

Intended Sole Source Purchase: TrafficJet Printer Ink and Cleaner

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The description of services intended for purchase from a sole source is posted in accordance with section 3.9, Procurement Ordinance 23-21 and will be posted for a minimum of 15 business days.

Commodity or Service Required:

TrafficJet printer ink and TrafficJet Cleaner used to fabricate signs and rolls of printable material.

Description:

Lee County Department of Transportation is seeking to execute a sole source for ink for the TrafficJet printer used to fabricate signs and rolls of printable material used for the sign backgrounds, such as fluorescent green and yellow. TrafficJet cleaner is used to flush printer tubes to avoid clogs and overlay UV protection for signs. The printable material supplied by Avery Dennison provides a warranty, which is only available through Avery Dennison for the TrafficJet printer.

Intended Sole Source:

Avery Dennison Corporation

Justification for Sole Source Acquisition:

The justification for the purchase is Avery Dennison the only supplier of the TrafficJet printer which is manufactured by MUTOH. The TrafficJet printer requires the use of proprietary components available only from Avery Dennison. The components used in the TrafficJet printer have been specifically designed by Avery Dennison for traffic sign fabrication. The TrafficJet printer is the only system capable of providing all of the following benefits while providing installation, service, and warranty by the sheeting manufacturer:

- Print durable regulated traffic signs
- Print on a variety of retroreflective sheeting types, including ASTM Type I, Type IV, and Type XI
- Provide up to 15 years of warranty on all standard traffic signs
- Provide up to 10 years of warranty on all custom signs, using our patented True Traffic ColorTM Spot ink technology

Recommended Procurement Approach:

For the reasons stated above, Lee County Procurement Management intends to utilize the Sole Source Procurement method to purchase from Avery Dennison Corporation for supplying the above.

Respond to:

If your firm feels they have the ability to supply the above, please contact Kevin Walker, Lee County Procurement Management at KWalker2@leegov.com for review.