



## STAFF REPORT

**Report To:** Board of Supervisors                      **Meeting Date:** July 2, 2020

**Staff Contact:** Carol Akers and Fire Chief Sean Slamon

**Agenda Title:** For Possible Action: Discussion and possible action regarding authorization to purchase Fire Personal Protective Equipment-Turnouts and Fire Rescue Tools and Equipment from Curtis through joinder contract No. PS20015 with NPPGov, for a not to exceed annual amount of \$125,000 through June 30, 2021 (File No. 20300036). (Carol Akers, CAkers@carson.org and Sean Slamon, SSlamon@carson.org)

Staff Summary: The Carson City Fire Department is responsible for providing turnouts and safety equipment to all the Fire Department personnel who are active in the field. These items must meet the National Fire Protection Association's (NFPA) safety standards. This contract will allow the Carson City Fire Department to purchase this equipment as needed.

**Agenda Action:** Formal Action / Motion                      **Time Requested:** Consent

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### **Proposed Motion**

I move to approve the purchases as requested.

### **Board's Strategic Goal**

Efficient Government

### **Previous Action**

None

### **Background/Issues & Analysis**

In accordance with the Third Amended Collective Bargaining Agreement between Carson City and the Carson City Fire Fighters Association, Local #2251 of the International Association of Firefighters (July 1, 2010 to June 30, 2023), the Carson City Fire Department is responsible for providing turnouts and safety equipment to all the Fire Department personnel who are active in the field. These items must meet the National Fire Protection Association's (NFPA) safety standards. Staff has identified a contract through NPPGov for Globe G-XTREME 3.0 Jacket and Pants-fire turnouts and fire-related equipment.

Contract being utilized:  
NPPGov Curtis Contract No. PS20015 (expires 3/18/26)  
<https://nppgov.com/contract/l-n-curtis-sons-firefighting-equipment>

### **Applicable Statute, Code, Policy, Rule or Regulation**

**Financial Information**

**Is there a fiscal impact?** Yes

**If yes, account name/number:** General Fund Personnel Protective Equipment Account / 1012512 500668 and 1012545 500668  
General Fund Fire Rescue Tools and Equipment Account/ 1012512 5000674

**Is it currently budgeted?** Yes

**Explanation of Fiscal Impact:** If approved, the Personal Protective Equipment Accounts & Fire Rescue Tools and Equipment Account will be reduced by a not to exceed amount of \$125,000 for FY 21. Current Budget in 1012512-500668 and 1012545-500668 is \$92,500, and 1012512-500674 is \$46,000.

**Alternatives**

Do not approve joinder contract for purchase and provide alternative direction to staff.

**Attachments:**

[Curtis Joinder Contract Backup.pdf](#)

**Board Action Taken:**

Motion: _____	1) _____	Aye/Nay
	2) _____	_____
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## Curtis – Firefighting Equipment

Publicly Solicited Contract	<b>START DATE:</b> March 18th, 2020	<b>POTENTIAL END DATE:</b> March 18th, 2026	<b>CONTRACT NUMBER:</b> PS20015	<b>LEAD AGENCY:</b> League of Oregon Cities
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This is a publicly solicited contract established through an RFP process conducted by a Lead Public Agency. This contract satisfies formal competitive bid requirements of most states. All NPPGov members are urged to seek independent review by their legal counsel to ensure compliance with all state and local requirements.

### Products on Contract

- Search, Rescue and Extrication
- Fire Extinguishers and Foam
- Firefighting Attack
- Firefighting Turnouts and Related PPE
- HAZMAT
- Hose, Pumps, and Related Devices
- PPE Service, Maintenance and Repair
- Wildland Clothing and Equipment

### Instructions to Access This Contract

Please contact your local Curtis representative or dealer to purchase from this contract. If you don't have a representative, you can contact Curtis Customer Service.

Provide your NPPGov member ID and include it on your purchase order. If you have any questions, please contact NPPGov.

[Find Your Curtis Representative](#)

### Contract Documents

RFP

[Fire Fighting Equipment RFP 1910](#)

IGA | MPA

[Intergovernmental Agreement](#)

[Curtis Master Price Agreement](#)

Contact NPPGov

**NPPGov Customer Service**  
[customerservice@nppgov.com](mailto:customerservice@nppgov.com)  
Phone: 877.329.8847



### Curtis Overview

CURTIS is dedicated to providing high quality fire, rescue, safety, emergency products, and services. Offers for NPPGov members include over 180 catalogs representing the equipment and brands most in demand by America's First Responders.

### Additional Company Information

[Curtis Website](#)

### Curtis Customer Service Contact

Nick Lawrence  
[NLawrence@LNCurtis.com](mailto:NLawrence@LNCurtis.com)  
510.268.3344

### Curtis Mailing Address

1800 Peralta Street  
Oakland, CA 94607

**LEAGUE OF OREGON CITIES**

**MASTER PRICE AGREEMENT**

This Master Price Agreement is effective as of the date of the last signature below (the “Effective Date”) by and between the LEAGUE OF OREGON CITIES, an Oregon public corporation under ORS Chapter 190 (“LOC” or “Purchaser”) and L.N. CURTIS & SONS (“Vendor”).

**RECITALS**

WHEREAS, the Vendor is in the business of selling certain FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT, as further described herein; and

WHEREAS, the Vendor desires to sell and the Purchaser desires to purchase certain products and related services all upon and subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein; and

WHEREAS, through a solicitation for FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT the Vendor was awarded the opportunity to complete a Master Price Agreement with the LEAGUE OF OREGON CITIES as a result of its response to Request for Proposal No. 1910 for FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT; and

WHEREAS, the LEAGUE OF OREGON CITIES asserts that the solicitation and Request for Proposal meet Oregon public contracting requirements (ORS 279, 279A, 279B and 279C et. seq.); and

WHEREAS, Purchaser and Vendor desire to extend the terms of this Master Price Agreement to benefit other qualified government members of National Purchasing Partners, LLC dba Public Safety GPO, dba First Responder GPO, dba Law Enforcement GPO and dba NPPGov;

NOW, THEREFORE, Vendor and Purchaser, intending to be legally bound, hereby agree as follows:

**ARTICLE 1 – CERTAIN DEFINITIONS**

1.1 “Agreement” shall mean this Master Price Agreement, including the main body of this Agreement and Attachments A-F attached hereto and by this reference incorporated herein, including Purchaser’s Request for Proposal No. 1910 (herein “RFP”) and Vendor’s Proposal submitted in response to the RFP (herein “Vendor’s Proposal”) as referenced and incorporated herein as though fully set forth (sometimes referred to collectively as the “Contract Documents”).

