

# MASTER AGREEMENT #041525 CATEGORY: Smart Infrastructure Solutions, Outdoor Sensors, and Related Products and Services SUPPLIER: ITS Plus, Inc.

This Master Agreement (Agreement) is between Sourcewell, a Minnesota service cooperative located at 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and ITS Plus, Inc., 6220 Trailwood Dr., Plano, TX 75024 (Supplier).

Sourcewell is a local government and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) offering a Cooperative Purchasing Program to eligible participating government entities.

Under this Master Agreement entered with Sourcewell, Supplier will provide Included Solutions to Participating Entities through Sourcewell's Cooperative Purchasing Program.

# Article 1: General Terms

The General Terms in this Article 1 control the operation of this Master Agreement between Sourcewell and Supplier and apply to all transactions entered by Supplier and Participating Entities. Subsequent Articles to this Master Agreement control the rights and obligations directly between Sourcewell and Supplier (Article 2), and between Supplier and Participating Entity (Article 3), respectively. These Article 1 General Terms control over any conflicting terms. Where this Master Agreement is silent on any subject, Participating Entity and Supplier retain the ability to negotiate mutually acceptable terms.

- 1) **Purpose.** Pursuant to Minnesota law, the Sourcewell Board of Directors has authorized a Cooperative Purchasing Program designed to provide Participating Entities with access to competitively awarded cooperative purchasing agreements. To facilitate the Program, Sourcewell has awarded Supplier this cooperative purchasing Master Agreement following a competitive procurement process intended to meet compliance standards in accordance with Minnesota law and the requirements contained herein.
- 2) **Intent.** The intent of this Master Agreement is to define the roles of Sourcewell, Supplier, and Participating Entity as it relates to Sourcewell's Cooperative Purchasing Program.
- 3) Participating Entity Access. Sourcewell's Cooperative Purchasing Program Master Agreements are available to eligible public agencies (Participating Entities). A Participating Entity's authority to access Sourcewell's Cooperative Purchasing Program is determined through the laws of its respective jurisdiction.
- 4) **Supplier Access.** The Included Solutions offered under this Agreement may be made available to any Participating Entity. Supplier understands that a Participating Entity's use of this Agreement is at the Participating Entity's sole convenience. Supplier will educate its sales and service forces about

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- Sourcewell eligibility requirements and required documentation. Supplier will be responsible for ensuring sales are with Participating Entities.
- 5) **Term.** This Agreement is effective upon the date of the final signature below. The term of this Agreement is four (4) years from the effective date. The Agreement expires at 11:59 P.M. Central Time on July 22, 2029, unless it is cancelled or extended as defined in this Agreement.
  - a) **Extensions.** Sourcewell and Supplier may agree to up to three (3) additional one-year extensions beyond the original four-year term. The total possible length of this Agreement will be seven (7) years from the effective date.
  - b) **Exceptional Circumstances.** Sourcewell retains the right to consider additional extensions as required under exceptional circumstances.
- 6) **Survival of Terms.** Notwithstanding the termination of this Agreement, the obligations of this Agreement will continue through the performance period of any transaction entered between Supplier and any Participating Entity before the termination date.
- 7) **Scope.** Supplier is awarded a Master Agreement to provide the solutions identified in (Solicitation #041525) to Participating Entities. In-Scope solutions include:
  - a) Outdoor sensors or advanced sensor-integrated luminaires intended for mounting on smart poles, capable of detecting, including but not limited to:
    - i) Air quality parameters;
    - ii) Lighting levels and energy usage;
    - iii) Noise levels, including gunshot and anomaly detection;
    - iv) Pedestrian and vehicle movement and presence; and,
    - v) Weather conditions.
  - b) Physical assets, poles, and mounting structures to support connected smart infrastructure systems.
  - c) Network components, gateways, controllers, communication modules, or specialized platforms necessary for connectivity, remote control, monitoring, data collection, and management of smart poles and sensors.
  - d) Integration or turnkey services directly related to a) c) above, including deployment, integration as a service (laaS), configuration, training, support, centralized data collection, and integration with existing smart city systems. Optional components may include Vehicle-to-Everything (V2X) capabilities for real-time communication with vehicles to enhance traffic flow, safety, and support autonomous systems.

Sourcewell is seeking market-ready solutions for outdoor applications. Proposers may offer software development **ONLY** as a supplemental service that supports and enhances the proven, market-ready solutions.

