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STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE NOTICE & REQUEST FOR SOLE SOURCE

STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE
STATE OF HAWAII

- 1. TO: Chief Procurement Officer
- 2. FROM: Transportation/Highways
Department/Division/Agency

Pursuant to §103D-306, HRS, and Subchapter 9, Chapter 3-122, HAR, the Department requests sole source approval to purchase the following:

3. Description of goods, services, or construction:
 Product: Instant Road Repair is an all-weather, rapid curing asphaltic concrete mixture used by the Department of Transportation highway maintenance crews for asphalt pothole patching.

4. Vendor Name: GP Roadway Solutions, Inc. Address: 660 Mapunapuna Street Honolulu, Hawaii 96819	5. Price: \$150,000.00
6. Term of Contract: (mm/dd/yyyy) From: <u>11/12/09</u> ¹²⁸ Date of Approval To: 4/30/10	7. Prior Sole Source Ref No. 09-043-D

8. Feature: The good, service, or construction has the following unique features, characteristics, or capabilities: The patching material can be used on potholes regardless of weather conditions, remains stable in an unconfined area, rapid curing and will not shrink after it cures, long lasting and does not require constant repair to the same areas. It is available in 3 and 5 resealable buckets. Highway maintenance crews can permanently patch potholes just by pouring out the asphaltic concrete mixture from the bucket. Instant Road Repair is applied without special equipment or skilled personnel and without the addition of any tack oil or bonding agent and repairs can be made in all-weather conditions.

9. Essential features. How the unique features, characteristics, or capabilities are essential for the agency to accomplish its work: Highway maintenance crews can keep bucket in their trucks while working on roadways to do spot pothole repairs. There is no need for heavy dump trucks, mixing equipment and multiple workers to shovel and compact patching material. This product is ready-to-use, does not require mixing and addition of a primer or bonding agent. Compaction can be performed with shovel or just by driving over the repaired area. Crews can respond to pothole complaints immediately because the product can be stored at various highway baseyards around the island. Material has a shelf life of one year from the date of purchase. With the amount of complaints that the department receive from the public, this product is a time saving and cost effective way to deal with the challenges on keeping our roadways safe and properly maintained. Due to the lack of manpower, the department was not able to conduct the required test and evaluation as mentioned in Sole Source No. 09-043-D. Currently working with our Material Testing & Research Branch to conduct performance test.

11. Alternate source. The following other possible sources for the good, service, or construction were investigated but do not meet our needs because: The current procedure of using hot mix asphalt concrete to fix potholes has not been effective. The mix has to be prepared, several heavy duty trucks has to be mobilized, multiple crews have to shovel and compact the mixture before it hardens, police are needed to control the rolling lane closure and the material does not last requiring crews to go back and repatch the potholes. The asphalt is not easy to store and must follow EPA guidelines for containment. Our highway maintenance crews have also tried other products such as QPR and Wespro. These products did not perform as desired. QPR was not adhering to asphalt and Wespro's mixture separates while in storage requiring more work.

12. Direct any inquiries to:
Department: Transportation
Contact Name/Title: Leandro A. Manding, CE III

13 Phone Number:
587-2184
Fax Number:
587-2524

Expenditure may be processed with a purchase order/p-Card: Yes No If no, a contract must be executed and funds certified.

Agency shall ensure adherence to applicable administrative and statutory requirements, including HAR Chapter 3-122, Subchapter 15, Cost or Pricing Data, if required.

14. *I certify that the information provided above is to the best of my knowledge, true, correct and that the goods, services, or construction are available through only one source.*

Department Head Signature

Date

11-6-09

Reserved for SPO Use Only

15 Date Notice Posted: 11/13/09

Submit written objections to this notice to issue a sole source contract within seven calendar days or as otherwise allowed from the above posted date to:
Chief Procurement Officer
State Procurement Office
P.O. Box 119
Honolulu, Hawaii 96810-0119

16. Chief Procurement Officer's comments:

Approval is granted until 4/30/10 to purchase a limited quantity in order to test and evaluate against other products in the marketplace, and create a qualified or pre-approved products list, for the purpose of making an award, pursuant to HAR 3-122-81(e). This process will give other potential offerors an opportunity to be considered. Reference HAR 3-122-13(b)(5).

17.

APPROVED DISAPPROVED NO ACTION REQUIRED

Chief Procurement Officer *Adam S. Fujita* 12/10/09
Date