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TO: Frank Whittaker
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FROM: Mark Atkins
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SUBJECT: Emergency Contract for WVARF Commodities and Services

The West Virginia Purchasing Division requests approval for a three-month emergency contract for WVARF Commodities and Services through the incumbent vendor, The West Virginia Association of Rehabilitation Facilities, Inc. (WVARF). The WVARF23E Contract will operate under the original general terms and conditions of the WVARF23 contract with Change Order No. 08 Updated Pricing Pages. This emergency will mirror the Division of Rehabilitation Services emergency contract AMA DRS2700000002 which runs from 9/01/2026 through 11/30/2026 establishing the CNA provider for the WVARF23 contract.

The emergency contract is needed to ensure continual essential commodities and services may be provided by the Certified Rehabilitative Program (CRP) organizations to State agencies and political subdivisions while the new specifications for bidding for a new Certified Non-Profit Agency (CNA) contract are being revised.

Establishing the emergency contract will ensure the CRPs can continue offering employment to the eligible workers and provide uninterrupted goods and services in a timely and efficient manner as well as maintain WV Code requirements for providing this contract.

Please let me know if you have any questions or need any additional information to support this request.

Sincerely,

Mark Atkins
Buyer Supervisor