- 8) **Included Solutions.** Supplier's Proposal to the above referenced RFP is incorporated into this Master Agreement. Only those Solutions included within Supplier's Proposal and within Scope (Included Solutions) are included within the Agreement and may be offered to Participating Entities.
- 9) **Indefinite Quantity.** This Master Agreement defines an indefinite quantity of sales to eligible Participating Entities.
- 10) **Pricing.** Pricing information (including Pricing and Delivery and Pricing Offered tables) for all Included Solutions within Supplier's Proposal is incorporated into this Master Agreement.
- 11) **Not to Exceed Pricing.** Suppliers may not exceed the prices listed in the current Pricing List on file with Sourcewell when offering Included Solutions to Participating Entities. Participating Entities may request adjustments to pricing directly from Supplier during the negotiation and execution of any transaction.
- 12) Open Market. Supplier's open market pricing process is included within its Proposal.
- 13) Supplier Representations:
  - i) **Compliance.** Supplier represents and warrants it will provide all Included Solutions under this Agreement in full compliance with applicable federal, state, and local laws and regulations.
  - ii) **Licenses.** As applicable, Supplier will maintain a valid status on all required federal, state, and local licenses, bonds, and permits required for the operation of Supplier's business with Participating Entities. Participating Entities may request all relevant documentation directly from Supplier.
  - iii) **Supplier Warrants.** Supplier warrants that all Included Solutions furnished under this Agreement are free from liens and encumbrances, and are free from defects in design, materials, and workmanship. In addition, Supplier warrants the Solutions are suitable for and will perform in accordance with the ordinary use for which they are intended.
- 14) **Bankruptcy Notices.** Supplier certifies and warrants it is not currently in a bankruptcy proceeding. Supplier has disclosed all current and completed bankruptcy proceedings within the past seven years within its Proposal. Supplier must provide notice in writing to Sourcewell if it enters a bankruptcy proceeding at any time during the term of this Agreement.
- 15) **Debarment and Suspension.** 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 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 Agreement. Supplier further warrants that it will provide immediate written notice to Sourcewell if this certification changes at any time during the term of this Agreement.
- 16) Provisions for non-United States federal entity procurements under United States federal awards or other awards (Appendix II to 2 C.F.R § 200). Participating Entities that use United States federal

grant or other federal funding to purchase solutions from this Agreement 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 Section, all references to "federal" should be interpreted to mean the United States federal government. The following list applies when a Participating Entity accesses Supplier's Included Solutions with United States federal funds.

- i) **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.** Except as otherwise provided under 41 C.F.R. § 60, all agreements 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.
- ii) 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 comply with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.
- iii) 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, 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 Agreement. Supplier certifies that during the term of an award for all Agreements by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

- iv) 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 Agreements by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.
- v) 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 Agreement it will comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.
- vi) **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.
- vii) 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).

- viii) **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.
- ix) **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.
- x) **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.
- xi) 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 Agreement 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.
- xii) 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.
- xiii) **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.
- xiv) **NO OBLIGATION BY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.** The U.S. federal government is not a party to this Agreement 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 Agreement or any purchase by an authorized user.
- xv) **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 Agreement or any purchase by a Participating Entity.

- xvi) **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.
- xvii) **CONFLICTS OF INTEREST.** The Supplier must notify the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity as soon as possible if this Agreement or any aspect related to the anticipated work under this Agreement 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.
- xviii) **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.
- xix) PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Agreement it will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.216.
- xx) **DOMESTIC PREFERENCES FOR PROCUREMENTS.** To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Agreement, Supplier will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.322.

# Article 2: Sourcewell and Supplier Obligations

The Terms in this Article 2 relate specifically to Sourcewell and its administration of this Master Agreement with Supplier and Supplier's obligations thereunder.

- 1) Authorized Sellers. Supplier must provide Sourcewell a current means to validate or authenticate Supplier's authorized dealers, distributors, or resellers which may complete transactions of Included Solutions offered under this Agreement. Sourcewell may request updated information in its discretion, and Supplier agrees to provide requested information within a reasonable time.
- 2) **Product and Price Changes Requirements.** Supplier may request Included Solutions changes, additions, or deletions at any time. All requests must be made in writing by submitting a Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form to Sourcewell. At a minimum, the request must:
  - Identify the applicable Sourcewell Agreement number;
  - Clearly specify the requested change;
  - Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;
  - Individually list all Included Solutions affected by the requested change, along with the requested change (e.g., addition, deletion, price change); and

 Include a complete restatement of Pricing List with the effective date of the modified pricing, or product addition or deletion. The new pricing restatement must include all Included Solutions 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 Agreement and will be incorporated by reference.

- 3) Authorized Representative. Supplier will assign an Authorized Representative to Sourcewell for this Agreement and must provide prompt notice to Sourcewell if that person is changed. The Authorized Representative will be responsible for:
  - Maintenance and management of this Agreement;
  - Timely response to all Sourcewell and Participating Entity inquiries; and
  - Participation in reviews with Sourcewell.

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

- 4) **Performance Reviews.** Supplier will perform a minimum of one review with Sourcewell per agreement year. The review will cover transactions to Participating Entities, pricing and terms, administrative fees, sales data reports, performance issues, supply chain issues, customer issues, and any other necessary information.
- 5) Sales Reporting Required. Supplier is required as a material element to this Master Agreement to report all completed transactions with Participating Entities utilizing this Agreement. Failure to provide complete and accurate reports as defined herein will be a material breach of the Agreement and Sourcewell reserves the right to pursue all remedies available at law including cancellation of this Agreement.
- 6) Reporting Requirements. Supplier must provide Sourcewell an activity report of all transactions completed utilizing this Agreement. Reports are due at least once each calendar quarter (Reporting Period). Reports must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter. Supplier may report on a more frequent basis in its discretion. Reports must be provided regardless of the amount of completed transactions 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;
- Sourcewell Participating Entity Account Number;
- Transaction Description;
- Transaction Purchased Price;
- Sourcewell Administrative Fee Applied; and
- Date Transaction was invoiced/sale was recognized as revenue by Supplier.