1.2 “Applicable Law(s)” shall mean all applicable federal, state and local laws, statutes, ordinances, codes, rules, regulations, standards, orders and other governmental requirements of any kind.

1.3 “Employee Taxes” shall mean all taxes, assessments, charges and other amounts whatsoever payable in respect of, and measured by the wages of, the Vendor’s employees (or subcontractors), as required by the Federal Social Security Act and all amendments thereto and/or any other applicable federal, state or local law.

1.4 “Purchaser’s Destination” shall mean such delivery location(s) or destination(s) as Purchaser may prescribe from time to time.

1.5 “Products and Services” shall mean the products and/or services to be sold by Vendor hereunder as identified and described on Attachment A hereto and incorporated herein, as may be updated from time to time by Vendor to reflect products and/or services offered by Vendor generally to its customers.

1.6 “Purchase Order” shall mean any authorized written order for Products and Services sent by Purchaser to Vendor via mail, courier, overnight delivery service, email, fax and/or other mode of transmission as Purchaser and Vendor may from time to time agree.

1.7 “Unemployment Insurance” shall mean the contribution required of Vendor, as an employer, in respect of, and measured by, the wages of its employees (or subcontractors) as required by any applicable federal, state or local unemployment insurance law or regulation.

1.8 “National Purchasing Partners” or “(NPP)” is a subsidiary of two nonprofit health care systems. The Government Division of NPP, hereinafter referred to as “NPPGov”, provides group purchasing marketing and administrative support for governmental entities within the membership. NPPGov’s membership includes participating public entities across North America.

1.9 “Lead Contracting Agency” shall mean the LEAGUE OF OREGON CITIES, which is the governmental entity that issued the Request for Proposal and awarded this resulting Master Price Agreement.

1.10 “Participating Agencies” shall mean members of National Purchasing Partners for which Vendor has agreed to extend the terms of this Master Price Agreement pursuant to Article 2.6 and Attachment C herein. For purposes of cooperative procurement, “Participating Agency” shall be considered “Purchaser” under the terms of this Agreement.

1.11 “Party” and “Parties” shall mean the Purchaser and Vendor individually and collectively as applicable.

## **ARTICLE 2 – AGREEMENT TO SELL**

2.1 Vendor hereby agrees to sell to Purchaser such Products and Services as Purchaser may order from time to time by Purchase Order, all in accordance with and subject to the terms, covenants and conditions of this Agreement. Purchaser agrees to purchase those Products and Services ordered by Purchaser by Purchase Order in accordance with and subject to the terms, covenants and conditions of this Agreement.

2.2 Vendor may add additional products and services to the contract provided that any additions reasonably fall within the intent of the original RFP specifications. Pricing on additions shall be equivalent to the percentage discount for other similar products. Vendor may provide a web-link with current product listings, which may be updated periodically, as allowed by the terms of the resulting Master Price Agreement. Vendor may replace or add product lines to an existing contract if the line is replacing or supplementing products on contract, is equal or superior to the original products offered, is discounted in a similar or to a greater degree, and if the products meet the requirements of the solicitation. No products may be added to avoid competitive procurement requirements. LOC may reject any additions without cause.

2.3 All Purchase Orders issued by Purchaser to Vendor for Products during the term (as hereinafter defined) of this Agreement are subject to the provisions of this Agreement as though fully set forth in such Purchase Order. The Vendor retains authority to negotiate above and beyond the terms of this Agreement to meet the Purchaser or Vendor contract requirements. In the event that the provisions of this Agreement conflict with any Purchase Order issued by Purchaser to Vendor, the provisions of this Agreement shall

govern. No other terms and conditions, including, but not limited to, those contained in Vendor's standard printed terms and conditions, on Vendor's order acknowledgment, invoices or otherwise, shall have any application to or effect upon or be deemed to constitute an amendment to or to be incorporated into this Agreement, any Purchase Order, or any transactions occurring pursuant hereto or thereto, unless this Agreement shall be specifically amended to adopt such other terms and conditions in writing by the Parties.

2.4 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement to the contrary, the Lead Contracting Agency shall have no obligation to order or purchase any Products and Services hereunder and the placement of any Purchase Order shall be in the sole discretion of the Participating Agencies. This Agreement is not exclusive. Vendor expressly acknowledges and agrees that Purchaser may purchase at its sole discretion, Products and Services that are identical or similar to the Products and Services described in this Agreement from any third party.

2.5 In case of any conflict or inconsistency between any of the Contract Documents, the documents shall prevail and apply in the following order of priority:

- (i) This Agreement;
- (ii) The RFP;
- (iii) Vendor's Proposal;

2.6 Extension of contract terms to Participating Agencies:

2.6.1 Vendor agrees to extend the same terms, covenants and conditions available to Purchaser under this Agreement to Participating Agencies, that have executed an Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement ("IGA") as may be required by each Participating Agency's local laws and regulations, in accordance with Attachment C. Each Participating Agency will be exclusively responsible for and deal directly with Vendor on matters relating to ordering, delivery, inspection, acceptance, invoicing, and payment for Products and Services in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement as if it were "Purchaser" hereunder. Any disputes between a Participating Agency and Vendor will be resolved directly between them under and in accordance with the laws of the State in which the Participating Agency exists. Pursuant to the IGA, the Lead Contracting Agency shall not incur any liability as a result of the access and utilization of this Agreement by other Participating Agencies.

2.6.2 *This Solicitation meets the public contracting requirements of the Lead Contracting Agency and may not be appropriate under or meet Participating Agencies' procurement laws. Participating Agencies are urged to seek independent review by their legal counsel to ensure compliance with all local and state solicitation requirements.*

2.6.3 Vendor acknowledges execution of a Vendor Administration Fee Agreement with NPPGov, pursuant to the terms of the RFP.

2.7 Oregon Public Agencies are prohibited from use of Products and Services offered under this Agreement that are already provided by qualified nonprofit agencies for disabled individuals as listed on the Department of Administrative Service's Procurement List ("Procurement List") pursuant to ORS 279.835-.855. See [www.OregonRehabilitation.org/qrf](http://www.OregonRehabilitation.org/qrf) for more information. Vendor shall not sell products and services identified on the Procurement List (e.g., reconditioned toner cartridges) to Purchaser or Participating Agencies within the state of Oregon.

