



City of Omaha
Jean Stothert, Mayor

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Office of the Mayor
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Honorable President

and Members of the City Council,

Transmitted herewith is a Resolution authorizing the purchase of and payment for thirty six (36) Cyanokits in the amount of \$24,324.48. The Cyanokits will provide the Omaha Metropolitan Medical Response System (OMMRS), its partner agencies, and emergency medical service (EMS) personnel with mass care supplies.

Meridian Medical Technologies is the sole vendor of the Cyanokits that will provide the Omaha Metropolitan Medical Response System (OMMRS), its partner agencies, and EMS personnel with mass care supplies. In accordance with the provisions of Section 5.16, Home Rule Charter, in the event of a sole source vendor, the City Council may, by resolution, authorize the Purchasing Division to issue a purchase order for the services.

The Cyanokits are budgeted from and will be funded by the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, Office of Community & Rural Health, Hospital Preparedness Program, #5U90TP000533-02, approved by City Council on October 29, 2013, Ordinance No. 39918, Fund 12168, Organization 130757.

Respectfully submitted,

Approved as to Funding:

Jean Stothert 2/28/14
Jean Stothert
Mayor

Stephen Curtiss 2/26/14
Stephen Curtiss
Finance Director *6RC*

Approved:

Shondra L. Williams 2/26/14
Human Rights and Relations
Date

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CITY OF OMAHA

LEGISLATIVE CHAMBER

Omaha, Nebraska

RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OMAHA:

WHEREAS, Meridian Medical Technologies submitted a quote in the amount of twenty four thousand three hundred twenty four dollars and forty eight cents (\$24,324.48) for the purchase of thirty six (36) Cyanokits to be used by the Omaha Metropolitan Medical Response System (OMMRS) and its partner agencies; and,

WHEREAS, Meridian Medical Technologies is the sole source vendor for these products as provided in Chapter 5.16 of the Home Rule Charter; and,

WHEREAS, the Cyanokits will provide the OMMRS, its partner agencies, and emergency medical service (EMS) personnel with mass care supplies; and,

WHEREAS, The purchase is budgeted from and will be funded by the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, Office of Community & Rural Health, Hospital Preparedness Program, #5U90TP000533-02, Fund 12168, Organization 130757; and,

WHEREAS, the Mayor recommends your favorable consideration of this Resolution.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF OMAHA:

THAT, as recommended by the Mayor, the purchase from Meridian Medical Technologies, a sole source vendor provided in Chapter 5.16 of the Home Rule Charter in the amount of twenty four thousand three hundred twenty four dollars and forty eight cents (\$24,324.48) for the purchase of thirty six (36) Cyanokits to be used by the OMMRS and its partner agencies, is hereby approved.

FURTHER THAT, the Finance Department of the City of Omaha is authorized to pay Nebraska Methodist Hospital in the amount of \$24,324.48 for the purchase of thirty six (36) Cyanokits, budgeted from and funded by the Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health, Office of Community & Rural Health, Hospital Preparedness Program, #5U90TP000533-02, Fund 12168, Organization 130757.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By.....
Councilmember

Michelle Peters 2-25-14
ASSISTANT CITY ATTORNEY DATE

Adopted.....
City Clerk

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Approved.....
Mayor

EQUIPMENT PROCUREMENT REQUEST FORM (EPRF)

Select:

- 2013 STATE HOMELAND SECURITY EMW-2013-SS00010-501 9/23/2013 - 1/31/2015
 2013-2014 BIOTERRORISM/HOSPITAL PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM 5U90TP000533-02 7/01/2013 - 6/30/2014

Agency/Committee Requesting Purchase: Omaha Metropolitan Medical Response System (OMMRS)

Contact Information:

SHIP TO (IF DIFFERENT FROM CONTACT):

Name: Phyllis Dutton

Name: Fred Massoomi

Address: 11128 John Galt Blvd., Room 550
Omaha, NE 68137

Address: Nebraska Methodist Hospital
8303 Dodge Street
Omaha, NE 6814

Email: phyllis.dutton@alegent.org

Phone: (402) 717-1733

Fax: (402) 717-1735

Strategy Goal and Objective: Increase CBRNE Capability

AEL Reference Number: 09PH-05-CYKT

Budget Task Number: 01.02

Item Description: Pharmaceutical Cyanokits for chemical exposure

Is the total cost of the equipment equal to or greater than \$20,000.00? Yes No

A. Attach three competitive Vendor quotes.

OR

B. Attach Sole Source Justification and Vendor quote.

Note: Any procurement over \$20,000.00 requires Omaha City Council Approval.

Do you require a Purchase Order from the City of Omaha? Yes No

Committee Chair Approval:

Phyllis Dutton
Signature

1-30-14
Date

City of Omaha Use Only

Fund _____ Project _____ Task _____

Org _____ Award _____ Account _____

**JUSTIFICATION FOR NON-COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT
(SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION)**

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Cyanokits

PARAGRAPH 1: A brief description of the program and what is being contracted.

The Cyanokit's are the antidote for a cyanide poisoning and is needed in this area due to limited supply. It is important for the life safety of an exposed victim to be treated in a timely manner.

PARAGRAPH 2: Explanation of why a non-competitive contract is necessary, to include the following:

- **Expertise of the contractor.**
Meridian is the vendor that Methodist Hospital has a contract with and that our OMMRS Pharmacy Committee has purchased items from in previous grant years.
- **Management:**
The OMMRS Pharmacy committee is responsible for the distribution and maintaining the inventory list of product location.
- **Responsiveness.**
The company has been very responsive with answers to questions regarding the product and to provide a quote as requested in a timely manner.
- **Knowledge of the program.**
The OMMRS Pharmacy Committee is comprised of Licensed Pharmacist who have the expertise and knowledge of the product usage and limitations. .
- **Experience of personnel.**
OMMRS has personnel that are trained in the pharmaceutical field who are aware of the efficiency of the product and are available to provide training as needed with the distribution of the product. The product will be utilized by the trained EMS personnel and hospital trained personnel.

PARAGRAPH 3: Time Contracts

- **When contractual coverage is required and why.**
This product is a limited resource in the OMMRS

Jurisdictional area and the purchase of this product will help fill a gap in the community in our CBRNE response capability.

- Impact on program if dates are not met.
This product will be purchased with 2013-2014 HPP grant this funding will end June 30th. 2014.
- How long would it take another contractor to reach the same level of competence? (Equate to dollars if desired)
Not applicable.

PARAGRAPH 4: Uniqueness
This product is the antidote to be utilized with a cyanide poisoning.

PARAGRAPH 5: Other points that should be covered to make a convincing case.
This product will help in a major event where cyanide exposure could occur and increase life safety rather than having a . fatality situation.

PARAGRAPH 6: A declaration that this action is in the best interest of the agency.
This product will not only benefit the patient who is exposed but will also assist in enhancing the care of personnel that is providing the service if they become exposed..

Reference

U.S. Department of Justice

Office of Justice Programs

Financial Guide 2005

<http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/FinGuide/>

Chapter 10 – Procurement Under Awards of Federal Assistance, #3

MERIDIAN MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES

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QUOTATION USA Shipments

6350 Stevens Forest Rd., Suite 301
Columbia, MD 21046 USA
Telephone: (443) 259-7800 Fax # (443) 259-7801

Quote Number: 14-0124-2268
Date of Quote: 1/24/2014

Quotation Provided To:
Nebraska Methodist Hospital
Accounts Payable
8511 West Dodge Rd
Omaha, NE 68114
USA

Products Shipping to:
Nebraska Methodist Hospital
Attn: Matt Hornig
8303 Dodge Street
Omaha, NE 68114

(402) 354-4337 (tel)

(402) 354-4340 (tel)

Delivery Terms

FOB Origin

Payment Terms

Net 30

Shipping Method

Ground

Product Number	Description (packaging configuration)	Unit Price	Quantity (Units)	Total Price
FPWS	Cyanokit® 5g (hydroxocobalamin for injection) (16 ea. / outer case) 16 ea. or more	\$675.68	36	\$24,324.48
		Maryland State Sales Tax (6%)		
		Shipping & Handling		
			Total	\$24,324.48
ALL SALES FINAL-NO RETURNS				

IMPORTANT:

Auto-Injector drug delivery systems are subject to the International Traffic in Arms Regulations (ITAR) and may not be exported or otherwise removed from the United States of America without prior written authorization from the U.S. Department of State.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

CONFIDENTIALITY: This quotation is the confidential information of Meridian Medical Technologies, Inc. and may not be further distributed without prior consent.

ORDERS from State/Municipality Government agencies

With Purchase Order or Credit Card Authorization, please include:

- Prescription Authorization Form, signed by Medical Director indicating end user, product, and medical license number
- End User Certification Letter: "We certify that the items purchased will be used by _____. The material will not be sold to a third party, distributed or used for any other purpose."
- **Diazepam Orders:** Copy of DEA Registration Certificate for schedule IV drug: diazepam C-IV (No Shipments to Home addresses)
- **Morphine Orders:** DEA 222 Form with Quota Statement for schedule I or II drug: morphine C-II (No Shipments to Home addresses)

ORDERS from Hospitals / Ambulance Company

With Purchase Order or Credit Card Authorization, please include:

- Copy of Pharmacy License or STATE DEA License

Payment Terms: Net 30. All prices quoted above are valid for 180 days from the date of this quote. Purchase orders should include the documents shown above PLUS:

- Shipping Address
- Billing Address
- Ground Freight included, additional charge for expedited shipments

COMMENTS:

For additional information, please call: 443-259-7800
Prepared by: Beverly Yadlosky
beverly.yadlosky@meridianmt.com, (443) 259-7826
Please sign quote and return with your order.

Authorized Signature

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12/30/2013

Nebraska Methodist Hospital
Pharmacy Operations Coordinator
Department of Pharmacy Services
Attn: Firouzan 'Fred' Massoomi, Pharm.D

Re: Sole Manufacturer / Exclusive Seller and Marketer

Dear Fred,

To confirm, MERIDIAN MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIES[®], INC., a wholly owned subsidiary of Pfizer[®], Inc., is the sole manufacturer of FDA-approved chemical nerve agent antidote auto-injectors as well as other auto-injector drug delivery systems. Our products include:

- ◆ AtroPen[®] 2 mg Auto-Injector (atropine injection)
- ◆ AtroPen[®] 1 mg Auto-Injector (atropine injection)
- ◆ AtroPen[®] 0.5 mg Auto-Injector (atropine injection)
- ◆ AtroPen[®] 0.25 mg Auto-Injector (atropine injection)
- ◆ Diazepam 10 mg Auto-Injector (diazepam injection) C-IV
- ◆ DuoDote[™] Auto-Injector (atropine and pralidoxime chloride injection)
- ◆ Morphine 10 mg Auto-Injector (morphine injection) C-II
- ◆ Pralidoxime Chloride 600 mg Auto-Injector (pralidoxime chloride injection)

AND

- ◆ MERIDIAN has licensed the exclusive rights to sell and market, and distribute CYANOKIT[®] (hydroxocobalamin for injection) 5g in the U.S.A.

MERIDIAN also manufactures a compliment of auto-injector training simulators to aid in the instruction of the proper use of the auto-injector. These training simulators are similar in appearance and function to the auto-injector drug delivery system they mimic but, do not contain any medication or a needle.

MERIDIAN supports the sales efforts of distributors to the EMS market at the local level as well as directly serves county, state and federal markets for all product inquiries.

If you need any further information, please feel free to call me at 443-259-7826.

Best regards,

Beverly Yadlosky
Account Representative, Meridian Medical Technologies

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