If collected by Supplier, the Report may include the following fields as available:

- Participating Entity Contact Name;
- Participating Entity Contact Email Address;
- Participating Entity Contact Telephone Number;
- 7) Administrative Fee. In consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcewell, Supplier will pay an Administrative Fee to Sourcewell on all completed transactions to Participating Entities utilizing this Agreement. Supplier will include its Administrative Fee within its proposed pricing. Supplier may not directly charge Participating Entities to offset the Administrative Fee.
- 8) **Fee Calculation.** Supplier's Administrative Fee payable to Sourcewell will be calculated as a stated percentage (listed in Supplier's Proposal) of all completed transactions utilizing this Master Agreement within the preceding Reporting Period. For certain categories, a flat fee may be proposed. The Administrative Fee will be stated in Supplier's Proposal.
- 9) Fee Remittance. Supplier will remit fee to Sourcewell no later than 45 calendar days after the close of the preceding calendar quarter in conjunction with Supplier's Reporting Period obligations defined herein. Payments should note the Supplier's name and Sourcewell-assigned Agreement number in the memo; and must be either mailed to Sourcewell above "Attn: Accounts Receivable" or remitted electronically to Sourcewell's banking institution per Sourcewell's Finance department instructions.
- 10) **Noncompliance.** Sourcewell reserves the right to seek all remedies available at law for unpaid or underpaid Administrative Fees due under this Agreement. Failure to remit payment, delinquent payments, underpayments, or other deviations from the requirements of this Agreement may be deemed a material breach and may result in cancellation of this Agreement and disbarment from future Agreements.
- 11) Audit Requirements. Pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 16C.05, subdivision 5, the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices relevant to this Agreement are subject to examination by Sourcewell and the Minnesota State Auditor for a minimum of six years from the end of this Agreement. Supplier agrees to fully cooperate with Sourcewell in auditing transactions under this Agreement to ensure compliance with pricing terms, correct calculation and remittance of Administrative Fees, and verification of transactions as may be requested by a Participating Entity or Sourcewell.
- 12) Assignment, Transfer, and Administrative Changes. Supplier may not assign or otherwise transfer its rights or obligations under this Agreement without the prior written consent of Sourcewell. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld. Sourcewell reserves the right to unilaterally assign all or portions of this Agreement within its sole discretion to address corporate restructurings, mergers, acquisitions, or other changes to the Responsible Party and named in the Agreement. Any prohibited assignment is invalid. Upon request Sourcewell may make administrative changes to agreement documentation such as name changes, address changes, and other non-material updates as determined within its sole discretion.
- 13) **Amendments.** Any material change to this Agreement must be executed in writing through an amendment and will not be effective until it has been duly executed by the parties.

- 14) **Waiver.** Failure by Sourcewell to enforce any right under this Agreement 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.
- 15) **Complete Agreement.** This Agreement represents the complete agreement between the parties for the scope as defined herein. Supplier and Sourcewell may enter into separate written agreements relating specifically to transactions outside of the scope of this Agreement.
- 16) **Relationship of Sourcewell and Supplier.** This Agreement does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship such as employee, independent contractor, master-servant, or principal-agent.
- 17) **Indemnification.** Supplier must indemnify, defend, save, and hold Sourcewell, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees incurred by Sourcewell, arising out of any act or omission in the performance of this Agreement 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 design, condition, or performance of Included Solutions under this Agreement. Sourcewell's responsibility will be governed by the State of Minnesota's Tort Liability Act (Minnesota Statutes Chapter 466) and other applicable law.
- 18) **Data Practices.** Supplier and Sourcewell acknowledge Sourcewell is subject to the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13. As it applies to all data created and maintained in performance of this Agreement, Supplier may be subject to the requirements of this chapter.

#### 19) Grant of License.

- a) During the term of this Agreement:
  - i) Supplier Promotion. 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, promotional materials, and informational sites for the purpose of marketing Sourcewell's Agreement with Supplier.
  - ii) **Sourcewell Promotion.** Supplier grants to Sourcewell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Supplier's trademarks in advertising, promotional materials, and informational sites for the purpose of marketing Supplier's Agreement with Sourcewell.
- b) 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, partners, or agents (collectively "Permitted Sublicensees") in advertising, promotional, or informational materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties' relationship. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this section by any of their respective sublicensees.

#### c) Use; Quality Control.

i) 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.