### **ARTICLE 3 – TERM AND TERMINATION**

3.1 The initial contract term shall be for three (3) calendar years from the Effective Date of this Agreement (“Initial Term”). Upon termination of the original three (3) year term, this Agreement shall automatically extend for up to three (3) successive one (1) year periods; (each a “Renewal Term”); provided, however, that the Lead Contracting Agency and/or the Vendor may opt to decline extension of the MPA by providing notification in writing at least thirty (30) calendar days prior to the annual automatic extension anniversary of the Initial Term.

3.2 Either Vendor or the Lead Contracting Agency may terminate this Agreement by written notice to the other party if the other Party breaches any of its obligations hereunder and fails to remedy the breach within thirty (30) days after receiving written notice of such breach from the non-breaching party.

### **ARTICLE 4 – PRICING, INVOICES, PAYMENT AND DELIVERY**

4.1 Purchaser shall pay Vendor for all Products and Services ordered and delivered in compliance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement at the pricing specified for each such Product and Service on Attachment A, including shipping. Unless Attachment A expressly provides otherwise, the pricing schedule set forth on Attachment A hereto shall remain fixed for the Initial Term of this Agreement; provided that manufacturer pricing is not guaranteed and may be adjusted based on the next manufacturer price increase. Pricing contained in Attachment A shall be extended to all NPPGov, Public Safety GPO, First Responder GPO and Law Enforcement GPO members upon execution of the IGA.

4.2 Vendor shall submit original invoices to Purchaser in form and substance and format reasonably acceptable to Purchaser. All invoices must reference the Purchaser’s Purchase Order number, contain an itemization of amounts for Products and Services purchased during the applicable invoice period and any other information reasonably requested by Purchaser, and must otherwise comply with the provisions of this Agreement. Invoices shall be addressed as directed by Purchaser.

4.3 Unless otherwise specified, Purchaser is responsible for any and all applicable sales taxes. Attachment A or Vendor’s Proposal (Attachment D) shall specify any and all other taxes and duties of any kind which Purchaser is required to pay with respect to the sale of Products and Services covered by this Agreement and all charges for packing, packaging and loading.

4.4 Except as specifically set forth on Attachments A and F, Purchaser shall not be responsible for any additional costs or expenses of any nature incurred by Vendor in connection with the Products and Services, including without limitation travel expenses, clerical or administrative personnel, long distance telephone charges, etc. (“Incidental Expenses”).

4.5 Price reductions or discount increases may be offered at any time during the contract term and shall become effective upon notice of acceptance from Purchaser.

4.6 Notwithstanding any other agreement of the Parties as to the payment of shipping/delivery costs, and subject to Attachments A, D, and F herein, Vendor shall offer delivery and/or shipping costs prepaid FOB Destination. If there are handling fees, these also shall be included in the pricing.

4.7 Unless otherwise directed by Purchaser for expedited orders, Vendor shall utilize such common carrier for the delivery of Products and Services as Vendor may select; provided, however, that for expedited orders Vendor shall obtain delivery services hereunder at rates and terms not less favorable than those paid by Vendor for its own account or for the account of any other similarly situated customer of Vendor.

4.8 Vendor shall have the risk of loss of or damage to any Products until delivery to Purchaser. Purchaser shall have the risk of loss of or damage to the Products after delivery to Purchaser. Title to Products shall not transfer until the Products have been delivered to and accepted by Purchaser at Purchaser's Destination.

### **ARTICLE 5 – INSURANCE**

5.1 During the term of this Agreement, Vendor shall maintain at its own cost and expense (and shall cause any subcontractor to maintain) insurance policies providing insurance of the kind and in the amounts generally carried by reasonably prudent manufacturers in the industry, with one or more reputable insurance companies licensed to do business in Oregon and any other state or jurisdiction where Products and Services are sold hereunder. Such certificates of insurance shall be made available to the Lead Contracting Agency upon 48 hours' notice. BY SIGNING THE AGREEMENT PAGE THE VENDOR AGREES TO THIS REQUIREMENT AND FAILURE TO MEET THIS REQUIREMENT WILL RESULT IN CANCELLATION OF THIS MASTER PRICE AGREEMENT.

5.2 All insurance required herein shall be maintained in full force and effect until all work or service required to be performed under the terms of this Agreement is satisfactorily completed and formally accepted. Any failure to comply with the claim reporting provisions of the insurance policies or any breach of an insurance policy warranty shall not affect coverage afforded under the insurance policies to protect the Lead Contracting Agency. The insurance policies may provide coverage that contains deductibles or self-insured retentions. Such deductible and/or self-insured retentions shall not be applicable with respect to the coverage provided to the Lead Contracting Agency under such policies. Vendor shall be solely responsible for the deductible and/or self-insured retention and the Lead Contracting Agency, at its option, may require Vendor to secure payment of such deductibles or self-insured retentions by a surety bond or an irrevocable and unconditional letter of credit.

5.3 Vendor shall carry Workers' Compensation insurance to cover obligations imposed by federal and state statutes having jurisdiction over Vendor's employees engaged in the performance of the work or services, as well as Employer's Liability insurance. Vendor waives all rights against the Lead Contracting Agency and its agents, officers, directors and employees for recovery of damages to the extent these damages are covered by the Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability or commercial umbrella liability insurance obtained by Vendor pursuant to this Agreement.

5.4 Insurance required herein shall not be permitted to expire, be canceled, or materially changed without thirty days (30 days) prior written notice to the Lead Contracting Agency.

### **ARTICLE 6 – INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS**

6.1 Vendor agrees that it shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless Lead Contracting Agency, its respective officials, directors, employees, members and agents (collectively, the "Indemnitees"), from and against any and all damages, claims, losses, expenses, costs, obligations and liabilities (including, without limitation, reasonable attorney's fees), suffered directly or indirectly by any of the Indemnitees to the extent of, or arising out of, (i) any breach of any covenant, representation or warranty made by Vendor in this Agreement, (ii) any failure by Vendor to perform or fulfill any of its obligations, covenants or agreements set forth in this Agreement, (iii) the negligence or intentional misconduct of Vendor, any subcontractor of Vendor, or any of their respective employees or agents, (iv) any failure of Vendor, its subcontractors, or their respective employees to comply with any Applicable Law, (v) any litigation, proceeding or claim by any third party relating in any way to the obligations of Vendor under this Agreement or Vendor's performance under this Agreement, (vi) any Employee Taxes or Unemployment Insurance, or (vii) any claim alleging that the



Products and Services or any part thereof infringe any third party's U.S. patent, copyright, trademark, trade secret or other intellectual property interest. Such obligation to indemnify shall not apply where the damage, claim, loss, expense, cost, obligation or liability is due to the breach of this Agreement by, or negligence or willful misconduct of, Lead Contracting Agency or its officials, directors, employees, agents or contractors. The amount and type of insurance coverage requirements set forth herein will in no way be construed as limiting the scope of the indemnity in this paragraph. The indemnity obligations of Vendor under this Article shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement for two years.

