

COLUMBUS CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT
Georgia's First Consolidated Government



FINANCE DEPARTMENT
PURCHASING DIVISION

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Date: September 16, 2026

REQUEST FOR BIDS: RFB NO. 27-0010	Qualified vendors are invited to submit sealed bids, subject to conditions and instructions as specified, for the sale of: USED & CONFISCATED FIREARMS FOR CREDIT OR SWAP
GENERAL SCOPE	The Columbus Consolidated Government (the City) Police Department is offering used and confiscated firearms for sale to a licensed firearms dealer who can issue a credit to purchase or swap for Heckler & Koch MR556 A4 SBR 11" Part No. 81001048 rifles with accessories.
DUE DATE	October 14, 2026 – 2:30 PM (Eastern) Responses must be submitted via OpenBids on or before the due date. A virtual opening will be held during the 3:00 PM hour of the due date. <i>Responding vendors are not required but are invited to attend the opening.</i> If you wish to attend the virtual opening, use one of the Microsoft Teams meeting options: Click here to join the meeting or call in (audio only) +1 478-239-0725,,855808406# United States, Macon Phone Conference ID: 855 808 406# Find a local number Reset PIN . Note: Columbus Consolidated Government is not responsible for technical issues that may arise during the virtual opening.
INSPECTION	Inspections will be scheduled by appointment only. Appointments to inspect the firearms can be scheduled on Wednesday, September 30, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. through 2:00 p.m. Contact: Deputy Chief Ronnie Hastings at 706-225-4035.
BID SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS	DemandStar is now OpenBids See Appendix A for <i>Submission Requirements, Submission Requirements Checklist, and OpenBids Registration and Submission Instructions.</i>
ADDENDA	<u>IMPORTANT INFORMATION</u> The Purchasing Division will post addenda (if any) for this project at https://www.columbusga.gov/finance-2/bid-opportunities . It is the vendors' responsibility to periodically visit the web page for addenda, before the due date and prior to submitting a proposal.
"NO BID" RESPONSE	Refer to the form on page 3 if you are not interested in this invitation.

Andrea J. McCorvey
Purchasing Division Manager

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

e-Notification

The City uses the Georgia Procurement Registry e-notification system. You must register with GA@WORK (formerly Team Georgia Marketplace) to receive future procurement notifications via: <https://doas.ga.gov/state-purchasing/getting-started-supplier>.

If you have any questions or encounter any problems while registering, please contact the State Purchasing Division:

Telephone: 404-657-6000

Email: procurementhelp@doas.ga.gov

STATEMENT OF “NO BID”

Complete and return this form immediately if you do NOT intend to Bid:

Email: BidOpportunities@columbusga.org

Attn: Ryky Decembre, Buyer

Mail: Columbus Consolidated Government
Purchasing Division
P.O. Box 1340
Columbus, GA 31902-1340

We, the undersigned decline to bid on your **RFB No. 27-0010**, for **USED & CONFISCATED FIREARMS FOR CREDIT OR SWAP** for the following reason(s):

☐ Specifications too "tight", i.e. geared toward one brand or manufacturer only (explain below)

☐ There is insufficient time to respond to the Requests for Bids.

☐ We do not offer this product or service.

☐ We are unable to meet specifications.

☐ We are unable to meet bond requirements.

☐ Specifications are unclear (explain below).

☐ We are unable to meet insurance requirements.

☐ Other (specify below)

Remarks: _____

COMPANY NAME: _____

AGENT: _____

DATE: _____

TELEPHONE NUMBER: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

GENERAL PROVISIONS

The provisions of the Procurement Ordinance for the Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia as adopted and amended by Council shall apply to all invitations for bids and award of all contracts and is specifically incorporated herein by this reference. A copy of the ordinance is on file in the Purchasing Division.

1. **TERM "CITY".** The term "City" as used throughout these documents will mean Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia.
2. **PREPARATION OF FORM.** Bid proposals shall be submitted on the forms provided by the City. All figures must be written in ink or typewritten. Figures written in pencil or erasures are not acceptable. However, mistakes may be crossed out, corrections inserted adjacent thereto, initialed in ink by the person signing the proposal. If there are discrepancies between unit prices quoted and extensions, the unit price will prevail. Failure to properly sign forms, in ink, will render bid incomplete.
3. **EXECUTION OF THE BID PROPOSAL.** Execution of the bid proposal will indicate the bidder is familiar and in compliance With all local laws, regulations, ordinances, site inspections, licenses, dray tags, etc.
4. **BID DUE DATE.** The bid submission must arrive in the Purchasing Division on or before the stated due date and time. Upon receipt, bids will be time and date stamped. Bids will remain sealed and secured until the stated due date and time for the bid opening.
5. **BID OPENING.** Bids shall be opened publicly in the presence of one or more witnesses at the time and place stated in the public notice. The amount of each bid, the bidder's name and such other relevant information as the Purchasing Manager deems appropriate shall be recorded and retained in accordance with Georgia law. The record and each bid shall be open to the public in accordance with Article 3. 301A of the Procurement Ordinance (Public Access to Procurement Information).
6. **LATE BIDS.** It is the responsibility of the bidder to ensure bids are submitted by the specified due date and time. Bids received after the stated date and time will be returned, unopened, to the bidder. The official clock to determine the date and time will be the time/date stamp located in the Finance Department. All bids received will be time and date stamped by the official clock. The City will not be held responsible for the late delivery of bids due to the U.S. Mail Service, or any other courier service.
7. **RECEIPT OF ONE SEALED BID.** In the event only one sealed bid is received, no formal bid opening shall take place. First, the Purchasing Division shall conduct a survey of vendors to inquire of "no bid" responses and non-responsive vendors. If, from the survey, it is determined by the Purchasing Division that specifications need revision, the one bid received will be returned, unopened, to the responding vendor, with a letter of explanation and a new bid solicitation prepared. If it is determined that other vendors need to be contacted, the bid due date will be extended, and the one bid received will remain sealed until the new bid opening date. The vendor submitting the single bid will receive a letter of explanation.

If it is determined the one bid received is from the only responsive, responsible bidder, then the bid shall be opened by the Purchasing Division Manager or designee, in the presence of at least one other witness. The single bid will be evaluated by the using agency for award recommendation.

8. **RECEIPT OF TIE BIDS.** In the event multiple responsive, responsible bidders are tied for the lowest price and all other terms and requirements are met by all tied bidders, the award recommendation shall be resolved in the order of the preferences listed below:
 1. Award to the local bidder whose principal place of business is located in Columbus, Georgia.
 2. Award to bidder previously awarded based on favorable prior experience.
 3. Award to bidder whose principal place of business is located in the State of Georgia.
 4. If feasible, divide the award equally among the bidders.
 5. If it is not feasible to award equally and only two bidders are tied, perform a coin toss in the presence of the two bidders, either in person or virtually.
 6. *If the above preferences are insufficient to resolve the tie, all bid responses will be rejected and the bid will be re-advertised.*
9. **RECEIPT OF MULTIPLE BIDS.** Unless otherwise stated in the bid specifications, the City will accept one and only one bid per vendor. Any unsolicited multiple bid(s) will not be considered. If prior to the bid opening, more than one bid is received from the same vendor, the following will occur: (1) the bidder will be contacted and required to submit written acknowledgment of the bid to be considered; (2) the additional bid(s) will be returned to the bidder unopened. If at the bid opening more than one bid is enclosed in a single bid package, the City will consider the vendor non-responsive and bids will be returned to the bidder.
10. **FREIGHT/SHIPPING/HANDLING CHARGES.** All freight, shipping, and handling charges shall be included in the bid price. The City will pay no additional charges.
11. **CONDITIONS AND PACKAGING.** Unless otherwise defined in the bid specifications, it is understood and agreed that any item offered or furnished shall be new, in current production and in first class condition, that all containers shall be new and suitable for storage or shipment, and that prices include standard commercial packaging.
12. **CORRECTION OR WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS; CANCELLATION OF AWARDS**
Correction or withdrawal of inadvertently erroneous bids before bid opening, or cancellation of awards or contracts based on such bid mistakes, may be permitted where appropriate. Mistakes discovered before bid opening may be modified or withdrawn by written notice received in the Purchasing Division.

After bid opening, corrections in bids shall be permitted only to the extent that the bidder can show by clear and convincing evidence that a mistake of a nonjudgmental character was made, the nature of the mistake and the bid price actually intended. After bid opening, no changes in bid prices or other provisions of bids prejudicial to the interest of the City or fair competition shall be permitted. In lieu of bid correction, a low bidder alleging a material mistake of fact may be permitted to withdraw its bid if the mistake is clearly evident on the face of the bid document but the intended correct bid is not similarly evident, or if the bidder submits evidence which clearly and convincingly demonstrate that a mistake was made.

All decisions to permit correction or withdrawal of bids or to cancel awards of contracts based on bid mistakes will be supported by the Purchasing Manager's written determination.

13. ADDENDA AND INTERPRETATIONS. If it becomes necessary to revise any part of this bid, a written addendum will be provided to all bidders. The City is not bound by any oral representations, clarifications, or changes made to the written specifications by City employees, unless such clarification or change is provided to the bidders in written addendum form from the Purchasing Officer. Bidders will be required to acknowledge receipt of the addenda (if applicable) in their sealed bid proposal. The vendor may provide an initialed copy of each addendum or initial the appropriate area on the bid form (pricing page). Failure to acknowledge receipt of the addenda (when applicable) will render bid incomplete. **It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that they have received all addenda.**

14. BID RECEIPT AND EVALUATION. Bids shall be unconditionally received without alteration or correction except as authorized in the City's Procurement Ordinance. Bids shall be evaluated based on requirements set forth in the Invitation for Bid, which may include criteria to determine acceptability such as inspection, testing, quality, workmanship, delivery, and suitability for a particular purpose. Those criteria that will affect the bid price and be considered in evaluation for award shall be objectively measurable, such as discounts, transportation cost, and total or life-cycle costs. The specifications presented in the Invitation for Bids shall represent the evaluation criteria. No other criteria may be used to evaluate bids.

15. TIME FOR CONSIDERATION. Bids must remain in effect for at least ninety (90) days after date of receipt to allow for evaluation.

16. BID SECURITY

(1) Requirement for Bid Security. Bid security shall be required for all competitive sealed bids for construction contracts when the price is estimated by the Purchasing Manager to exceed \$50,000. Bid security shall be a bond provided by a surety company authorized to do business in the State, or other form satisfactory to the City. Such bonds may also be required on construction contracts under \$50,000 or other procurement contracts when circumstances warrant.

(2) Amount of Bid Security. Bid security shall be in an amount equal to at least five percent (5%) of the bid amount.

(3) Rejection of Bids for Noncompliance with Bid Security Requirements. When the invitation for Bids requires security, noncompliance with such requirement shall force rejection of a bid.

(4) Withdrawal of Bids. If a bidder is permitted to withdraw its bid before award as provided in Section 3-108 Subsection (G) (Competitive Sealed Bidding – Correction or Withdrawal of Bids: Cancellation of Awards), no action shall be had against the bidder or the bid security.

17. CONTRACT PERFORMANCE AND PAYMENT BONDS

(1) When Required: Amounts. When a construction contract is awarded in excess of \$50,000, the following bonds or security shall be delivered to the City, and shall be binding on the parties upon the execution of the contract:

a. a performance bond satisfactory to the City executed by a surety company authorized to do business in the State, or otherwise secured in a manner satisfactory to the City, amounting to one hundred percent (100%) of the price specified in the contract; and

b. a payment bond satisfactory to the City executed by a surety company authorized to do business in the State or otherwise secured in a manner satisfactory to the City, to protect all persons supplying labor and material to the contractor or its subcontractors for the performance of the work provided for in the contract, amounting to one hundred percent (100%) of the price specified in the contract.

At the discretion of the Purchasing Manager, this same condition may be placed on awards of any amount.

(2) Authority to Require Additional Bonds. Nothing in this Section shall be construed to limit the authority of the City to require a performance bond or other security in addition to the bonds, in circumstances other than the circumstances described in Subsection (1) above.

