PROCUREMENT JUSTIFICATION FORM (PJF)

This form must accompany all contract requests and sole source requisitions (RQS) over \$5,000 submitted to the Division of Procurement Services.

INSTRUCTIONS: Please provide the requested information in the white spaces below. All responses (except signatures) must be typed; no hand-written forms will be accepted. See the guidance document posted with this form on the Division of Procurement Services intranet site (Forms page) for additional instructions.

PART I: OVERVIEW								
Department Office/Division/Program:			Marine Resources/Bureau of Marine Science					
Department Contract Administrator or Grant Coordinator:			Jarrod Desjardins/HQ-Finance					
(If applicable) Department Reference #:			N/A					
Amount: (Contract/Amendment/Grant) \$ 8,		\$ 8,109.	05 = -		13A 202	40514000000003236		
CONTRACT	Proposed Start Date:		7/1/2024		Proposed End Date:		6/30/2025	
AMENDMENT	Original Start Date:				Effective Date:			
AMENDMENT	Previous End Date:				New End Date:			
GRANT	Project Start Date:				Grant Start Date:			
GRANT	Project End Date:				Grant End Date:			
Vendor/Provider/Grantee Name, City, State:			Boothbay Region Dis dba Giles Rubbish- Boothbay, ME					
Brief Description of Goods/Services/Grant:			Rubbish removal from Boothbay Harbor facility					

PART II: JUSTIFICATION FOR VENDOR SELECTION						
Check the box below for the justification(s) that applies to this request. (Check all that apply.)						
	A. Competitive Process		G. Grant			
	B. Amendment		H. State Statute/Agency Directed			
\boxtimes	C. Single Source/Unique Vendor		I. Federal Agency Directed			
	D. Proprietary/Copyright/Patents		J. Willing and Qualified			
	E. Emergency		K. Client Choice			
	F. University Cooperative Project		L. Other Authorization			

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Please respond to ALL of the questions in the following sections.

PART III: SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

1. Provide a more detailed description and explain the need for the goods, services or grant to supplement the response in Part I.

Rubbish removal is essential for day-to-day operations at DMR's Boothbay facility.

2. Provide a brief justification for the selected vendor to supplement the response in Part II. Reference the RFP number, if applicable.

Giles rubbish is the only vendor in the area with the capabilities to do this kind of waste disposal. We have large waste barrels filled with dead fish carcasses. There are no other vendors within a reasonable distance who are willing to handle this kind of waste.

3. Explain how the negotiated costs or rates are fair and reasonable; or how the funding was allocated to grantee.

Negotiated cost is fair and reasonable for the services provided. As stated, there are no other vendors willing to take on this job.

4. Describe the plan for future competition for the goods or services.

Currently, Giles rubbish is the only option for refuse services. Should other companies become available, DMR will reach out for quotes.

PART IV: AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT (ARPA) / MAINE JOBS & RECOVERY PLAN (MJRP)
Does this request utilize ARPA/MJRP funds?
☐ Yes, MJRP funds (023) – If Yes, please attach the approved Business Case(s).
☐ Yes, ARPA funds (025) — If Yes, please be aware of the requirements from awarding federal agencies.
⊠ No – If No, proceed to Part V.

PART V: CONFLICTS OF INTEREST (COI); CONTRACT WITH THE STATE

Does the requesting Department signatory understand and acknowledge Maine's COI Statute?

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PART VI: APPROVALS							
The signatures below indicate approval of this procurement request.							
Signature of requesting Department's Commissioner (or designee):	Carl Wilson (May 14, 2024 14:05 EDT)						
Typed Name:	Carl Wilson, Director of Marine Science	Date:	5/14/2024				
Signature of DAFS Procurement Official:	DocuSigned by: Kathy Paquette 41C2BA36FAF44CD						
Typed Name:	Kathy Paquette	Date:	5/17/2024				

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