6.2 LIMITATION OF LIABILITY: IN NO EVENT SHALL EITHER PARTY BE LIABLE FOR ANY SPECIAL, INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, CONSEQUENTIAL OR EXEMPLARY DAMAGES IN CONNECTION WITH OR ARISING OUT OF THIS AGREEMENT, INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, DAMAGES FOR INJURIES TO PERSONS OR TO PROPERTY OR LOSS OF PROFITS OR LOSS OF FUTURE BUSINESS OR REPUTATION, WHETHER BASED ON TORT OR BREACH OF CONTRACT OR OTHER BASIS, EVEN IF IT HAS BEEN ADVISED OF THE POSSIBILITY OF SUCH DAMAGES.

6.3 The same terms, conditions and pricing of this Agreement may be extended to government members of National Purchasing Partners, LLC. In the event the terms of this Agreement are extended to other government members, each government member (procuring party) shall be solely responsible for the ordering of Products and Services under this Agreement. A non-procuring party shall not be liable in any fashion for any violation by a procuring party, and the procuring party shall hold non-procuring parties or unrelated purchasing parties harmless from any liability that may arise from action or inaction of the procuring party.

## **ARTICLE 7 – WARRANTIES**

Purchaser shall refer to Vendor's Proposal for all Vendor and manufacturer express warranties, as well as those warranties provided under Attachment B herein.

## **ARTICLE 8 - INSPECTION AND REJECTION**

8.1 Purchaser shall have the right to inspect and test Products at any time prior to shipment, and within a reasonable time after delivery to the Purchaser's Destination. Products not inspected within a reasonable time after delivery shall be deemed accepted by Purchaser. The payment for Products shall in no way impair the right of Purchaser to reject nonconforming Products, or to avail itself of any other remedies to which it may be entitled.

8.2 If any of the Products are found at any time to be defective in material or workmanship, damaged, or otherwise not in conformity with the requirements of this Agreement or any applicable Purchase Order, as its exclusive remedy, Purchaser may at its option and at Vendor's sole cost and expense, elect either to (i) return any damaged, non-conforming or defective Products to Vendor for correction or replacement, or (ii) require Vendor to inspect the Products and remove or replace damaged, non-conforming or defective Products with conforming Products. If Purchaser elects option (ii) in the preceding sentence and Vendor fails promptly to make the necessary inspection, removal and replacement, Purchaser, at its option, may inspect the Products and Vendor shall bear the cost thereof. Payment by Purchaser of any invoice shall not constitute acceptance of the Products covered by such invoice, and acceptance by Purchaser shall not relieve Vendor of its warranties or other obligations under this Agreement.

8.3 The provisions of this Article shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

## **ARTICLE 9 – SUBSTITUTIONS**

Except as otherwise permitted hereunder, Vendor may not make any substitutions of Products, or any portion thereof, of any kind without the prior written consent of Purchaser.

## **ARTICLE 10 - COMPLIANCE WITH LAWS**

10.1 Vendor agrees to comply with all Applicable Laws and at Vendor's expense, secure and maintain in full force during the term of this Agreement, all licenses, permits, approvals, authorizations, registrations and certificates, if any, required by Applicable Laws in connection with the performance of its obligations hereunder. At Purchaser's request, Vendor shall provide to Purchaser copies of any or all such licenses, permits, approvals, authorizations, registrations and certificates.

10.2 Purchaser has taken all required governmental action to authorize its execution of this Agreement and there is no governmental or legal impediment against Purchaser's execution of this Agreement or performance of its obligations hereunder.

## **ARTICLE 11 – PUBLICITY / CONFIDENTIALITY**

11.1 No news releases, public announcements, advertising materials, or confirmation of same, concerning any part of this Agreement or any Purchase Order issued hereunder shall be issued or made without the prior written approval of the Parties. Neither Party shall in any advertising, sales materials or in any other way use any of the names or logos of the other Party without the prior written approval of the other Party.

11.2 Any knowledge or information which Vendor or any of its affiliates shall have disclosed or may hereafter disclose to Purchaser, and which in any way relates to the Products and Services covered by this Agreement shall not, unless otherwise designated by Vendor, be deemed to be confidential or proprietary information, and shall be acquired by Purchaser, free from any restrictions, as part of the consideration for this Agreement.

## **ARTICLE 12 - RIGHT TO AUDIT**

Subject to Vendor's reasonable security and confidentiality procedures, Purchaser, or any third party retained by Purchaser, may at any time upon prior reasonable notice to Vendor, during normal business hours, audit the books, records and accounts of Vendor to the extent that such books, records and accounts pertain to sale of any Products and Services hereunder or otherwise relate to the performance of this Agreement by Vendor. Vendor shall maintain all such books, records and accounts for a period of at least three (3) years after the date of expiration or termination of this Agreement. The Purchaser's right to audit under this Article 12 and Purchaser's rights hereunder shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement for a period of three (3) years after the date of such expiration or termination.

## **ARTICLE 13 - REMEDIES**

Except as otherwise provided herein, any right or remedy of Vendor or Purchaser set forth in this Agreement shall not be exclusive, and, in addition thereto, Vendor and Purchaser shall have all rights and remedies under Applicable Law, including without limitation, equitable relief. The provisions of this Article shall survive the expiration or termination of this Agreement.

**ARTICLE 14 - RELATIONSHIP OF PARTIES**

Vendor is an independent contractor and is not an agent, servant, employee, legal representative, partner or joint venture of Purchaser. Nothing herein shall be deemed or construed as creating a joint venture or partnership between Vendor and Purchaser. Neither Party has the power or authority to bind or commit the other.

**ARTICLE 15 - NOTICES**

All notices required or permitted to be given or made in this Agreement shall be in writing. Such notice(s) shall be deemed to be duly given or made if delivered by hand, by certified or registered mail or by nationally recognized overnight courier to the address specified below:

If to Lead Contracting Agency:

LEAGUE OF OREGON CITIES  
1201 Court St. NE  
Suite 200  
Salem OR 97301  
ATTN: Jamie Johnson-Davis  
Email: [rfp@ORCities.org](mailto:rfp@ORCities.org)

If to Vendor:

L. N. CURTIS and SONS  
185 Lennon Lane, Suite 110  
Walnut Creek, CA 94598  
ATTN: Nick Lawrence  
Email: [nlawrence@lncurtis.com](mailto:nlawrence@lncurtis.com)

Either Party may change its notice address by giving the other Party written notice of such change in the manner specified above.