18. SUBCONTRACTING. Should bidder intend to subcontract all or any part of the work specified, name(s) and address(es) of subcontractor(s) must be provided in bid proposal (use additional sheet if necessary). The bidder shall be responsible for subcontractor(s) full compliance with the requirements of the bid specifications. **THE COLUMBUS CONSOLIDATED GOVERNMENT WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PAYMENTS TO SUBCONTRACTORS.**

19. DISQUALIFICATION OF BIDDERS AND REJECTION OF BIDS. Bidders may be disqualified and rejection of bid proposals may be recommended by the City for any (but not limited) to the following reasons:

- (A) Receipt after the time limit for receiving bid proposals as stated in the bid invitation.
- (B) Any irregularities contrary to the General Provisions or bid specifications.
- (C) Unbalanced unit price or extensions.
- (D) Unbalanced value of items.
- (E) Failure to use the proper forms furnished by the Consolidated Government.
- (F) Failure to complete the proposal properly

- (G) Omission of warranty, product literature, samples, acknowledgment of addenda or other items required to be included with bid proposal.
- (H) Failure to properly sign forms in ink.

The City reserves the right to waive any minor informality or irregularity. The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

20. BRAND NAMES "OR EQUAL". Whenever in this invitation any particular material, process and/or equipment are indicated or specified by patent, proprietary or brand name of manufacturer, such wording will be deemed to be used for the purpose of facilitating description of the material, process and/or equipment desired by the City. It is not meant to eliminate bidders or restrict competition in any bid process. Any manufacturers' names, drawings, trade names, brand names, specifications and/or catalog numbers used herein are for the purpose of description and establishing general quality levels. Bidders may propose equivalent equipment, services or manufacturer. Any proposal that is equivalent to or surpasses stated specifications will be considered. Determination of equivalency shall rest solely with the City. **Please Note: Due to existing equipment, specific manufacturers may be required to facilitate compatibility.**

21. ASSIGNMENT OF CONTRACTUAL RIGHTS. It is agreed that the successful bidder will not assign, transfer, convey or otherwise dispose of the contract or its right, title or interest in or to the same, or any part thereof, without previous consent of the City and any sureties.

22. DISCOUNTS. Terms of payments offered will be reflected in the space provided on the bid proposal form. Cash discounts will be considered net in the bid evaluation process. All terms of payment (cash discounts) will be taken and computed from the date of delivery of acceptable material or services, or the date of receipt of the invoice, whichever is later.

23. TAXES. The City is exempt from State Retail Tax and Federal Excise Tax. Tax Exemption No. GA Code Sec. 48-8-3. Federal ID No. 58-1097948.

24. FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL LAWS. All bidders will comply with all Federal, State, and Local laws and ordinances, relative to conducting business in Columbus, Georgia.

25. BID INCLUSIONS. When bid inclusions are required, such as warranty information, product literature/specifications, references, etc. The inclusions should reference all aspects of the specific equipment or service proposed by the bidder. Do not include general descriptive catalogs. References to literature or other required inclusions submitted previously does not satisfy this provision. Bids found to be in non-compliance with these requirements will be subject to rejection.

26. NON-COLLUSION. By signing and submitting this bid, bidder declares that its agents, officers or employees have not directly or indirectly entered into any agreements, participated in any collusion or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with this bid. In the event, said bidder is found guilty of collusion, the company and agents will be removed from the City's bid list for one full year and any current orders will be canceled.

27. INDEMNITY. The successful bidder agrees, by entering into this contract, to defend, indemnify and hold City harmless from any and all causes of action or claims of damages arising out or under this contract.

28. DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISE. Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (minority or women owned businesses) will be afforded full opportunity to submit proposals in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, creed, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity or national origin in consideration for an award. It is the policy of the City that disadvantaged business enterprises and minority business enterprises have an opportunity to participate at all levels of contracting in the performance of City contracts to the extent practical and consistent with the efficient performance of the contract.

29. AFFIRMATIVE ACTION PROGRAM - NON-DISCRIMINATION CLAUSE. The Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia ("the City") is committed to using Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBEs) (small, women-owned and minority business enterprises) to the greatest extent practical in all solicitations and day-to-day procurement needs of the City and to taking specific affirmative actions to meet these commitments.

The City has an Affirmative Action Program in connection with Equal Employment Opportunities. The successful bidder will comply with all Federal and State requirements concerning fair employment and employment of the handicapped, and concerning the treatment of all employees, and will not discriminate between or among them by reason of race, color, age, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin or physical handicap.

30. AWARDS TO LOCAL BUSINESSES. Except for construction contracts, Federally funded projects, Request for Proposals and Request for Qualifications, awards will be made to responsive and responsible local businesses proposing a cost not more than two percent (2%) above the low bid or quote for contracts involving an expenditure less than or equal to \$50,000.00; and made to responsive and responsible local businesses proposing a cost not more than one percent (1%) above the low bid or quote for contracts involving an expenditure greater than \$50,000.00.

31. RIGHT TO PROTEST.

- (1) Right of Protest. Any actual or prospective bidder offeror, or contractor who is aggrieved in connection with a solicitation or award of a contract may protest to the Purchasing Manager initially. All protests shall be filed in the manner prescribed herein. Protests that do not comply with the following rules shall be deemed invalid and of no effect.
- (2) The protest must be in writing, executed by a company officer that is authorized to execute agreements on behalf of the bidder or offeror or provided by an authorized legal representative of the protestor.
- (3) A protest with respect to an invitation for Bids or Request for Proposals shall be submitted in writing no less than five (5) business days prior to the opening of bids or the closing date of proposals or qualification statements.

- (4) **Stay of Procurement During Protests.** If there is a timely protest submitted as described above, the Purchasing Manager shall not proceed further with the solicitation or award of the contract until all administrative remedies have been exhausted or until the City Council, Mayor, or City Manager makes a determination on the record that the award of the contract without delay is necessary to protect substantial interests of the City.

32. FAILURE TO BID. Vendors choosing not to submit a bid are requested to return a **Statement of "No Bid"**.

33. PRODUCT/EQUIPMENT DEMONSTRATION - SITE VISIT. During the evaluation of bids, the City reserves the right to request a demonstration or site visit of the product, equipment or service offered by a bidder. The demonstration or site visit shall be at the expense of the bidder. Bidders who fail to provide demonstration or site visit, as requested, will be considered non-responsive.

34. CANCELLATION PROVISIONS. An Invitation for Bid, Request for Proposal, or other solicitation may be canceled, or any or all bids, proposals or responses rejected in whole or in part, at the discretion of the City for any reason whatsoever. The reasons for the cancellation shall be sent to all businesses solicited or that responded. The notice shall identify the solicitation, give the reasons for the cancellation, and when appropriate state that an opportunity will be given to compete on any re-solicitation or similar procurement in the future. Reasons for rejection will be provided to unsuccessful bidders or offerors.

When such action is in the best financial interest of the City, contracts for supplies to be purchased or services to be rendered under an annual (term) contract basis may be canceled and re-advertised at the discretion of the Purchasing Officer and in accordance with contract terms.

After the receipt of a product or piece of equipment, it is found that said item does not perform as specified and required, payment for said product or equipment will be withheld. The successful vendor will be notified of the non-performance in writing. After notification, the successful vendor will have ten (10) calendar days, from the date of notification, to deliver product or equipment which performs satisfactorily. If a satisfactory product is not delivered within 10 calendar days, from the notification date, the City will cancel the contract (purchase order) and award to the next low, responsive, responsible bidder. The vendor will be responsible for the pick-up or shipment of the unsatisfactory equipment or product.

35. QUESTIONS: Questions concerning specifications must be submitted, in writing, at least 5 (five) working days (Monday-Friday) prior to receipt date. Questions received less than five working days prior to receipt date will not be considered.

36. SAMPLES: When samples are required to be included with the proposal response, the bidder will be responsible for the following:

- 1) **Unless otherwise specified**, bidders are required to submit exact samples of item(s) bid. Do not submit sample of "like" item(s).
- 2) Affix an identification label to each individual sample to include bidder's name, bid name and number.
- 3) Make arrangements for the return of sample after the bid award. All shipping costs will be the responsibility of the bidder. If bidder does not make arrangements for return of sample, within 60 days after award, the sample will be discarded.

37. GOVERNING LAW: The parties agree that this Agreement shall be governed by the laws of Georgia, both as to interpretations and performance.

38. PAYMENT DEDUCTIONS: The City reserves the right to deduct, from payments to awarded vendor(s), any amount owed to the City for various fees, to include, but not limited to: False Alarm fees, Ambulance fees, Occupation License Fees, Landfill fees, etc.

39. PAYMENT TERMS: The City's standard payment term is usually net 30 days, after successful receipt of goods or services. Payment may take longer if invoice is not properly documented or not easily identifiable, goods/services are not acceptable, or invoice is in dispute.

40. FINAL CONTRACT DOCUMENTS: If a formal contract is required as a result of the Request for Bid; the final contract shall include the following: 1) The RFB; 2) Addenda; 3) Awarded Vendors(s) Bid response; 4) Awarded Vendor(s) Clarifications; and 5) Awarded Vendor(s) Business Requirements.

NOTICE TO VENDORS

Sec. 2-3.05. - Submitting bids to Consolidated Government, etc.—By mayor or councilmembers.

Neither the mayor nor any member of the Columbus Council shall submit any bid to the consolidated government, nor shall the mayor or any member of the Columbus Council own or have a substantial pecuniary interest in any business that submits a bid to the consolidated government. (Ord. No. 92-60, 6-23-92)

Sec. 2-3.06. - Same—By members of boards, authorities, commissions.

No member of any board or authority or commission or other independent or subordinate entity of the consolidated government shall submit any bid to the consolidated government or have a substantial pecuniary interest in any business that submits a bid to the consolidated government if such bid pertains to the board or authority or commission on which such person holds such membership. (Ord. No. 92-61, 6-23-92)

DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS, CONCERNS OR NEED CLARIFICATION ABOUT THIS SOLICITATION?

COMMUNICATION CONCERNING ANY SOLICITATION CURRENTLY ADVERTISED MUST TAKE PLACE IN WRITTEN FORM AND ADDRESSED TO THE PURCHASING DIVISION.

ALL QUESTIONS OR CLARIFICATIONS CONCERNING THIS SOLICITATION SHALL BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING. THE CITY WILL NOT ORALLY OR TELEPHONICALLY ADDRESS ANY QUESTION OR CLARIFICATION REGARDING BID/PROPOSAL SPECIFICATIONS. IF A VENDOR VISITS OR CALLS THE PURCHASING DIVISION WITH SUCH QUESTIONS, HE OR SHE WILL BE INSTRUCTED TO SUBMIT THE QUESTIONS IN WRITING.

ALL CONTACT CONCERNING THIS SOLICITATION SHALL BE MADE THROUGH THE PURCHASING DIVISION. BIDDERS SHALL NOT CONTACT CITY EMPLOYEES, DEPARTMENT HEADS, USING AGENCIES, EVALUATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS OR ELECTED OFFICIALS WITH QUESTIONS OR ANY OTHER CONCERNS ABOUT THE SOLICITATION. QUESTIONS, CLARIFICATIONS, OR CONCERNS SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE PURCHASING DIVISION IN WRITING. IF IT IS NECESSARY THAT A TECHNICAL QUESTION NEEDS ADDRESSING, THE PURCHASING DIVISION WILL FORWARD SUCH TO THE USING AGENCY, WHO WILL SUBMIT A WRITTEN RESPONSE.

THE PURCHASING DIVISION WILL FORWARD WRITTEN RESPONSES TO THE RESPECTIVE BIDDER OR IF IT BECOMES NECESSARY TO REVISE ANY PART OF THIS SOLICITATION, A WRITTEN ADDENDUM WILL BE ISSUED TO ALL BIDDERS.

THE CITY IS NOT BOUND BY ANY ORAL REPRESENTATIONS, CLARIFICATIONS, OR CHANGES MADE TO THE WRITTEN SPECIFICATIONS BY CITY EMPLOYEES, UNLESS SUCH CLARIFICATION OR CHANGE IS PROVIDED TO THE BIDDERS IN A WRITTEN ADDENDUM FROM THE PURCHASING MANAGER.

BIDDERS ARE INSTRUCTED TO USE THE ENCLOSED "QUESTION/CLARIFICATION FORM" TO FAX OR EMAIL QUESTION.

ANY REQUEST, AFTER A SOLICITATION HAS CLOSED AND PENDING AWARD MUST ALSO BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING TO THE PURCHASING DIVISION.

QUESTION/CLARIFICATION FORM

DATE: _____

TO: Ryky Decembre, Buyer

Email: BidOpportunities@columbusga.org

RE: Used & Confiscated Firearms for Credit or Swap; RFB No. 27-0010

(Questions/clarification requests must be submitted at least five (5) business days before the due date.)