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- ii) 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. Each party may make written notice to the other regarding misuse under this section. The offending party will have 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the issue or the license/sublicense will be terminated.
- d) **Termination.** Upon the termination of this Agreement 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.
- 20) Venue and Governing law between Sourcewell and Supplier Only. The substantive and procedural laws of the State of Minnesota will govern this Agreement between Sourcewell and Supplier. Venue for all legal proceedings arising out of this Agreement between Sourcewell and Supplier will be in court of competent jurisdiction within the State of Minnesota. This section does not apply to any dispute between Supplier and Participating Entity. This Agreement reserves the right for Supplier and Participating Entity to negotiate this term to within any transaction documents.
- 21) **Severability.** If any provision of this Agreement 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 Agreement is capable of being performed, it will not be affected by such determination or finding and must be fully performed.
- 22) **Insurance Coverage.** At its own expense, Supplier must maintain valid insurance policy(ies) during the performance of this Agreement 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:
  - a) 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 Agreement.
    - \$1,500,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage
    - \$1,500,000 Personal and Advertising Injury
    - \$2,000,000 aggregate for products liability-completed operations
    - \$2,000,000 general aggregate
  - b) **Certificates of Insurance.** Prior to execution of this Agreement, Supplier must furnish to Sourcewell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Agreement. 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 provided to in an alternative manner as directed by Sourcewell. The certificates must be signed by a person

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- authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf. Failure of Supplier to maintain the required insurance and documentation may constitute a material breach.
- c) Additional Insured Endorsement and Primary and Non-contributory Insurance Clause. Supplier agrees to list Sourcewell, including its 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 Agreement 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 Agreement can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies), or self-insured retention.
- 23) **Termination for Convenience.** Sourcewell or Supplier may terminate this Agreement upon 60 calendar days' written notice to the other Party. Termination pursuant to this section will not relieve the Supplier's obligations under this Agreement for any transactions entered with Participating Entities through the date of termination, including reporting and payment of applicable Administrative Fees.
- 24) **Termination for Cause.** Sourcewell may terminate this Agreement upon providing written notice of material breach to Supplier. Notice must describe the breach in reasonable detail and state the intent to terminate the Agreement. Upon receipt of Notice, the Supplier will have 30 calendar days in which it must cure the breach. Termination pursuant to this section will not relieve the Supplier's obligations under this Agreement for any transactions entered with Participating Entities through the date of termination, including reporting and payment of applicable Administrative Fees.

# Article 3: Supplier Obligations to Participating Entities

The Terms in this Article 3 relate specifically to Supplier and a Participating Entity when entering transactions utilizing the General Terms established in this Master Agreement. Article 1 General Terms control over any conflict with this Article 3. Where this Master Agreement is silent on any subject, Participating Entity and Supplier retain the ability to negotiate mutually acceptable terms.

1) **Quotes to Participating Entities.** Suppliers are encouraged to provide all pricing information regarding the total cost of acquisition when quoting to a Participating Entity. Suppliers and Participating Entities are encouraged to include all cost specifically associated with or included within the Suppliers proposal and Included Solutions within transaction documents.

- 2) Shipping, Delivery, Acceptance, Rejection, and Warranty. Supplier's proposal may include proposed terms relating to shipping, delivery, inspection, and acceptance/rejection and other relevant terms of tendered Solutions. Supplier and Participating Entity may negotiate final terms appropriate for the specific transaction relating to non-appropriation, shipping, delivery, inspection, acceptance/rejection of tendered Solutions, and warranty coverage for Included Solutions. Such terms may include, but are not limited to, costs, risk of loss, proper packaging, inspection rights and timelines, acceptance or rejection procedures, and remedies as mutually agreed include notice requirements, replacement, return or exchange procedures, and associated costs.
- 3) **Applicable Taxes.** Participating Entity is responsible for notifying supplier of its tax-exempt status and for providing Supplier with any valid tax-exemption certification(s) or related documentation.
- 4) **Ordering Process and Payment.** Supplier's ordering process and acceptable forms of payment are included within its Proposal. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment to Supplier and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.
- 5) **Transaction Documents.** Participating Entity may require the use of its own forms to complete transactions directly with Supplier utilizing the terms established in this Agreement. Supplier's standard form agreements may be offered as part of its Proposal. Supplier and Participating Entity may complete and document transactions utilizing any type of transaction documents as mutually agreed. In any transaction document entered utilizing this Agreement, Supplier and Participating Entity must include specific reference to this Master Agreement by number and to Participating Entity's unique Sourcewell account number.
- 6) Additional Terms and Conditions Permitted. Participating Entity and Supplier may negotiate and include additional terms and conditions within transaction documentation as mutually agreed. Such terms may supplant or supersede this Master Agreement when necessary and as solely determined by Participating Entity. Sourcewell has expressly reserved the right for Supplier and Participating Entity to address any necessary provisions within transaction documents not expressly included within this Master Agreement, including but not limited to transaction cancellation, dispute resolution, governing law and venue, non-appropriation, insurance, defense and indemnity, force majeure, and other material terms as mutually agreed.
- 7) **Subsequent Agreements and Survival.** Supplier and Participating Entity may enter into a separate agreement to facilitate long-term performance obligations utilizing the terms of this Master Agreement as mutually agreed. Such agreements may provide for a performance period extending beyond the full term of this Master Agreement as determined in the discretion of Participating Entity.
- 8) **Participating Addendums.** Supplier and Participating Entity may enter a Participating Addendum or similar document extending and supplementing the terms of this Master Agreement to facilitate adoption as may be required by a Participating Entity.

