

**Solicitation Number: RFP #082923****CONTRACT**

This Contract is between Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and AGCO Corporation, 4205 River Green Pkwy., Duluth, GA 30096 (Supplier).

Sourcewell is a State of Minnesota local government unit and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) that offers cooperative procurement solutions to government entities. Participation is open to eligible federal, state/province, and municipal governmental entities, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public entities located in the United States and Canada. Sourcewell issued a public solicitation for Ag Tractors with Related Attachments, Accessories, and Supplies from which Supplier was awarded a contract.

Supplier desires to contract with Sourcewell to provide equipment, products, or services to Sourcewell and the entities that access Sourcewell's cooperative purchasing contracts (Participating Entities).

**1. TERM OF CONTRACT**

A. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Contract is effective upon the date of the final signature below.

**EXPIRATION DATE AND EXTENSION.** This Contract expires October 11, 2027, unless it is cancelled sooner pursuant to Article 22. This Contract allows up to three additional one-year extensions upon the request of Sourcewell and written agreement by Supplier. Sourcewell retains the right to consider additional extensions beyond seven years as required under exceptional circumstances.

B. **SURVIVAL OF TERMS.** Notwithstanding any expiration or termination of this Contract, all payment obligations incurred prior to expiration or termination will survive, as will the following: Articles 11 through 14 survive the expiration or cancellation of this Contract. All other rights will cease upon expiration or termination of this Contract.

**2. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES**

A. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES. Supplier will provide the Equipment, Products, or Services as stated in its Proposal submitted under the Solicitation Number listed above. Supplier's Equipment, Products, or Services Proposal (Proposal) is attached and incorporated into this Contract.

All Equipment and Products provided under this Contract must be new and the current model. Supplier may offer close-out or refurbished Equipment or Products if they are clearly indicated in Supplier's product and pricing list. Unless agreed to by the Participating Entities in advance, Equipment or Products must be delivered as operational to the Participating Entity's site.

This Contract offers an indefinite quantity of sales, and while substantial volume is anticipated, sales and sales volume are not guaranteed.

B. WARRANTY. Supplier warrants that all Equipment, Products, and Services furnished are free from liens and encumbrances, and are free from defects in design, materials, and workmanship. In addition, Supplier warrants the Equipment, Products, and Services are suitable for and will perform in accordance with the ordinary use for which they are intended. Supplier's dealers and distributors must agree to assist the Participating Entity in reaching a resolution in any dispute over warranty terms with the manufacturer. Any manufacturer's warranty that extends beyond the expiration of the Supplier's warranty will be passed on to the Participating Entity.

C. DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, AND/OR RESELLERS. Upon Contract execution and throughout the Contract term, Supplier must provide to Sourcewell a current means to validate or authenticate Supplier's authorized dealers, distributors, or resellers relative to the Equipment, Products, and Services offered under this Contract, which will be incorporated into this Contract by reference. It is the Supplier's responsibility to ensure Sourcewell receives the most current information.

### 3. PRICING

All Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract will be priced at or below the price stated in Supplier's Proposal.

When providing pricing quotes to Participating Entities, all pricing quoted must reflect a Participating Entity's total cost of acquisition. This means that the quoted cost is for delivered Equipment, Products, and Services that are operational for their intended purpose, and includes all costs to the Participating Entity's requested delivery location.

Regardless of the payment method chosen by the Participating Entity, the total cost associated with any purchase option of the Equipment, Products, or Services must always be disclosed in the pricing quote to the applicable Participating Entity at the time of purchase.

A. **SHIPPING AND SHIPPING COSTS.** All delivered Equipment and Products must be properly packaged. Damaged Equipment and Products may be rejected. If the damage is not readily apparent at the time of delivery, Supplier must permit the Equipment and Products to be returned within a reasonable time at no cost to Sourcewell or its Participating Entities. Participating Entities reserve the right to inspect the Equipment and Products at a reasonable time after delivery where circumstances or conditions prevent effective inspection of the Equipment and Products at the time of delivery. In the event of the delivery of nonconforming Equipment and Products, the Participating Entity will notify the Supplier as soon as possible and the Supplier will replace nonconforming Equipment and Products with conforming Equipment and Products that are acceptable to the Participating Entity.

Supplier must arrange for and pay for the return shipment on Equipment and Products that arrive in a defective or inoperable condition.

Sourcewell may declare the Supplier in breach of this Contract if the Supplier intentionally delivers substandard or inferior Equipment or Products.

B. **SALES TAX.** Each Participating Entity is responsible for supplying the Supplier with valid tax-exemption certification(s). When ordering, a Participating Entity must indicate if it is a tax-exempt entity.

C. **HOT LIST PRICING.** At any time during this Contract, Supplier may offer a specific selection of Equipment, Products, or Services at discounts greater than those listed in the Contract. When Supplier determines it will offer Hot List Pricing, it must be submitted electronically to Sourcewell in a line-item format. Equipment, Products, or Services may be added or removed from the Hot List at any time through a Sourcewell Price and Product Change Form as defined in Article 4 below.

Hot List program and pricing may also be used to discount and liquidate close-out and discontinued Equipment and Products as long as those close-out and discontinued items are clearly identified as such. Current ordering process and administrative fees apply. Hot List Pricing must be published and made available to all Participating Entities.

#### **4. PRODUCT AND PRICING CHANGE REQUESTS**

Supplier may request Equipment, Product, or Service changes, additions, or deletions at any time. All requests must be made in writing by submitting a signed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form to the assigned Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator. This approved form is available from the assigned Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator. At a minimum, the request must:

- Identify the applicable Sourcewell contract number;

- Clearly specify the requested change;
- Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;
- Individually list all Equipment, Products, or Services affected by the requested change, along with the requested change (e.g., addition, deletion, price change); and
- Include a complete restatement of pricing documentation in Microsoft Excel with the effective date of the modified pricing, or product addition or deletion. The new pricing restatement must include all Equipment, Products, and Services offered, even for those items where pricing remains unchanged.

A fully executed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form will become an amendment to this Contract and will be incorporated by reference.

## **5. PARTICIPATION, CONTRACT ACCESS, AND PARTICIPATING ENTITY REQUIREMENTS**

A. PARTICIPATION. Sourcewell's cooperative contracts are available and open to public and nonprofit entities across the United States and Canada; such as federal, state/province, municipal, K-12 and higher education, tribal government, and other public entities.

The benefits of this Contract should be available to all Participating Entities that can legally access the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract. A Participating Entity's authority to access this Contract is determined through its cooperative purchasing, interlocal, or joint powers laws. Any entity accessing benefits of this Contract will be considered a Service Member of Sourcewell during such time of access. Supplier understands that a Participating Entity's use of this Contract is at the Participating Entity's sole convenience and Participating Entities reserve the right to obtain like Equipment, Products, or Services from any other source.

Supplier is responsible for familiarizing its sales and service forces with Sourcewell contract use eligibility requirements and documentation and will encourage potential participating entities to join Sourcewell. Sourcewell reserves the right to add and remove Participating Entities to its roster during the term of this Contract.

B. PUBLIC FACILITIES. Supplier's employees may be required to perform work at government-owned facilities, including schools. Supplier's employees and agents must conduct themselves in a professional manner while on the premises, and in accordance with Participating Entity policies and procedures, and all applicable laws.

## **6. PARTICIPATING ENTITY USE AND PURCHASING**

A. ORDERS AND PAYMENT. To access the contracted Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract, a Participating Entity must clearly indicate to Supplier that it intends to access this Contract; however, order flow and procedure will be developed jointly between Sourcewell and Supplier. Typically, a Participating Entity will issue an order directly to Supplier or its authorized

subsidiary, distributor, dealer, or reseller. If a Participating Entity issues a purchase order, it may use its own forms, but the purchase order should clearly note the applicable Sourcewell contract number. All Participating Entity orders under this Contract must be issued prior to expiration or cancellation of this Contract; however, Supplier performance, Participating Entity payment obligations, and any applicable warranty periods or other Supplier or Participating Entity obligations may extend beyond the term of this Contract.

Supplier's acceptable forms of payment are included in its attached Proposal. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.

**B. ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS/PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM.** Additional terms and conditions to a purchase order, or other required transaction documentation, may be negotiated between a Participating Entity and Supplier, such as job or industry-specific requirements, legal requirements (e.g., affirmative action or immigration status requirements), or specific local policy requirements. Some Participating Entities may require the use of a Participating Addendum, the terms of which will be negotiated directly between the Participating Entity and the Supplier or its authorized dealers, distributors, or resellers, as applicable. Any negotiated additional terms and conditions must never be less favorable to the Participating Entity than what is contained in this Contract.

**C. SPECIALIZED SERVICE REQUIREMENTS.** In the event that the Participating Entity requires service or specialized performance requirements not addressed in this Contract (such as e-commerce specifications, specialized delivery requirements, or other specifications and requirements), the Participating Entity and the Supplier may enter into a separate, standalone agreement, apart from this Contract. Sourcewell, including its agents and employees, will not be made a party to a claim for breach of such agreement.

**D. TERMINATION OF ORDERS.** Participating Entities may terminate an order, in whole or in part, immediately upon notice to Supplier in the event of any of the following events:

1. The Participating Entity fails to receive funding or appropriation from its governing body at levels sufficient to pay for the equipment, products, or services to be purchased; or
2. Federal, state, or provincial laws or regulations prohibit the purchase or change the Participating Entity's requirements.

**E. GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.** The governing law and venue for any action related to a Participating Entity's order will be determined by the Participating Entity making the purchase.

## **7. CUSTOMER SERVICE**

A. PRIMARY ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE. Supplier will assign an Account Representative to Sourcwell for this Contract and must provide prompt notice to Sourcwell if that person is changed. The Account Representative will be responsible for:

- Maintenance and management of this Contract;
- Timely response to all Sourcwell and Participating Entity inquiries; and
- Business reviews to Sourcwell and Participating Entities, if applicable.

B. BUSINESS REVIEWS. Supplier must perform a minimum of one business review with Sourcwell per contract year. The business review will cover sales to Participating Entities, pricing and contract terms, administrative fees, sales data reports, performance issues, supply issues, customer issues, and any other necessary information.

## **8. REPORT ON CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE FEE PAYMENT**

A. CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY REPORT. Each calendar quarter, Supplier must provide a contract sales activity report (Report) to the Sourcwell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract. Reports are due no later than 45 days after the end of each calendar quarter. A Report must be provided regardless of the number or amount of sales during that quarter (i.e., if there are no sales, Supplier must submit a report indicating no sales were made).

The Report must contain the following fields:

- Participating Entity Name (e.g., City of Staples Highway Department);
- Participating Entity Physical Street Address;
- Participating Entity City;
- Participating Entity State/Province;
- Participating Entity Zip/Postal Code;
- Participating Entity Contact Name;
- Participating Entity Contact Email Address;
- Participating Entity Contact Telephone Number;
- Sourcwell Assigned Entity/Participating Entity Number;
- Item Purchased Description;
- Item Purchased Price;
- Sourcwell Administrative Fee Applied; and
- Date Purchase was invoiced/sale was recognized as revenue by Supplier.

B. ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. In consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcwell, the Supplier will pay an administrative fee to Sourcwell on all Equipment, Products, and Services provided to Participating Entities. The Administrative Fee must be included in, and not added to, the pricing. Supplier may not charge Participating Entities more than the contracted

price to offset the Administrative Fee.

The Supplier will submit payment to Sourcewell for the percentage of administrative fee stated in the Proposal multiplied by the total sales of all Equipment, Products, and Services purchased by Participating Entities under this Contract during each calendar quarter. Payments should note the Supplier's name and Sourcewell-assigned contract number in the memo; and must be mailed to the address above "Attn: Accounts Receivable" or remitted electronically to Sourcewell's banking institution per Sourcewell's Finance department instructions. Payments must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter.

Supplier agrees to cooperate with Sourcewell in auditing transactions under this Contract to ensure that the administrative fee is paid on all items purchased under this Contract.

In the event the Supplier is delinquent in any undisputed administrative fees, Sourcewell reserves the right to cancel this Contract and reject any proposal submitted by the Supplier in any subsequent solicitation. In the event this Contract is cancelled by either party prior to the Contract's expiration date, the administrative fee payment will be due no more than 30 days from the cancellation date.

## **9. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE**

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

Supplier's Authorized Representative is the person named in the Supplier's Proposal. If Supplier's Authorized Representative changes at any time during this Contract, Supplier must promptly notify Sourcewell in writing.

## **10. AUDIT, ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENTS, WAIVER, AND CONTRACT COMPLETE**

A. **AUDIT.** Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 16C.05, subdivision 5, the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices relevant to this Contract are subject to examination by Sourcewell or the Minnesota State Auditor for a minimum of six years from the end of this Contract. This clause extends to Participating Entities as it relates to business conducted by that Participating Entity under this Contract.

B. **ASSIGNMENT.** Neither party may assign or otherwise transfer its rights or obligations under this Contract without the prior written consent of the other party and a fully executed assignment agreement. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld. Any prohibited assignment will be invalid.

C. **AMENDMENTS.** Any amendment to this Contract must be in writing and will not be effective until it has been duly executed by the parties.

D. **WAIVER.** Failure by either party to take action or assert any right under this Contract will not be deemed a waiver of such right in the event of the continuation or repetition of the circumstances giving rise to such right. Any such waiver must be in writing and signed by the parties.

E. **CONTRACT COMPLETE.** This Contract represents the complete agreement between the parties. No other understanding regarding this Contract, whether written or oral, may be used to bind either party. For any conflict between the attached Proposal and the terms set out in Articles 1-22 of this Contract, the terms of Articles 1-22 will govern.

F. **RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES.** The relationship of the parties is one of independent contractors, each free to exercise judgment and discretion with regard to the conduct of their respective businesses. This Contract does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship such as master-servant, or principal-agent.

### **11. INDEMNITY AND HOLD HARMLESS**

Supplier must indemnify, defend, save, and hold Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees incurred by Sourcewell or its Participating Entities, arising out of any act or omission in the performance of this Contract by the Supplier or its agents or employees; this indemnification includes injury or death to person(s) or property alleged to have been caused by some defect in the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract to the extent the Equipment, Product, or Service has been used according to its specifications. Sourcewell's responsibility will be governed by the State of Minnesota's Tort Liability Act (Minnesota Statutes Chapter 466) and other applicable law.

### **12. GOVERNMENT DATA PRACTICES**

Supplier and Sourcewell must comply with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13, as it applies to all data provided by or provided to Sourcewell under this Contract and as it applies to all data created, collected, received, maintained, or disseminated by the Supplier under this Contract.

### **13. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PUBLICITY, MARKETING, AND ENDORSEMENT**

#### **A. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY**

1. *Grant of License.* During the term of this Contract:
  - a. Sourcewell grants to Supplier a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use the trademark(s) provided to Supplier by Sourcewell in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Sourcewell's relationship with Supplier.



b. Supplier grants to Sourcewell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Supplier's trademarks in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Supplier's relationship with Sourcewell.

2. *Limited Right of Sublicense.* The right and license granted herein includes a limited right of each party to grant sublicenses to their respective subsidiaries, distributors, dealers, resellers, marketing representatives, and agents (collectively "Permitted Sublicensees") in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties' relationship to Participating Entities. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this Article by any of their respective sublicensees.

3. *Use; Quality Control.*

a. Neither party may alter the other party's trademarks from the form provided and must comply with removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.

b. Each party agrees to use, and to cause its Permitted Sublicensees to use, the other party's trademarks only in good faith and in a dignified manner consistent with such party's use of the trademarks. Upon written notice to the breaching party, the breaching party has 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the breach or the license will be terminated.

4. *Termination.* Upon the termination of this Contract for any reason, each party, including Permitted Sublicensees, will have 30 days to remove all Trademarks from signage, websites, and the like bearing the other party's name or logo (excepting Sourcewell's pre-printed catalog of suppliers which may be used until the next printing). Supplier must return all marketing and promotional materials, including signage, provided by Sourcewell, or dispose of it according to Sourcewell's written directions.

B. **PUBLICITY.** Any publicity regarding the subject matter of this Contract must not be released without prior written approval from the Authorized Representatives. Publicity includes notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, research, reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared by or for the Supplier individually or jointly with others, or any subcontractors, with respect to the program, publications, or services provided resulting from this Contract.

C. **MARKETING.** Any direct advertising, marketing, or offers with Participating Entities must be approved by Sourcewell. Send all approval requests to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract.

D. **ENDORSEMENT.** The Supplier must not claim that Sourcewell endorses its Equipment, Products, or Services.

#### **14. GOVERNING LAW, JURISDICTION, AND VENUE**

The substantive and procedural laws of the State of Minnesota will govern this Contract. Venue for all legal proceedings arising out of this Contract, or its breach, must be in the appropriate state court in Todd County, Minnesota or federal court in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

#### **15. FORCE MAJEURE**

Neither party to this Contract will be held responsible for delay or default caused by acts of God or other conditions that are beyond that party's reasonable control. A party defaulting under this provision must provide the other party prompt written notice of the default.

#### **16. SEVERABILITY**

If any provision of this Contract is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be illegal, unenforceable, or void then both parties will be relieved from all obligations arising from that provision. If the remainder of this Contract is capable of being performed, it will not be affected by such determination or finding and must be fully performed.

#### **17. PERFORMANCE, DEFAULT, AND REMEDIES**

A. **PERFORMANCE.** During the term of this Contract, the parties will monitor performance and address unresolved contract issues as follows:

1. *Notification.* The parties must promptly notify each other of any known dispute and work in good faith to resolve such dispute within a reasonable period of time. If necessary, Sourcewell and the Supplier will jointly develop a short briefing document that describes the issue(s), relevant impact, and positions of both parties.
2. *Escalation.* If parties are unable to resolve the issue in a timely manner, as specified above, either Sourcewell or Supplier may escalate the resolution of the issue to a higher level of management. The Supplier will have 30 calendar days to cure an outstanding issue.
3. *Performance while Dispute is Pending.* Notwithstanding the existence of a dispute, the Supplier must continue without delay to carry out all of its responsibilities under the Contract that are not affected by the dispute. If the Supplier fails to continue without delay to perform its responsibilities under the Contract, in the accomplishment of all undisputed work, the Supplier will bear any additional costs incurred by Sourcewell and/or its Participating Entities as a result of such failure to proceed.

B. **DEFAULT AND REMEDIES.** Either of the following constitutes cause to declare this Contract, or any Participating Entity order under this Contract, in default:

1. Nonperformance of contractual requirements, or
2. A material breach of any term or condition of this Contract.

The party claiming default must provide written notice of the default, with 30 calendar days to cure the default. Time allowed for cure will not diminish or eliminate any liability for liquidated or other damages. If the default remains after the opportunity for cure, the non-defaulting party may:

- Exercise any remedy provided by law or equity, or
- Terminate the Contract or any portion thereof, including any orders issued against the Contract.

## 18. INSURANCE

A. REQUIREMENTS. At its own expense, Supplier must maintain insurance policy(ies) in effect at all times during the performance of this Contract with insurance company(ies) licensed or authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota having an "AM BEST" rating of A- or better, with coverage and limits of insurance not less than the following:

1. *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability.*

Workers' Compensation: As required by any applicable law or regulation.

Employer's Liability Insurance: must be provided in amounts not less than listed below:

Minimum limits:

\$500,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident

\$500,000 policy limit for bodily injury by disease

\$500,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease

2. *Commercial General Liability Insurance.* Supplier will maintain insurance covering its operations, with coverage on an occurrence basis, and must be subject to terms no less broad than the Insurance Services Office ("ISO") Commercial General Liability Form CG0001 (2001 or newer edition), or equivalent. At a minimum, coverage must include liability arising from premises, operations, bodily injury and property damage, independent contractors, products-completed operations including construction defect, contractual liability, blanket contractual liability, and personal injury and advertising injury. All required limits, terms and conditions of coverage must be maintained during the term of this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage

\$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury

\$2,000,000 aggregate for products liability-completed operations

\$2,000,000 general aggregate

3. *Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain insurance covering all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles in limits of liability not less than indicated below. The coverage must be subject to terms

no less broad than ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 0001 (2010 edition or newer), or equivalent.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each accident, combined single limit

4. *Umbrella Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain umbrella coverage over Employer's Liability, Commercial General Liability, and Commercial Automobile.

Minimum Limits:

\$2,000,000

5. *Network Security and Privacy Liability Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain coverage for network security and privacy liability. The coverage may be endorsed on another form of liability coverage or written on a standalone policy. The insurance must cover claims which may arise from failure of Supplier's security resulting in, but not limited to, computer attacks, unauthorized access, disclosure of not public data – including but not limited to, confidential or private information, transmission of a computer virus, or denial of service.

Minimum limits:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence

\$2,000,000 annual aggregate

Failure of Supplier to maintain the required insurance will constitute a material breach entitling Sourcewell to immediately terminate this Contract for default.

B. CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE. Prior to commencing under this Contract, Supplier must furnish to Sourcewell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Contract. Prior to expiration of the policy(ies), renewal certificates must be mailed to Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 or sent to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract. The certificates must be signed by a person authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf.

Failure to request certificates of insurance by Sourcewell, or failure of Supplier to provide certificates of insurance, in no way limits or relieves Supplier of its duties and responsibilities in this Contract.

C. ADDITIONAL INSURED ENDORSEMENT AND PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY INSURANCE CLAUSE. Supplier agrees to list Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their officers, agents, and employees, as an additional insured under the Supplier's commercial general liability insurance policy with respect to liability arising out of activities, "operations," or "work" performed by or on behalf of Supplier, and products and completed operations of Supplier. The policy provision(s) or endorsement(s) must further provide that coverage is

primary and not excess over or contributory with any other valid, applicable, and collectible insurance or self-insurance in force for the additional insureds.

D. **WAIVER OF SUBROGATION.** Supplier waives and must require (by endorsement or otherwise) all its insurers to waive subrogation rights against Sourcewell and other additional insureds for losses paid under the insurance policies required by this Contract or other insurance applicable to the Supplier or its subcontractors. The waiver must apply to all deductibles and/or self-insured retentions applicable to the required or any other insurance maintained by the Supplier or its subcontractors. Where permitted by law, Supplier must require similar written express waivers of subrogation and insurance clauses from each of its subcontractors.

E. **UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY/SELF-INSURED RETENTION.** The limits required by this Contract can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies), or self-insured retention.

## **19. COMPLIANCE**

A. **LAWS AND REGULATIONS.** All Equipment, Products, or Services provided under this Contract must comply fully with applicable federal laws and regulations, and with the laws in the states and provinces in which the Equipment, Products, or Services are sold.

B. **LICENSES.** Supplier must maintain a valid and current status on all required federal, state/provincial, and local licenses, bonds, and permits required for the operation of the business that the Supplier conducts with Sourcewell and Participating Entities.

## **20. BANKRUPTCY, DEBARMENT, OR SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION**

Supplier certifies and warrants that it is not in bankruptcy or that it has previously disclosed in writing certain information to Sourcewell related to bankruptcy actions. If at any time during this Contract Supplier declares bankruptcy, Supplier must immediately notify Sourcewell in writing.

Supplier certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Supplier certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this Contract. Supplier further warrants that it will provide immediate written notice to Sourcewell if this certification changes at any time.

## **21. PROVISIONS FOR NON-UNITED STATES FEDERAL ENTITY PROCUREMENTS UNDER UNITED STATES FEDERAL AWARDS OR OTHER AWARDS**

Participating Entities that use United States federal grant or FEMA funds to purchase goods or services from this Contract may be subject to additional requirements including the procurement standards of the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 C.F.R. § 200. Participating Entities may have additional requirements based on specific funding source terms or conditions. Within this Article, all references to “federal” should be interpreted to mean the United States federal government. The following list only applies when a Participating Entity accesses Supplier’s Equipment, Products, or Services with United States federal funds.

A. **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.** Except as otherwise provided under 41 C.F.R. § 60, all contracts that meet the definition of “federally assisted construction contract” in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 C.F.R. §60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity” (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 C.F.R. §, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” and implementing regulations at 41 C.F.R. § 60, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor.” The equal opportunity clause is incorporated herein by reference.

B. **DAVIS-BACON ACT, AS AMENDED (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3148).** When required by federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. § 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. Supplier must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

C. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. §§ 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5). Under 40 U.S.C. § 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. § 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence. This provision is hereby incorporated by reference into this Contract. Supplier certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

D. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT. If the federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency. Supplier certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

E. CLEAN AIR ACT (42 U.S.C. § 7401-7671Q.) AND THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT (33 U.S.C. § 1251-1387). Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 require the non-federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401- 7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251- 1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

F. DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION (EXECUTIVE ORDERS 12549 AND 12689). A contract award (see 2 C.F.R. § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 C.F.R. §180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 C.F.R. § 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 C.F.R. § 1989 Comp., p. 235), “Debarment and Suspension.” SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared

ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. Supplier certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation by any federal department or agency.

G. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT, AS AMENDED (31 U.S.C. § 1352). Suppliers must file any required certifications. Suppliers must not have used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Suppliers must disclose any lobbying with non-federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-federal award. Suppliers must file all certifications and disclosures required by, and otherwise comply with, the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. § 1352).

H. RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with the record retention requirements detailed in 2 C.F.R. § 200.333. The Supplier further certifies that it will retain all records as required by 2 C.F.R. § 200.333 for a period of 3 years after grantees or subgrantees submit final expenditure reports or quarterly or annual financial reports, as applicable, and all other pending matters are closed.

I. ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

J. BUY AMERICAN PROVISIONS COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with all applicable provisions of the Buy American Act. Purchases made in accordance with the Buy American Act must follow the applicable procurement rules calling for free and open competition.

K. ACCESS TO RECORDS (2 C.F.R. § 200.336). Supplier agrees that duly authorized representatives of a federal agency must have access to any books, documents, papers and records of Supplier that are directly pertinent to Supplier's discharge of its obligations under this Contract for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. The right also includes timely and reasonable access to Supplier's personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion relating to such documents.

L. PROCUREMENT OF RECOVERED MATERIALS (2 C.F.R. § 200.322). A non-federal entity that is a state agency or agency of a political subdivision of a state and its contractors must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in



guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 C.F.R. § 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

M. FEDERAL SEAL(S), LOGOS, AND FLAGS. The Supplier cannot use the seal(s), logos, crests, or reproductions of flags or likenesses of Federal agency officials without specific pre-approval.

N. NO OBLIGATION BY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. The U.S. federal government is not a party to this Contract or any purchase by a Participating Entity and is not subject to any obligations or liabilities to the Participating Entity, Supplier, or any other party pertaining to any matter resulting from the Contract or any purchase by an authorized user.

O. PROGRAM FRAUD AND FALSE OR FRAUDULENT STATEMENTS OR RELATED ACTS. The Contractor acknowledges that 31 U.S.C. 38 (Administrative Remedies for False Claims and Statements) applies to the Supplier's actions pertaining to this Contract or any purchase by a Participating Entity.

P. FEDERAL DEBT. The Supplier certifies that it is non-delinquent in its repayment of any federal debt. Examples of relevant debt include delinquent payroll and other taxes, audit disallowance, and benefit overpayments.

Q. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. The Supplier must notify the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity as soon as possible if this Contract or any aspect related to the anticipated work under this Contract raises an actual or potential conflict of interest (as described in 2 C.F.R. Part 200). The Supplier must explain the actual or potential conflict in writing in sufficient detail so that the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity are able to assess the actual or potential conflict; and provide any additional information as necessary or requested.

R. U.S. EXECUTIVE ORDER 13224. The Supplier, and its subcontractors, must comply with U.S. Executive Order 13224 and U.S. Laws that prohibit transactions with and provision of resources and support to individuals and organizations associated with terrorism.

S. PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract it will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.216.

T. DOMESTIC PREFERENCES FOR PROCUREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.322.

**22. CANCELLATION**

Sourcwell or Supplier may cancel this Contract at any time, with or without cause, upon 60 days' written notice to the other party. However, Sourcwell may cancel this Contract immediately upon discovery of a material defect in any certification made in Supplier's Proposal. Cancellation of this Contract does not relieve either party of financial, product, or service obligations incurred or accrued prior to cancellation.

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# RFP 082923 - Ag Tractors with Related Attachments, Accessories, and Supplies

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## Vendor Details

Company Name: AGCO Corporation  
Does your company conduct business under any other name? If yes, please state: GA  
Address: 4205 River Green Parkway  
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## Specifications

**Table 1: Proposer Identity & Authorized Representatives**

**General Instructions** (applies to all Tables) Sourcewell prefers a brief but thorough response to each question. Do not merely attach additional documents to your response without also providing a substantive response. Do not leave answers blank; respond "N/A" if the question does not apply to you (preferably with an explanation).

Line Item	Question	Response *
1	Proposer Legal Name (one legal entity only): (In the event of award, will execute the resulting contract as "Supplier")	AGCO Corporation
2	Identify all subsidiary entities of the Proposer whose equipment, products, or services are included in the Proposal.	Fendt, Massey Ferguson, Precision Planting, Challenger, Gleaner, Hesston
3	Identify all applicable assumed names or DBA names of the Proposer or Proposer's subsidiaries in Line 1 or Line 2 above.	Not Applicable
4	Provide your CAGE code or Unique Entity Identifier (SAM):	5BPH2 / 58-1960019
5	Proposer Physical Address:	4205 River Green Pkwy, Duluth, GA 30096
6	Proposer website address (or addresses):	<a href="https://www.agcocorp.com/">https://www.agcocorp.com/</a>
7	Proposer's Authorized Representative (name, title, address, email address & phone) (The representative must have authority to sign the "Proposer's Assurance of Compliance" on behalf of the Proposer and, in the event of award, will be expected to execute the resulting contract):	Brian Celli, Government Sales Manager, North America, 4205 River Green Pkwy, Duluth, GA 30096, brian.celli@agcocorp.com, 678-356-4323
8	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Brian Celli, Government Sales Manager, North America, 4205 River Green Pkwy, Duluth, GA 30096, brian.celli@agcocorp.com, 678-356-4323
9	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Dan Trimmer, Director of Sales Operations, 4205 River Green Pkwy, Duluth, GA 30096, dan.trimmer@agcocorp.com, 770-232-8412

**Table 2: Company Information and Financial Strength**

Line Item	Question	Response *
10	Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested equipment, products or services.	AGCO Corporation, founded in 1990, manufactures and distributes some of the most renowned agricultural equipment and related replacement parts worldwide. Product categories includes tractors, combines, self-propelled sprayers, hay tools, forage equipment, seeding and tillage, implements, and grain storage and protein production systems which are marketed under the various brands; Challenger, Fendt, Hesston, Massey Ferguson. Our overall corporate vision is to be a trusted partner for industry-leading, smart farming solutions. However, going a little deeper in our business philosophy we strive to put customers and farmers first in everything that we do. We are building a culture based on putting farmers first, working together to maximize results, and openly sharing diverse perspectives. Together, these beliefs and behaviors create a positive working environment that enables our teams to achieve winning outcomes for farmers, each other, and our shareholders.
11	What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?	If we should be awarded, we expect to build on our recent success in the governmental sector by offering a full array of quality agricultural products and services to Sourcewell member.

12	Demonstrate your financial strength and stability with meaningful data. This could include such items as financial statements, SEC filings, credit and bond ratings, letters of credit, and detailed reference letters. Upload supporting documents (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	Please reference our uploaded supporting documents including: 2022 Annual Report, 2023 Q2 Earnings Release, and 10-Q Report.	*
13	What is your US market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	While we offer a full agricultural solution for Sourcewell members, the majority of our retails will likely be in tractors and balers. Tractors and balers market share represented below as a 3 year average:  Tractors: 5.9% Balers: 49.9%	*
14	What is your Canadian market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	While we offer a full agricultural solution for Sourcewell members, the majority of our retails will likely be in tractors and balers. Tractors and balers market share represented below as a 3 year average:  Tractors: 9.9% Balers: 26.3%	*
15	Has your business ever petitioned for bankruptcy protection? If so, explain in detail.	No.	*
16	How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer whichever question (either a) or b) just below) best applies to your organization. a) If your company is best described as a distributor/dealer/reseller (or similar entity), provide your written authorization to act as a distributor/dealer/reseller for the manufacturer of the products proposed in this RFP. If applicable, is your dealer network independent or company owned? b) If your company is best described as a manufacturer or service provider, describe your relationship with your sales and service force and with your dealer network in delivering the products and services proposed in this RFP. Are these individuals your employees, or the employees of a third party?	AGCO Corporation is a manufacturer.  b) AGCO dealerships are independently owned but work as a singular cohesive unit with AGCO corporate in both the wholegoods and parts & service space. Specifically, AGCOs Government Sales team works directly with the dealers, customers, government entities and GPOs to guarantee a smooth buying experience for the end user. At times, the Govt team will even coordinate with the engineering and design team to speak on trends in the govt space or to source new options demanded by the market segment.	*
17	If applicable, provide a detailed explanation outlining the licenses and certifications that are both required to be held, and actually held, by your organization (including third parties and subcontractors that you use) in pursuit of the business contemplated by this RFP.	AGCO Corporation holds all pertinent licenses and certifications necessary to conduct business in North America.	*
18	Provide all "Suspension or Debarment" information that has applied to your organization during the past ten years.	Not applicable.	*

**Table 3: Industry Recognition & Marketplace Success**

Line Item	Question	Response *
19	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years	Since 2020, AGCO and its portfolio of products have received over 60 awards. Please refer to <a href="https://www.agcocorp.com/about/awards-recognition.html">https://www.agcocorp.com/about/awards-recognition.html</a> to view AGCO Corporations recognition awards in its entirety.
20	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years	AGCO Corporations percentage of sales into the government sector make up 2.7% of all sales.
21	What percentage of your sales are to the education sector in the past three years	Our percentage of sales into the education sector have been minimal totaling less than 50 units in the past 3 years.
22	List any state, provincial, or cooperative purchasing contracts that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	OMNIA Partners: Contract No. 17-6621 - \$1M Annually BuyBoard: Contract No. 706-23 & 611-20 - \$ 2M Annually  Of note: In 2022, while only \$2.6M in govt sales has been done through GPOs, AGCO did \$58.5M in govt business in that same time period. With the established brand recognition of Sourcewell there is exceedingly high upside potential between our partnership.
23	List any GSA contracts or Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements (SOSA) that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	Not applicable, but we are looking to expand into the Federal sector in 2024.

**Table 4: References/Testimonials**

**Line Item 24.** Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcewell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *
North Dakota DOT	Mike Kisse	701-328-4410
LA Dept of Water and Power	Gary Gilbert	706-873-0325
LA County Beaches and Harbors	Sylvester Townsend	310-748-2953

**Table 5: Top Five Government or Education Customers**

**Line Item 25.** Provide a list of your top five government, education, or non-profit customers (entity name is optional), including entity type, the state or province the entity is located in, scope of the project(s), size of transaction(s), and dollar volumes from the past three years.

Entity Name	Entity Type *	State / Province *	Scope of Work *	Size of Transactions *	Dollar Volume Past Three Years *
North Dakota DOT	Government	North Dakota - ND	Land management, snow removal and roadside mowing	Varies depending on need and budget	2020-2022: \$2.4M
Alabama DOT	Government	Alabama - AL	Land management and roadside mowing	Varies depending on need and budget	2020-2022: \$2.5M
LA Dept of Water and Power	Government	California - CA	Land management, waste removal and roadside mowing	Varies depending on need and budget	2020-2022: \$1.2M
LA County Beaches and Harbors	Government	California - CA	Land management, waste removal and roadside mowing	Varies depending on need and budget	2020-2022: \$1M
FL Dept of Corrections	Government	Florida - FL	Land management and roadside mowing	Varies depending on need and budget	2020-2022: \$600K

**Table 6: Ability to Sell and Deliver Service**

Describe your company's capability to meet the needs of Sourcewell participating entities across the US and Canada, as applicable. Your response should address in detail at least the following areas: locations of your network of sales and service providers, the number of workers (full-time equivalents) involved in each sector, whether these workers are your direct employees (or employees of a third party), and any overlap between the sales and service functions.

Line Item	Question	Response *
26	Sales force.	<p>AGCO employees 35 field sales representatives and 10 inside sales representatives across North America.</p> <p>More specifically pertaining to the government sales sector, The National Accounts and Governmental Sales Department will work closely (through training events and dealer visits) with dealers in geographies where market intelligence shows the most opportunity for growth. We are also staffed with technical support, customer service, field sales, product specialist, and training for every region. The servicing dealer will serve as first point of contact. AGCO has a team of a dozen seasoned and highly trained Sales Support Specialists with a senior managers with up to 40+ years of experience including special accounts and government contract sales and support. In addition, another team Process Control Reporting supplements the day to day support of workflows required to robustly serve the end user.</p> <p>Effective August 1st, 2021, Brian Celli joined AGCO Corporation's National Accounts and Governmental Sales Department as a Government Sales Manager, US &amp; Canada. Brian's primary responsibilities play a key part in the identification of opportunities related to government entities, non-profit organizations, and third parties with government contracts. He defines opportunities and coordinates with dealers to actively develop sales opportunities and quoting activity. He leads development and relationship building in order to increase retail activity by working with the Customers, Dealers, Account Managers, and the Product Specialist sales team.</p> <p>1) Brian Celli, Governmental Sales Manager, NA (Primary Contact)</p> <p>Brian started with AGCO Corporation in the aftersales division in 2015 as a Supply Chain Project Manager. In 2018, he relocated to Georgia to work at the AGCO Corporate headquarters as the Marketing Manager for the Massey Ferguson Brand in North America. Since 2021, Brian has assumed ownership of all Governmental Sales and National Accounts programs and activities. He has a Bachelor's degree, Supply Chain Management, Western Illinois University.</p> <p>2) Dan Trimmer, Director of Sales Operations</p> <p>Dan Trimmer runs our Sales Operations and manages our Dealer Central department. Dan is a wealth of knowledge and has been with the company since 1977, which at the time went by the name of Allis-Chalmers. In the past, Dan has held roles such as Government Sales Manager, Zone Manager, Regional Sales Director and Director of Sales Operations. While Dan's scope is wide, he will be the acting administrator for the Sourcwell-ACGO partnership.</p> <p>3) Blane Clark, Director of Inside Sales</p> <p>Blane oversees AGCO Corporations inside sales staff in its entirety. He joined AGCO Corporation in March of 2003 and has held multiple roles within the company. His well-rounded expertise and experience in Marketing, Sales, Dealer Development, and Product Training makes him an invaluable addition to this team. It is worth noting that this team and direction is drastically different than those of the past. We are much closer to the dealers, products and customers than we ever have been before. Every member of the Governmental Sales/National Accounts team has personal relationships with our dealers and are able to build off of that mutual trust which we have developed over the years. This strategy is already paying dividends as we achieved the highest government market share in company history in 2022 (15.3%).</p>
27	Dealer network or other distribution methods.	Throughout North America AGCO has 465 contracted individual dealers with 791 dealer locations in total. Please see submitted dealer directory for specifics.
28	Service force.	AGCO employees 45 field product specialists across North America. It is their sole priority to help customers and dealers when they need training or help in a machine down scenario.
29	Describe the ordering process. If orders will be handled by distributors, dealers or others, explain the respective roles of the Proposer and others.	Orders will be submitted by the servicing dealer. However, this is only keyed after a consultation with the Sourcwell member has taken place. We want to ensure that the final product fits the needs of the customer. This gives the customer an opportunity to ask questions. Once an order is submitted the Order Management team will work with the factory to forecast a production date which can be relayed back to the customer to alleviate any concerns of delays.
30	Describe in detail the process and procedure of your customer service program, if applicable. Include your response-time capabilities and commitments, as well as any incentives that help your providers meet your stated service goals or promises.	In addition to our field staff, we have 13 full-time employees dedicated to supporting dealers assignments to ensure they have all the support they need. During business hours response times are between 1 and 2 hours. Response time is apart of their year end bonus so they certainly have skin in the game.

31	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in the United States.	AGCO Corporation will serve American Sourcewell members to the absolute best of our abilities.	*
32	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in Canada.	AGCO Corporation will serve Canadian Sourcewell members to the absolute best of our abilities.	*
33	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract.	Alaska - We do not have dealer representation in Alaska. While we can still support in delivery of wholegoods and parts, the Sourcewell member could incur additional shipping costs. Given the situation, service may be available but at considerable cost.	*
34	Identify any Sourcewell participating entity sectors (i.e., government, education, not-for-profit) that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract. Explain in detail. For example, does your company have only a regional presence, or do other cooperative purchasing contracts limit your ability to promote another contract?	AGCO Corporation will serve all Sourcewell member sectors.	*
35	Define any specific contract requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	Hawaii - We have dealer representation in Hawaii that could provide wholegoods, parts and service to Sourcewell members.  Alaska - We do not have dealer representation in Alaska. While we can still support in delivery of wholegoods and parts, the Sourcewell member could incur additional shipping costs. Given the situation, service may be available but at considerable cost.	*



**Table 7: Marketing Plan**

Line Item	Question	Response *
36	Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this contract opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	Once AGCO is awarded the contract in this RFP, we would adhere to the following process to market our products and services. We will first communicate the contract award via standardized internal procedure. This process includes an email announcement to all AGCO dealers that explains the award and then directs them to an internal website that provides greater information on contract pricing, eligible customers, dealer compensation, training, etc. The National Accounts Team will work closely (through training events and dealer visits) with dealers in geographies where market intelligence shows the most opportunity for growth. We would also advertise our new partnership via social media, trade shows, and training events. The National Accounts Team would also discuss the contract with key state fleet administrators, state and local government agencies who've expressed an interest or who offer great sales potential. It will be our responsibility to make them aware our newly award Sourcwell Contract, pricing, and product offering. AGCO Corporation's Account Managers and Key Account Teams develop local tactics to have the dealers engaged in the opportunities that are presented. Product Specialist are available to ensure optimization and utilization of equipment purchased. The National Accounts and Government Sales Team develop relationships and understand the needs of state purchasing agents and state fleet administrators, i.e. Department of Transportation, Department of Parks and Recreation, Department of Natural Resources. The National Accounts and Government Sales Team will work closely with the AGCO field sales group to ensure that they aware of key areas and opportunities for growth within their geographic responsibility. The Team will also ensure they are aware of the benefits the Sourcwell contract will have to offer via WebEx/Teams calls and email updates.
37	Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.	Proper usage of digital marketing is key to AGCO Corporation. We have brand specific teams in each region of the world focused on marketing the right messaging to the right people. We use UCC (Uniform Commercial Code) filings as a base for understanding customer buying patterns as well as a number of external consulting groups such as Ducker Carlisle. AGCO is also cognizant of the fact that some brands or market segments still hold print literature and marketing in high regard so we still hold a printed presence in multiple publications as well as direct mailers.
38	In your view, what is Sourcwell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcwell-awarded contract into your sales process?	The demand in the government sector for a Sourcwell contract is high and it is clear to AGCO that Sourcwell promotes their contracts and partners in a highly efficient manner. In addition to everything stated in our marketing plan, we will add a unique identifier to our automated sales process to flag Sourcwell retails for easier reporting and analytics.
39	Are your products or services available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.	AGCO Corporation offers a state-of-the-art CPQ (Configure, Price, Quote) tool available to all prospective customers. Within this tool, Sourcwell members will have the ability to: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1) Price and select machine and base configuration.</li> <li>2) Add options and accessories to fit customers' needs.</li> <li>3) Shop compatible attachments.</li> <li>4) Share final configuration with nearest qualified AGCO dealership. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Dealer will review configuration and make recommendations if necessary.</li> <li>b. Show customer their full Sourcwell discount potential.</li> <li>c. Schedule training and delivery</li> </ol> </li> </ol> <p>Please feel free to navigate the site (Example given is for our Fendt brand):  <a href="https://buildandquote.fendt.com/">https://buildandquote.fendt.com/</a></p>

**Table 8: Value-Added Attributes**

Line Item	Question	Response *
40	Describe any product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training programs that you offer to Sourcewell participating entities. Include details, such as whether training is standard or optional, who provides training, and any costs that apply.	Every participating Sourcewell entity will have the option for initial product/operator training either onsite or at the servicing dealership. If further product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training is requested, we will have one of our regionally located field product specialists come out to assist with whatever questions the customer may have. In the case of roadside mowing, we have done joint training for the customer with representatives from Diamond Mowers and AGCO Corporation present. Training are at no cost to customer.
41	Describe any technological advances, safety features, autonomous solutions, or other smart solutions that your proposed products or services offer.	From a safety perspective, AGCO Corporation stays ahead of the curve by following the EU instituted "Mother Regulations" as well as abiding by all safety requirements in the United State and Canada. Additionally, autonomous solutions are targeted for the near future with fully autonomous solutions across the crop cycle by 2030 and select autonomous retrofit solutions by 2025!
42	Describe any industry-specific quality management system certifications obtained by your organization.	<p>Certified Quality Management System in accordance with DIN•EN•ISO 9001</p> <p>More than two decades ago, we started integrating our individual quality elements into one system, creating a more effective overall structure for quality planning and assurance for the product and the processes involved. In 1995, the Fendt quality system was certified for the first time by an accredited independent organization. Since then, we have had to prove our compliance with the requirements of this standard annually, as part of an external audit lasting several days. Over the years, the updates released on the standard have increased the scope of application, as well as the level of requirements. We are obliged to carry out scheduled system audits throughout the year.</p> <p>Additionally, we have a self-imposed program called "ASPIRE" to ensure impeccable quality from our suppliers. To enable continuous improvement and to foster close collaboration, AGCO has introduced ASPIRE to foster a paradigm shift from typical customer-supplier relationships to value-added supplier partnerships. AGCO desires to be your customer of choice. ASPIRE will lead the way to improve and streamline our supply base, while continuously developing long-term relationships with high-performing and committed suppliers.</p> <p>Please see "AGCO ASPIRE Guideline" in submitted documents for full explanation on how AGCO is building better partnerships with suppliers to produce the best quality units for our end customers.</p>
43	Describe any "green" initiatives that relate to your company or to your products or services, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.	<p>Newsweek's America's Most Responsible Companies 2023: AGCO Corporation 71/500</p> <p>Enablon's Sustainability Company of the Year 2023: AGCO Corporation</p> <p>Please see AGCO Sustainability Report 2022 in submitted documents for full report of AGCOs green initiatives and KPIs</p>
44	Identify any third-party issued eco-labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the equipment or products included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.	<p>Energy Management Systems in accordance with DIN•EN•ISO 50001</p> <p>Energy consumption and its reduction is a relatively new awareness-raising corporate goal in many industries. Since 2014, Fendt has gained official ISO50001 standard, as demonstrated in external annual reviews.</p>
45	Describe any Women or Minority Business Entity (WMBE), Small Business Entity (SBE), or veteran owned business certifications that your company or hub partners have obtained. Upload documentation of certification (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	<p>AGCO does not hold a WMBE or SBE, but very committed to diversity, equity and inclusion.</p> <p>For example:</p> <p>2023 Women MAKE Award as an honoree, given by Women in Manufacturing, a division of The Manufacturing Institute, at an awards ceremony in Washington, District of Columbia, U.S. Formerly called the STEP Ahead Awards, the Women MAKE Awards provide women with the tools and motivation to pay it forward and inspire the next generation of female talent to pursue manufacturing careers. (NA)</p>
46	What unique attributes does your company, your products, or your services offer to Sourcewell participating entities? What makes your proposed solutions unique in your industry as it applies to Sourcewell participating entities?	Customer satisfaction and service are at the top of our priorities. AGCO prides itself on having nearly 800 dealer locations across North America making sure that help is right around the corner. One unique attribute that AGCO can be proud of is that they produce the only true CVT transmission in the agricultural market utilizing no clutch packs.

**Table 9: Warranty**

**Describe in detail your manufacturer warranty program, including conditions and requirements to qualify, claims procedure, and overall structure. You may upload representative samples of your warranty materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response in addition to responding to the questions below.**

Line Item	Question	Response *
47	Do your warranties cover all products, parts, and labor?	Yes, however, our warranty time and usage is dependent upon specific machine and brand retailed.
48	Do your warranties impose usage restrictions or other limitations that adversely affect coverage?	Warranty coverages have a fair balance of time versus usage. Fendt tractors offer a base warranty of 3 years or 3,000 hours (whichever occurs first). Massey Ferguson tractors offer a base warranty of 2 years or 2,000 hours (whichever occurs first). Extended warranties can be purchased to extend the time/usage of your machine or to warranty a more extensive parts list. Full warranty and extended coverage submitted in documents.
49	Do your warranties cover the expense of technicians' travel time and mileage to perform warranty repairs?	With extended warranty coverage, travel time and mileage can be covered for warrantable failures.
50	Are there any geographic regions of the United States or Canada (as applicable) for which you cannot provide a certified technician to perform warranty repairs? How will Sourcewell participating entities in these regions be provided service for warranty repair?	All regions in North America, excluding Alaska, can be serviced by a certified technician to perform warranty repairs. If warranty work needs to be performed in Alaska we can accommodate but additional travel expenses will be incurred.
51	Will you cover warranty service for items made by other manufacturers that are part of your proposal, or are these warranties issues typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer?	Since we are the manufacturer for all of our products, we will adhere to standard warranty procedures on our retails.
52	What are your proposed exchange and return programs and policies?	Wholegoods can be returned or exchanged only under extreme circumstances.
53	Describe any service contract options or preventative maintenance programs your organization offers for the items included in your proposal.	We offer 3 levels of extended warranty contracts under the "AGCO Protection" program as well as a comprehensive preventative maintenance program under the "Genuine Care" program. Both brochures submitted in documents.

**Table 10: Payment Terms and Financing Options**

Line Item	Question	Response *
54	Describe your payment terms and accepted payment methods.	Net 90 Accepted forms of payment by govt check or ACH payment.
55	Describe any leasing or financing options available for use by educational or governmental entities.	Yes, standard leasing and financing options are available except for subsidized low rate financing when utilizing government discounts.
56	Describe any standard transaction documents that you propose to use in connection with an awarded contract (order forms, terms and conditions, service level agreements, etc.). Upload a sample of each (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	Generally, most transactions will consist of a dealer quote and a purchase order (see document section for example). Additional purchases such as preventative maintenance, extended warranty contracts or supplemental equipment will be included on the quote given to the Sourcewell member.
57	Do you accept the P-card procurement and payment process? If so, is there any additional cost to Sourcewell participating entities for using this process?	No, AGCO does not accept P-card payments.

**Table 11: Pricing and Delivery**

Provide detailed pricing information in the questions that follow below. Keep in mind that reasonable price and product adjustments can be made during the term of an awarded Contract as described in the RFP, the template Contract, and the Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form.

Line Item	Question	Response *
58	Describe your pricing model (e.g., line-item discounts or product-category discounts). Provide detailed pricing data (including standard or list pricing and the Sourcewell discounted price) on all of the items that you want Sourcewell to consider as part of your RFP response. If applicable, provide a SKU for each item in your proposal. Upload your pricing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	AGCO strives to have the best quality product at competitive prices. Each model is carefully compared to competitive specification OEMs offering monthly to align on a fair market place value. Fendt is priced highest in our portfolio but it also has the most mechanical and technological advancements. Massey Ferguson offers a different cost proposition for customers by striving for a heavily dependable machine at a more affordable price point. With our wide array of products and brands, AGCO can cater to nearly every Sourcewell member.
59	Quantify the pricing discount represented by the pricing proposal in this response. For example, if the pricing in your response represents a percentage discount from MSRP or list, state the percentage or percentage range.	AGCO's governmental discounts are some of the deepest discounts offered in the company. Discounts are dependent upon specific brand and model, but overall discount range from 23% to 36% off of MSRP. Full government discount matrix included in supporting pricing documentation.
60	Describe any quantity or volume discounts or rebate programs that you offer.	In the government sector, we offer a multi-unit discount for repeat customers. In a rolling 12 month period, a customer can receive an additional discount of 2% when 5-9 units are retailed or an additional 4% when 10+ units are retailed.
61	Propose a method of facilitating "sourced" products or related services, which may be referred to as "open market" items or "nonstandard options". For example, you may supply such items "at cost" or "at cost plus a percentage," or you may supply a quote for each such request.	In instances where sourced or "non-contract" equipment is purchased, the AGCO dealership would assign the same government discount to the equipment as they would with their own products. For example, if a Sourcewell member orders a Massey Ferguson tractor with a Diamond mower, the mower would receive the same government discount as the tractor.
62	Identify any element of the total cost of acquisition that is NOT included in the pricing submitted with your response. This includes all additional charges associated with a purchase that are not directly identified as freight or shipping charges. For example, list costs for items like pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	Pre-delivery inspection is done on all of our products at the servicing dealership prior to shipping to end customer. The AGCO technician will certify that everything is in working order and will exceed the customers expectations. These inspections generally cost between \$300 and \$800 depending on the unit retailed.
63	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcewell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	Factory freight may fluctuate with time but is included in the original quote at time of order.
64	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	Sourcewell members will incur the additional freight fees to Alaska or Hawaii, but will be discussed and quoted prior to ordering.
65	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	We are a global agricultural manufacturer with production sites and distribution centers scattered around the world. If a part is out of stock at the nearest distribution center or production site, we can coordinate on a global level to make the Sourcewell member whole.

**Table 12: Pricing Offered**

Line Item	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
66	b. the same as the Proposer typically offers to GPOs, cooperative procurement organizations, or state purchasing departments.	Discounts and pricing offered to Sourcewell members is the same as offered to other GPOs. However, as stated early there is considerable upside for Sourcewell considering that in 2022, \$2.6M in govt sales were done through GPOs; AGCO did \$58.5M in govt business in that same time period.

**Table 13: Audit and Administrative Fee**

Line Item	Question	Response *
67	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed Contract with Sourcewell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcewell participating entities obtain the proper pricing, that the Vendor reports all sales under the Contract each quarter, and that the Vendor remits the proper administrative fee to Sourcewell. Provide sufficient detail to support your ability to report quarterly sales to Sourcewell as described in the Contract template.	<p>Brian Celli, Government Sales Manager North America will be solely responsible for correct and timely reporting. This process has been long ingrained in the Government Sales team as all GPOs require similar forms of reporting and remittance.</p> <p>AGCO Corporation has a number of KPIs in place to track success of GPO partnerships. Monthly reviews of all government retails including any retailed on a GPO contract. This is done to monitor success but also to verify that customers are receiving the correct discounts. Furthermore, a quarterly sales analysis will take place where current retails are matched against past sales to identify trends and further identify where we are having success and where we are seeing challenges. During these quarterly reviews, a financial analysis also takes place to determine if there is room for deeper discounts that can be offered to prospective Sourcewell customers in future programs.</p>
68	If you are awarded a contract, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the contract.	<p>AGCO Corporation has a number of KPIs in place to track success of GPO partnerships. Monthly reviews of all government retails including any retailed on a GPO contract. This is done to monitor success but also to verify that customers are receiving the correct discounts. Furthermore, a quarterly sales analysis will take place where current retails are matched against past sales to identify trends and further identify where we are having success and where we are seeing challenges. During these quarterly reviews, a financial analysis also takes place to determine if there is room for deeper discounts that can be offered to prospective Sourcewell customers in future programs.</p>
69	Identify a proposed administrative fee that you will pay to Sourcewell for facilitating, managing, and promoting the Sourcewell Contract in the event that you are awarded a Contract. This fee is typically calculated as a percentage of Vendor's sales under the Contract or as a per-unit fee; it is not a line-item addition to the Member's cost of goods. (See the RFP and template Contract for additional details.)	<p>AGCO Corporations proposed administrative fee to Sourcewell will be 2% of unit sales retailed on the Sourcewell contract. This aligns with administrative fees that we have in the past with group purchasing organizations. However, Sourcewell is at a distinct advantage given the pent up demand we repeatedly hear from our field sales force requiring Sourcewell to secure retails.</p>

**Table 14A: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Line Item	Question	Response *
70	Provide a detailed description of the equipment, products, and services that you are offering in your proposal.	<p>Product categories includes tractors, combines, self-propelled sprayers, hay tools, forage equipment, seeding and tillage, implements, and grain storage and protein production systems which are marketed under the various brands; Challenger, Fendt, Hesston, Massey Ferguson.</p>
71	If you are providing used equipment, please provide details regarding the proposed program, including sales tracking and reporting procedures.	<p>On occasion we do accept used machinery to offset the cost of a new machine, but it is not a core piece of our business framework.</p>
72	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	<p>Not Applicable.</p>

**Table 14B: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services**

Indicate below if the listed types or classes of equipment, products, and services are offered within your proposal. Provide additional comments in the text box provided, as necessary.

Line Item	Category or Type	Offered *	Comments
73	Offering including one or more Ag Tractor(s) with a published net PTO horsepower rating of at least 50.	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Yes, while we offer few CUE tractors below the required 50 PTO HP, the vast majority of our offering is based on the needs of the American farmer and therefore far exceed 50 PTO HP. *
74	Combines, chaser grain carts, tillage equipment, sprayers, spreaders, planters, seeders, hay balers, rakes, pallet forks, and forage equipment.	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	AGCO offers combines, tillage equipment, sprayers, seeders, hay balers and rakes. *
75	Used equipment, attachments, or accessories, to the extent that the offering of used equipment, attachments, accessories, is ancillary or complementary to an offering of new, current model equipment and products.	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Not a rule, but on occasion we do accept used machinery to offset the cost of a new machine. *
76	Related technology, to the extent that the offering of technology solutions is ancillary or complementary to an offering of Ag Tractor(s).	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	While each of our individual brands offer complimentary and relevant technology options, we have a division called "FUSE" which is solely dedicated to tech innovation and training. *

**Table 15: Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form**

**Line Item 77. NOTICE:** To identify any exception, or to request any modification, to Sourcewell standard Contract terms, conditions, or specifications, a Proposer must submit the proposed exception(s) or requested modification(s) via redline in the Contract Template provided in the "Bid Documents" section. Proposer must upload the redline in the "Requested Exceptions" upload field. All exceptions and/or proposed modifications are subject to review and approval by Sourcewell and will not automatically be included in the Contract.

Do you have exceptions or modifications to propose?	Acknowledgement *
	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No

**Documents****Ensure your submission document(s) conforms to the following:**

1. Documents in PDF format are preferred. Documents in Word, Excel, or compatible formats may also be provided.
2. Documents should NOT have a security password, as Sourcewell may not be able to open the file. It is your sole responsibility to ensure that the uploaded document(s) are not either defective, corrupted or blank and that the documents can be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
3. Sourcewell may reject any response where any document(s) cannot be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
4. If you need to upload more than one (1) document for a single item, you should combine the documents into one zipped file. If the zipped file contains more than one (1) document, ensure each document is named, in relation to the submission format item responding to. For example, if responding to the Marketing Plan category save the document as "Marketing Plan."

- [Pricing](#) - AGCO Price Pages & Discount Matrix - All Brands.pdf - Tuesday August 29, 2023 14:31:13
- [Financial Strength and Stability](#) - AGCO Financial Documents - Earnings Release & Annual Report & 10-Q.pdf - Tuesday August 29, 2023 14:34:29
- [Marketing Plan/Samples](#) - MKT Testimonial.jpg - Tuesday August 29, 2023 15:32:03
- [WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates](#) - Dealer Directory - AGCO Corp.xlsx - Tuesday August 29, 2023 15:36:59
- [Warranty Information](#) - AGCO Warranty - Extended Service Contracts & Preventative Maintenance.pdf - Tuesday August 29, 2023 14:36:40
- [Standard Transaction Document Samples](#) - Quote & Purchase Order Example.pdf - Tuesday August 29, 2023 14:13:20
- Requested Exceptions (optional)
- [Upload Additional Document](#) - AGCO Code of Conduct & Sustainability Report & Supplier or Quality Improvement.pdf - Tuesday August 29, 2023 14:39:55

## Addenda, Terms and Conditions

### PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE

I certify that I am the authorized representative of the Proposer submitting the foregoing Proposal with the legal authority to bind the Proposer to this Affidavit and Assurance of Compliance:

1. The Proposer is submitting this Proposal under its full and complete legal name, and the Proposer legally exists in good standing in the jurisdiction of its residence.
2. The Proposer warrants that the information provided in this Proposal is true, correct, and reliable for purposes of evaluation for contract award.
3. The Proposer, including any person assisting with the creation of this Proposal, has arrived at this Proposal independently and the Proposal has been created without colluding with any other person, company, or parties that have or will submit a proposal under this solicitation; and the Proposal has in all respects been created fairly without any fraud or dishonesty. The Proposer has not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement or arrangement with any person or business in an effort to influence any part of this solicitation or operations of a resulting contract; and the Proposer has not taken any action in restraint of free trade or competitiveness in connection with this solicitation. Additionally, if Proposer has worked with a consultant on the Proposal, the consultant (an individual or a company) has not assisted any other entity that has submitted or will submit a proposal for this solicitation.
4. To the best of its knowledge and belief, and except as otherwise disclosed in the Proposal, there are no relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest. An organizational conflict of interest exists when a vendor has an unfair competitive advantage or the vendor's objectivity in performing the contract is, or might be, impaired.
5. The contents of the Proposal have not been communicated by the Proposer or its employees or agents to any person not an employee or legally authorized agent of the Proposer and will not be communicated to any such persons prior to Due Date of this solicitation.
6. If awarded a contract, the Proposer will provide to Sourcewell Participating Entities the equipment, products, and services in accordance with the terms, conditions, and scope of a resulting contract.
7. The Proposer possesses, or will possess before delivering any equipment, products, or services, all applicable licenses or certifications necessary to deliver such equipment, products, or services under any resulting contract.
8. The Proposer agrees to deliver equipment, products, and services through valid contracts, purchase orders, or means that are acceptable to Sourcewell Members. Unless otherwise agreed to, the Proposer must provide only new and first-quality products and related services to Sourcewell Members under an awarded Contract.
9. The Proposer will comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules, and orders.
10. The Proposer understands that Sourcewell will reject RFP proposals that are marked "confidential" (or "nonpublic," etc.), either substantially or in their entirety. Under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.591, subdivision 4, all proposals are considered nonpublic data until the evaluation is complete and a Contract is awarded. At that point, proposals become public data. Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37 permits only certain narrowly defined data to be considered a "trade secret," and thus nonpublic data under Minnesota's Data Practices Act.
11. Proposer its employees, agents, and subcontractors are not:
  1. Included on the "Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons" list maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the United States Department of the Treasury found at: <https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf>;
  2. Included on the government-wide exclusions lists in the United States System for Award Management found at: <https://sam.gov/SAM/>; or
  3. Presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated



by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this solicitation.

By checking this box I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Proposer's Affidavit, have the legal authority to submit this Proposal on behalf of the Proposer, and that this electronic acknowledgment has the same legal effect, validity, and enforceability as if I had hand signed the Proposal. This signature will not be denied such legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because an electronic signature or electronic record was used in its formation. - Brian Celli, Government Sales Manager, NA, AGCO Corporation

The Proposer declares that there is an actual or potential Conflict of Interest relating to the preparation of its submission, and/or the Proposer foresees an actual or potential Conflict of Interest in performing the contractual obligations contemplated in the bid.

Yes  No

The Bidder acknowledges and agrees that the addendum/addenda below form part of the Bid Document.

Check the box in the column "**I have reviewed this addendum**" below to acknowledge each of the addenda.

File Name	I have reviewed the below addendum and attachments (if applicable)	Pages
There have not been any addenda issued for this bid.		