

SOLE SOURCE DETERMINATION

The Purchasing Division has been requested to approve a sole source purchase for the commodity or service described below. Pursuant to West Virginia Code 5A-3-10c, the Purchasing Division is attempting to determine whether the commodity or service is a sole source procurement. If you believe your company meets the required experience and qualification criteria stated below, please e-mail the Purchasing Division Buyer at Frank.M.Whittaker@wv.gov with a copy to Karen.O.Byrd@wv.gov to express your interest in the project. Please forward any and all information that will support your company's compliance with required qualification and eligibility criteria along with any other pertinent information relative to this project to the Purchasing Division no later than 06/02/09.

Requisition Number: DNR209192 Department/Agency: DNR

Detailed Description of Project:

The purchase of a Shay locomotive in order to use various parts to keep the locomotives already in service at Cass operating and for the restoration of locomotives awaiting repairs.

Proposed Sole Source Vendor: Michael J. Miller – Rockwood, PA

Specific Eligibility Criteria:

The Shay locomotive must be similar in size and type to the locomotives presently operating at Cass or awaiting restoration. The Shay being purchased is a Class 70-3, standard gauge locomotive with 12" x 15" cylinders and 36" drivers. This makes it compatible with Cass locomotives.

Specific Qualification Criteria:

Shay locomotives, other than the locomotive being sought, are not currently available for sale. The funds for the purchase of this particular locomotive were obtained through a Federal Grant, Project No. TEA-OH22 (001) D.