

CITY OF COLUMBUS
BID WAIVER INFORMATION FORM

TO ACCOMPANY LEGISLATION WHICH WAIVES ANY PROVISIONS OF COLUMBUS CITY CODES CHAPTER 329
(PLEASE LIMIT YOUR RESPONSE TO THIS SHEET)

1. Reasons for waiving City Code bid procedure:

- emergency breakdown causing unplanned need
- item to be purchased is of a perishable nature
- need to extend and existing contract
- there is not enough time to obtain formal bids to satisfy need
- non-price error on either the bidder's or the City's part in the bid proposal
- a new law or regulation requires immediate compliance
- other _____

2. Detailed explanation of reason (must be completed by division):

The City of Columbus Division of Police was awarded a grant under the FY 2005 Buffer Zone Protection Program (BZPP) grant. These monies are to purchase equipment for Polaris Fashion Ctr., Easton Town Ctr., Columbus Crew Stadium, Eastland Mall, Nationwide Area and Columbus City Center as approved by the U. S. Department of Homeland Security (DHS). Due to the uniqueness of each of these locations such as landscaping/décor and their already existing contracts with suppliers and security issues involving the equipment being purchased; each location is responsible for obtaining their quotes.

3. Informal procedure used:

- telephone quotations
- written quotations
- negotiations

Informal bids received and prices for each:

The individual locations are obtaining quotes on the approved equipment. The quotes are being submitted to City of Columbus Division of Police for approval and processing via the conditions of the grant.

4. If lowest bid was not accepted, explain criteria for award:

Stated above

ORDINANCE #:

APPROVED BY:

Authorized Approval on Corresponding Legislative File

DATE:
