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TO: Region One Purchasing Cooperative (ROPC) Members

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SUBJECT: Fire, Law Enforcement, Public Safety, Security - Equipment, Supplies, Systems, and Repairs  
RFP 18-AGENCY-00036

DATE: December 20, 2017

This request for proposal (RFP) allows Region One Education Service Center, and its Region One Purchasing Cooperative (ROPC) members, the opportunity to contract with qualified vendors for Fire, Law Enforcement, Public Safety, Security – Equipment, Supplies, Systems, and Repairs on an as-needed basis to procure services that include, but not be limited to body cameras, surveillance items, uniforms, foot-wear and tactical gear. Item descriptions, specifications and/or technical requirements and estimated quantities and pricing, and/or price lists and/or catalogs have been provided by each vendor enclosed. ROPC members are required to conduct a cost or price analysis for the procurement of goods and/or services not listed in the items tab, and within the scope of services offered with this bid solicitation. ROPC members are responsible for the selection of goods and/or services available to meet their needs.

On November 15, 2017, the Region One ESC Purchasing Department, acting on behalf of its ROPC members received eight (8) responses to Fire, Law Enforcement, Public Safety, Security - Equipment, Supplies, Systems, and Repairs RFP 18-AGENCY-00036. Proposals were evaluated to select the best qualified vendors based on the established criteria, see the tabulation and evaluation summary.

On December 19, 2017, the Region One Board of Directors met to review and approve the recommendations of the Region One Purchasing Cooperative (ROPC), acting on behalf of its members, for award of Fire, Law Enforcement, Public Safety, Security - Equipment, Supplies, Systems, and Repairs RFP 18-AGENCY-00036.

The term of this contract is effective January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2018, with the option to extend up to three (3) additional one (1) year periods if all parties are in agreement. The following six (6) vendors are awarded for Fire, Law Enforcement, Public Safety, Security - Equipment, Supplies, Systems, and Repairs RFP 18-AGENCY-00036 based on the proposals received, including pricing and services that best meet the need of our members: *American Surveillance Co, Brownsville, TX; Digital Ally, Inc., Lenexa, KS; GT Distributors, Austin, TX; Safety Vision LLC, Houston, TX; South Texas Communications, McAllen, TX; WatchGuard, Inc., Allen, TX.*

For additional information or questions, please contact the Region One Purchasing Cooperative:

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