**ARTICLE 16 - FORCE MAJEURE**

Except for Purchaser's obligation to pay for Products and Services delivered, delay in performance or non-performance of any obligation contained herein shall be excused to the extent such failure or non-performance is ca

used by force majeure. For purposes of this Agreement, "force majeure" shall mean any cause or agency preventing performance of an obligation which is beyond the reasonable control of either Party hereto, including without limitation, fire, flood, sabotage, shipwreck, embargo, strike, explosion, labor trouble, accident, riot, acts of governmental authority (including, without limitation, acts based on laws or regulations now in existence as well as those enacted in the future), acts of nature, and delays or failure in obtaining raw materials, supplies or transportation. A Party affected by force majeure shall promptly provide notice to the other, explaining the nature and expected duration thereof, and shall act diligently to remedy the interruption or delay if it is reasonably capable of being remedied. In the event of a force majeure situation, deliveries or acceptance of deliveries that have been suspended shall not be required to be made upon the resumption of performance.

## **ARTICLE 17 - WAIVER**

No delay or failure by either Party to exercise any right, remedy or power herein shall impair such Party's right to exercise such right, remedy or power or be construed to be a waiver of any default or an acquiescence therein; and any single or partial exercise of any such right, remedy or power shall not preclude any other or further exercise thereof or the exercise of any other right, remedy or power. No waiver hereunder shall be valid unless set forth in writing executed by the waiving Party and then only to the extent expressly set forth in such writing.

## **ARTICLE 18 - PARTIES BOUND; ASSIGNMENT**

This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of and shall be binding upon the respective successors and assigns of the Parties hereto, but it may not be assigned in whole or in part by Vendor without prior written notice to Purchaser which shall not be unreasonably withheld or delayed.

## **ARTICLE 19 - SEVERABILITY**

To the extent possible, each provision of this Agreement shall be interpreted in such a manner as to be effective and valid under Applicable Law. If any provision of this Agreement is declared invalid or unenforceable, by judicial determination or otherwise, such provision shall not invalidate or render unenforceable the entire Agreement, but rather the entire Agreement shall be construed as if not containing the particular invalid or unenforceable provision or provisions and the rights and obligations of the Parties shall be construed and enforced accordingly.

## **ARTICLE 20 - INCORPORATION; ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

20.1 All the provisions of the Attachments hereto are hereby incorporated herein and made a part of this Agreement. In the event of any apparent conflict between any provision set forth in the main body of this Agreement and any provision set forth in the Attachments, including the RFP and/or Vendor's Proposal, the provisions shall be interpreted, to the extent possible, as if they do not conflict. If such an interpretation is not possible, the provisions set forth in the main body of this Agreement shall control.

20.2 This Agreement (including Attachments and Contract Documents hereto) constitutes the entire Agreement of the Parties relating to the subject matter hereof and supersedes any and all prior written and oral agreements or understandings relating to such subject matter.

## **ARTICLE 21 - HEADINGS**

Headings used in this Agreement are for convenience of reference only and shall in no way be used to construe or limit the provisions set forth in this Agreement.

## **ARTICLE 22 - MODIFICATIONS**

This Agreement may be modified or amended only in writing executed by Vendor and the Lead Contracting Agency. The Lead Contracting Agency and each Participating Agency contracting hereunder acknowledge and agree that any agreement entered into in connection with any Purchase Order hereunder shall constitute a modification of this Agreement as between the Vendor and the Participating Agency. Any modification of this Agreement as between Vendor and any Participating Agency shall not be deemed a modification of this Agreement for the benefit of the Lead Contracting Agency or any other Participating Agency.

**ARTICLE 23 - GOVERNING LAW**

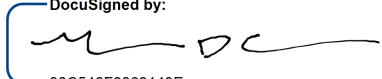
This Agreement shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon or in the case of a Participating Agency's use of this Agreement, the laws of the State in which the Participating Agency exists, without regard to its choice of law provisions.

**ARTICLE 24 - COUNTERPARTS**

This Agreement may be executed in counterparts all of which together shall constitute one and the same Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have executed this Agreement as of the day and year last written below.

PURCHASER:

DocuSigned by:  
  
Signature: 38C546F8869143F


Printed Name: Mike Cully

Title: Executive Director

LEAGUE OF OREGON CITIES

Dated: 3/18/2020

VENDOR:

Signature: 

Printed Name: Nick Lawrence

Title: Director, Special Programs

L.N. CURTIS & SON

Dated: 17 March 2020

**ATTACHMENT A**to Master Price Agreement by and between **VENDOR** and **PURCHASER**.**PRODUCTS, SERVICES, SPECIFICATIONS AND PRICES**

<b>CURTIS LOC/NPPGov Firefighting Equipment Product Catalog FOB: Origin (add shipping)</b>			
<b>Brand</b>	<b>Product Description</b>	<b>Discount Off List</b>	<b>Contract (Product) Category</b>
Air Shelters USA/Zumro	Shelters	5%	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Ajax	Chisels, Pneumatic	5%	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Akron Brass	Nozzles, Hose	20%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Akron Brass	Waterflow Equipment	20%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Akron Brass	Lighting and mounts	20%	FFE Category 12. Other
All American Hose	Hose, Firefighting	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Allegro	Ventilation Systems	5%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment
Allied Medical	Oxygen Hardware	Net	FFE Category 12. Other
Amerex	Fire extinguishers	25%	FFE Category 07. Fire Extinguishers
American Honda	Pumps	5%	FFE Category 10. Fire Pumps
American Honda	Generators	5%	FFE Category 12. Other
Angus Hose	Hose, Firefighting	1%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Ansul	Fire extinguishers	25%	FFE Category 07. Fire Extinguishers
Ansul	Foam, Firefighting	54%	FFE Category 08. Firefighting Foam
Blowhard	Ventilation Systems	2%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment
Bullard	Thermal Imagers	5%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
C & S Supply	Nozzles, Hose	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
C & S Supply	Waterflow Equipment	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
CET	Pumps, Firefighting	5%	FFE Category 10. Fire Pumps
CET	Skid Unit	5%	FFE Category 10. Fire Pumps
Chemguard	Foam, Firefighting	1%	FFE Category 08. Firefighting Foam
CMC	Harnesses, Rope	1%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment

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CMC	Rope	1%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
CMC	Tools, Rescue	1%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Coastal Environmental	Weather Stations	Net	FFE Category 12. Other
Cooper Tool Tools	Cutters, Bolt	20%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Council Tools	Tools, Hand Firefighting Attack	25%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Curtis	Slide-in (Heiman) Skid Unit	Net	FFE Category 10. Fire Pumps
CurtisCare Service	Service and Maintenance, Heavy Rescue Tools	Net	FFE Category 13. Maintenance, Service & Testing
Cutters Edge	Saws	5%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
David Clark	Communications	Net	FFE Category 12. Other
Draft Commander	Testing, Fire Apparatus Nozzles	Net	FFE Category 12. Other
Draft Commander	Testing, Fire Apparatus Pump	Net	FFE Category 12. Other
Duo Safety	Ladders	1%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Elkhart Brass	Nozzles, Hose	5%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Elkhart Brass	Waterflow Equipment	5%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Euramco	Ventilation Systems	1%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment
Euramco Ram Fam	Ventilation Systems	1%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment
Euramco Ram Fam	Fans	5%	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
EZ-Spanner	Hydrant, Wrenches	Net	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Ferno	First Aid	Net	FFE Category 12. Other
Fire Facilities	Training Systems, Firefighting	Net	FFE Category 05. Firefighting and Firefighter Training
Fire Hooks	Tools, Firefighting Attack	5%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Fire Research	Lighting Systems	1%	FFE Category 12. Other
Firefighters Bookstore	Training and Educational Materials	1%	FFE Category 05. Firefighting and Firefighter Training
Fire-Vent	Training Systems, Firefighting	Net	FFE Category 05. Firefighting and Firefighter Training
Fluke	Equipment, Detection (Heat)	Net	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment

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Fol-da-tank	Pools and Tanks	25%	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Fol-Da-Tank	Tank, Water (Portable)	25%	FFE Category 12. Other
Fountainhead	Pump, Backpack	25%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment
Foxfury	Lighting and mounts	1%	FFE Category 12. Other
FSI North America	Shelters	1%	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Gosport	Covers & Tarps, Salvage	2%	FFE Category 12. Other
Groves Ready Rack	Racks, Clothing Storage	1%	FFE Category 12. Other
Hale	Pumps, Firefighting	5%	FFE Category 10. Fire Pumps
Harrington	Adapters, Hose	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Harrington	Fittings, Hose	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Harrington	Valves	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Harrington	Waterflow Devices	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Honda	Pumps, Firefighting	5%	FFE Category 10. Fire Pumps
Honeywell Salvage Master	Vacuums, Water	5%	FFE Category 12. Other
Hurst 10,000psi Jaws of Life	Tools, Rescue Hydraulic	1%	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Hurst 5,000psi Jaws of Life	Tools, Rescue Hydraulic	1%	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Hurst e-Draulics Jaws-of-Life	Tools, Rescue Hydraulic (Battery-Powered)	1%	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Hurst Strong Arm	Tools, Rescue Hydraulic	2%	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Husky	Pools and Tanks	25%	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Husky	Tank, Water (Portable)	25%	FFE Category 12. Other
Husqvarna	Saws	20%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Indian Springs	Emergency HAZMAT Kit, Chlorine	Net	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Junkin	First Aid	5%	FFE Category 12. Other
Kidde Simulators	Training Systems, Firefighting	Net	FFE Category 05. Firefighting and Firefighter Training
Kocheck	Waterflow Devices, Wildland	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories



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Koehler/Brightstar	Lighting and mounts	2%	FFE Category 12. Other
K-Tool	Tools, Entry	5%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Leatherhead Tools	Axes	25%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Meret	Bags, Medical	1%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment
Miti	Showers/pools/wands, Decon	5%	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
MK Diamond	Blades, Saw	5%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
MSA	Instrumentation, Parts (MSA)	5%	FFE Category 12. Other
MSA	Instrumentation, Portable (MSA)	1%	FFE Category 12. Other
National Foam/Angus	Foam, Firefighting	Net	FFE Category 08. Firefighting Foam
New Pig	Kit HAZMAT Clean-Up	Net	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Nilfisk Turbo	Vacuums, Water	1%	FFE Category 12. Other
North American Hose	Hose, Firefighting	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Nupla/QEP	Tools, Firefighting	25%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Paratech	Tools Air Lifting Bags	5%	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Paratech	Tools Stabilization	5%	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Paratech	Tools, Trench Rescue	5%	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Paratech	Tools, Forcible Entry	5%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Pelican Lights	Lighting and mounts	25%	FFE Category 12. Other
Performance Advantage	Clamps, Hose	5%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Performance Advantage	Mounting Bracket, Tool	5%	FFE Category 12. Other
Petzel (Evac Systems)	Hardware, Rope	5%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Petzel (Evac Systems)	Rope	5%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
PMI	Rope	1%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Prosser (Crane Pumps)	Pumps, Submersible	1%	FFE Category 10. Fire Pumps
Red Head Brass	Adapters, Hose	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories

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Red Head Brass	Couplings, Hose	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Red Head Brass	Fittings, Hose	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Red Head Brass	Valves	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Red Head Brass	Waterflow Devices	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Rescue 42	Tools, Stabilization	Net	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Rice	Tester, Hose	1%	FFE Category 13. Maintenance, Service & Testing
RIT Safety Solutions	Bags, Rapid Intervention Team (RIT)	5%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment
Sam Carbis	Ladders	5%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Savox	Camera, Systems Search	5%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Savox Con Space	Communications	5%	FFE Category 12. Other
Scott Plastics (Scotty)	Nozzles, Hose	1%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
SE International	Equipment, Detection (Radiation)	Net	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Seco	Bags	5%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment
Simulaids	Training Aids and Mannequins	5%	FFE Category 05. Firefighting and Firefighter Training
Skedco	Patient Handling	Net	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Smith Detection	Equipment, Detection	Net	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Solberg	Foam, Firefighting	5%	FFE Category 08. Firefighting Foam
South Park	Wrenches	25%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment
South Park	Adapters, Hose	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
South Park	Couplings, Hose	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
South Park	Fittings, Hose	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
South Park	Waterflow Devices and Mounts	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Special Service	Chisels, Pneumatic	Net	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Stihl (Pacific Stihl)	Saws	Net	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Streamlight	Flashlights	30%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment

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Stryker	Patient Handling	Net	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Super Vac	Saws	20%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Super Vac	Fans	20%	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Super Vac	Smoke Machine	20%	FFE Category 12. Other
Task Force Tips	Adapters, Hose	5%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Task Force Tips	Waterflow Devices, TFT "New Force"	net	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Task Force Tips	Waterflow Equipment	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Task Force Tips	Nozzles, Hose	30%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Tempest	Ventilation Systems	1%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment
Tempest	Saws	1%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Tempest	Smoke Machine	1%	FFE Category 12. Other
Thermo Gel	Foam, Firefighting	Net	FFE Category 08. Firefighting Foam
Tingley	Boots, HAZMAT	25%	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Tractel Grip Hoist	Tools, Come-a-long	Net	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Turtle Plastics	Cribbing	5%	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Warthog	Blades, Saw	Net	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Waterax	Pumps, Firefighting	Net	FFE Category 10. Fire Pumps
Waterous	Pumps, Firefighting	5%	FFE Category 10. Fire Pumps
Wehr	Saw, Windshield Glass	1%	FFE Category 03. Extraction Tools & Supplies
Weis Safety	Training Systems, Firefighting	Net	FFE Category 05. Firefighting and Firefighter Training
Weis Safety	Tester, Nozzles	Net	FFE Category 13. Maintenance, Service & Testing
Western Shelter	Tank, Water (Portable)	5%	FFE Category 12. Other
Western Shelters	Showers/pools/wands, Decon	5%	FFE Category 06. Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Equipment
Wing Enterprises/Little Giant	Ladders	5%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Wolfpack	Packs, Wildland	2%	FFE Category 01. Firefighting Equipment

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Yates	Hardware, Rope	5%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Yates	Rope	5%	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Zephyr	Clamps, Hose	5%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Zephyr	Mounting Bracket, Tool	5%	FFE Category 12. Other
Ziamatic	Tools, Hand	25%	FFE Category 02. Firefighting Attack Tools
Ziamatic	Clamps, Hose	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Ziamatic	Mount Bracket, Hose	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Ziamatic	Waterflow Devices	25%	FFE Category 09. Firefighting (Municipal) Hose & Accessories
Ziamatic	Mounting Bracket, Tool	25%	FFE Category 12. Other
Zistos	Camera, Systems Search & Rescue	Net	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Zistos	Video Systems, Search & Rescue	Net	FFE Category 04. Search & Rescue Equipment
Zoll	Defibrillator, Automated External (AED)	1%	FFE Category 12. Other

Curtis' price schedule includes two separate pricing approaches:

1. Pricing for customers located in the forty-eight contiguous states and Alaska (FOB: Origin)
2. Pricing for the State of Hawaii (FOB: Destination)

Generally, Curtis is offering prices that are equal to our Most Favored Customer prices for items that are included in our GSA contract to maintain compliance with the terms and conditions of our contractual agreement with the General Services Administration. For those products not included in our GSA contract, Curtis' proposed prices are generally better than the prices Curtis typically offers to our most favored customer.

Curtis' Pricing Schedule, **sorted by brand**, is based upon a fixed percentage (%) off marked prices defined within each of the individual suppliers' catalog included in the "Current Catalog" section, starting on page **Error! Bookmark not defined.** of this proposal):

Pricing contained in this Attachment A shall be extended to all NPPGov members upon execution of the Intergovernmental Agreement.

Participating Agencies may purchase from Vendor's authorized dealers and distributors, as applicable, provided the pricing and terms of this Agreement are extended to Participating Agencies by such dealers and distributors. Vendor's authorized dealers and distributors, as applicable, are identified in a [list, link found at http:], as may be updated from time to time. [ A current list may be obtained from Vendor.]

**ATTACHMENT B**

**to Master Price Agreement by and between VENDOR and PURCHASER.**

**ADDITIONAL SELLER WARRANTIES**

To the extent possible, Vendor will make available all warranties from third party manufacturers of Products not manufactured by Vendor, as well as any warranties identified in this Agreement and Vendor's Proposal.

**ATTACHMENT C**

**to Master Price Agreement by and between VENDOR and PURCHASER.**

**PARTICIPATING AGENCIES**

The Lead Contracting Agency in cooperation with National Purchasing Partners (NPPGov) entered into this Agreement on behalf of other government agencies that desire to access this Agreement to purchase Products and Services. Vendor must work directly with any Participating Agency concerning the placement of orders, issuance of the purchase orders, contractual disputes, invoicing, and payment. The Lead Contracting Agency shall not be held liable for any costs, damages, etc., incurred by any Participating Agency.

Any subsequent contract entered into between Vendor and any Participating Agency shall be construed to be in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State in which the Participating Agency exists. Each Participating Agency is directed to execute an Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement ("IGA"), as set forth on the NPPGov web site, [www.nppgov.com](http://www.nppgov.com). The IGA allows the Participating Agency to purchase Products and Services from the Vendor in accordance with each Participating Agency's legal requirements as if it were the "Purchaser" hereunder.

**ATTACHMENT D**

**to Master Price Agreement by and between VENDOR and PURCHASER.**

**Vendor's Proposal**

**(The Vendor's Proposal is not attached hereto.)**

**(The Vendor's Proposal is incorporated by reference herein.)**

**ATTACHMENT E**

to Master Price Agreement by and between VENDOR and PURCHASER.

**Purchaser's Request for Proposal**

**(The Purchaser's Request for Proposal is not attached hereto.)**

**(The Purchaser's Request for Proposal is incorporated by reference herein.)**



**ATTACHMENT F**

**to Master Price Agreement by and between VENDOR and PURCHASER.**

**ADDITIONAL VENDOR TERMS OF PURCHASE, IF ANY.**

## **Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement**

This Intergovernmental Agreement (Agreement) is by and between the “Lead Contracting Agency” and participating government entities (“Participating Agencies”), that are members of National Purchasing Partners (“NPPGov”), including members of Public Safety GPO, First Responder GPO, Law Enforcement GPO, Education GPO and EMS GPO that agree to the terms and conditions of this Agreement. The Lead Contracting Agency and all Participating Agencies shall be considered as “parties” to this agreement.

WHEREAS, upon completion of a formal competitive solicitation and selection process, the Lead Contracting Agency has entered into Master Price Agreements with one or more Vendors to provide goods and services, often based on national sales volume projections;

WHEREAS, NPPGov provides group purchasing, marketing and administrative support for governmental entities. NPPGov’s marketing and administrative services are free to its membership, which includes participating public entities and nonprofit institutions throughout North America.