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# RFP 041525 - Smart Infrastructure Solutions, Outdoor Sensors, and Related Products and Services

#### **Vendor Details**

Company Name: ITS Plus Inc

Does your company conduct

business under any other name? If

yes, please state:

Texas

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#### **Specifications**

#### Table 1: Proposer Identity & Authorized Representatives (Not Scored)

**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).

Table 1 Specific Instructions. Sourcewell requires identification of all parties responsible for providing Solutions under a resulting master agreement(s) (Responsible Supplier). Proposers are strongly encouraged to include all potential Responsible Suppliers including any corporate affiliates, subsidiaries, D.B.A., and any other authorized entities within a singular proposal. All information required under this RFP must be included for each Responsible Supplier as instructed. Proposers with multiple Responsible Supplier options may choose to respond individually as distinct entities, however each response will be evaluated individually and only those proposals recommended for award may result in a master agreement award. Unawarded entities will not be permitted to later be added to an existing master agreement through operation of Proposer's corporate organization affiliation.

Line Item	Question	Response *	
	Provide the legal name of the Proposer authorized to submit this Proposal.	ITS Plus, Inc.	*
	In the event of award, is this entity the Responsible Supplier that will execute the master agreement with Sourcewell? Y or N.	Y	*
3	Identify all subsidiaries, D.B.A., authorized affiliates, and any other entity that will be responsible for offering and performing delivery of Solutions within this Proposal (i.e. Responsible Supplier(s) that will execute a master agreement with Sourcewell).	N/A	*
4	Provide your CAGE code or Unique Entity Identifier (SAM):	N/A	*
	Provide your NAICS code applicable to Solutions proposed.	339999	
6	Proposer Physical Address:	6220 Trailwood Dr Plano, TX 75024	*
7	Proposer website address (or addresses):	www.itsplus3.com	*
	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):	Staci Ingram President 6612 Gray Wolf Dr Plano, TX 75024 staci.ingram@itsplus3.com 817-404-9287	*
	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Staci Ingram President 6612 Gray Wolf Dr Plano, TX 75024 staci.ingram@itsplus3.com 817-404-9287	*
	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Michael Hutchison 6220 Trailwood Dr Plano, TX 75024 Hutchison@itsplus3.com 214-755-8169	*

Table 2A: Financial Viability and Marketplace Success (50 Points, applies to Table 2A and 2B)

Line Item	Question	Response *
11	Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested Solutions.	ITS Plus, Inc. is Texas based a vehicle detection manufacturer. Founded in 2005, our core moto is providing a better solution at a lower cost. We design all our products to be forward and backward compatible (never obsoleting) and interoperable with existing competitors' products. This allows agencies to be the most efficient with tax payer dollars, upgrading only necessary equipment.

12	What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?	To provide a means of purchasing to the Mutiple agencies who would like to purchase, but are asking for existing cooperative purchasing agreements for speed and simplicity.
13	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. DO NOT PROVIDE ANY TAX INFORMATION OR PERSONALLY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION.	We are a privately held company, so we do not share financial data. However, we have done very well in our market. In the past 12 years we have been doubling in sales every three years at about 65% GPM. This profit level and sales growth puts us in the top percentage of companies in our industry. Our largest publicly traded competitor tried to purchase us a couple years ago. We declined. They were later purchased for \$335M in 2024. We are profitable, well managed with an excellent staff and our best product line in the last 20 years. Because of our financial strength we offer our staff full medical, 401K and even a Pension program. No other company in our industry has the finances to offer a pension program. They are very expensive. See also attachment number one Bank Reference.
14	What is your US market share for the Solutions that you are proposing?	approximately 2-5% but growing rapidly.
15	What is your Canadian market share for the Solutions that you are proposing?	approximately 1-3% and growing
16	Disclose all current and completed bankruptcy proceedings for Proposer and any included possible Responsible Party within the past seven years. Proposer must provide notice in writing to Sourcewell if it enters a bankruptcy proceeding at any time during the pendency of this RFP evaluation.	N/A. There are no current or precious bankruptcy for proposer or any responsible party.
17	How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer the question that best applies to your organization, either a) or b).  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?	We are BOTH manufacturer AND distributor. By dealing direct we offer a better price with no middle markup, better service as no one knows the product better than us, and we get better feedback from the end user, allowing us to improve the product
18	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.	Multiple ITS Plus employees hold IMSA certifications including an IMSA Level III, for both bench and field. Only a handful of IMSA Level III tech's exist in market - about 176 out of tens of thousands of techs.
19	Disclose all current and past debarments or suspensions for Proposer and any included possible Responsible Party within the past seven years. Proposer must provide notice in writing to Sourcewell if it enters a debarment or suspension status any time during the pendency of this RFP evaluation.	There are no current or past debarments or suspensions for proposer or any responsible party.
20	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years.	ITS Plus has been qualified at some of the most difficult states to qualify, including Texas and Florida. We also found our count detection and count data to be the most accurate we have seen in the industry- above 99.99999% accurate detection and above 99% in counts. We have had independent reports generated from the Texas Transportation Institute (the top research organization in North America for traffic with about 1,000 researchers) verifying the accuracy of our count data. Ironically, most the 1 percent of count error we found was that if a car goes by with a bike rack on it we would count that as 2 vehicles, where a human counts it as one.
21	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years?	>99%

