Ontario, as well as the Northern Territories (YT, NWT, NT).</p> <p>Pierce brands the MAXI Saber custom-chassis fire apparatus which are also marketed in Canada. Pierce is our authorized dealers are in exclusive product partnership since 2016 with MAXIMETAL. Pierce is committed to growing the market in Canada while also providing service support.</p> <p>Airport Products will work in conjunction with our authorized dealer(s), and together we are able and willing to provide our products and services to participating entities in Canada.</p>	*
32	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract.	<p>There are no geographic areas in the US or Canada that we will not be fully servicing through the proposed contract.</p> <p>Pierce and Airport Products are proud to provide excellent coverage across the nation. There are no areas throughout US or Canada that we are not able to fully support either through our dealer network or direct coverage through coverage.</p>	*
33	Identify any Sourcewell participating entity sectors (i.e., government, education, not-for-profit) that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract. Explain in detail. For example, does your company have only a regional presence, or do other cooperative purchasing contracts limit your ability to promote another contract?	<p>There are no defined sectors that Pierce or Airport Products would not be willing and able to sell to and extend the after the sale service and support we pride ourselves on.</p>	*
34	Define any specific contract requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	<p>Pierce and Airport Products is not aware of any specific contract requirements or restrictions that apply to members. Those territories determine what contracts they support and allow to be used.</p>	*

**Table 7: Marketing Plan**

Line Item	Question	Response *
35	Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this contract opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>The marketing strategy we have taken with all the awards has begun with marketing to our sales force. The initial launch provides the sales team:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Overview of the contract and what differentiates it from the others</li> <li>• Training and updating internal User Guide/Handbook</li> <li>• Adding the contract option to our custom truck configurator Pulse</li> <li>• Adding the contract to the internal communication portal</li> <li>• Update www.piercemfg.com and www.oshkoshairport.com website with the addition of the new contract</li> <li>• Develop a flyer or FAQ to provide sales reps and customers as a takeaway</li> <li>• Including a Sourcewell purchased truck at Pierce shows. The Sourcewell consortium logo is noted on the configuration that is displayed on the truck.</li> </ul> <p>Refer to "35. Pierce Example Marketing.pdf" in the Marketing Plan/Samples folder.</p> <p>Additional marketing brochures available in the Marketing Plan/Samples folder. Please refer to these files for current representative material.</p>
36	Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.	<p>Pierce has a dedicated marketing team that manages our website and social media; we also have 23 Dealers that have established websites and utilize social media platforms such as twitter, Instagram, and Facebook to share messaging. We are able to track engagement and metadata on our followers through these platforms. Not only is our marketing team well versed in looking at industry trends, we also partner with external organizations for a more robust approach to technology.</p> <p>Both Pierce and Airport Products' websites will include award and have a direct link to the Sourcewell website where facts and information can be obtained.</p> <p>Airport Products also utilizes Showpad for organization and distribution of marketing material which is available to our domestic and international sales team. This tool allows us to share information across the globe, including information on available purchasing consortiums. This tool allows users to track customer engagement with the material.</p>
37	In your view, what is Sourcewell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcewell-awarded contract into your sales process?	<p>Sourcewell's role in promoting the Fire Apparatus contract is primarily accessibility to customers and/or their procurement officials.</p> <p>Sourcewell's role is to be partner with the awarded vendors and understand the product on the contract so that as a joint effort, end users can be informed and educated on cooperative procurement and how this contract best fits them. This may include training creation, networking at a specific show or dealer location.</p> <p>Cooperative procurement needs to fold into the sales process shortly after introductions. A Sales representative should understand what programs the customer has been a part of and/or what they know about cooperative procurement programs available. That basic understanding is a must have from the onset.</p> <p>This program won't determine what apparatus they buy or what customization they can have – this program provides them the avenue to get what they need through an efficient procurement process.</p> <p>For the Airport direct sales team, all opportunities that are not competitively bid will be provided information on the Sourcewell contract as an avenue for purchase.</p>
38	Are your products or services available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.	<p>We do not offer an e-procurement ordering process due to the complexity of our product. We have determined this platform does not fit in our business model.</p>

