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Notice of Final Award FSA23-VEL31.0: Pursuit, Administrative, & Other Vehicles

Date: October 1, 2023

To: Bidders and Purchasers

From: Hugh Oliver, Cooperative Purchasing Program Manger

Re: Notice of Final Award for FSA23-VEL31.0: Pursuit, Administrative, & Other Vehicles

Florida Sheriffs Association (FSA) has completed its 31st year of the cooperative purchasing pursuit, administrative, and other vehicles contract. FSA is issuing the Notice of Final Award for contract FSA23-VEL31.0: Pursuit, Administrative, & Other Vehicles that will be effective from October 1, 2023, through September 30, 2024. This year's bid included 216 items. The contract will offer pursuit rated vehicles, administrative sedans, pickup trucks, electric vehicles, cargo and passenger vans, electric bikes, motorcycles, and other light and midsize vehicles.

The competitive process for this award began in May 2023, when stakeholders were surveyed regarding procurement needs. Items were added based on survey results and the Fleet Advisory Committee's review of products.

An advertisement for the Invitation to Bid was published in the Florida Administrative Weekly, as well as the State of Florida's Office of Supplier Diversity and the FSA websites. On May 5, 2023, a direct notification was sent to 716 prospective bidders to participate in a voluntary bidder workshop. The ITB advertisement resulted in 51 pre-bid attendees or waivers. Of these respondents, 22 submitted bids and 19 qualified. FSA has identified intended awardees in the attached Final Award Report. The Final Award Report shows up to three lowest bidders per item, per zone.

The Florida Sheriffs Association Cooperative Purchasing Program has followed the Contract Terms and Conditions for this procurement. Bidders that become awarded vendors are governed by their manufacturer agreements and the Contract Terms and Conditions.

Contract pricing will be extended and guaranteed to the Florida Sheriffs Association, any unit of local government, political subdivision or agency of the State of Florida, or to other entities approved by manufacturers to buy from this contract, which can include out-of-state sales. Vendors that wish to extend contract pricing to entities other than those defined here are governed by their manufacturer's agreement. All purchasers are bound by state law, local ordinances, rules, and regulations for purchases made under this contract.