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23	List all state, cooperative purchasing agreements that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these agreement over the past three years?	We have several Citywide Blanket agreements in addition to these, but here is the list of State Cooperative agreements we currently hold.  Louisiana \$3,281,558  Kentucky \$943,019  Florida- \$219,085 (majority since recent renewal with Thunder added a few months ago)  Arizona- (Just awarded last year) \$143,102  Washington- (just issued late last month)	*
24	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?	N/A	*

# Table 2B: References/Testimonials

Line Item 25. Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcewell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *	
City of Pittsburgh, PA	Delmas McElhany III	412-255-2874	*
Annapolis, MD	Richard Folderauer	410-222-7334	*
City of El Paso, TX	Omar Uvina	915-472-3426	*
Lexington, KY	Duane Pierce	859-368-6447	
Flagstaff, AZ	Keith Johnson	928-326-1887	

# Table 3: Ability to Sell and Deliver Solutions (150 Points)

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.	We have over a dozen staff in our sales/support as well as toll free numbers. Our staff offer in person, virtual and phone assistance, and training. Over 90% of our staff has over 5 - 10 years with the company. No one has left our group in over 10 years, (and that was to pursue a Ph.D).	*
27	Describe the network of Authorized Sellers who will deliver Solutions, including dealers, distributors, resellers, and other distribution methods.	ITS Plus deals direct. We do have several distributors who have worked as allies in the past recommending our products as they know it provides a better overall solution. All orders still come directly to us, eliminating unnecessary markup.	*
28	Service force.	All our sales staff are trained to provide service, additionally we have several IMSA level 2 and even level 3 bench and field staff. Often they very first to pick up when dialing our toll free number. Many of our service force used to be customers and understand not only our products but the other equipment in the cabinet as well.	*
29	Describe the ordering process. If orders will be handled by distributors, dealers or others, explain the respective roles of the Proposer and others.	Typically we receive a request for quote from the agency- which is provided within 1 business day. Then upon receiving a PO from the agency, a packing list is generated and product is shipped typically within 2-5 business days. We have over \$1M in local inventory we manage very well to keep lead-times short.	*
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.	Since we deal direct, this question doesn't exactly apply as our customer IS the end user.  We offer a toll free number for 24 hour real time assistance. We also offer complimentary training both remote solutions as well as in person assistance and training.	*
31	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in the United States.	ITS Plus is a Texas Based company that services North America. Being located near DFW we are a 2-3 hour non stop flight from most any continental North American destination. We are already qualified to sell our product in most of the difficult states to be approved in and the only thing holding us back was not having an easy way to buy.	*
32	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in Canada.	Some of our largest customers are in Alberta, we are happy to provide our products to Canadian entities. We already have our Canadian business registration and pay Canadian Taxes.	*
33	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed agreement.	We provide to all.	*
34	Identify any account type of Participating Entity which will not have full access to your Solutions if awarded an agreement, and the reasoning for this.	We do no intent to limit access to our solutions.	*
35	Define any specific requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	Shipping costs may vary for non US or non Continental US locations as stated in price breakdown.	*
36	Will Proposer extend terms of any awarded master agreement to nonprofit entities?	Yes, ITS Plus will extend terms to non-profit entities	*

# Table 4: Marketing Plan (100 Points)

Line Item	Question	Response *	
37	Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	ITS Plus holds the back cover for the past 3 years of the two largest printed magazines in our industry ITE and IMSA - These both would be able to have Sourcewell award added to. Additionally, our website, and social media as well as email notification would go out notifying agencies of the award and procedure to take advantage of. See attachment 2-Sample Ads.	*
38	Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.	Our website, and social media as well as email blast notification would go out notifying agencies of the award and procedure to take advantage of.	*
39	In your view, what is Sourcewell's role in promoting agreements arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcewell-awarded agreement into your sales process?	Sourcewell's role is having a website any government or education entity can quickly and easily register to participate for free, can quickly search contracts by product type, or browse construction contracts by state and county, and have our contract number and contact information to quickly obtain a quote.  ITS Plus staff would be bring up during the initial sales process, and Sourcewell information would be included in our quotes as well, to make it easier for customers to utilize.	*
40	Are your Solutions available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.	We have previously offered e-procurement through our website- but in our Industry it was never utilized. Some of our previous cooperatives such as Texas SmartBuy allowed a cart style e-procurement for customers to create their Purchase Order.	*