**Table 8: Value-Added Attributes**

Line Item	Question	Response *



39	Describe any product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training programs that you offer to Sourcewell participating entities. Include details, such as whether training is standard or optional, who provides training, and any costs that apply.	<p>Training is offered in several different ways:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A customer can request factory personnel to provide training and it will be added to the sale or available at a later date.</li><li>• The dealer may have a training program to offer that introduces the customer to the dealer's support team</li><li>• The customer may choose to attend regional training classes offered throughout the year.</li></ul> <p>All customers receive a Delivery Orientation class prior to placing the apparatus in service. Other training is often customized to the customer's needs and scheduled around their calendars. Factory and/or Dealer training may include Operation, Maintenance, Foam training, Aerial training, Customer Mechanics, or customizable.</p> <p>On-site training during vehicle in-service is standard. This provides a basic vehicle operations and maintenance overview. This training is consistent with industry standards. Refer to "39. Pierce Training Offerings.pdf" in Additional Documents for more information on Pierce training.</p> <p>We also offer additional training through our Oshkosh Product Training Center. We have two rigorous courses focused on the vehicles chassis and firefighting systems. The cost of additional maintenance or operations courses are not included and schedule and pricing is available on our training website. Specialized training can also be requested and will be quoted at time of request. <a href="https://oshkoshcorporation.csod.com/LMS/catalog/Welcome.aspx">https://oshkoshcorporation.csod.com/LMS/catalog/Welcome.aspx</a>.</p> <p>Refer to "39. Striker Chassis and Firefighting Maintenance Training Outline.pdf" in Additional Information folder for ARFF training outline.</p>
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40	Describe any technological advances that your proposed products or services offer.	<p>Oshkosh Corporation a leader in innovation and each of our products and technologies is designed with customers and end-users in mind, including advances in electrification, autonomy and active safety and intelligent products. Leveraging the latest in technology for today and tomorrow across the different markets we serve differentiates us and helps us remain market leaders and stay ahead of the competition. Advancing our company into new markets and categories will support continued growth for the company.</p> <p>Through this contract, we offer numerous proprietary features that stand out from others and not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Electric Vehicles - Pierce Manufacturing and Oshkosh Airport Products have introduced the Volterra™ platform of electric vehicles for the fire and emergency market, with the first municipal truck already in service with the City of Madison, Wisconsin. The Striker® Volterra performance hybrid Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF) vehicle is available for demonstration, as available, at customer locations.</li> <li>Refer to "40. Volterra Press Release.pdf" in Additional Documents folder for more information.</li> <li>• Idle Reduction Technology (IRT) - Power NFPA 1901 required devices, user-defined mission critical on-scene loads, and HVAC climate control with the main chassis engine shut down for one hour of run time at 150 amps. Featuring built-in safety interlocks and Pierce Command Zone™ auto-start for battery power monitoring and engine re-start, departments can work more safely and efficiently without a second thought. Pierce Idle Reduction Technology is an option on new apparatus and as an aftermarket solution</li> <li>Refer to "40. Pierce-Manufacturing-Idle-Reduction-Technology-6-21.pdf" in Additional Documents folder for more information.</li> <li>• Ascendant® class of aerial products – Pierce patented design that offers 107' of vertical reach and 100' of horizontal reach; rated at a 750 lb (dry) / 500 lb (wet) tip load capacity with an additional 100 lb equipment allowance; flow up to 1,500 gpm and is capable of a store front blitz feature as standard.</li> <li>• Pulse - Customized in-house truck configurator that allows us to build to the customer's level of customization</li> <li>• TAK-4® Suspension – offers shorter stopping distance, no brake steer, improved ride quality, and proven technology used by the US military.</li> <li>• Command Zone™ III electronics – provides vehicle reliability, easy serviceability, 5-yr standard warranty</li> <li>• Pierce Ultimate Configuration (PUC™) - Eliminates the pumphouse so you can build your apparatus around your needs and not the pump. It minimizes vehicular space used for fire suppression and maximizes space for equipment while still providing big pump, foam and CAFS capabilities.</li> <li>• Husky™ foam systems - Hydraulic drive powered; Single point, direct injection, flow-based system using digital technology to indicate pump position and a flow meter; a built-in flush system, equipped with an auxiliary foam pick-up; a foam tank refill system is available to fill the foam tank(s) from the ground.</li> <li>• Snozzle® HRET – The Snozzle High Reach Extendible Turret is available in a 50 ft or 65 ft configuration. Our HRET is available on the Oshkosh Striker 4x4, 6x6 and 8x8.</li> <li>• Eco EFP™ Foam Measurement System – Measure foam percentages from every discharge on the vehicle without using foam on the Oshkosh Striker vehicles. Eco EFP measures both the solution and foam flows on the vehicle, and even archives the testing data with a time and date stamp for three years.</li> <li>Refer to "40. Eco EFP Brochure.pdf" in Additional Documents folder for more information.</li> </ul> <p>The Company's advanced design and engineering capabilities have contributed to the development of innovative and/or proprietary, severe-duty components that enhance vehicle performance, reduce manufacturing costs and strengthen customer relationships. The Company's advanced design and engineering capabilities have also allowed it to integrate many of these components across various segments and product lines, which enhances its ability to compete for new business and reduces its costs to manufacture its products compared to manufacturers who simply assemble purchased components. The Company has been a supplier of electric-powered products for more than 20 years and recently launched several new products that leverage zero emissions electrification for mobility across all segments.</p>
