

**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 Grant partner and specialized services required

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

Specialized services are required and under the OVW Stalking Initiative Grant. Leffler Investigative Services was approved as a partner. Under the grant award, a partner is not subject to competitive bidding requirements. In addition, the grant period began 10/01/01 and it is imperative to begin the grant-funded activities as soon as possible.

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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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ORDINANCE #: 1754-2013

APPROVED BY: \_\_\_\_\_

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