
**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. In accordance with section 329.27 of the Columbus City Code, City Council may determine that the City's best interest is served by waiving the City Code Formal Bid procedures for the following reason(s): (Note that these reasons are all based on time. Currently, formal bid average completion time is 189 calendar days.)

- An unanticipated breakdown created an unplanned, emergency need.
- The item to be purchased is of a perishable nature, the price or availability will perish before the formal bid process can be completed.
- Need to extend an existing contract for one year or more where no provision for extension was included in the original bid/contract.
- Need to increase a contract for additional supplies/services, although the original contract obligations have been fulfilled.
- A new law or regulation requires immediate compliance; there is insufficient time to accomplish formal competitive bidding and satisfy the needs in order to comply.
- Other: There is not enough time to obtain formally advertised, competitive sealed bids to satisfy the needs because: The Purchasing Office previously opened SA001363 and SA001571. Two contracts resulted from SA001363. Since two formal bid proposals have not yielded a responsive bid and time is of the essence, the Health Department is requesting that the proposal from SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a GlaxoSmithKline be considered on an informal basis and a contract established as they are the only bidder.

2. Informal bid procedure used: Yes No Explain:

The City of Columbus chose SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a GlaxoSmithKline's proposal because it was the only bid received. SmithKline Beecham d/b/a GlaxoSmithKline has agreed that the pricing submitted on their proposal for formal bid SA001571 would be the pricing for the proposed Universal Term Contract.

3. Informal bids received and prices for each:

Hepatitis A vaccine, 5 pack/1 dose TL Syringes @ \$17.75 per dose
Hepatitis B vaccine, 5 pack/1 dose TL Syringes @ \$23.50 per dose
Hepatitis A/B vaccine, 5 pack/1 dose TL Syringes @ \$35.41 per dose

4. If lowest bid was not accepted, Explain:

SmithKline Beecham Corp. d/b/a GlaxoSmithKline offered the only bid. Since the terms and conditions submitted with the bid made it a non-responsive bid, the City negotiated acceptable terms and conditions.

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