From: _____

Company Name

Website

Representative

Email Address

Complete Address

City

State

Zip

Telephone Number

**GENERAL SPECIFICATIONS
USED & CONFISCATED FIREARMS
FOR CREDIT OR SWAP
RFB NO. 27-0010**

I. SCOPE

The Columbus Consolidated Government (the City) is offering used and confiscated firearms for sale to a licensed firearms dealer who can issue a credit to purchase or swap for Heckler & Koch MR556 A4 SBR 11” Part No. 81001048 rifles with certain specifications and accessories.

II. VENDOR INFORMATION

- a. **Confiscated Weapons:** The City is offering the following lots of confiscated weapons for sale to a licensed firearms dealer.
1. One lot of Three Hundred and Six (306) confiscated weapons. *See Exhibit A (pages 14 – 23)*
 2. An additional seven (7) upper receivers .223 caliber 14” barrels with handguards and A-post front sights (no serial numbers).
 3. The licensed firearms dealer will **issue a ‘credit to purchase’ or swap** for the greatest quantity of Heckler & Koch MRA4 rifles with the following specifications and accessories in exchange:
 - Heckler & Koch MR556 A4 SBR 11” Part No. 81001048
 - Caliber – 5.56 x 45 mm
 - Gas operated, short stroke piston
 - Rotating Bolt
 - Magazine capacity: 30 rounds
 - Magazine quantity: 3
 - Mode of fire: Semi-automatic
 - Barrel profile/ twist: 6 lands & grooves, right twist, 1 in 7 in (178mm)
 - Adjustable rear stock, black, 6 positions
 4. **Bidders are asked to provide the unit price of the Heckler & Koch MR556 A4 SBR 11” Rifle and accessories as identified above, and the quantity of rifles they are offering in exchange.**
 5. The firearms are sold or swapped, **as is, where is, without recourse**, without any warranties either expressed or implied. The City makes no claim or guarantee relative to the current or future fitness of the firearms offered for sale for any purpose. The purchaser is advised to view the firearms. The City shall not be responsible for damages by the future use of the firearms.
 6. Bid will be awarded to the bidder offering the highest purchase credit or swap, whichever is in the best interest of the City
 7. a) The user department will only accept bids to swap the firearms for the specified Heckler & Koch rifle.

- b) A comparable unit of a different brand will not be accepted for the rifle, nor will substitute accessories be accepted.

III. INSPECTION

If you wish to view/inspect the firearms, please contact **Deputy Chief Ronnie Hastings**, Columbus Police Department, at **706-225-4035**. Appointments can be scheduled on **Wednesday, September 30, 2026, at 9:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. (by appointment only).**

IV. VENDOR REQUIREMENTS

- a. Vendor shall be a Federal Firearm Licensee (FFL) and must include in their sealed bid a copy of their Federal Firearm license. Additionally, if applicable vendor shall also provide a copy of their State Firearm Dealer license (the state does not have to be Georgia); please see Form 9 regarding this State Firearm Dealer license.
- b. Payment must be in the form of a 'Credit to Purchase' or a direct swap for the bid quantity of Heckler & Koch pistols and accessories.
- c.
 - 1) Publication Requirements: After receipt of the bids and recommendation from the Police Department, and in accordance with Columbus Charter Section Sec. [7-501\(2\)\(c\)](#). – Sale and disposition of property, a statement shall be published in one or more newspapers of general circulation, including that with the largest general circulation in Columbus, Georgia, on each Monday of the two weeks which precede the week in which such transaction is to be concluded. The statement shall be published by the Columbus Police Department and shall contain a description of the property or properties involved and the prices and estimated values as to each item of property.
 - 2) Recommended Award Approval: After the required publications as stated above, the award recommendation shall be presented on the next available agenda for City Council approval. Bid will be awarded to the highest, responsive, responsible bidder offering the highest purchase credit or swap, whichever is in the best interest of the City. The City will be the judge of the factors and will make the award accordingly.
 - 3) Transfer of Firearms: After award notification, vendor will be allowed ten (10) calendar days to complete the transfer of firearms in accordance with Columbus Charter Section [7-501\(2\)\(c\)](#). The responsibility for the delivery and transportation of the Heckler & Koch VP9A1F 9mm semi-automatic pistols, and the removal and transportation of the used and confiscated firearms identified on Attachments A and B, shall rest with the successful bidder. All firearms shall be exchanged within ten (10) calendar days following notification. The successful bidder is responsible for all required paperwork for the transfer of ownership and will provide necessary documentation for the 'credit to purchase or swap' for the Heckler & Koch pistols and accessories within ten (10) calendar days of the award notification.

V. GEORGIA SECURITY AND IMMIGRATION COMPLIANCE ACT/E-VERIFY: Pursuant to O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91, a public employer shall not enter into a contract for the performance of services unless the contractor registers and participates in the federal work authorization program. If a supplier is providing services under a contract with a total compensation amount of \$2,500 or greater, (even if such services will be performed outside of the state of Georgia), Columbus Consolidated Government requires a notarized affidavit from the supplier attesting to the following:

(A) The affiant has registered with, is authorized to use, and uses the federal work authorization program;

- (B) The user identification number and date of authorization for the affiant;
- (C) The affiant will continue to use the federal work authorization program throughout the contract period; and
- (D) The affiant will contract for the physical performance of services in satisfaction of such contract only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the contractor with the same information required by subparagraphs (A), (B), and (C) of this paragraph.

Additional information regarding the State's E-Verify requirements can be found at: <https://www.audits2.ga.gov/wp-content/uploads/2021/10/13-10-91.pdf>. **A completed, stamped/ notarized E-Verify Affidavit must be included with bid submittal; failure to do so will render the company's or individual's bid submittal non-responsive and ineligible for award consideration.**

VI. BID SECURITY

Provide a bid surety in the form of a Cashier's Check, Certified Check, or Bid Bond payable to the Consolidated Government of Columbus, Georgia in the amount of five percent (5%) of the sum of the bid submittal. Responding vendors must include a copy of the check in their OpenBids submission and mail the physical check. The exterior of the mailed package must display the bid number and bid name and be addressed to 'Attention: Ryky Decembre, Buyer'. **The bid security will be forfeited to the City if successful bidder fails to complete the firearms transfer within ten (10) calendar days after receipt of the purchase order.**

VII. BID SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

See APPENDIX A for: Submission Requirements; Submission Requirements Checklist; and OpenBids Registration and Submission Instructions.

Each bidder shall include the following information with bid submission. Bidder shall submit **one (1) electronic response via OpenBids**. Submissions will be deemed incomplete/non-responsive if the following required documents are not included, as prescribed within the specifications: *E-Verify Affidavit, Conflict of Interest Affidavit, Communication Concerning This Solicitation form, and Federal Firearm License (FFL)*. However, the City reserves the right to request any omitted information, **WHICH DOES NOT AFFECT THE SUBMITTED BID PRICE**. Bidders shall be notified, in writing, and shall have two (2) days, after notification to submit the omitted information. If the omitted information is not received within two (2) days, the Bidder shall be deemed non-responsive, and the Bid Submission will be deemed **"Incomplete"**:

- A. **Detailed Specifications page (Form 1)**
- B. **Bid Form Pricing Page (Form 2)**
- C. **E-Verify Affidavit (Form 3) *Mandatory submission requirement***
- D. **Communication Concerning This Solicitation (Form 4) *Mandatory submission requirement***
- E. **Conflict of Interest Affidavit (Form 5) *Mandatory submission requirement***
- F. **Federal Compliance (Form 6)**
- G. **Addenda Acknowledgement Page (Form 7)** Vendors must include acknowledgment of receipt of addenda (if any) in their sealed bid. Provide an initialed copy of each addendum or initial the appropriate area on bid form (pricing page). Addenda will be posted at <https://columbusga.gov/finance/bid-opportunities>. *Vendors are responsible for periodically visiting the web page, to check for addenda, prior to the bid due date and before submitting a bid*
- H. **General Release and Indemnity Agreement (Form 8)**
- I. **State Firearm Dealer License (Form 9)**
- J. **Federal Firearm License (FFL) *Mandatory submission requirement***
- K. **Bid Security**: All bidders are required to submit a bid security in an amount equal to five percent (5%) of the total value of their bid offer, at the time of the bid opening.

L. Business License: Vendors located in Muscogee County shall submit a current copy of their City of Columbus Business License (Occupation License). If the business is not located in Muscogee County and has proof of being properly licensed by a municipality in Georgia, and paid applicable occupation taxes in that city, the vendor will not be required to pay occupation taxes in Columbus, Georgia. If the business location is not in Georgia, vendor must provide a current copy of their active.

Articles of Incorporation from the State and/or a current business license from the City/State which business is located.

If you have questions regarding this requirement, please contact the Revenue Division at 706-225-3780.

M. Form W-9: Complete and return **Page 1** of Form W-9 – <https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf> *Form revised March 2024.*

EXHIBIT A**USED & CONFISCATED FIREARMS
FOR CREDIT OR SWAP
RFB NO. 27-0010**

#	Case #:	Barcode:	Make:	Model:	Serial #:	Caliber
1.	2208210016859	108018	RIA IMPORTS	VR80	R092001	12GA
2.	18-029148	41316	Remington	1100	L417873V	12GA
3.	17-023381	59617	Romarm/S.A.Cugir	WASR 10-65	BC0158 / 1963BC0158	7.62
4.	16-017629	3791	Companhia Brasileira	SB	802759	0.41
5.	15033840	54309-1	Kral Magnum		A01081	12GA
6.	17-017093	19521	Maverick	88	MV71788C	12GA
7.	14-020333	44888-1	Mossberg Intl.	702 Plinkster	EMC3679873	0.22
8.	16-029338	43957	Marlin	882 S.S. Micro Groove	98623209	0.22
9.	8011872	78823	Mossberg	500E	K645911	0.41
10.	2025-00044275	201973	Ria Imports	AG Pump Defense	R180765	12GA
11.	19-008188	49657	Adams Arms	AA-15	AA0006443	0.22
12.	18-009872	31833	Marlin Firearms	30	27030994	30-30
13.	15-033840	54309-2	Benelli	Nova	Z381953	12GA
14.	19-009322	50257	Mossberg	715T	EMF3790717	0.22
15.	17-016997	19485	Marlin	60 SB	96432469	0.22
16.	5013010	93730	Remington	1100	P004207V	12GA
17.	2211190023243	111240	Maverick	88	MV0616955	12GA
18.	16-028917	8181	Stoeger Inc.	Stoeger Coach Gun	611699-09	0.41
19.	6023302	8246	Mossberg	500A	L348350	12GA
20.	2025-00075411	204568	Romarm/Cugir	WASR 10	A11437013RO	7.62
21.	18-008717	31333	Mossberg	500A	T023301	12GA
22.	18-009872	31834	Gustafs Stads	UNKN	122497	UNKN
23.	2404280008067	131260	Montgomery Ward	Wards Western Field	Pre-mandate	0.22
24.	8017808	93856	Marlin	336	21072063	30-30
25.	20-021833	76582	UNKN	UNKN	73122	UNKN
26.	15033908	54329-11	Remington	870	RS55419U	12GA

27.	20-013636	72069	Tennessee Arms		1429805315	5.56/.223
28.	17-006787	15110	Mossberg	Blaze 47	RA0033783	0.22
29.	2103290006872	85245	DPMS Panther Arms	A-15	FH95589	0.22
30.	17-026129	23866	New England Firearms	SBI	NK394157	12GA
31.	18-005161	29388	Maverick	88	MV09220X	12GA
32.	15-033908	54329-8	New England Firearm	Pardner Pump	NU503655	12GA
33.	16-023854	6145	Colt	PT	5798	12GA
34.	15033908	54329-10	UNKN	UNKN	FS473	
35.	20-004670	67122	Marlin	336C	MR12839F	30-30
36.	2312140024875	125762	Del-ton Ind.	DTI-15	DTIS253473	5.56
37.	6019622	93832	SKB	XL300	S1349611	12GA
38.	2207040013145	106030	Aero Precision	X15	X476885	0.22
39.	2208030015484	107151	Anderson	AM-15	16287759	UNKN
40.	2305110009210	117543	New England Firearms	SB1	NB277581	12GA
41.	19-003133	46577	SKS	Briklee	11200596	7.62
42.	16-019884	8133	Weatherby	PA459	AL01580	20GA
43.	4000529	40138	Marlin	60W	3225085	0.22
44.	2210110020507	109897	American Tactical	Omni Hybrid	NS151433	7.62
45.	16-016554	3407	Remington	II	345637	12GA
46.	2106290014547	89696	New England Firearms	SB1	NB352111	20GA
47.	18-033837	43845	Winchester	1300 Defender	L2868254	12GA
48.	2502150003203	143667	BPI	Optima Rifle	6.11318E+11	0.50
49.	18-004546	29068	Smith & Wesson	M & P 1522	DTU8862	0.22
50.	7000674	93835	CN Romarm	SA/CUGIR	HA435777	7.62
51.	18-020355	36708	Steyr	M.95	407P	8/56MM
52.	17-017449	19828	KBI-HBG	Charles Daly	7604254	20GA
53.	20-021853	76605	Century Arms	RAS47	RAS47035238	7.62
54.	19-025361	59030	Palmetto	PA-15	LW234396	0.22
55.	18-027936	40617	Stevens	820B	Pre-Mandate	12GA

