

METROPOLITAN GOVERNMENT OF NASHVILLE AND DAVIDSON COUNTY

9/29/2020 | 4:58 PM CDT

Mr. Richie Bawcum Ferguson Enterprises 1708 Elm Hill Pike Nashville, TN 37210

Re: RFQ# 81163, Gaiter Mask Coverings

Dear Mr. Bawcum:

The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County (Metro) has completed the evaluation of submitted solicitation offer(s) to the above RFQ# 81163, Gaiter Mask Coverings. This letter hereby notifies you of Metro's intent to award to **Ferguson Enterprises** contingent upon successful contract negotiations. Please provide a certificate of Insurance indicating all applicable coverages within 15 business days of the receipt of this letter.

If the Equal Business Opportunity (EBO) Program requirements were a part of this solicitation, the awardee must forward a signed copy of the "Letter of Intent to Perform as Subcontractor/Subconsultant/Supplier/Joint Venture" for any minority/women-owned business enterprises included in the response to the Business Assistance Office within two business days from this notification.

Additionally, the awardee will be required to submit evidence of participation of and contractor's payment to all Small, Minority, and Women Owned Businesses participation in any resultant contract. This evidence shall be submitted monthly and include copies of subcontracts or purchase orders, the Prime Contractor's Application for Payment, or invoices, and cancelled checks or other supporting payment documents. Should you have any questions concerning this requirement, please contact **Christopher Wood**, BAO Representative, at **615-862-6710** or at **Christopher.Wood@nashville.gov**.

Depending on the file sizes, the responses to the procurement solicitation and supporting award documentation can be made available either by email, CD for pickup, or in person for inspection. If you desire to receive or review the documentation or have any questions, please contact Buyer, **Terri Ray**, by email at **Terri.Ray@nashville.gov** Monday through Friday between 8:30am and 3:30pm.

Thank you for participating in Metro's competitive procurement process.

Sincerely,

Michelle A. Hernandez Lane

Michelle A. Hernandez Lane Purchasing Agent

Cc: Solicitation File, Other Offerors

Pursuant to M.C.L. 4.36.010 Authority to resolve protested solicitations and awards.

A. Right to Protest. Any actual or prospective bidder, offeror or contractor who is aggrieved in connection with the solicitation or award of a contract may protest to the Purchasing Agent. The protest shall be submitted in writing within ten (10) days after such aggrieved person knows or should have known of the facts giving rise thereto.
Procurement Division

Enter Solicitation Title & Number Below						
RFQ 81163 - Gaiter Mask Coverings	Min. SBE/SDV Participation	Incentive Percentage	Incentive Calculator	Lowest Bid	МАСР	Winning Bid
	0.0%	0.00%	100.00%	\$1,824,810	\$1,824,810	Multiple
Offeror's Name	Bids	SBE	Participation Incentive Threshold	Participation Incentive	Incentive Evaluation Amount	Status of ITB Award
Ferguson Enterprises	\$3,984,479.08	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,984,479	Awarded
Urban Nation Apparel	\$1,824,810.25	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$1,824,810	Awarded

Offerors Deemed Non-Responsive

Offeror Name	Reason		
G&G Outfitters	Required sample not received by Procurement by deadline as stated in the solicitation		
Grainger Industrial Supply	Required sample not received by Procurement by deadline as stated in the solicitation		
Course of Trade Manufacturing LLC	No specification sheet provided as required in the solicitation		
NashvilleTN Store	No specification sheet provided as required in the solicitation		
Pecata Enterprises, Inc.	No specification sheet provided as required in the solicitation		
Staples Inc	No specification sheet provided as required in the solicitation		
Kalci Soccer LLC	Specification Sheet does not align with delivery requirements within the solicitation		
KAN Heritage Inc	Specification Sheet does not align with specification requirements within the solicitation		
Maitri LLC	Specification Sheet does not align with specification requirements within the solicitation		
Avaza Language Services Corp.	Specification Sheet does not align with specification requirements within the solicitation		
Blink Marketing, Inc.	Sample received failed to demonstrate compliance with specification requirements within the solicitation		
Revelae Group LLC	Sample received failed to demonstrate compliance with specification requirements within the solicitation		

No Formal Offer Received

ByLove	Sample Received but no Quote Received in ORACLE/iSupplier as required by the solicitation



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Minh Nguyen Avaza Language Services Corp. 5209 Linbar Drive, Suite 603 Nashville, TN 37211

m.nguyen@avaza.co - SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Minh Nguyen:

The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County has completed its evaluation of submitted responses to the above solicitation and unfortunately, has determined that your submission was not minimally responsive to the requirements of the solicitation.

Specifically, the submitted bid was non-responsive due to the provided specification sheet failing to demonstrate compliance with the minimum specifications section as listed within the solicitation.

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Kind Regards,

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Danny Gardner Blink Marketing, Inc. 318 Seaboard Lane, Ste 101 Franklin, TN 37067

danny@blinkmarketing.com- SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Danny Gardner:

The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County has completed its evaluation of submitted responses to the above solicitation and unfortunately, has determined that your submission was not minimally responsive to the requirements of the solicitation.

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Libby Mattern Course of Trade Manufacturing LLC 32 33rd Street Unit 13, 5th Floor Brooklyn, NY 11232

libby@courseoftrade.com - SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Libby Mattern:

The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County has completed its evaluation of submitted responses to the above solicitation and unfortunately, has determined that your submission was not minimally responsive to the requirements of the solicitation.

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Trisha Burgan G&G Outfitters 4901 Forbes Blvd Lanham, MD 20706

tburgan@ggoutfitters.com - SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Trisha Burgan:

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Shannon LeFeve Grainger Industrial Supply 1021 Charlotte Ave Nashville, TN 37210

Shannon.LeFeve@grainger.com- SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Shannon LeFeve:

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Ahmed Khawaja Kalci Soccer LLC 4741 Charter Ct Woodbridge, Virginia 22192

info@kalcisoccer.com - SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Ahmed Khawaja:

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Abhishek Agrawal KAN Heritage INC. 7620 Folsom Auburn Rd Folsom, CA 95630

kanheritage@gmail.com - SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Abhishek Agrawal:

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Zachary Vuong Maitri LLC 1717 W 34th Street, Suite 600-145 Houston, TX 77018

houston@pindolife.com - SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Zachary Vuong:

The Metropolitan Government of Nashville and Davidson County has completed its evaluation of submitted responses to the above solicitation and unfortunately, has determined that your submission was not minimally responsive to the requirements of the solicitation.

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Timothy Gerst NashvilleTN Store 701 Murfreesboro Pike, Suite 200 Nashville, Tennessee 37210

tim@atnashvilletn.com - SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Timothy Gerst:

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Lenny Kutner Pecata Enterprises, Inc 18 Market Street Paterson, NJ 07501

Ikutner@pecata.com - SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Lenny Kutner:

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Andy Wallace Revelae Group LLC 2567 E Garwood Road Hayden, Idaho 83835

wallaceaj0@gmail.com - SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Andy Wallace:

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Jessica Rice Staples, Inc PO Box 930257 Atlanta, GA 31193

Jessica.rice@hitouchbusinessservices.com - SENT VIA EMAIL

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Dear Jessica Rice:

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