



Christian County Commission

100 West Church St, Room 100

Ozark, MO 65721

SS 2026-1 Armored Car Vehicle

Kim Hopkins-Will - Purchasing Manager Brad Cole - Sheriff

Sole Source solicitation for an armored vehicle for the Sheriff's Office. It is a 2011 Lenco BearCat, Stock #S4852U. Inc. Lenco is the sole manufacturer and distributor. This vehicle is a 2011 model with low mileage and low usage. The vehicle will be used during critical incidents, including domestic violence calls involving an armed offender, active shooter incidents, hostage rescues, and pre-planned high-risk missions (e.g., warrant service). It allows Sheriff's Office personnel and crisis negotiators to remain protected inside the vehicle, even if fired upon. Cost:\$90,000 + shipping.

RSMo Section 50.783 Waiver of competitive bid requirements, when rescission of waiver, when - single feasible source purchases - exception for Boone and Greene counties.

1. The county commission may waive the requirement of competitive bids or proposals for supplies when the commission has determined in writing and entered into the commission minutes that there is only a single feasible source for the supplies.

Immediately upon discovering that other feasible sources exist, the commission shall rescind the waiver and proceed to procure the supplies through the competitive processes as described in this chapter. A single feasible source exists when:

- (1) Supplies are proprietary and only available from the manufacturer or a single distributor; or
- (2) Based on past procurement experience, it is determined that only one distributor services the region in which the supplies are needed; or
- (3) Supplies are available at a discount from a single distributor for a limited period of time.

2. On any single feasible source purchase where the estimated expenditure is over twelve thousand dollars, the commission shall post notice of the proposed purchase and advertise the commission's intent to make such purchase in at least one daily and one weekly newspaper of general circulation in such places as are most likely to reach prospective bidders or offerors and may provide such information through an electronic medium available to the general public at least ten days before the contract is to be let.

3. Notwithstanding subsection 2 of this section to the contrary, on any single feasible service purchase by any county of the first classification with more than one hundred fifty thousand but fewer than two hundred thousand inhabitants or any county of the first classification with more than two hundred sixty thousand but fewer than three hundred thousand inhabitants where the estimated expenditure is over twelve thousand dollars, the commission shall post notice of the proposed purchase and advertise the commission's intent to make such purchase in at least one daily and one weekly newspaper of general circulation in such places as are most likely to reach prospective bidders or offerors and may provide such information through an electronic medium available to the general public at least ten days before the contract is to be let.

ATTACHMENTS:



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