56.	4002725	93721	Savage	3B	Pre-Mandate	0.22
57.	6019622	93833	Revelation	200M	6975272	30-30
58.	19-028871	60930	Western Field	M842	Pre-Mandate	0.22
59.	17-030993	26109	Highpoint	995	A56949	9MM
60.	20-022371	76880	American Tactical	Omni Hybrid	NS256171	0.22
61.	2107030014854	89891	Stevens Savage	67E	D155060	12GA
62.	18-005690	29624	Mossberg	500A	J466583	12gaGA
63.	19-008138	49581	Zastava	PAP M92PV	M92PV068128	7.62
64.	20-004670	67123	Remington	870	329923V	12GA
65.	17-023381	59618	Terni Italia	Carcano	N3509	7.35
66.	16-029338	43960	Romarm/Cugir	GPWASR – 10/63	1965MN0581	7.62
67.	16-029338	43958	Norinco	SKS	10254383	7.62
68.	2104250009030	86507	DPMS Panther Arms	A15	N0016321	.223 /5.56
69.	19-027829	60343	Remington	870	RS94472X	12ga
70.	17-014366	18391	Springfield	84C	Pre-Mandate	0.22
71.	2112280029085	97782	Mossberg	715T	EM13907889	0.22
72.	2202180003245	99766	Riley Defense	RAK 47	B27693	7.62
73.	2205210009806	104092	Pioneer Arms	Hellpup	PAC1155046 / PAC115504621	7.62
74.	2111200026270	96151	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15	TH81007	0.22
75.	2207060013327	106113	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15	TS61999	0.22
76.	2202120002878	99490	Rock River Arms	LAR 15	CM91769	0.22
77.	2110290024715	97037	Ithica	37 Featherlight	371423965	12GA
78.	2112170028389	97318	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15	TT02372	0.22
79.	2112240028874	97712	J.C. Higgins	583.24	Pre-Mandate	16GA
80.	2108140018486	91930	Remington	Nylon 66	Pre-Mandate	0.22
81.	2109290022256	93942	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15-22P	DUL4143	0.22
82.	2111200026270	96141	Springfield	67 F	Pre-Mandate	20GA
83.	2108140018486	91929	New England Firearms	SBI	NK503547	12GA
84.	2201280001769	98965	Kel-Tec	RDB	Z6N58	0.22
85.	2403030003973	128918	Benelli	Nova	Z107012 (Frame) / V112143 (Barrel)	12GA

86.	2110140023529	94667	Umarex Under	Impact Max Elite	AD625101	0.22
87.	2207010012936	105929	New England Firearms	Pardner	NR229165	12GA
88.	2207050013241	106076	Kel-Tec	Sub2000	FGHZ11	
89.	2108060017860	91595	Zastava Arms	Z Pap 92	Z92076797	7.62
90.	2025-00065368	203688	Andro Corp	ACI 15	J2026161	0.22
91.	2305080008979	117437	Romarm/Cugir	Micro Draco	ROA23PMD41118	7.62
92.	20-011637	71130	Tippmann	M422	4208	0.22
93.	18-015124	34355	American Tactical	Omni Maxx Limited	NS118402	0.22
94.	18-019810	36466			24692	
95.	2207090013604	106237	J.C. Higgins	36	Pre-Mandated	0.22
96.	2112170028389	97321	Typhoon	XII	21-A-3089	12GA
97.	2207020012967	105951	Rossi	RS22	7CA273409P	0.22
98.	2207080013497	106190	Norinco	SKS	1812373	7.62
99.	2208060015758	107260	American Tactical	Omni Hybrid	NS329674	0.22
100.	2505100009614	147461	American Tactical	Mill Sport	MSA110787	7.62
101.	17-031569	26429	Marlin Firearms	XT22	MM41169D	0.22
102.	18-007238	30593	Mossberg Maverick	88	MV94513M	12GA
103.	19-024631	58653	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15-22	DEP4304	0.22
104.	17-031668	26452	Marlin	336A	92034687	30-30
105.	2112270029033	97760	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15	TE02412	0.22
106.	2108110018282	91816	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15-22 P	WAK8020	0.22
107.	2201300001914	99206	Century Arms	VSKA	SV7070553	7.62
108.	2112170028389	97322	Savage	110	F015399	30-06
109.	21112000262270	96142	Winchester	70 270 WIN	G2275584	2.70
110.	2108100018183	91750	Diamondback	DB-15	DB2475102	5.56
111.	18-000770	27387	Springfield	67 Series E	C148597	12GA
112.	17-000969	12221	H & R	Topper	BA537220	0.41
113.	16-035116	10660	Mossberg	500	V0396769	12GA
114.	18-032421	44092	Mossberg	500A	T221804	12GA
115.	2108110018282	91820	Norinco	SKS	1408685	7.62
116.	2110250024340	95062	Talon	Tac gar 15	G21A0210	5.56

117.	2112240028874	97713	Winchester	190	B1373686	0.22
118.	2109050020306	92919	BPI	Staghorn Magnum	6.1131E+11	1.28
119.	2202020002154	99152	PTR	PTR9	9MC008736	9mm
120.	2201020000109	98001	American Tactical	Omni Hybrid	NS256169	0.22
121.	17-026873	24175	Mossberg	715T	EMC3672281	0.22
122.	17-003713	13586	J.C. Higgins	1017	Pre-Mandate	12GA
123.	17-003617	13553	B-West	AK47S	989087	7.62
124.	17-003713	13587	Del-ton Inc.	DTI-15	DTIS007508	5.56
125.	19-025868	59279	Ruger	Mini-14	18133403	0.22
126.	18-002122	27964	Mossberg Maverick	88	MV42467P	12GA
127.	19-013863	52763	Mossberg	Blaze 47	RA0026109	0.22
128.	19-020192	56361	Diamondback	DB-15	DB1561614	0.22
129.	2203190005257	101104	Radical	RF-15	19-113102	0.22
130.	20-007527	68686	Stevens	320	182762J	12GA
131.	20-006664	68296	Savage	Axis 308	N074370	0.31
132.	20-010522	70386	MSAR	STG 556	600P007609	0.22
133.	20-007831	68930	Mossberg	500C	J354337	20GA
134.	20-004403	66946	Marlin	795	MM71704I	0.22
135.	2011190025700	78629	Maverick	88	MV0476898	12GA
136.	20-007536	68694	Zastava	PAP M92PV	M92PV065688	7.62
137.	20-017284	74012	Norinco	Mak 90 Sporter	9446755 / 46755	7.62
138.	12-000970	25190-1	Armas	Bost Eibar	2720	12GA
139.	2104280009255	86640	American Tactical	Milspport	MSA037568	0.22
140.	20-013234	71856	Winchester	1300	L3072651	12GA
141.	20-011260	70898	Izhmash	Saiga	H09608933	7.62
142.	20-011260	70902	Rock River Arms	LAR-15	CM260627	5.56
143.	20-011260	70900	Howa	1500	B372652	0.31
144.	19-013091	52382	Del-ton	DTI-15	DTIS155605	5.56
145.	20-011260	70901	Maverick	88	MV0151660	12GA
146.	20-013234	71859	CBC		GR33483	0.22
147.	20-011260	70899	Anderson	AM-15	16281530	0.22
148.	16-008061	709	Remington	1100	L256979V	12GA
149.	20-001799	65343	DPMS Panther Arms	A-15	FFH138948	0.22
150.	2101240001774	81665	Mossberg	935	AM049714	12GA

151.	20-003328	66315	Revelation	R310AB	GI22257	12GA
152.	2210150020820	110094	Palmetto	PA-15	SCD758880	0.22
153.	2208260017229	108181	Century Arms	RAS47	RAS47P000424	7.62
154.	2208230017077	108116	Remington	870 Magnum	W918370M	12GA
155.	2011200025806	78788	Russ	M91/30	R011172	7.62
156.	2012140027737	79825	American Tactical	Omni Hybrid	NS242708	0.22
157.	2503020004267	144208	GSG	GSG16	B161137	0.22
158.	20-003089	66158	Marlin	60 Micro Groove	17370110	0.22
159.	20-001560	65077	Marlin	336CS	5024952	30-30
160.	2026-00123745	218661	Remington	Target Master 510	Pre-Mandate	0.22
161.	19-031325	62318	Remington	870 Express Magnum	A602225M	12GA
162.	2103130005717	84524	Mossberg	500	U656814	12GA
163.	2103110005580	84452	Marlin	Glenfield Mod 60	Pre-Mandate	0.22
164.	2011280026404	79071	Remington	Wingmaster 870	V048271V	12GA
165.	2011090024845	78219	Diamondback	DB-15	DB2505671	5.56
166.	2101070000515	80991	Marlin	336C	MR76327B	0.35
167.	2012090027307	79620	Hi-Point	995	A02588	9mm
168.	2012260028593	80352	Romarm /Cugir	Micro draco	PMD2087220ROA	7.62
169.	20-017101	73996	Beretta	ARX 160	PB015383	0.22
170.	20-003539	66488	Kel-Tec	PLR 16	PBR61	5.56
171.	20-005775	67833	Del-ton	DTI-15	DTIS188517	5.56
172.	2305050008747	117274	Remington	870	RF1191A	12GA
173.	2101240001799	81675	H & R	Topper 88	AU661175	20GA
174.	20-003311	66301	Delta 3 Tactical	DT15	01060DT	5.56
175.	20-020473	75790	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15- 22	DFS4966	0.22
176.	19-029464	61268	Ruger	Mini 14	18295358	0.22
177.	20-015335	72930	Ruger	22-Oct	1168576	0.22
178.	20-015335	72931	Ruger			
179.	20-015964	73224	Maverick	88	MV10585G	12GA
180.	20-015745	73085	Mossberg	715P	EMK3985807	0.22

181.	20-015970	73225	Remington	870	RS06043P	12GA
182.	20-018544	74786	Ruger	22 Charger	49309756	0.22
183.	11027329	75594	Mossberg	500A	T472382	12GA
184.	20-019298	75157	Colt Sporter	Target Model	GS010754	0.22
185.	11029566	75593	Smith & Wesson	3000	FB90992	12ga
186.	2203130004845	100828	Palmetto	PR15	SCD089550	0.22
187.	19-013031	52364	American Tactical	Omni Hybrid	NS131378	
188.	2212220025591	112199	Mossberg	500A	J745286	12GA
189.	2105210011284	87896	Palmetto	GX 9	NF9002896	9MM
190.	2105210011284	87895	Citadel	Boss 25	21US0140	12GA
191.	19-019441	55915	Taurus	44 Magnum	PK471222	0.44
192.	2404220007604	130883	17 Design & Manufacturing	17DM4	21F06737	0.22
193.	20-020308	75671	Winchester	Ranger 30-30	6165475	30-30
194.	2202030002281	99230	Remington	870	RF21715A	12GA
195.	16-026369	7213	Stevens Savage	87A	Pre-Mandate	.22 Long
196.	2105270011785	88180	Zastava	Pap M92 PV	M92PV017382	7.62
197.	210527011785	88179	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15	TJ31270	0.22
198.	21072280016984	91090	Zastava	Pap M85NP	M85NP005373	5.56
199.	16-018599	4211	New England Firearms	SBI	NB209124	12GA
200.	2108110018301	91823	Troy	Carbine	F11200298	5.56
201.	16-026369	7214	Winchester	190	B1029451	0.22
202.	18-033552	43626	Revelation	120	Pre-Mandate	.22 Long
203.	19-019480	55934	Springfield Central Arms	94A	70708	12GA
204.	19-000455	44948	Remington	552 Viper	3184531	0.22
205.	18-021613	37436	Ithaca	M66	27004	12GA
206.	18-021613	37437	Remington	33	141134	0.22
207.	14021781	100659	Paragon	WS	A585750	12GA
208.	17-023381	59621	Mossberg	715T	EMF3792885	0.22
209.	17-004193	13877	Glenfield	75C	23379187	0.22
210.	17-004193	13875	Springfield	67H	Pre-Mandate	12GA
211.	19-001319	47532	Weatherby Inc.	Vanguard	V03849	30-06
212.	2106100012965	88893	Mossberg	500A	R016857	12GA
213.	2212220025571	112193	Del-Ton	DTI15	DTIS235323	5.56