# Table 5A: Value-Added Attributes (100 Points, applies to Table 5A and 5B)

Line Item	Question	Response *	
41	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.	ITS Plus strives to offer optimum accuracy, interoperability and lowest cost in our industry. We do not obsolete products (as is typical in our industry) and we make all our products as interoperable as possible. As that is what agencies and taxpayers want. Training is standard always complimentary and whenever the customer wishes, but our new system is very user friendly and can be mastered in three 2-minute videos we offer.	*
42	Describe any technological advances that your proposed solution(s) offer.	In less than 1 second, the system detects and creates trajectory data for every vehicle (car, bus, motorcycle, van, heavy, train etc) and vulnerable road user it sees. Including Pedestrian, bicycle, wheelchair, baby buggy and even animal. With only a few clicks it can provide near miss data, wrong way alerts, uturn violation, speed, volume, occupancy and so much more. This solution eliminates typical issues in our industry of false calls due to shadows, or missed calls from fog, glare or poor visibility. It mostly eliminates issues from occlusion thanks to trajectory driven data.	*
43	If applicable, describe how your solution(s) leverage artificial intelligence (AI) to enhance the functionality and efficiency of smart infrastructure.	Our NON COGNITIVE "Al" Model began training 13 years ago with drone footage and military funding - this gives it a very high level of accuracy. Typically in our industry similar models have been trained 1-8 years. The longer a model is trained the better it gets. Think of it as seniors playing football against middle school and elementary students. In 40 milliseconds the processor sees and identifies every road user in the field of view to well above 99.99999% accuracy.	*
44	Describe any "green" initiatives that relate to your company or to your Solutions, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.	By offering a solution that recommends using existing infrastructure, it allows "green" options right from the beginning. On a data side, it also allows ability to accurately detect pedestrians, scooters and bicycles to allow not only safety but also improved traffic flow and minimize emissions. Our sensors run at about 2x to 10x less power and about half the number of sensors/intersection (2 to 4 sensors for ITSP versus 8 sensors for our competitors)	*
45	Identify any third-party issued eco- labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the Solutions included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.	Our products are designed with many materials that can be recycled. Because they are forward and backward compatible, customers should rarely, if ever, need to dispose- however the aluminum, and plastics are all recyclable- and ITS Plus assemble warehouse- will send any recyclable material to recycle center. We are also compatible with older equipment from our competitors. And due to our advanced software that gives great performance to 20 year old analog cameras, we normally recommend using their older camera equipment - not purchasing our newer digital cameras. Again, this makes us unique in our industry. This reduces hardware installation time from 8 hours to 5 minutes - which greatly enhances safety in the field.	*
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?	ITS Plus offers one of the lowest cost options in our industry, our products are manufactured in Texas. We offer 24 hour toll free assistance, and complimentary in person training and assistance upon request. All of these are difficult to find in our industry. Also since we deal direct, this keeps our costs low, keeps service high since we know our product so well, and a unique opportunity for customers to have direct input on future design improvements. And we have had 1 year independent white paper reports from the most respected research group in our industry stating our performance is second to none.	*

# Table 5B: Value-Added Attributes

Line Item	Question	Certification	Offered	Comment
47	Select 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 and a listing of dealerships, HUB partners or resellers if available. Select all that apply.		C Yes No	N/A *
48		Minority Business Enterprise (MBE)	○ Yes No	N/A *
49		Women Business Enterprise (WBE)	∩ Yes	N/A *
50		Disabled-Owned Business Enterprise (DOBE)	C Yes No	N/A *
51		Veteran-Owned Business Enterprise (VBE)	C Yes R No	N/A *
52		Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Business (SDVOB)	C Yes © No	N/A *
53		Small Business Enterprise (SBE)	C Yes ⓒ No	N/A *
54		Small Disadvantaged Business (SDB)	C Yes	N/A *
55		Women-Owned Small Business (WOSB)	C Yes ⓒ No	N/A *

# Table 6A: Pricing (400 Points, applies to Table 6A and 6B)

Provide detailed pricing information in the questions that follow below.

Line Item	Question	Response *	
56	Describe your payment terms and accepted payment methods.	Payment terms are typically NET 30. We accept check, ACH, and Credit Card transactions are also accepted up to \$20K	*
57	Describe any leasing or financing options available for use by educational or governmental entities.	We do not offer leasing or financing options.	*
58	Describe any standard transaction documents that you propose to use in connection with an awarded agreement (order forms, terms and conditions, service level agreements, etc.). Upload all template agreements or transaction documents which may be proposed to Participating Entities.	Typically we provide Quote, receive a Purchase order from customer or Cooperative, Then we provide Packing List at shipping and Invoice. See attachment #3 Transaction Documents	*
59	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?	Yes we can use P card on transactions up top \$20K	*

60	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.	Our MSRP pricing is already the lowest in our market. We are offering Sourcewell an additional % below MSRP on all catalog items. Pricing list is included. Our pricing rarely changes, if needed, new catalog pricing is issued in January each year.	*
61	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.	Percentage Discount from MSRP 10%. We already strive to provide the lowest price in our market as a standard MSRP and we typically publish our standard pricing in advertisements.	*
62	Describe any quantity or volume discounts or rebate programs that you offer.	For simplicity we are rolling our quantity pricing discount into our discount proposal regardless of QTY you will receive the full 10% discount.	*
63	Propose a method of facilitating "sourced" products or related services, which may be referred to as "open market" items or "non-contracted items". 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.	All additional sourced or related items are also available at 10% off of Catalog MSRP Pricing.	*
64	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 predelivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	Product and shipping are the only charges in US. When shipping to Canada or Puerto Rico there may be tariffs to consider but that information is changing daily. No additional handling, pre-inspection etc fees are ever included.	*
65	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcewell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	Our average shipping is \$80 for a complete intersection. The shipping is quoted in our quote and adjusted up or down based on actual shipping costs or delivery options (rush delivery is available at cost)	*
66	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	Our average shipping is \$80 for a complete intersection. The shipping is quoted in our quote and adjusted up or down based on actual shipping costs to location or delivery options (rush delivery is available at cost) (any potential tariffs are paid by the importer)	*
67	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	None. We deal direct, simplifying the manufactured to supplied chain.	*
68	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed agreement with Sourcewell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcewell participating entities obtain the proper pricing.	All customers will be asked if they utilize Sourcewell at initial quote and Sourcewell contract/reference information will be included on the quote- which copies to the Packing List and Invoice automatically.	*
69	If you are awarded an agreement, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the agreement.	Our auditing system will be added to include a filter for sourcewell. This allows a simple option to pull on purchase orders for Sourcewell customers and will be included in spot audits as well as our annual auditing.	*
70	Provide a proposed Administration Fee payable to Sourcewell. The Fee is in consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcewell. The propose an Administrative Fee will be payable to Sourcewell on all completed transactions to Participating Entities utilizing this Agreement. The Administrative Fee will be calculated as a stated percentage, or flat fee as may be applicable, of all completed transactions utilizing this Master Agreement within the preceding Reporting Period defined in the agreement.	We propose a 2% Administrative fee. That seems inline with most nationwide cooperatives.	*

