

**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 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 The current agreement between Ohio Association of Municipal/County Court Clerks and FedEx provides a cost savings flat rate only offered through FedEx.

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

FedEx offers a discounted rate as a part of the Courts Program and is the sole company offering this cost-saving program for Courts. Additionally, the Municipal Court Clerk's case management system, CourtView, will only accept FedEx to interface with their system.

3. Informal procedure used: N/A

- ☐ telephone quotations
- ☒ written quotations
- ☐ negotiations

4. Informal bids received and prices for each: N/A

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

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