214.	2301210001311	113165	Masterpiece Arms	MPA Defender	FX37615	9MM
215.	19-013031	52355	American Tactical	Omni Hybrid	NS125692	0.223
216.	2103200006176	84798	Maverick	88	MV0298595	12GA
217.	11010297	75567	Springfield	M1	2246759	0.3
218.	20-015335	72929	Remington	870	RS07893M	12GA
219.	20-018395	93904	Stevens	320	153893E	12GA
220.	20-015335	72928	Palmetto	PA15	LW213882	0.223
221.	20-015335	72927	Palmetto	PA-15	PA027203	0.223
222.	20-002271	65665	Bushmaster	Carbon 15 Pistol	D04041	5.56
223.	18-022901	38182	Mossberg	500	U602639	12GA
224.	16-019482	4601	Remington	597	C2706791	0.22
225.	2107210016477	90829	Foremost	667OF	Pre-Mandate	20GA
226.	18-029803	41666	Kel-Tec	Sub 2000	FTC85	.40 S&W
227.	18-029731	41640	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15	TF38145	0.223
228.	17-017211	19591	Marlin	81DL	Pre-Mandate	0.22
229.	17-022193	22194	Springfield	187	B354371	0.22
230.	17-017211	19592	Mossberg	183DC	Pre-Mandate	14GA
231.	17-027675	24562	Anderson Manufacturing	AM-15	14145430	0.223
232.	2105100010318	87211	Aero Precision	X15	DLR04499	0.223
233.	20-016245	73345	AA Tactical	Tac L	AAR00810	0.223
234.	2108240019350	92429	Romarm	Micro Draco	PMD1871020ROA	7.62
235.	2403310005911	129897	Remington	Target Master 510	Pre-Mandate	0.22
236.	98-000178	126994	Mossberg	835	UM347962	12GA
237.	2412130025483	140873	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15-22 P	WAR6512	0.22
238.	2301100000596	112833	Radical	RF-15	2036840	0.223
239.	2410050020585	138327	American Tactical	Mil Sport	MSA114851	0.223
240.	2411010022548	139417	Kel-Tec	KS7	QJY81	12GA
241.	2409040018317	137071	Winchester	190	B1444787	0.22
242.	2025-00117627	207712	Bergara	Creedmoor B14	ES610621716321	6.54
243.	2411060022870	139603	Mossberg	702 Plinkster	EUH4510992	0.22
244.	2410170021417	138850	Glenfield	60	27335080	0.22
245.	2405130009216	136453	Taurus	G3	ADG444822	9MM
246.	2410170021417	138833	Remington	597	C2690625	0.22
247.	2409210019575	137854	GSG/ATI	GSG-5	A316961	0.22

248.	2404280008067	131259			276562	
249.	2105040009738	86703	Palmetto Arms	PA-15 Multi	SCD571051	0.223
250.	2404280008067	131261	Winchester	12	927072	12GA
251.	2403310005911	129896	Marlin	70P	12416940	0.22
252.	2105120010498	87321	DPMS	A-15	7236	0.223
253.	17-023381	59620	Kaiser Defense	KR5	AI05333	5.56
254.	19-016903	54457	Hi-Point	4595	R46787	0.45
255.	2403310005911	129895	Manhattan Arms		50930T	12GA
256.	2404260007901	131141	Mossberg	930	AF0104408	12GA
257.	16-025517	6851	Marlin	200	KN115814	12GA
258.	2026-00049946	212901	Stevens	940A	Pre-mandate	0.41
259.	2411240024149	140200	Zastava	Pap M92PV	M92PV060130	7.62
260.	17-017846	20006	Marlin	336 Micro Groove	18070525	30-30
261.	17-023381	59616	Remington	870	AB596981M	12GA
262.	13-006321	100597	Rossi	S201220	SR209349	20GA
263.	13-006321	100598	Remington	770	M71631278	0.308
264.	18-033445	43521	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15	TJ35559	0.223
265.	18-034025	43931	Remington	Mohawk 600	6786527	0.308
266.	2404030006200	130088	Springfield	M1A	427643	0.308
267.	2306300012927	119398	Stevens	320	227259B	12GA
268.	2312180025121	125877	Romar/Cugir	Mini Draco	PF25522019RO	7.62
269.	2401210001336	127346	Anderson Manufacturing	AM-15	19291942	0.223
270.	2309220019299	122557	Maverick	88	MV0678920	12GA
271.	2402160002997	128367	Kel-Tec	Sub 2000	EYZ30	.40 S & W
272.	2402160002997	128366	Charles Daly	Field	952499	12GA
273.	2306160011926	118928	Mossberg	500A	R972506	12GA
274.	2312120024719	125688	Aero Precision	X15	X547706	0.223
275.	2404260007901	131138	Daniel Defense	MK18	DDM4331250	5.56
276.	2303060004383	114836	Hi-Point	995	F217464	9MM
277.	2402150002916	128299	Winchester	290	192964	0.22
278.	2404010005991	129993	Maverick	88	MV0850999	12GA
279.	2403210005194	129571	American Tactical	Mil sport	MSA106673	0.223

280.	2402270003651	128698	Anderson Manufacturing	AM-15	20384019	0.223
281.	2302220003558	114395	Aero Precision	M4E1	M40414334	0.223
282.	2307100013650	119758	Palmetto	PA 15	SCD758922	0.223
283.	2303180005277	115491	Romarm/Cugie	WASR-10UF	UF239618RO	7.62
284.	2409170019331	137706	American Tactical	Omni hybrid multi-cal	NS268819	0.223
285.	2402220003364	128581	H & R 1871	Pardner Pump	NZ768856	20GA
286.	2310040020017	122941	Del-Ton Inc.	DTI 15	R002689	5.56
287.	2203200005308	131467	Radical Firearms	RF-15	21020354	0.223
288.	2307210014405	120075	Remington	1903	3314263	0.3
289.	2404260007901	131139	Kel-Tec	CMR30	YGT87	0.22
290.	2402160002997	128368	Diamondback	DB-15	DB1551906	0.223
291.	2503180005474	144985	Stevens	9478	E767981	12GA
292.	2402270003651	128697	Sears Roebuck	300	Q96785	12GA
293.	2404260007901	131140	Mossberg	590	V1666030	12GA
294.	2402220003364	128579	Smith & Wesson	M & P 15	TJ41959	0.223
295.	2303120004796	115063	Romarm/Cugir	Mini Draco	PD77052015RO	7.62
296.	2302250003769	114503	Anderson Manufacturing	AM-15	17167754	0.223
297.	2310250021373	123681	Ruger	PC Charger	91350185	9MM
298.	2310220021160	123552	American Tactical	Mil Sport	MSA118450	0.223
299.	2503140005149	144805	Maverick	88	MV24377L	12GA
300.	2305080008952	117416	GRI	1943 no. 1 MK III	Pre-Mandate	.303B
301.	2312230025538	126137	Palmetto	PA 15	SCD514256	0.223
302.	2403180004998	129454	Palmetto	PA-15	SCD089544	0.223
303.	2025-00035534	201300	DPMS Panther Arms	A-15	FFH202407	0.223
304.	2311270023699	125043	Radical Firearms	RF-15	20034735	0.223
305.	2025-00075411	204566	Remington	870 Tactical	RS22526W	12GA
306.	2025-00049578	202351	Romarm/Cugir	Mini Draco	PMD2158720ROA	7.62

**DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS
USED & CONFISCATED FIREARMS
FOR CREDIT OR SWAP
RFB NO. 27-0010**

VENDOR'S NAME:			
DETAILED DESCRIPTION	BIDDER RESPONSE		VENDOR'S SPECIFICATIONS
RIFLE AND ACCESSORIES			
1. Rifle: Model MRA4	Yes: __	No: __	
a. MR556 A4 SBR 11" Part no. 81001048	Yes: __	No: __	
b. Caliber- 5.56 x 45mm	Yes: __	No: __	
c. Gas operated, short stroke piston	Yes: __	No: __	
d. Rotating bolt	Yes: __	No: __	
e. Magazine capacity: 30 rounds	Yes: __	No: __	
f. Magazine quantity: 3	Yes: __	No: __	
g. Barrel profile / twist: 6 lands & grooves, right twist, 1 in 7in (178mm)	Yes: __	No: __	
h. Adjustable rear stock, black, 6 positions	Yes: __	No: __	
2. WARRANTY: State warranty	Yes: __	No: __	
3. TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP: The successful bidder is responsible for all required paperwork for the transfer of ownership.	Yes: __	No: __	

BID FORM (PRICING PAGE)
USED & CONFISCATED FIREARMS
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The undersigned hereby agrees that he/she has carefully examined the firearms, and on the basis of such, the signer agrees to bear all costs associated with the transfer of firearms and all necessary documentation to include any and all permits, taxes or fees associated with this transaction. Furthermore, the undersigned agrees ownership, and removal of awarded lot, in accordance with the specifications for same, and subject to all terms, conditions and requirements provided therein by the Consolidated Government of Columbus, and in the various request for bid documents, at the following values.

DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	QUANTITY OFFERED IN EXCHANGE*	TOTAL VALUE OF OFFER
Heckler & Koch MRA4 rifle with the following package and accessories for each rifle provided: - Model MR556 A4 SBR 11" Part no. 81001048 - Caliber- 5.56 x 45mm - Gas operated, short stroke piston - Rotating bolt - Magazine capacity: 30 rounds - Magazine quantity: 3 - Mode of fi re: Semi-automatic - Barrel profile / twist: 6 lands & grooves, right twist, 1 in 7in (178mm) - Adjustable rear stock, black, 6 positions	\$		\$

**State the quantity of Heckler & Koch MRA4 SBR 11" Part no 81001048 rifle and accessories vendor is willing to provide in exchange for the single lot of 306 used and confiscated weapons.*

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

PLEASE SUBMIT ONE (1) ELECTRONIC BID RESPONSE VIA OPENBIDS

Each bidder shall include the following information with bid submission. Bidder shall submit **ONE (1) ELECTRONIC BID RESPONSE VIA DEMANDSTAR**. Submissions will be deemed incomplete/non-responsive if the following required documents are not included, as prescribed within the specifications: **E-Verify Affidavit, Communication Concerning This Solicitation form, Conflict of Interest Affidavit, Federal Firearm License, and Pricing Page(s)**. However, the City reserves the right to request any omitted information, **WHICH DOES NOT AFFECT THE SUBMITTED BID PRICE**. Bidders shall be notified, in writing, and shall have two (2) days, after notification to submit the omitted information. If the omitted information is not received within two (2) days, the Bidder shall be deemed non-responsive, and the Bid Submission will be deemed "Incomplete". Use the following checklist to verify the items are included in electronic submission:

- ☐ Detailed Specifications
- ☐ Bid Form/Pricing Page
- ☐ E-Verify/GSICA
- ☐ Communication Concerning This Solicitation
- ☐ Conflict of Interest Affidavit
- ☐ Federal Clauses
- ☐ Addenda Acknowledgement
- ☐ Bid Security
- ☐ General Release and Indemnity Agreement
- ☐ State Firearm Dealer License (if applicable)
- ☐ Federal Firearm License
- ☐ Business License
- ☐ Form W-9 (Rev March 2024)

Vendor's Name

Website

Vendor's Street Address

City

State

Zip

Vendor's Remittance or Mailing Address (If different)

City

State

Zip

Phone Number

Fax Number

Email Address

Signature of Authorized Representative

"Print" Name and Title

Date of Signature

Please initial if business is Minority or Woman owned; if not, "N/A":

Minority owned: _____ Woman owned: _____

If certified as a DBE or WBE, list the certifying agency: _____

E-VERIFY AFFIDAVIT

By executing this affidavit, the undersigned contractor verifies its compliance with O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91, stating affirmatively that the individual, firm or corporation which is engaged in the physical performance of services on behalf of **Columbus Consolidated Government** has registered with, is authorized to use and uses the federal work authorization program commonly known as E-Verify, or any subsequent replacement program, in accordance with the applicable provisions and deadlines established in O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91. Furthermore, the undersigned contractor will continue to use the federal work authorization program throughout the contract period and the undersigned contractor will contract for the physical performance of services in satisfaction of such contract only with subcontractors who present an affidavit to the contractor with the information required by O.C.G.A. § 13-10-91(b). Contractor hereby attests that its federal work authorization user identification number and date of authorization are as follows:

Company ID Number (*numerical, 4-7 digits*)

Date of Authorization

****See <https://www.e-verify.gov/> to access your E-Verify Company Identification Number.**

Name and Address of Contractor**Used & Confiscated Firearms for Credit or Swap – RFB No. 27-0010**

Name of Project

Columbus Consolidated Government

Name of Public Employer

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on _____, ___, 20__ in _____ (city), _____ (state).