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41	Describe any "green" initiatives that relate to your company or to your products or services, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.	<p>Oshkosh Corporation, including Pierce and its sister segments, have Environmental Policies &amp; Procedures including, but not limited to, an Environmental Protection Policy and an Energy Management Policy. Please refer to our response in question 18 on our recent award achievements as well. Refer to "9. 2020_Sustainability_Report.pdf" in the Financial Strength and Stability folder.</p> <p><b>Pierce Sustainability Efforts</b> Sustainability is defined as "meeting the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs." Pierce is continuously improving how we make and distribute products. It's about reducing the environmental impact of our products and production, improving workplace conditions, reducing costs, increasing value, and being active in our communities.</p> <p>Pierce has established waste and energy Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) and are developing and implementing plans to meet these goals month over month. KPIs are tracked, recorded, and shared monthly with the teams and our sister segments including Corporate.</p> <p>Oshkosh Corporation conducts internal environmental audits using a third-party environmental auditing tool. These audits are completed on all sites on a rotating basis. Each facility is audited at least once every three years.</p> <p>Pierce is an active member of the Dow Jones Sustainability Index (DJSI). The Dow Jones Sustainability Indices (DJSI) launched in 1999, are a family of indices evaluating the sustainability performance of the largest 2,500 companies listed on the Dow Jones Global Total Stock Market Index.</p> <p><b>Department of Energy's Better Buildings, Better Plants Program</b> Pierce along with the other Oshkosh segments demonstrate our commitment to improving energy performance by signing a voluntary pledge to reduce our energy intensity by 25% over a ten-year period with the U.S. Department of Energy's Better Buildings, Better Plants Program. Leading manufacturers and industrial-scale energy using organizations implement cost-effective energy efficiency improvements that save energy and improve competitiveness.</p> <p><b>ISO 14001:2015 Environmental Management System</b> To further solidify and standardize our environmental performance, Pierce Manufacturing and the Airport Products Group are in the process of formalizing an Environmental Management System for our Neenah manufacturing facility in accordance with ISO 14001:2015. Refer to "16. ISO 14001 Oshkosh Airport Products.pdf" in Financial Strength and Stability folder.</p> <p><b>Community – Goodwill</b> Pierce works with the local Goodwill in many different facets. One is the reuse of our safety glasses. Our friends at Goodwill clean and repackage the glasses for reuse at our facilities. It is a cost savings, but most importantly it is helping our community and reducing waste to landfill.</p>
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42	Identify any third-party issued eco-labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the equipment or products included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.	<p>Pierce Manufacturing has received certifications and awards towards our commitment to energy efficiency, conservation, and sustainability. All certifications and awards are driven through Key performance Indicators (KPIs), auditing and continuous performance throughout the Pierce family and Oshkosh Corporation. Certifications and awards are attached and linked for reference.</p> <p><b>CERTIFICATIONS:</b>  <b>ISO 14001:2015 Certification</b>  Our Neenah, WI facility has received the ISO 14001:2015 certification, demonstrating our strong commitment to performance, implementation of a world-class environmental management system, and completion of a rigorous third-party evaluation.</p> <p><b>TRUE Zero Waste Certification</b>  The Total Resource Use and Efficiency (TRUE) Zero Waste certification program, administered by Green Business Certification Inc., provides rigorous third-party certification for zero waste goals. Facilities earn credits toward certification for activities in redesigning processes, reducing waste, reusing materials, and finding solutions other than landfill for waste. Our Neenah, WI facility has achieved TRUE certification at the Gold Level.</p> <p><b>AWARDS:</b>  The advances Pierce has made in sustainable practices thus far have been recognized by numerous agencies, both governmental and private. Additionally, we have obtained certifications and joined programs which serve as pledges to our continuous improvement in sustainability and environmental stewardship. The majority of the awards referenced below you will also find in the table 3 question 18.</p> <p><b>Energy Efficiency Excellence Award</b>  The Energy Efficiency Excellence Award recognizes business participants of Focus on Energy, Wisconsin's statewide energy efficiency and renewable resources program, who have demonstrated an outstanding commitment to reducing energy waste by implementing energy-saving upgrades in their facilities and operations. In 2020, Pierce was honored with this award for our efforts in reducing energy in our products and production.</p> <p><b>Wisconsin Recycling Excellence Award</b>  The Department of Natural Resources recognizes outstanding recycling and waste minimization efforts through its annual Recycling Excellence Award program. Pierce received the Overall Program Award in 2020 for our diverse and extensive waste reduction efforts.</p> <p><b>GREEN / SUSTAINABILITY:</b>  <b>Dow Jones Sustainability Index</b>  Our sustainability efforts have been recognized through our inclusion on the Dow Jones Sustainability World Index (DJSI). The DJSI, is a family of best-in-class benchmarks which track the stock performance of the world's leading companies in terms of economic, environmental, and social criteria. 2021 marked the third consecutive year we were named to the Index, highlighting our commitment to sustainable business practices.</p> <p><b>World's Most Ethical Companies</b>  In 2021, we celebrated our sixth consecutive year being named one of the World's Most Ethical Companies by Ethisphere™. The assessment considers over 200 data points on culture, environmental and social practices, ethics and compliance activities, diversity and inclusion, and initiatives to support a strong value chain.</p> <p><b>Green Masters</b>  The Green Masters Program is an assessment and recognition program for Wisconsin businesses interested in improving and being recognized for their sustainability initiatives. 2021 marked the seventh consecutive year we were deemed a Green Master, indicating that we are in the top 20% of companies evaluated.</p>
43	Describe any Women or Minority Business Entity (WMBE), Small Business Entity (SBE), or veteran owned business certifications that your company or hub partners have obtained. Upload documentation of certification (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>Oshkosh Corporation is a large publicly traded company and does not qualify for diversity certifications. However, as an organization Oshkosh is a member of National Minority Supplier Development Council (NMSDC). At Oshkosh Corporation we are about building, protecting and serving communities throughout the globe. We are committed to working with a diverse supply base that is representative of our customers and the communities we serve.</p> <p>Refer to "43. Oshkosh Supplier Diversity.pdf" in Additional Documents for more information.</p>
44	What unique attributes does your company, your products, or your services offer to Sourcwell participating entities? What makes your proposed solutions unique in your industry as it applies to Sourcwell participating entities?	<p>Oshkosh Corporation is a trusted partner with over 100 years in business, focused on innovation with the customer in mind. With our work in electrification and intelligent products, we will continue to lead in the specialty truck manufacturing market. Our customers benefit from the size and scale of a large organization yet receive focused attention from our subsidiaries and their respective dealerships.</p> <p>Pierce is a leading manufacturer of customized fire apparatus with a dealer network second to none. The longevity, stability, and family tradition in the fire industry that is threaded throughout our dealer network sets us apart from others. Our partnership with the other segments within the Oshkosh Corporation and the backing of our parent company, Oshkosh Corporation leverages innovation and financial strength.</p> <p>Pierce understands the customer's needs and provides the detail, the commitment, and the follow through long after the apparatus is delivered.</p> <p>Oshkosh Airport Products completes the full products supported by this contract through its Oshkosh Striker ARFF. Airport Products is dedicated to leading the way in technology, product support and customer service in the ARFF market.</p>

