



COMPETITION EXCEPTION REPORT



Competition exception is the decision to purchase without competition through the use of bidding, formal solicitation, request for qualification, or a request for proposal when competition is available.

SOLE SOURCE



Only one vendor possesses the unique and singularly available capability to meet the requirement such as technical qualifications, ability to deliver based on distribution restrictions, or services from a public utility. See the Purchasing Manual Section 40.2 for examples.

Procurement Contact: Lisa Robbins

Total Cost: 45,000+

Department Contact: Mary Velasquez

VENDOR NAME:

Ka-Comm

COMMODITY/SERVICE DESCRIPTION:

Federal Signal Emergency Public Safety Lighting, renewal contract.

JUSTIFICATION:

Ka-Comm is a local Olathe store, and is a Master Distributor for Federal Signal. This gives Olathe PD & FD (if needed) the deepest discount possible, in which no other vendor can match.

Department Director

Director of Economy or Designee

J Michael Wilkes (Mar 16, 2021 13:39 CDT)

City Manager
(Required over \$25,000)