Signature of Authorized Officer or Agent

Printed Name and Title of Authorized Officer or Agent

Subscribed and sworn before me on this the ___ day of _____, 20__.

NOTARY PUBLIC

My Commission Expires:

A properly completed, stamped/notarized E-Verify Affidavit must be included with sealed proposal; failure to do so will render the firm's proposal non-responsive and ineligible for further consideration.

COMMUNICATION CONCERNING THIS SOLICITATION

THIS PAGE MUST BE SIGNED AND RETURNED WITH THE VENDOR'S BID/PROPOSAL. FAILURE TO INCLUDE THIS FORM WILL AUTOMATICALLY RENDER VENDOR'S RESPONSE NON-RESPONSIVE.

ALL QUESTIONS OR CLARIFICATIONS CONCERNING THIS SOLICITATION SHALL BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING. THE CITY WILL NOT ORALLY OR TELEPHONICALLY ADDRESS ANY QUESTION OR CLARIFICATION REGARDING BID/PROPOSAL SPECIFICATIONS. IF A VENDOR VISITS OR CALLS THE PURCHASING DIVISION WITH SUCH QUESTIONS, HE OR SHE WILL BE INSTRUCTED TO SUBMIT THE QUESTIONS IN WRITING.

ALL CONTACT CONCERNING THIS SOLICITATION SHALL BE MADE THROUGH THE PURCHASING DIVISION. BIDDERS SHALL NOT CONTACT CITY EMPLOYEES, DEPARTMENT HEADS, USING AGENCIES, EVALUATION COMMITTEE MEMBERS, INCLUDING NON-CCG EMPLOYEES, CONTRACTED PERSONNEL ASSOCIATED WITH THIS PARTICULAR PROJECT (I.E. ARCHITECTS, ENGINEERS, CONSULTANTS), OR ELECTED OFFICIALS WITH QUESTIONS OR ANY OTHER CONCERNS ABOUT THE SOLICITATION. QUESTIONS, CLARIFICATIONS, OR CONCERNS SHALL BE SUBMITTED TO THE PURCHASING DIVISION IN WRITING. IF IT IS NECESSARY THAT A TECHNICAL QUESTION NEEDS ADDRESSING, THE PURCHASING DIVISION WILL FORWARD SUCH TO THE USING AGENCY, WHO WILL SUBMIT A WRITTEN RESPONSE.

THE PURCHASING DIVISION WILL FORWARD WRITTEN RESPONSES TO THE RESPECTIVE BIDDER. IF IT BECOMES NECESSARY TO REVISE ANY PART OF THIS SOLICITATION, A WRITTEN ADDENDUM WILL BE ISSUED TO ALL BIDDERS.

THE CITY IS NOT BOUND BY ANY ORAL REPRESENTATIONS, CLARIFICATIONS, OR CHANGES MADE TO THE WRITTEN SPECIFICATIONS BY CITY EMPLOYEES, UNLESS SUCH CLARIFICATION OR CHANGE IS PROVIDED TO THE BIDDERS IN A WRITTEN ADDENDUM FROM THE PURCHASING MANAGER.

BIDDERS ARE INSTRUCTED TO USE THE ENCLOSED "QUESTION/CLARIFICATION FORM" TO FAX OR EMAIL QUESTION. **QUESTIONS AND REQUESTS FOR CLARIFICATION MUST BE SUBMITTED AT LEAST FIVE (5) BUSINESS DAYS BEFORE THE DUE DATE.**

ANY REQUEST/CONCERN/PROTEST, AFTER A SOLICITATION HAS CLOSED AND PENDING AWARD, MUST ALSO BE SUBMITTED IN WRITING TO THE PURCHASING DIVISION.

I agree to forward all communication about this solicitation, in writing, to the Purchasing Division. I understand that communication with other persons, other than the Purchasing Division, will render my Bid/Proposal response non-responsive and I will no longer be considered in the solicitation process.

Vendor Name: _____

Print Name of Authorized Agent: _____

Signature of Authorized Agent: _____

CONFLICT OF INTEREST AFFIDAVIT:

THIS PAGE MUST BE SIGNED AND RETURNED WITH THE VENDOR'S BID/PROPOSAL. FAILURE TO INCLUDE THIS FORM WILL AUTOMATICALLY RENDER VENDOR'S RESPONSE NON-RESPONSIVE.

Pursuant to Columbus Georgia Code Part I – Charter, Appendix Two Code of Ethics and Prohibited Practices:

I hereby declare that any person(s) employed by the City of Columbus, who has direct or indirect personal or financial interest in this solicitation, has been identified and the interest disclosed below. (Please include in your disclosure any interest which you know of).

An example of a direct interest would be a City of Columbus employee, City of Columbus City Council Member, who would be paid to perform services if awarded the contract.

An example of indirect interest would be a City of Columbus employee who is related to any officers, employees, principal, or shareholders of your firm or to you. (If in doubt as to status or interest, please disclose to the extent known).

CONFLICT OF INTEREST: ☐ YES ☐ NO

Disclosed Conflict of Interests:

I hereby certify that the information on this form is complete and accurate. If necessary, I will provide the information required to verify this data (e.g., pay stubs, bank account statements, etc.). I, therefore, authorize such verification, and I will provide the supporting documentation, if necessary.

I hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on _____, _____, 20__ **in** _____ (city), _____ (state).

Vendor Name: _____

Signature of Authorized Officer or Agent

Printed Name and Title of Authorized Officer or Agent

Subscribed and sworn before me on this the _____ *day of* _____, 20__.

NOTARY PUBLIC _____

AFFIX STAMP /
SEAL

My Commission Expires: _____

FEDERAL COMPLIANCE

In the event a procurement under this contract is federally funded, the Contractor agrees to comply with all federal statutes relating to nondiscrimination, labor standards, and environmental compliance. The Contractor will be notified if the procurement is federally funded.

With regards to “**Rights to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement**,” If the Federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 CFR § 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 CFR Part 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.

Contractor agrees to be wholly compliant with the provisions of **2 CFR 200, Appendix II**. Additionally, for work to be performed under the Agreement or subcontract thereof, including procurement of materials or leases of equipment.

Contractor shall comply and shall notify each potential subcontractor or supplier of the Contractor's federal compliance obligations. These may include, but are not limited to:

- (a) **Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 (P.L. 88-352)** which prohibits discrimination on the basis of race, color or national origin;
- (b) **Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972**, as amended (20 U.S.C. §§ 1681-1683, and 1685-1686), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex;
- (c) the **Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 (29 USC 676 et. seq.)**;
- (d) **Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as implemented by Executive Orders 11914 and 11250**, which prohibits discrimination on the basis of handicaps and the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990;
- (e) the **Age Discrimination in Employment Act of 1967 (29 USC 621 et. seq.)** and the Age Discrimination Act of 1974, as amended (42 U.S.C. §§ 6101-6107), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of age;
- (f) the **Drug Abuse Office and Treatment Act of 1972 (P.L. 92-255)**, as amended, relating to nondiscrimination on the basis of drug abuse;
- (g) the **Comprehensive Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism Prevention, Treatment and Rehabilitation Act of 1970 (P.L. 91-616)**, as amended, relating to the nondiscrimination on the basis of alcohol abuse or alcoholism;
- (h) **§§ 523 and 527 of the Public Health Service Act of 1912 (42 U.S.C. 290 dd-3 and 290 ee-3)**, as amended, relating to confidentiality of alcohol and drug abuse patient records;
- (i) **Title VIII of the Civil Rights Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C. § 3601 et seq.)**, as amended, relating to nondiscrimination in the sale, rental or financing of housing;
- (j) any other nondiscrimination provisions in any specific statute(s) applicable to any Federal funding for this Agreement;
- (k) the requirements of any other nondiscrimination statute(s) which may apply to this Agreement;
- (l) applicable provisions of the **Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. §7401 et seq.)**, the **Federal Water Pollution Control Act, as amended (33 U.S.C. §1251 et seq.)**, **Section 508 of the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. 1368)**, **Permits required by Section 404 of the Clean Water Act**, **Executive Order 11738**, **Endangered Species Act (P.L. 93-205)**, and the **Environmental Protection Agency regulations at 40 CFR Part 15**;
- (m) **DBE requirements found at 40 CFR Part 33, Executive Order 11246, and Equal Employment Opportunity regulations at 41 CFR § 60-4**;
- (n) applicable provisions of the **Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 276a - 276a-7)** as it relates to cleanup activities, the **Copeland Act (40 U.S.C. 276c)**, the **Anti-Kickback Act (40 USC § 3145)**, the **OSHA Worker Health & Safety Standard (29 CFR § 1910.120)**, and the **Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act (40 U.S.C. 327-333)**, as set forth in Department of Labor Regulations at 20 CFR 5.5a;
- (o) applicable provisions of **Uniform Relocation Act (40 USC § 61)** and the **National Historic Preservation Act (16 USC § 470)**;
- (p) 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 (P.L. 94-163)**;
- (q) the Buy America sourcing requirements in the **Build America, Buy America Act (41 U.S.C. § 8301-8305)**;
- (r) the general provisions of **Section 3** offering economic opportunities for low-income persons (12 U.S.C. 1701u).

To demonstrate acknowledgement and understanding of the above listed Federal Requirements, vendor is required to sign below and return with bid response:

Vendor Name: _____

Signature of Authorized Agent: _____

Print Name and Title of above Agent: _____

**ADDENDA ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
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The Purchasing Division will post addenda (if any) on the Bid Opportunities page: https://www.columbusga.gov/finance/purchasing/docs/opportunities/Bid_Opportunities.htm. It is the vendors' responsibility to periodically visit the page to check for addenda, ***both before the due date and prior to submitting a response in OpenBids.***

IF ADDENDA WERE ISSUED:

By signing below, I acknowledge 1) I have received the addenda (if any) as indicated below, 2) my submittal reflects the changes to the specifications, and 3) my submittal includes the most recently revised forms:

Addendum No. ____ dated _____ Addendum No. ____ dated _____

Addendum No. ____ dated _____ Addendum No. ____ dated _____

Addendum No. ____ dated _____ Addendum No. ____ dated _____

Addendum No. ____ dated _____ Addendum No. ____ dated _____

Addendum No. ____ dated _____ Addendum No. ____ dated _____

IF NO ADDENDA WERE ISSUED:

By signing below, I acknowledge that I reviewed the Bid Opportunities page referenced above on _____ and did not see any addenda listed for this solicitation.

(date)

Business Name

Date

Authorized Signature

Print Name

**USED & CONFISCATED FIREARMS
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General Release and Indemnity Agreement

The undersigned having read the specifications and inspected the firearms, accepts the listed firearms and accessories **(Exhibit A)** deemed by the Columbus Consolidated Government (the City of Columbus, GA) to be sold, *as is, where is, without recourse*, without any warranties either expressed or implied. Furthermore, the undersigned accepts that the City makes no claim or guarantee relative to the current or future fitness of the firearms offered for sale for any purpose, and that the City of Columbus, Georgia shall not be held responsible for any injury, death, or damage caused by the future use of the firearms.

Print Name of Bidder	Signature of Bidder	Date
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Print Name of Witness	Signature of Witness	Date
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Print Name of Witness	Signature of Witness	Date
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**STATE FIREARM DEALER LICENSE
USED & CONFISCATED FIREARMS
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RFB NO. 27-0010**

- ☐ **Yes**, the State in which my company is registered requires a State Firearm Dealer License. Our license is attached.
- ☐ **No**, the State in which my company is registered ***does not*** require a State Firearm Dealer License as indicated below:

Company Name

Signature

Print Name of Signatory

Date

A FEDERAL FIREARM LICENSE (FFL) is a mandatory submission requirement and must be included with your firm's bid submission.

APPENDIX A

OPEN BIDS SUBMISSION INFORMATION (Formerly DemandStar)

Responses must be submitted via OpenBids. See the following pages for Submission Requirements Checklist, Registering for OpenBids and Responding to an Electronic Bid in OpenBids.

