



Goal Modification
Request Form

1. Date: 2/18/2015 2. Requesting Department: FINANCE/SPD 3. Solicitation Number: E25372
 4. Solicitation Name: Protective Footwear for the HFD 5. Estimated Dollar Amount: \$ 300,000.00
 6. Description of Solicitation (Attach Specifications/Supporting Documents): Purchase fire fighter safety boots through the Inter-local Agreement for Cooperative Purchasing with the Houston-Galveston Area Council (HGAC).

PLEASE INDICATE WHETHER A PREVIOUS CONTRACT EXISTED FOR THIS SOLICITATION.

A. Previous Contract (if any): Yes No B. Previous Contract #: _____ C. Goal on Last Contract: _____
 D. Was Goal Met? Yes No E. If goal was not met, what percentage did the vendor achieve? _____
 F. Why wasn't goal achieved: _____

SELECT ONE TYPE OF GOAL MODIFICATION REQUEST FROM THE FOUR OPTIONS BELOW.

1. WAIVER

A. I am requesting a waiver of the MWBE Goal: Yes No

B. Reason for waiver: (Check One)

- A public or administrative emergency exists which requires the goods or services to be provided with unusual immediacy
- If goods and services are specialized, technical or unique nature as to require the City department to select its contractor without application of MWSBE provisions (such as contracts for expert witnesses, certain financial advisors or technical consultants);
- MWSBE provisions impose an unwarranted economic burden or risk on the City or unduly delay acquisition of the goods or services, or is not in the best interest of the City; or
- Level of MWSBE availability would produce minimal MWSBE participation.
- Other: _____

C. Detailed Explanation for Waiver Reason: _____

2. COOPERATIVE OR INTER-LOCAL AGREEMENT

A. Is this a Cooperative/Inter-Local Agreement? Yes No

B. If yes, please specify the name of the Agreement: HGAC CONTRACT # EE08-13 Emergency Medical & Rescue Equip

C. Did the Department explore opportunities for using certified firms? Yes No

D. Please explain how the Department explored opportunities for using certified firms: The specifications in the Cooperative Purchasing Agreement(s) for the equipment being purchased were reviewed to determine if there was any divisible work. The review revealed there is no divisible work. The equipment will be shipped directly from the manufacture to the City.

E. Please explain why the Department did not explore opportunities for using certified firms: _____



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3. REDUCED GOAL (To be completed by the department prior to advertisement)

A. I am **requesting** a MWBE contract-specific goal below the following citywide goals:

Construction (34%); Professional Services (24%); Purchasing (11%)

Yes No If yes, complete a Contract-Specific Goal Request Form and submit with this form.

4. GOAL REVISION AFTER ADVERTISEMENT

A. I am requesting a **revision** of the MWBE Goal that has already been advertised: Yes No

B. Original Goal: _____ C. New Proposed Goal: _____ D. Advertisement Date: _____

E. Will Project be Re-Advertised: Yes No F. Estimated Dollar Amount: \$ _____

G. Detailed reason for request: _____

Concurrence:

Henry Chen
Requesting Department Initiator

2/18/15
Date

Deshaun Heath
Department Director or Designee

2-18-15
Date

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APPROVED:			
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