



Bid Waiver Legal Notice

Legal Notice

Publication Date: **March 6, 2025**

Contracts and Purchasing Services at the University of Idaho hereby publishes notice of its intent to waive the competitive bid requirements. This notice is being given pursuant to Idaho Code § 67-9225, Idaho State Board of Education Policy V.I.4, and University of Idaho Administrative Procedures Manual (APM 60.13).

Procurement Title: Climate Smart Practice Implementation Services

Awarded Vendor:

Applicant # 42 - *Confidential – Protected Under Federal Law*

Applicant # 46 - *Confidential – Protected Under Federal Law*

Applicant # 62 - *Confidential – Protected Under Federal Law*

Applicant # 65 - *Confidential – Protected Under Federal Law*

Applicant # 80 - *Confidential – Protected Under Federal Law*

Applicant # 90 - *Confidential – Protected Under Federal Law*

Applicant # 105 - *Confidential – Protected Under Federal Law*

Applicant # 152 - *Confidential – Protected Under Federal Law*

Procurement Justification:

The awarded vendor has been identified as the sole provider capable of meeting the university's operational and technical requirements. The Director of Contracts and Purchasing Services has determined that no other vendor can fulfill this procurement due to specific compatibility, regulatory, or programmatic needs.

Confidentiality Notice:

In compliance with federal law (Section 1619 of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008), certain details related to this procurement are deemed confidential and cannot be disclosed publicly. Specifically, information protected under Section 1619, including but not limited to personally identifiable landowner information, geospatial data, acreage details, and other restricted records, will not be included in this notice.

Challenge Process:

Any vendor may file a challenge to this bid waiver by contacting:

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All challenges must be filed within five (5) business days of the publication date above.