There is no cost to submit responses electronically through OpenBids; you will only incur a fee if you opt to receive e-notifications directly from OpenBids. You must select "Columbus Consolidated Government" as your free agency (see registration instructions). Solicitations may be accessed thru the OpenBids link that is posted at: <https://columbusga.gov/finance/bid-opportunities>. Per Georgia HB489, the Purchasing Division will continue to post solicitations on the Georgia Procurement Registry. To receive future procurement notifications, you must register with the Team Georgia Marketplace at <https://doas.ga.gov/state-purchasing/getting-started-supplier>.

Excluding responses to Requests for Proposals (RFP), a tabulation of responses will be available on OpenBids shortly after the solicitation closes. The Purchasing Division will also continue to post tabulations at <https://www.columbusga.gov/finance-2/Bid-Tabulations>.

Failure to submit electronic responses, via OpenBids, will result in the rejection of your response. Submittals received via U.S. Postal Service, FedEx, UPS, etc., will be returned unopened at the expense of the sender. The Purchasing Division will not accept hand-delivered submittals and will immediately discard any submittal left in the reception area of the Finance Department.

The Purchasing Division sincerely appreciates your cooperation.

ELECTRONIC BID - SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS CHECKLIST

USED & CONFISCATED FIREARMS FOR CREDIT OR SWAP RFB NO. 27-0010

Please submit your electronic response as indicated below:

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

1. Vendors shall submit **only** the required documents listed using the “Bidder Response ALL Documents” function. **Do not enter information using the “Supplemental Documents” function.**
2. **Zip files with multiple folders will not be accepted.** Vendors shall submit one PDF file of their submittal.
3. Due to file size limitations, please **do not resend the City’s full specifications** document as this information is already on file.
4. **In the event OpenBids requires a dollar value for your submittal, enter “0”.**

This checklist is for informational purposes only and is not intended to be part of the formal RFB specifications. Refer to page 12, VII. Bid Submission Requirements.

- ☐ 1. Detailed Specifications (*Form 1*)
- ☐ 2. Bid Form (*Form 2*)
- ☐ 3. E-Verify Affidavit (*Form 3*)*
- ☐ 4. Communication Concerning this Solicitation (*Form 4*)*
- ☐ 5. Conflict of Interest (*Form 5*)*
- ☐ 6. Federal Compliance (*Form 6*)
- ☐ 7. Addenda Acknowledgement (*Form 7*)
- ☐ 8. General Release and Indemnity Agreement (*Form 8*)
- ☐ 9. State Firearm Dealer License (*Form 9*)
- ☐ 10. Federal Firearm License (FFL) *
- ☐ 11. Bid Security (**5% of total value of offer**)
- ☐ 12. Business License (Occupation License)
- ☐ 13. **Page 1** of Form W-9 (Rev March 2024) (<https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf>)

* Denotes mandatory submission requirements

Registering for OpenBids (formerly DemandStar)

The following pages provide the steps for registering with OpenBids and submitting electronic responses.

It's **free** to register with the **Basic Plan**.

Go to: <https://www.demandstar.com/registration>

Join OpenBids for free, and start winning more government work today!



Basic Plan
Free!

Get started! Choose a procurement agency, and get access to every bid and quote they publish on OpenBids.



County Plan
\$35 per year*

Choose a county government, and get access to every bid and quote agencies in that county publish on OpenBids.



State Plan
\$35 per year*

Upgrade to a State plan, and get access to every bid and quote agencies in that state publish on OpenBids.



National Plan
\$2,699 per year

Go nationwide! Get full access to every bid and quote published by every agency and government on OpenBids.

*Pricing varies per state and county, depending on coverage, from \$35 - \$1,499.

Get started for free!

Company Name

Email Address
This will be your username for logging in to OpenBids

[Create your OpenBids account](#) [Sign In](#)

By creating an account, you agree to OpenBids Terms of Use and Privacy Policy.

Step 1: Choose your free agency

- Search by Agency Name: Columbus Consolidated Government
- or search by State (GA) and County (Muscogee)
- Select "Columbus Consolidated Government" as your free agency

1 of 4: Choose your free agency

A great way to find out about new opportunities on OpenBids is to subscribe to a government agency. To get started, please choose your first (free!) agency. You'll have a chance to sign up for more in just a moment.

Selected free agency: **Columbus Consolidated Government**

Search by Agency Name

State

County

[Reset Search](#)

- ☒ Columbus Consolidated Government
- ☐ The Housing Authority of Columbus

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[Skip Agency Selection](#)

Next

Step 2: Select commodity codes (this step can be skipped).

2 of 4: Refine Bid Notifications

What are commodity codes?

OpenBids commodity codes are how we categorize goods and services for government procurement. When you choose commodity codes, OpenBids uses them to match what your company provides to what governments in your subscription need, helping you find the best bids and quotes to bid on.

Take control of your bid notification experience and maximize your chances of finding opportunities that are tailored to your needs. Add your key tags here and let us assist you in uncovering the most relevant and valuable bid opportunities in your industry.

Example : Infrastructure , Automobiles , Dairy , Agriculture

Search

[Go Back](#)

[Skip Commodity Codes and Tags](#)

Continue

If selecting codes, the following screen will appear:

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Search

Suggested Tags :

uniforms

cotton

synthetic fabric

blended fabric

blends

electrical

uniform rental or lease

hospital wear

professional

robes

gowns

food service clothing

work clothes

for caps and uniforms

uniforms

aprons

clothing

uniform

ironer

soccer equipment

football equipment

caps

Relevant Bids

Uniforms

schads

ID: RFP-RFP 24-400193

Broadcast: Aug 20, 2024

Due: Sep 18, 2024

Under Evaluation

POLICE DEPARTMENT SPECIALTY UNIFORMS

American Asphalt & Grading Company

ID: RFP-26RFP041

Broadcast: Feb 25, 2026

Due: Mar 19, 2026

Under Evaluation

Fire Department Uniforms

Hugh E. Sanderfur Industries

ID: ITB-US.232346

Broadcast: May 18, 2026

Due: Jun 3, 2026

Under Evaluation

Police Officer Uniforms

Don Schaeffer Consulting

ID: RFP-26RFP041

Broadcast: Jun 18, 2026

Due: Jul 18, 2026

Under Evaluation

Relevant Commodity Codes (20)

☐ [006-200-85] : Uniforms, Blended Fabric

☐ [006-200-86] : Uniforms, Cotton

☐ [006-200-87] : Uniforms, Synthetic Fabric

☐ [006-200-88] : Uniforms, Wool and Woolen Blends

☐ [006-200-91] : Uniforms, Arc Rated for Electrical Work

☐ [006-201-37] : Emblems, Braids, Buttons, and Patches For Caps and Uniforms, Including Chevrons, Epaulettes and Shoulder Boards

☐ [006-954-04] : Laundry Services, Clothing, Hats and Uniforms

☐ [016-936-18] : Clothing, Including Uniforms, Maintenance and Repair

☐ [023-983-86] : Uniform Rental or Lease

☐ [006-200-34] : Hospital Wear, Professional

☐ [023-983-64] : Robes, Caps, and Gowns, Choir and Graduation, Rental or Lease

Selecting commodity codes will narrow down results to ensure you are receiving notifications for the most applicable bids only.

Step 3: Choose Subscriptions

- You've already selected Columbus Consolidated Government as your **free** agency.
- There is a fee to add additional subscriptions. However, you can continue without adding any additional subscriptions.

3 of 4: Choose Subscriptions

Now that you've chosen [Columbus Consolidated Government](#) as your free agency, add more counties to grow your network of potential clients.

County subscriptions start at \$25 per year.

Please select a state to begin

State
Georgia

Choose your counties in Georgia

There are currently 45 Georgia counties with agencies publishing bids on OpenBids. Please choose which counties you'd like to subscribed to. You may also subscribe to all counties in Georgia and save!

+ Subscribe to Georgia for \$300 / year

Search for Counties

Search for Counties

☐	Barrow County	View 1 Agency	\$60/year
☐	Candler County	View 1 Agency	\$60/year
☐	Carroll County	View 2 Agencies	\$60/year
☐	Charlton County	View 1 Agency	\$60/year
☐	Chatham County	View 1 Agency	\$60/year
☐	Cherokee County	View 1 Agency	\$60/year
☐	Clarke County	View 2 Agencies	\$60/year
☐	Clayton County	View 1 Agency	\$60/year
☐	Cobb County	View 2 Agencies	\$60/year
☐	Coffee County	View 1 Agency	\$60/year

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Continue without adding subscriptions

Muscogee County Subscription

Columbus Consolidated Government is in Muscogee County. Subscribe and get notifications from 2 agencies.

[Subscribe to Muscogee County for \\$60/year](#)

Georgia Subscription

Columbus Consolidated Government is in Georgia. Subscribe and get notifications from 88 agencies.

[Subscribe to Georgia for \\$300/year](#)

National Subscription

Choose a national subscription and get notifications from 2955 agencies.

[Subscribe Nationwide for \\$2699/year](#)

Step 4: Complete your profile

- Add your contact information and finish registration.
- Check your email for a link to set a password.

4 of 4: Complete your profile

We've saved your selections. Now that you've set up your subscriptions on OpenBids, tell us a little bit more about yourself.

Your contact information

First Name

Last Name

Phone Number

Test Company for CCG Information

Company Phone Number

Website (Optional)

Address

Suite, Floor, etc. (Optional)

Postal Code

City

State

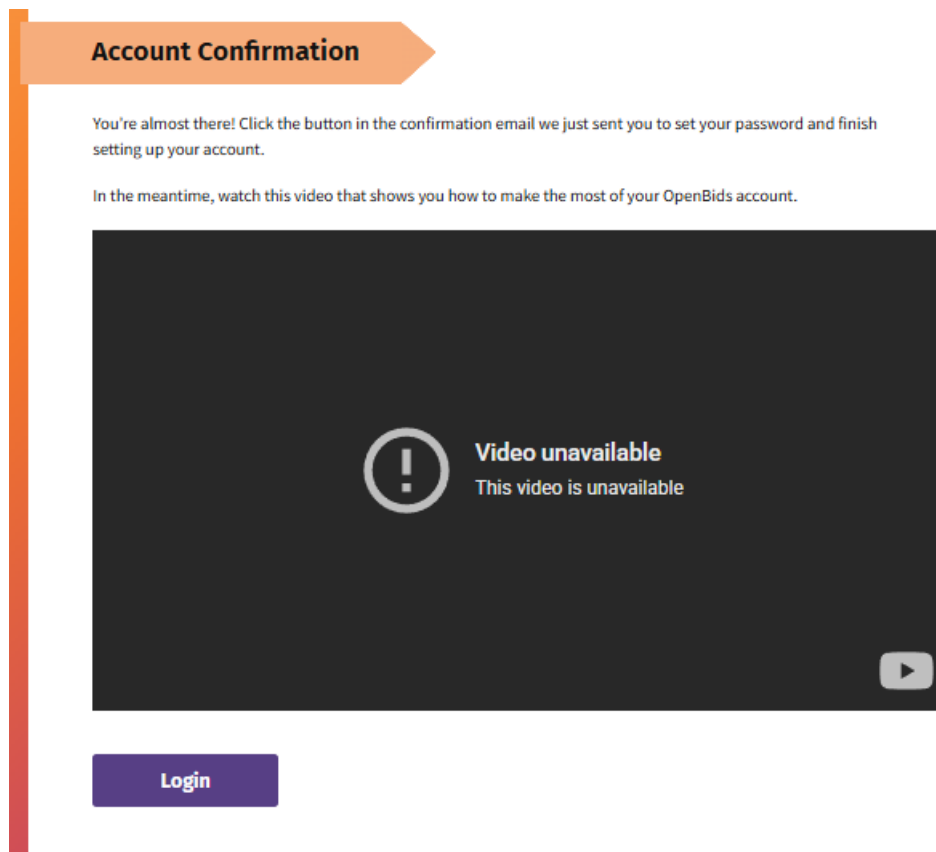
County (Optional)

