

**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)

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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 an 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      A helicopter purchase committee made the recommendation to purchase Bell 407GX.
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2. Detailed explanation of reason (must be completed by division):

It is necessary to waive City Code bid procedure because a helicopter purchase committee was formed to research helicopter products that would meet and/or surpass the unit mission platform, while achieving the best economic value for the city.

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3. Informal procedure used:

- telephone quotations
  - written quotations
  - \* negotiations
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4. Informal bids received and prices for each:

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

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