**Table 9: Warranty**

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

Line Item	Question	Response *
45	Do your warranties cover all products, parts, and labor?	<p>Yes, Our one-year bumper to bumper warranty covers all product, parts, and labor. Pierce, the "manufacturer", warrants each newly manufactured fire apparatus to the original end user/purchaser of specified periods stated below from the date of delivery.</p> <p>The standard Cab &amp; chassis warranty provides a one-year warranty that warrants against defects in product, workmanship, and/or design. This warranty shall apply provided the vehicle is properly maintained.</p> <p>Nothing contained in this warranty shall make the Manufacturer liable beyond the express limitations hereof, for loss, injury, or damage of any kind to any person or entity resulting defect or failure of the product (except as covered by Product liability insurance).</p> <p>Refer to "45. 01-WA0008 100208 Pierce 1 year.pdf" and "45. Oshkosh 1 Year Basic Vehicle Warranty.pdf" in the Warranty folder for our standard 1 year warranty.</p> <p>The Manufacturer's warranty shall not apply to the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Wear items</li> <li>• Normal adjustments and maintenance services.</li> <li>• Failures resulting from the product being operated in a manner not in accordance with the operation manual or for a purpose not recommended by the Manufacturer.</li> <li>• Any product which shall have been repaired, modified, or altered in any way to have been adversely affected the unit's stability or reliability.</li> <li>• Items subjected to misuse, negligence, accident, or improper maintenance.</li> <li>• Loss of time or use of the product, inconvenience, or other incidental expenses.</li> </ul> <p>The authorized Pierce dealer manages all warranty issues on behalf of the end customer. The Pierce dealer utilizes an online claim filing system known as One Warranty for claim processing. Pre-approval for a claim or request for credit (post- correction claim) can be filed via the One Warranty system in the event a warrantable failure is found.</p> <p>All Standard and Extended Warranty claims are subject to specific Standard and Extended Warranty guidelines. Specific warranties exist for particular makes, models, chassis, options, etc. for Pierce products. Specific warranty bulletins are provided at time of sale to the end customer.</p> <p>Refer to a sampling of our other warranty statements and manufacturers' statements on engines, transmissions, water pump, etc. in the Warranty folder. A summary of warranty is also available "45. Warranty Overview.pdf".</p>
46	Do your warranties impose usage restrictions or other limitations that adversely affect coverage?	<p>We do have some base and extended warranties that have mileage limitations set to them. Limitations varies based on the options of the vehicle.</p> <p>Examples of base warranties are our structural warranties which carry a 100,000-mile limit.</p> <p>Extended warranties carry various mileage limits based on the specific coverage.</p> <p>Paint warranties are prorated based on age of the unit.</p>
47	Do your warranties cover the expense of technicians' travel time and mileage to perform warranty repairs?	<p>We pride ourselves with the coverage we have across the nation. There are no areas that we do not have coverage throughout US or Canada. Warranty is managed through our Pierce authorized dealers and dealer travel expenses are covered per our established internal One Warranty guidelines.</p> <p>Airport Products warranty is managed through authorized service representatives or our internal resources. Travel expenses are covered per our established internal one Warranty guidelines.</p>
48	Are there any geographic regions of the United States or Canada (as applicable) for which you cannot provide a certified technician to perform warranty repairs? How will Sourcewell participating entities in these regions be provided service for warranty repair?	<p>Pierce prides themselves in the coverage we have across the nation. Pierce requires a certified technician for each area Therefore we are to support all regions throughout US or Canada. Airport Products will provide service through internal or external service representatives.</p>

49	Will you cover warranty service for items made by other manufacturers that are part of your proposal, or are these warranties issues typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer?	Major components installed but not manufactured by Pierce or Airport Products are covered under original equipment manufacturer's warranties passed through to end user/customer. These include, but are not limited to, engine, transmission, water pump, ABS, and axles. Component Warranties In some cases, suppliers will offer warranties beyond the Pierce or Airport Products one-year warranty. Warranties provided by individual suppliers other than Pierce or Airport Products apply after the one-year vehicle warranty. The administration of individual supplier warranties, per the supplier, are to be addressed directly with the supplier themselves.	*
50	What are your proposed exchange and return programs and policies?	Pierce offers a return/exchange program for aftermarket parts only to the purchaser (Pierce dealer) and the dealer may extend this and other terms and conditions to the end customer. Aftermarket Parts Warranty Pierce and Airport Products warrants the purchaser that the parts sold by aftermarket be free from defects in product and workmanship for the period of six months from the delivery of the product. This Parts Warranty does not include freight, labor, travel, or markup. It is a part warranty only. Return of Defective Parts If parts used in the repair of an apparatus are required to be returned to Pierce, Dealers will receive notification. Dealers have up to 30 days to return the defective component or the warranty claim will be rejected.	*
51	Describe any service contract options for the items included in your proposal.	Authorized Pierce dealers may offer service contracts for preventative maintenance purposes. No service contracts are included in this proposal.	*

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

Line Item	Question	Response *	
52	Describe your payment terms and accepted payment methods.	All sales of Pierce apparatus are sold through the authorized Pierce dealers. Payment terms are Cash on Delivery (COD) or prepayment unless otherwise agreed upon by the Pierce dealer.  Oshkosh Airport Products' standard payment terms are net 30 days after delivery of vehicle. Accepted payment methods include check and wire transfer.	*
53	Describe any leasing or financing options available for use by educational or governmental entities.	The same logic behind our custom chassis applies to our financial services: Tailor the product to the department, not the other way around. The Company offers two- to fifteen-year municipal lease financing programs to its Fire & Emergency segment customers in the U.S. through the Pierce Financial Solutions program, provided by PNC Equipment Finance. Programs include competitive lease financing rates, creative and flexible finance arrangements and the ease of one-stop shopping for customers' equipment and financing. The Company executes the lease financing transactions through a co-branded arrangement with an independent third-party finance company. The Company typically provides credit support in connection with these financing and leasing arrangements With industry-leading tax-exempt rates, zero documentation fees, flexible payment plans and quick approvals that can bypass voter referendums, we make it easy to get behind the wheel of your new Pierce.  Refer to "53. Pierce Financial Solutions Testimonials.pdf" and "53. Financial_Solutions.pdf" in the Additional Documents folder.	*
54	Describe any standard transaction documents that you propose to use in connection with an awarded contract (order forms, terms and conditions, service level agreements, etc.). Upload a sample of each (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	Pierce has a variation of standard warranty documents. Sample documents are included in the warranty document uploads. No standard transaction documents are being requested to use in connection with an awarded contract. No service contracts are included in this proposal. Authorized Pierce dealers may offer service contracts for preventative maintenance purposes.	*
55	Do you accept the P-card procurement and payment process? If so, is there any additional cost to Sourcwell participating entities for using this process?	Pierce, Airport Products, and their independent dealers do not find that P-card procurement and payment feasible due to the size and build complexity of our products	*

**Table 11: Pricing and Delivery**

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

Line Item	Question	Response *
56	Describe your pricing model (e.g., line-item discounts or product-category discounts). Provide detailed pricing data (including standard or list pricing and the Sourcewell discounted price) on all of the items that you want Sourcewell to consider as part of your RFP response. If applicable, provide a SKU for each item in your proposal. Upload your pricing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	Combination of line item and percentage discount are provided in an attached PDF document identified as follows <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Product Category</li> <li>• Identification ID#</li> <li>• Product Description</li> <li>• List Price</li> <li>• Percentage off per product</li> <li>• Line Item (Contract) Price</li> </ul> The Percentage Discount items are also applicable to the unpublished options added to the published base specification with a standard discount off of List contingent on the product.
57	Quantify the pricing discount represented by the pricing proposal in this response. For example, if the pricing in your response represents a percentage discount from MSRP or list, state the percentage or percentage range.	The pricing presented in this proposal represents a 5.5% discount from Pierce's list price for unpublished options. ARFF products (Airport Products) represents a 7% discount off of list price.
58	Describe any quantity or volume discounts or rebate programs that you offer.	Multi-Unit Purchase Discount: Additional discounts may be available for identical multi-unit purchases. Discount varies dependent upon the number of identical units, the configuration of the units, and will be handled on a case-by-case basis. Pre-Payment Discount Discount amount varies dependent upon apparatus price, delivery schedule, extent of pre-payment, and applicable rate. If elected, payment for the entire contract amount is due within thirty (30) days of contract execution. This deduction is in addition to all other discounts listed above. If this option is elected, final payment for any changes processed during manufacturing is due prior to the unit leaving the factory for delivery. Payment & pricing options: Chassis Progress Payment Discount: Discount of approximately 3% of the custom chassis price is offered if a chassis progress payment is made three (3) months prior to the RFP (ready for pick up from the factory) date. Example: Chassis progress payment in the amount of \$220,714.00 could earn a discount of (\$6,621.00). This discount is not available for Commercial chassis products. Aerial Device Progress Payment Discount: Discount of approximately 2% of the aerial device price is offered if an aerial device progress payment is made two (2) months prior to the RFP (ready for pick up from the factory) date. Example: Aerial device progress payment in the amount of \$310,385.00 could earn a discount of (\$6,207.00).
59	Propose a method of facilitating "sourced" products or related services, which may be referred to as "open market" items or "nonstandard options". For example, you may supply such items "at cost" or "at cost plus a percentage," or you may supply a quote for each such request.	Sourced or open market items may be provided by the Pierce authorized dealer and would be quoted at time of request.

