

**DETERMINATION AND FINDINGS
FOR A
SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT**

CONTRACT NO.: CW38481
CAPTION: Seagrave Pumper Refurbishment
PROPOSED CONTRACTOR: FWD Seagrave Fire Apparatus, LLC
PROGRAM AGENCY: Fire & Emergency Medical Services

FINDINGS

1. AUTHORIZATION:

D.C. Official Code §2-354.04, 27 DCMR 1304, 1700 and 1701

2. MINIMUM NEED:

The DC Fire and Emergency Medical Services (FEMS) require a contractor to refurbish Seagrave® Pumper Trucks without voiding any warranties on any components of the existing Pumper Trucks.

3. ESTIMATED REASONABLE PRICE:

\$517,152 per unit based on government estimate.

4. FACTS WHICH JUSTIFY SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT:

Seagrave Fire Apparatus, LLC, who is the manufacturer for Seagrave Pumper Trucks, must perform the refurbishment work in order to avoid voiding any remaining warranties and refurbish the truck back to its original certified equipment specification. See attached letter from Seagrave dated July 28, 2015 confirming that the work must be performed at the Seagrave Factory to avoid voiding warranties and to properly refurbish the truck back to its original certified specifications.

In order to ensure that the vehicle meets Federal Motor Vehicle safety standards, a vehicle that is refurbished should be completed by the manufacturer (or authorized service provider).

5. CERTIFICATION BY AGENCY HEAD:

I hereby certify that the above findings are true, correct and complete.

Date

Edward R. Mills III
Interim Chief
Fire and Emergency Medical Services

6. CERTIFICATION BY CONTRACTING OFFICER:

I have reviewed the above findings and certify that they are sufficient to justify the use of the sole source method of procurement under the cited authority. I certify that the notice of intent to award a sole source contract was published in accordance with 27 DCMR 1304 and that no response was received. I recommend that the Chief Procurement Officer approve the use of the sole source procurement method for this proposed contract.

Date

Gena Johnson
Contracting Officer

DETERMINATION

Based on the above findings and in accordance with the cited authority, I hereby determine that it is not feasible or practical to invoke the competitive solicitation process under either Section 402 or 403 of the District of Columbia Procurement Practices Reform Act of 2010 (D.C. Law 18-371; D.C. Official Code § 2-354.02 or 2-354.03). Accordingly, I determine that the District is justified in using the sole source method of procurement.

Date

George A. Schutter
Chief Procurement Officer



FWD Seagrave



July, 28 2015

Mr. Sherman Squire
Contract Specialist
Department of Public Works
Office of Contracting and Procurement
2000 14th Street N.W., 6th Floor
Washington, D.C. 20009

RE: Washington DC – FWD Seagrave Pumper/Engine Refurbishments/Repair

Dear Sherman,

This letter details FWD Seagrave recommendations for FWD Seagrave Pumper/Engines to be returned to the factory for refurbishment/repair.

Conditions identifying recommended Seagrave factory refurbishment/repair:

1. An FWD Seagrave pumper/engine containing damage to welds of structural components, or damage to proprietary structural components which have been determined to be beyond the capability of a FWD Seagrave customer service representative.
2. An FWD Seagrave cab or frame rail structure that has been compromised due to damage caused by corrosion or other means.
3. Any cab or frame rail refurbishment/repair work performed on an FWD Seagrave outside of the FWD Seagrave factory is not authorized and will immediately void any remaining warranties in force at the time the work was performed.

FWD Seagrave has a proprietary cab design. In addition we have we have specialized fixtures and procedures designed specifically to build and refurbish the FWD Seagrave unique cab.

In order for a structurally damaged FWD Seagrave cab or frame rail to be properly refurbished/repared and certified to original equipment specifications it must be repaired at the factory. FWD Seagrave will provide a 1 year limited warranty on refurbishment/repair work performed on FWD Seagrave pumper/engines.

If you have any further questions contact me at your convenience, 715-823-1898

Sincerely,

Steve Krueger
Manager Business Development Refurbishments
FWD Seagrave