WHEREAS, NPPGov has instituted a cooperative purchasing program under which member Participating Agencies may reciprocally utilize competitively solicited Master Price Agreements awarded by the Lead Contracting Agency;

WHEREAS, the Master Price Agreements provide that all qualified government members of NPPGov may purchase goods and services on the same terms, conditions and pricing as the Lead Contracting Agency, subject to applicable local and state laws of the Participating Agencies;

WHEREAS, the parties agree to comply with the requirements of the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act as may be applicable to the local and state laws of the Participating Agencies;

WHEREAS, the parties desire to conserve and leverage resources, and to improve the efficiency and economy of the procurement process while reducing solicitation and procurement costs;

WHEREAS, the parties are authorized and eligible to contract with governmental bodies and Vendors to perform governmental functions and services, including the purchase of goods and services; and

WHEREAS, the parties desire to contract with Vendors under the terms of the Master Price Agreements;

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties agree as follows:

**ARTICLE 1: LEGAL AUTHORITY**

Each party represents and warrants that it is eligible to participate in this Agreement because it is a local government created and operated to provide one or more governmental functions and possesses adequate legal authority to enter into this Agreement.

**ARTICLE 2: APPLICABLE LAWS**

The procurement of goods and services subject to this Agreement shall be conducted in accordance with and subject to the relevant statutes, ordinances, rules, and regulations that govern each party’s procurement policies. Competitive Solicitations are intended to meet the public contracting requirements of the Lead Contracting Agency and may not be appropriate under, or satisfy Participating Agencies’ procurement laws. It is the responsibility of each party to ensure it has met all applicable solicitation and procurement requirements. Participating Agencies are urged to seek independent review by their legal counsel to ensure compliance with all local and state solicitation requirements.

**ARTICLE 3: USE OF BID, PROPOSAL OR PRICE AGREEMENT**

- a. A “procuring party” is defined as the Lead Contracting Agency or any Participating Agency that desires to purchase from the Master Price Agreements awarded by the Lead Contracting Agency.
- b. Each procuring party shall be solely responsible for their own purchase of goods and services under this Agreement. A non-procuring party shall not be liable in any fashion for any violation of law or contract by a procuring party, and the procuring party shall hold non-procuring parties and all unrelated procuring parties harmless from any liability that may arise from action or inaction of the procuring party.
- c. The procuring party shall not use this agreement as a method for obtaining additional concessions or reduced prices for similar goods and services outside the scope of the Master Price Agreement.
- d. The exercise of any rights or remedies by the procuring party shall be the exclusive obligation of such procuring party.
- e. The cooperative use of bids, proposals or price agreements obtained by a party to this Agreement shall be in accordance with the terms and conditions of the bid, proposal or price agreement, except as modified where otherwise allowed or required by applicable law, and does not relieve the party of its other solicitation requirements under state law or local policies.

**ARTICLE 4: PAYMENT OBLIGATIONS**

The procuring party will make timely payments to Vendors for goods and services received in accordance with the terms and conditions of the procurement. Payment for goods and services, inspections and acceptance of goods and services ordered by the procuring party shall be the exclusive obligation of such procuring party. Disputes between procuring party and Vendor shall be resolved in accordance with the law and venue rules of the state of the procuring party.

**ARTICLE 5: COMMENCEMENT DATE**

This Agreement shall take effect after execution of the “Lead Contracting Agency Endorsement and Authorization” or “Participating Agency Endorsement and Authorization,” as applicable.

**ARTICLE 6: TERMINATION OF AGREEMENT**

This Agreement shall remain in effect until terminated by a party giving 30 days written notice to “Lead Contracting Agency”

**ARTICLE 7: ENTIRE AGREEMENT**

This Agreement and any attachments, as provided herein, constitute the complete Agreement between the parties hereto, and supersede any and all oral and written agreements between the parties relating to matters herein.

**ARTICLE 8: CHANGES AND AMENDMENTS**

This Agreement may be amended only by a written amendment executed by all parties, except that any alterations, additions, or deletions of this Agreement which are required by changes in Federal and State law or regulations are automatically incorporated into this Agreement without written amendment hereto and shall become effective on the date designated by such law or regulation.

**ARTICLE 9: SEVERABILITY**

All parties agree that should any provision of this Agreement be determined to be invalid or unenforceable, such determination shall not affect any other term of this Agreement, which shall continue in full force and effect.


**THIS INSTRUMENT HAS BEEN EXECUTED IN TWO OR MORE ORIGINALS BY EXECUTION AND ATTACHMENT OF “THE LEAD CONTRACTING AGENCY ENDORSEMENT AND AUTHORIZATION” OR “PARTICIPATING AGENCY ENDORSEMENT AND AUTHORIZATION,” AS APPLICABLE. ONCE EXECUTED, IT IS THE RESPONSIBILITY OF EACH PARTY TO FILE THIS AGREEMENT WITH THE PROPER AGENCY IF REQUIRED BY LOCAL OR STATE LAW.**

**LEAGUE OF OREGON CITIES  
ENDORSEMENT AND AUTHORIZATION**

The undersigned acknowledges, on behalf of the League of Oregon Cities (“Lead Contracting Agency”) that he/she has read and agrees to the general terms and conditions set forth in the enclosed Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement regulating use of the Master Price Agreements and purchase of goods and services that from time to time are made available by the League of Oregon Cities to Participating Agencies locally, regionally, and nationally through NPPGov. Copies of Master Price Agreements and any amendments thereto made available by the League of Oregon Cities will be provided to Participating Agencies and NPPGov to facilitate use by Participating Agencies.

The undersigned understands that the purchase of goods and services under the provisions of the Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement is at the absolute discretion of the Participating Agencies.

The undersigned affirms that he/she is an agent of the League of Oregon Cities and is duly authorized to sign this League of Oregon Cities Endorsement and Authorization.

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Date: 3/26/2020

BY:  
ITS:

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**PARTICIPATING AGENCY  
ENDORSEMENT AND AUTHORIZATION**

The undersigned acknowledges, on behalf of Carson City (“Participating Agency”) that he/she has read and agrees to the general terms and conditions set forth in the enclosed Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement regulating use of the Master Price Agreements and purchase of goods and services that from time to time are made available by the Lead Contracting Agency to Participating Agencies locally, regionally, and nationally through NPPGov.

The undersigned further acknowledges that the purchase of goods and services under the provisions of the Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement is at the absolute discretion of the Participating Agency and that neither the Lead Contracting Agency nor NPPGov shall be held liable for any costs or damages incurred by or as a result of the actions of the Vendor or any other Participating Agency. Upon award of contract, the Vendor shall deal directly with the Participating Agency concerning the placement of orders, disputes, invoicing and payment.

The undersigned affirms that he/she is an agent of Carson City and is duly authorized to sign this Participating Agency Endorsement and Authorization.

  
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BY: Carol Akers  
ITS: Purchasing & Contracts Administrator

Date: 6/15/2020

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