60	Identify any element of the total cost of acquisition that is NOT included in the pricing submitted with your response. This includes all additional charges associated with a purchase that are not directly identified as freight or shipping charges. For example, list costs for items like pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	<p>Pre-Delivery Expenses  Dealer provided options can be added to the apparatus contract upon request and will be handled by the Pierce authorized dealer. Dealer provided options can vary depending upon the customer's request and can include but are not limited to the items listed below. Pricing will be provided to each customer upon request and varies by dealership and customer location.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Factory inspection trips</li> <li>Weekly construction photo progress reports</li> <li>Orientation DVD specific to your apparatus</li> <li>Loose Equipment</li> <li>Engine and or transmission diagnostic software</li> <li>Loose equipment (open market items) such as but not limited to monitors, hose, intercom system, radio equipment, and rescue tools and equipment</li> <li>Pre-delivery service consisting of basic fluids and filters</li> <li>Custom fabrication for tool mounting and communication equipment</li> <li>Other items as requested by customer and deemed sourced or open market</li> <li>Delivery</li> <li>Sales and other taxes, license, handling, or title fees are also not included.</li> </ul>	*
61	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcewell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	<p>Transportation Expenses  Prices quoted in RFP #113021 are FOB Manufacturer's facility. Transportation of the apparatus from the factory to the customer's facility can be added to the contract. In most cases the apparatus is delivered to the Pierce authorized dealer facility in the area for a Pre-Delivery inspection and the installation of any dealer provided options, if applicable. If there is not a Pierce authorized dealer facility near the customer location, the apparatus may be delivered directly to the facility. The cost for this transportation varies dependent upon the type of apparatus and the proximity of your facility to the location of the manufacturer's facility. Delivery is conducted in accordance with DOT regulations. Delivery charges can vary based on the logistic or shipping location and requirements for example, more if flatbed, barge, or container ship transport is required.</p>	*
62	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	<p>Shipping and Delivery programs for areas such as Alaska, Hawaii, or any offshore delivery requires coordination of different transit methods. Most often the apparatus is flatbed to the port destination, prepared for ocean transit, and travel to final destination (roll-on/roll off vessel is preferred). This unique shipping and delivery requirements are priced on a case-by-case basis as required. Shipping within the contiguous US states and Canada, shipping is calculated using numerous factors including but not limited to the type of apparatus which impacts permits as well as the distance to destination. Shipping expenses are not included in the base specifications cost.</p>	*
63	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	For ARFF vehicles, due to size and weight restrictions all trucks will be transported via low-boy or flatbed. All required licenses and permits will be obtained prior to shipment.	*

Table 12: Pricing Offered

Line Item	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
64	b. the same as the Proposer typically offers to GPOs, cooperative procurement organizations, or state purchasing departments.	Pierce will not favor one GPO over another. Therefore, pricing model is consistent across all.



**Table 13: Audit and Administrative Fee**

Line Item	Question	Response *
65	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed Contract with Sourcewell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcewell participating entities obtain the proper pricing, that the Vendor reports all sales under the Contract each quarter, and that the Vendor remits the proper administrative fee to Sourcewell. Provide sufficient detail to support your ability to report quarterly sales to Sourcewell as described in the Contract template.	<p>Pierce takes pride in upholding the integrity of the programs and contracts we participate in. System software changes have been built to facilitate the information gathered throughout any of our programs to efficiently run reports on demand. These reports are run at a minimum monthly for internal audit purposes and quarterly for contract requirements.</p> <p>All base specifications and additional upgrade options have been created in our customized truck configurator tool, PULSE so that a Dealer can copy that base specification to confirm line-item pricing. Any changes made to the base specification is then controlled and captured in a Change Report that can be validated to honor the Percentage Discount on options added.</p> <p>The process (see additional documents) outline shows that Pierce has a closed-loop process that provide checks and balances for all involved. Our reporting capabilities for other contracts have been noted to be timely, thorough, and accurate. The volume of sales under our consortium programs requires Pierce to have a well-defined and efficient process. Awarded contracts are audited on product cost, labor efficiencies, product margin and customer satisfaction.</p> <p>Refer to "Table 13. Question 65 Audit and Administrative Fee.pdf" in Pricing folder.</p>
66	If you are awarded a contract, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the contract.	On a monthly basis Pierce will provide the percentage of Sourcewell orders to each authorized dealer in which they can compare to the prior year, this is provided in their monthly dashboards.
67	Identify a proposed administrative fee that you will pay to Sourcewell for facilitating, managing, and promoting the Sourcewell Contract in the event that you are awarded a Contract. This fee is typically calculated as a percentage of Vendor's sales under the Contract or as a per-unit fee; it is not a line-item addition to the Member's cost of goods. (See the RFP and template Contract for additional details.)	The Administrative Fee that Pierce will pay to Sourcewell for this proposed contract is aligned with the other contracts awarded to Pierce to create alignment and consistency. That fee will be a flat \$2000.00 USD per customer purchase order or separate contract.

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

Line Item	Question	Response *
68	Provide a detailed description of the equipment, products, and services that you are offering in your proposal.	<p>Pierce is offering an array of fire apparatus to meet the customer's needs across the US and Canada, including Hawaii and Alaska. Authorized Pierce dealers may offer service contracts for preventative maintenance purposes. Our product portfolio includes the industry standard categories: Custom and Commercial Pumper products Aerial products, Command, ARFF, Rescue products, Tanker products, and Specialty vehicles.</p> <p><b>CUSTOM AND COMMERCIAL PUMPER PRODUCTS</b> Pumper products include commercial and custom chassis with varying body sizes, pump rates, water tank capacity, and pump module style.</p> <p><b>AERIAL PRODUCTS</b> Aerial products include ladders, platforms, and tillers. These provide ladder lengths ranging from 61' – 110'. Selections will include various axle configurations, pumping rates, ladder styles, and material.</p> <p><b>EMERGENCY RESPONSE VEHICLES</b> - Designed to support the demands of emergency response. Many models fall under this category such as large mobile command, mid-size command vehicle, small mobile command, and cru 22mobile command vehicle.</p> <p><b>RESCUE PRODUCTS</b> Rescue products will include commercial and custom chassis offerings along with a walk-in or non-walk-in style. The configuration capabilities vary but includes capacity to integrate complex A /V, network and radio systems, air tool systems, breathing air systems with compressors, hydraulic rescue tool systems and winching capabilities, crew seating with storage, and custom fabricated shelves and trays.</p> <p><b>TANKER PRODUCT</b> Tanker products offer a dual role of water transport and on-the-spot firefighting. Pierce offers Elliptical tankers, Tanker/Pumper models, Dry side and Wet side styles to choose from. Each tanker is custom designed to accommodate the fire department's water, foam and equipment storage needs. Pierce Tankers feature solid, lightweight, corrosion-free polypropylene tanks. The tanks are form-fitted specifically for Pierce vehicles and come with a lifetime warranty.</p> <p><b>SPECIALTY VEHICLES</b> Specialty vehicles are those unique vehicles that have a purpose in which just one may be needed. Specialty vehicles may range from a mini pumper to a Wildland Type III vehicle or a Industrial Fire Fighting Vehicle.</p> <p><b>Maxi-Metal Partnership</b> <b>MAXIMETAL PRODUCTS-</b> are distributed in the USA through PIERCE MANUFACTURING and the dealer network under the brand name "CONTENDER BY MAXIMETAL. The "Contender by MAXIMETAL" product line will be submitted by MAXI-METAL for consideration.</p> <p>Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting Vehicles (ARFF) – Airport Products offers the Oshkosh Striker 4x4, 6x6 and 8x8 along with the Stinger Q4 RIV (Rapid Intervention Vehicle). The ARFF vehicle will be equipped to meet NFPA 414 requirements with optional equipment and configurations to meet individual airport needs.</p>
69	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	<p>Please see question 68 subcategories as they are described. There is also literature included to provide the breath of products we sell, service and support. No service contracts are included in this proposal. Example below of subcategories Category - Emergency Response Vehicles , ARFF, Aerial, Pumper, Rescue, Tanker, Specialty Subcategory - Ladder, Pumpers, Walk In, Pumper Tanker, Wildland, Platforms, Rescue -Pumper, Non Walk-In Dry-side Tanker, Mini-Pumper, Command</p>

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

Indicate below if the listed types or classes of equipment, products, and services are offered within your proposal. Provide additional comments in the text box provided, as necessary.

Line Item	Category or Type	Offered *	Comments	
70	Firefighting apparatus and service vehicles, of all types, such as: pumper/engine, initial attack, mobile water supply, aerial, quint, special service, mobile foam, command and communications, and purpose-built firefighting or rescue trailers	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Frontline leads service on command and communications.	*
71	Wildland fire apparatus, of all types, such as: fire suppression equipment, mobile water supply, and crew carriers	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	N/A	*
72	Aircraft rescue and firefighting vehicles	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Oshkosh Airport Products	*
73	Purpose-built chassis and vehicle components for firefighting apparatus and fire service vehicles	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Pierce has a variety of custom built chassis that you will find within the documents	*
74	Equipment, options, accessories, and supplies complementary or incidental to the purchase of a turnkey or complete unit of the types described in Lines 70-72 above	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Can be open source Offering is only in conjunction with a new order.....	
75	Services related to the offering of the solutions described in Lines 70-74, including installation, customization, remount, refurbishment, inspection, repair, maintenance, training, and support	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	We are required to provide training of our vehicle per compliance with NFPA. We do provide options within our proposals for this, and extended durations that have added cost associated.	*

