

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 paul.reynolds@wv.gov with a copy to Michael.W.Sheets@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 Oct 19, 2011.

Requisition Number: 58120006

Department/Agency: DOH

Detailed Description of Project:

The DOH is actively installing a FUELMaster automated fuel system under a contract awarded to Syn-Tech Systems Inc. at all DOH fueling sites statewide. Approximately 40 fueling sites are configured with above ground tanks having fuel dispensers located on opposite sides of the tanks. This was done to compliment the traffic flow and allow diesel and gasoline vehicles to fuel simultaneously. It has been determined that there will be communication issues with the Fuelmaster controller and the fuel dispensers at these sites and a Remote FRB device is needed.

Proposed Sole Source Vendor: Syn-Tech Systems, Inc.

Specific Eligibility Criteria:

The required Remote FRB must allow communications between the Fuelmaster controller (Fuel Management Unit) and the fuel dispensers located on opposite sides of approximately 40 DOH fuel dispensing sites. This communication is imperative for the Fuelmaster System to function properly. The FRB device must work with the FUELMaster Sytem which is copyrighted and patented.

Specific Qualification Criteria:

Syn-Tech's Fuelmaster System is a proprietary item, and components from other automated fuel systems are not compatible. The required Remote FRB, Part No. 941B0550, is a communication device manufactured by Syn-Tech Systems Inc. to operate with the FUELMaster Sytem and is designed to ensure communications from the fuel island mounted controller to the dispensers.