

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Justification for Brand Name Awards IAW [FAR 13.106-1](#)
For
Over Micro-Purchase Threshold but Not Exceeding the SAT (\$250K)

Acquisition Plan Action ID: 36C259-23-AP-0667

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1. **Contracting Activity:** Department of Veterans Affairs, Network Contracting Office 19 (NCO 19), 6162 South Willow Drive, Suite 300, Greenwood Village, Colorado, 80111

Organizational Activity: Department of Veterans Affairs, VISN 19, Cheyenne VA Medical Center, 2360 E. Pershing Blvd, Cheyenne, WY 82001

2237: 442-23-1-526-0009

2. **Brief Description of Supplies/ Services required and the intended use/Estimated Amount:**

The Cheyenne VAMC requires software service agreements for their Unified Victor Video Management System to operate their existing police surveillance cameras properly. This procurement will result in a firm-fixed price contract.

The estimated amount of the contract total will be; base year [REDACTED], and one option year at [REDACTED] totaling [REDACTED]

Item	Description	QTY	Unit
1	CC9000-QESA1 Software Support Agreement, Enhanced	1	YR
2	LYNXS-SSA-1 - SSA, Lynx STD Server, support term	1	YR
3	SWH-OEM-SSA – to include PVC-CM-SSA, PIVCheck Certificate Manager Software Service Agreement and 2 PVCP-D/S-SSA PIVCheck Plus Desktop Software Support Agreement	1	YR
4	ANDSCEN-PKG-MA- Software Support Agreement, Centralized Package	1	YR
5	ADVE1SSA- SSA VideoEdge NVR Per Camera License	328	EA

3. **Unique characteristics that limit availability to only one source, with the reason no other supplies or services can be used:**

The Cheyenne VAMC is currently using Software House software to run their Surveillance equipment. Software House is the only software the existing surveillance equipment is designed to accept. Without the required brand name software agreement, the police will have a significantly reduced ability to keep the staff and the patients at the VAMC safe. As such, changing the software would require a change in the equipment operating on the software. The additional cost associated with the turnover of equipment would not be fiscally responsible.

4. Description of market research conducted and results or statement why it was not conducted:

A VIP Search was conducted for Software House yielding 1271 SD/VOSBs. None of which are capable of providing the required software service.

A DSBS was conducted utilizing keywords Software House which resulted in 13 small businesses. Only Signet Technologies Inc stated they could meet the facilities requirement.

FPDS provided similar requirements that have been purchased through a second small business, Evigilant.Com, Inc.

GSA was searched and multiple small business were found who could provide the required software service; BTI Communications Group, Integrated Security Solutions, HEI Security, and Cam-Dex Corp. An FSS survey of schedules was considered. However, there are not at least 3 small businesses who have all of the required items on an FSS.

- 5. Requirements Certification:** I certify that the requirement outlined in this justification is a Bona Fide Need of the Department of Veterans Affairs and that the supporting data under my cognizance, which are included in the justification, are accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

[Redacted Signature]

Date

- 6. Contracting Officer's Certification:** *Purchase is approved in accordance with FAR13.106-1(b). I certify that the foregoing justification is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.*

[Redacted Signature]

Date