**Table 15: Industry Specific Questions**

Line Item	Question	Response *
76	Describe available service and repair options for the equipment and products offered in your proposal.	<p>Pierce Master Technician Program</p> <p>The Pierce Master Technician Program is focused on recognizing service technicians throughout the dealer network for their knowledge and ability to provide expert service on Pierce apparatus. With this tiered level program, a technician can work their way up from having one certification to the level of Master Technician. Active participation in the ASE &amp; EVT programs is encouraged. A Pierce Master Technician must successfully complete the defined core classes dedicated to exclusive Pierce products. A cumulative final exam is taken upon completion of the core classes to obtain a Pierce Master Technician status. Pierce has over a 150 Master Technicians certified.</p>
77	Describe available remount or refurbishing services included within your proposal, the pricing method for such services, and any related order processes.	<p>Remount and refurbished services are offered however each job is quoted independently from one another. This is required due to the complexity to refurb or remount. Refurb and remount pricing will not be part of this submission however pricing can vary depending on the repair or service needed.</p>
78	Describe your compliance with US standards for the equipment and products offered in your proposal, including applicable federal and state requirements.	<p>Pierce fire apparatus are built with pride and dedication to a product that helps save lives. We have many internal quality check points throughout the build process and before the fire apparatus can be delivered it must go through third party testing by Underwriters Laboratories (UL).</p> <p>Pierce contracts with Underwriter's Laboratories to inspect Pierce apparatus for compliance to NFPA standards. Every NFPA 1901 apparatus manufactured in the Appleton facility is reviewed by a UL certified inspector after it is completed.</p> <p>Each apparatus is subjected to a visual inspection of construction and installed components such as chassis, driving and crew compartments, body compartments, steps, warning lights, reflective trim, warning, and instructional labels, etc. The inspection checklist, based on apparatus type, may have over 100 items to check.</p> <p>Once the UL inspection is complete a certification of NFPA compliance is provided to the customer upon delivery of their fire apparatus.</p> <p>Oshkosh ARFF products comply with latest edition of NFPA 414 and the Federal Aviation Administration Advisory Circular (AC) 150/5110-10E.</p>
79	Describe your compliance with Canadian standards for the equipment and products offered in your proposal, including applicable federal and provincial requirements.	<p>CERTIFIED: UL/ULC</p> <p>NFPA 1901 UL Certification &amp; UL Canada (ULC) Certification</p> <p>Pierce is the first fire apparatus manufacturer to be both 3rd party certified to NFPA 1901-2009 edition and ULC listed to Canada ULC-S515-04 standard by Underwriters Laboratories. Stages of testing include road, pump, weight, brake, performance and aerial application. All products must pass all tests before a truck is released into Canada. This commitment to quality applies to trucks sold in the U.S. as well.</p> <p>All chassis' comply with Canadian Motor Vehicle Safety Standards CMVSS.</p> <p>Oshkosh ARFF products comply with latest edition of NFPA 414 and the Federal Aviation Administration Advisory Circular (AC) 150/5110-10E. We will work with the customer on specific Canadian requirements to ensure compliance as needed.</p>

## Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form

Only those Proposer Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications that have been accepted by Sourcewell have been incorporated into the contract text.

### Documents

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

1. Documents in PDF format are preferred. Documents in Word, Excel, or compatible formats may also be provided.
2. Documents should NOT have a security password, as Sourcewell may not be able to open the file. It is your sole responsibility to ensure that the uploaded document(s) are not either defective, corrupted or blank and that the documents can be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
3. Sourcewell may reject any response where any document(s) cannot be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
4. If you need to upload more than one (1) document for a single item, you should combine the documents into one zipped file. If the zipped file contains more than one (1) document, ensure each document is named, in relation to the submission format item responding to. For example, if responding to the Marketing Plan category save the document as "Marketing Plan."
  - [Pricing](#) - Table 12. Pricing.zip - Tuesday November 30, 2021 15:16:30
  - [Financial Strength and Stability](#) - Table 2. Financial Strength and Stability.zip - Tuesday November 30, 2021 14:31:23
  - [Marketing Plan/Samples](#) - Table 7. Marketing Plan.Samples.zip - Tuesday November 30, 2021 13:40:24
  - WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates (optional)
  - [Warranty Information](#) - Table 9. Warranty Information.zip - Tuesday November 30, 2021 13:41:02
  - [Standard Transaction Document Samples](#) - SALES\_TEMPLATE\_Sales Proposal Order Form .pdf - Tuesday November 30, 2021 13:43:12
  - [Upload Additional Document](#) - Additional Documents.zip - Tuesday November 30, 2021 16:02:10

## Addenda, Terms and Conditions

### PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE

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

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

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

By checking this box I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Proposer's Affidavit, have the legal authority to submit this Proposal on behalf of the Proposer, and that this electronic acknowledgment has the same legal effect, validity, and enforceability as if I had hand signed the Proposal. This signature will not be denied such legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because an electronic signature or electronic record was used in its formation. - Michelle Swokowski, Sales Operations Manager, Oshkosh Corporation/ Pierce Manufacturing/ Oshkosh Airport Products

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

Yes  No

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

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

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