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**CITY OF COLUMBUS - SOLE SOURCE INFORMATION FORM**

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

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**1. Verification of sole source: (Why no other individual or business entity is capable of supplying the needed item/service.)**

- Sole source manufacturer/distributor.
- Sole distributor authorized for this territory.
- Patented product purchased for owner/developer.
- Sole company offering this unique service.
- Other:

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**2. Describe any effort to bid for alternate item (service or product) that is not provided by a sole source that would meet this need:**

The City made the decision in 2002, by authority of ordinance 0976-02, to standardize its GIS technology using ESRI products. The City continues to be satisfied with ESRI GIS technology, so did not consider alternative GIS technologies for an enterprise license agreement.

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**3. Describe efforts to determine/verify that the company is the sole source:**

Letter received from company indicating that ESRI is the owner, manufacturer, and sole source provider of its software utilized under an enterprise agreement.

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**4. Indicate how the price or fee structure was determined:**

ESRI and the City negotiated the enterprise agreement pricing reflected in the attached price proposal.

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