Country

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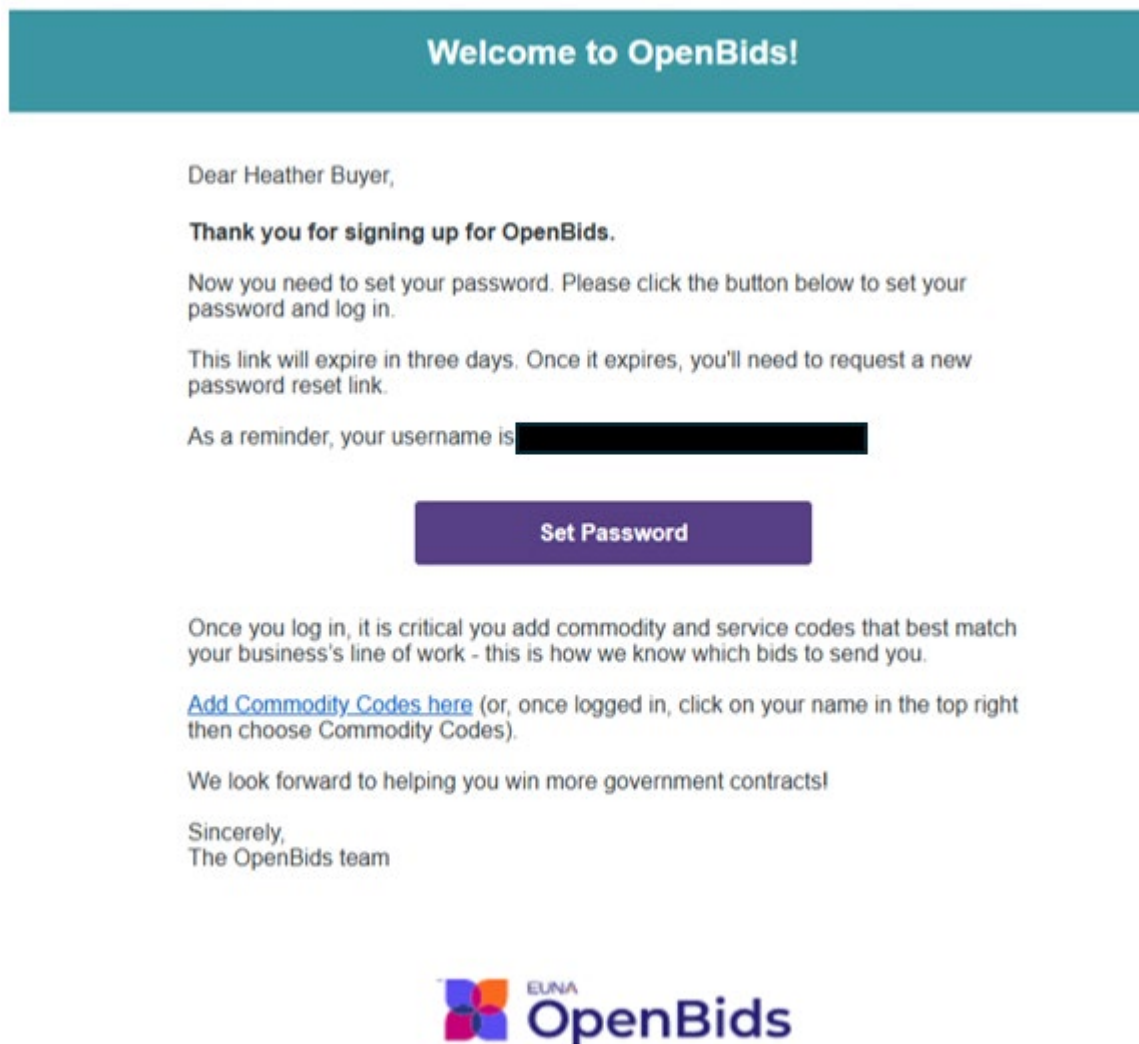
[Finish registration](#)

After finishing, the **Account Confirmation** screen will appear. However, you should also have an email from OpenBids to set your password.



Check your email for instructions to set password.

Sample email:



Create password and login to view the dashboard.

Home > Dashboard

My Bids

Active (0)

Recommendation Of Award (0)

Awarded (0)

Completed (0)

Cancelled (0)

My Quotes

Open (0)

Awarded (0)

Closed (0)

Cancelled (0)

Test Company for CCG

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Choose commodity codes

Commodity codes are how we pair your business with governments looking to work with you. Choose a few so we can help you find bids! It's okay if you're not exactly sure what codes to pick; you can always change this later.

[Learn about commodity codes](#)

Choose commodity codes

0 Bid Notifications

Select Commodity Codes to receive bid notifications

0 Quote Notifications

Select Commodity Codes to receive quote notifications

No Bids I Am Watching

No Responded Bids

OpenBids Network

You could be getting notifications from

78

other agencies in your state

Get more notifications

Notifications (1)

Account

Please Select Your Commodity Codes

Select the Commodity Codes that describe your business. Governments will send you notifications based on the codes that you select.

My Commodity Codes (0)

Select Commodity Codes to receive bid notifications.

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To submit a response on OpenBids

From the Home screen, select “bids” at the top of the screen:



The screenshot shows the OpenBids dashboard with the 'Bids' tab selected in the top navigation bar. The dashboard layout includes a sidebar on the left with 'My Bids' and 'My Quotes' sections, each with a list of status filters (Active, Recommendation Of Award, Awarded, Completed, Cancelled). The main content area features a 'Test Company for CCG' banner, a grid of notification boxes (0 Bid Notifications, 0 Quote Notifications, No Bids I Am Watching, No Responded Bids), and a 'Notifications (0)' section. Below these is the 'OpenBids Network' section showing '11 bid notifications in the last 12 months' with a 'Get more bid opportunities' button. On the right, the 'My Commodity Codes (13)' section lists various codes and their descriptions, with a 'View more' link.

In the Bids Search page, search by Government Agency, Columbus Consolidated Government.

Note: Even though this is your selected agency, you can still search and submit responses for any bid/any agency.

Home > Bids Search

Search

Filter By

☐ Bids Notifications

☐ Ordered Bids

☐ Watched Bids

☐ Commodity Code Matches

☐ eBidding Available

☒ Include External Bids

Government Agency

Columbus Consolidated Government

Bid Status

Active

Advanced Search

Bid Name

Bid Name

State

Filter by State

County

Search for county

Bid Identifier

Bid Identifier

Commodity Code / Industry

Filter by Industry

Fiscal Year

Select...

Due Date Range

MM/DD/YYYY to MM/DD/YYYY

Bids

Filters in use:

External Bids

Government Agency

Active

Sort By

Broadcast Date

HVAC Preventive Maintenance & Service

Columbus Consolidated Government, Columbus, Muscogee County, GA

ID: RFB-RFB No. 27-0003-0-2027/CB

Broadcast: Jul 21, 2026

Due: Aug 19, 2026

Planholders: 9

Watchers: 0

Active

Environmental Consulting Services For Multipurpose Brownfield (Annual Contract)

Columbus Consolidated Government, Columbus, Muscogee County, GA

ID: RFP-27-0001-0-2026/CB

Broadcast: Jul 2, 2026

Due: Aug 21, 2026

Planholders: 20

Watchers: 2

Active

Community Engagement Services For Multipurpose Brownfield Grant (Annual Contract)

Columbus Consolidated Government, Columbus, Muscogee County, GA

ID: RFP-27-0002-0-2026/CB

Broadcast: Jul 2, 2026

Due: Aug 21, 2026

Planholders: 19

Watchers: 4

Active

Portable Toilet Rental and Service (Annual Contract)

Columbus Consolidated Government, Columbus, Muscogee County, GA

ID: RFB-RFB No. 26-00366-0-2026/RD

Broadcast: Apr 30, 2026

Due: Aug 12, 2026

Planholders: 17

Watchers: 3

Active

Select a solicitation to view documents and submit an electronic response.

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Bid Details

Planholders

Similar Bids

Required Actions

Community Engagement Services For Multipurpose Brownfield Grant (Annual Contract)

Active

Download Bid Package

Submit eBid Proposal

Watch

Bid Details

Agency Name	Columbus Consolidated Government
Bid Writer	Chadwick Brewer
Bid ID	RFP-27-0002-0-2026/CB
Bid Type	RFP - Request for Proposal
Broadcast Date	Jul 2, 2026 12:30pm (EDT)
Fiscal Year	2026
Due	Aug 21, 2026 5:00pm (EDT)
Bid Status Text	None
Additional Registration	NONE
(NEW)	

Scope of Work

Columbus Consolidated Government (the City) is seeking a qualified vendor to provide community engagement services for the United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) Multipurpose Brownfield Grant. The community engagement vend

Show More

Documents

Download all documents

Filename	Type	File Type	File Size	Date Modified	Status
Addendum...	Addendum	PDF	274.03 KB	Jul 29, 2026	Complete
RFP No. 27-...	Bid Document / Specifications	PDF	1.96 MB	Jul 2, 2026	Complete

The contact information will auto-populate on this page. Select “next”.

Home

Bids

Community Engagement Services For M...

My Ebid Response

Save & Finish Later

Cancel

eBid Response

Bid Details

Agency Name

Columbus Consolidated Government

Bid Number

RFP-27-0002-0-2026/CB

Bid Due Date

Aug 21, 2026 5:00pm (EDT)

Countdown to Bid Due Date

18 days, 01 hour, 39 minutes, 14 seconds remaining

Bid Name

Community Engagement Services For Multipurpose Brownfield Grant (Annual Contract)

eBid Progress:

Contact Information

Documents Upload

Review Bid

1 of 3: Contact Information

Company Name

Test Company for CCG

Address 1

1111 1st Avenue

Address 2

Address 2

Postal Code

31901

City

Columbus

State/Province

Georgia

County

Muscogee County

Country

United States of America

Phone Number

(706) 225-0000

Extension

Extension

Notes

Enter your notes here. (the space expands as required)

Next

In the “Submission Option” field, select “Online/Electronic” and choose a file to upload.

Home

Bids

Community Engagement Services For M...

My Ebid Response

Save & Finish Later

Cancel

eBid Response

Bid Details

Agency Name

Columbus Consolidated Government

Bid Number

RFP-27-0002-0-2026/CB

Bid Due Date

Aug 21, 2026 5:00pm (EDT)

Countdown to Bid Due Date

18 days, 01 hour, 38 minutes, 28 seconds remaining

Bid Name

Community Engagement Services For Multipurpose Brownfield Grant (Annual Contract)

eBid Progress:

Contact Information

Documents Upload

Review Bid

2 of 3: Documents Upload

Required Documents

The following documents are required by the agency for this project. Please select which documents you will be submitting electronically (online), and which ones you will submit directly to the agency (offline).

Click here to see accepted file formats

Required Document

Submission Option

Uploaded Document

Bidder Response ALL Documents

None

None

Online/Electronic

Offline/Manual

Not Submitting

Choose a file

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Save & Finish Later

Cancel

eBid Response

Bid Details

Agency Name

Columbus Consolidated Government

Bid Number

RFP-27-0002-0-2026/CB

Bid Due Date

Aug 21, 2026 5:00pm (EDT)

Countdown to Bid Due Date

18 days, 01 hour, 27 minutes, 49 seconds remaining

Bid Name

Community Engagement Services For Multipurpose Brownfield Grant (Annual Contract)

2 of 3: Documents Upload

Required Documents

The following documents are required by the agency for this project. Please select which documents you will be submitting electronically (online), and which ones you will submit directly to the agency (offline).

[Click here to see accepted file formats](#)

Required Document	Submission Option	Uploaded Document
☒ Bidder Response ALL Documents	Electronic/Online	Bidder Response ALL Documents.PDF

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eBid Progress:

☒ Contact Information

☒ Documents Upload

☐ Review Bid

Review submission and “Submit”

[Home](#) > [Bids](#) > [Community Engagement Services For M...](#) > [My Ebid Response](#)

Submit Response

Save & Finish Later

Cancel

Review Your eBid Response

Bid Details

Agency Name

Columbus Consolidated Government

Bid Number

RFP-27-0002-0-2026/CB

Bid Due Date

Aug 21, 2026 5:00pm (EDT)

Countdown to Bid Due Date

18 days, 01 hour, 27 minutes, 20 seconds remaining

Bid Name

Community Engagement Services For Multipurpose Brownfield Grant (Annual Contract)

3 of 3: Review Bid

Contact Info

Company Name

Test Company for CCG

Address 1

1111 1st Avenue

Address 2

City

Columbus

State

Georgia

Country

United States of America

Postal Code

31901

Phone Number

706-225-0000

Bid Amount

0

Alternate Bid Amount

Notes

Agency Required Documents

☒ Bidder Response ALL Documents (Electronic/Online)

ⓘ After clicking "Submit Response" the following process will begin:

1. We will verify that your response is complete as entered.
2. You will see a confirmation page with your confirmation number and date/time stamp of your upload.
3. You will receive a confirmation e-mail indicating a successful response submittal.
4. You may track your response submission under the Responses page.

If you do not receive any of the above, please call Supplier Services at [\(866\) 273-1863](tel:866-273-1863).

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Submit Response

eBid Progress:

☒ Contact Information

☒ Documents Upload

☒ Review Bid

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