# Table 6B: Pricing Offered

Li Ite	ine em	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
71		contracts, or agencies.	Being a nationwide cooperative, it made since to make the pricing better than typically offered iin cooperative contracts.

# Table 7A: Depth and Breadth of Offered Solutions (200 Points, applies to Tables 7A through 7E)

Line Item	Question	Response *	
72	Provide a detailed description of all the solutions offered, including used solutions if applicable, offered in the proposal.	ITS Plus makes traffic lights turn green faster. We design and manufacture sensors, hardware and software that detects and classifies vehicles at traffic intersections which improves traffic flow by about 30%. The data the system provides can be used for safety, infrastructure planning, improved traffic flow, and reducing emissions	*
73	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	N/A The only thing we do is vehicle detection and data. We offer both a complete solution as well as individual components to be used with existing infrastructure.	*
74	Describe how your solutions ensure data privacy, security, and compliance.	Our government agency customers all have their own IT Departments. Each has their own requirements. Since the device stores the information and we are not on the cloud, the unit is behind the agencies firewall.	*
	Describe how your solutions ensure interoperability with existing systems and future upgrades.	There are standard within our industry such as NEMA4, NTSC Broadband 1V p to p, etc. We meet all these various standards and are interoperable. You cannot sell in our industry unless you follow the standards. Our policy is never to obsolete and make all products as forward and backward compatible as possible.	*

#### Table 7B: Outdoor Sensors or Advanced Sensor-Integrated Luminaires

Using the comments text box, answer the questions below if your proposal is offering **Outdoor Sensors or Advanced Sensor-Integrated Luminaires**.

■ We will not be submitting for Table 7B: Outdoor Sensors or Advanced Sensor-Integrated Luminaires

Line Item	Category or Type	Comments *
		Our system includes a published open API to integrate with as many other products as possible.
	Describe what transmission methods (e.g., wired, wireless) the sensors use, and how they ensure reliable communication.	Our solutions are wired and can run from camera to cabinet on many different types of cable/wires including coax, ethernet etc. Then from the cabinet the equipment is plugged into the agencies network switch to be brought back on the agencies network whether it be fiber, wireless, cellular etc.
	solution(s) ensure Zhaga compliance for the	ITS Plus is not an LED based company. We are a camera and Al based company. So there is no need for compliance. As an interesting side note, prior to ITS Plus, Michael spent 20 years in LED technology and design of LED traffic lights at HP OED and Optisoft. He sold the company, then later started ITS Plus.

# Table 7C: Physical Assets, Poles, and Mounting Structures

Using the comments text box, answer the questions below if your proposal is offering **Physical Assets, Poles, and Mounting Structures.** 

■ We will not be submitting for Table 7C: Physical Assets, Poles, and Mounting Structures

Line Item	Category or Type	Comments *
	structures in varying environmental conditions.	The ITS Plus Thunder mounting bracket is one of the most versatile in our industry comes with galvanized steel and can be mounted horizontally or vertically. It can be bolted, banded or corded to mast arm, riser pole, or luminaire. ITS Plus cameras also offer options to be mounted directly to poles without mounting hardware and to competitors' mounting hardware as well.

# Table 7D: Network Components, Gateways, Controllers, Communication Modules, or Specialized Platforms

Using the comments text box, answer the questions below if your proposal is offering **Network Components**, **Gateways**, **Controllers**, **Communication Modules**, **or Specialized Platforms**.

We will not be submitting for Table 7D: Network Components, Gateways, Controllers, Communication Modules, or Specialized Platforms

Line Item	Category or Type	Comments *	
	Describe what redundancy features are built into your network components to ensure continuous operation.		*
	Describe what features your platform provides for monitoring, controlling, and managing smart infrastructure assets.		*
	If applicable, describe how your platform supports multiple data sources and integrates them into a unified dashboard for real-time monitoring.		*

#### **Table 7E: Integration with Turnkey Services**

Using the comments text box, answer the questions below if your proposal is offering Integration with Turnkey Services.

■ We will not be submitting for Table 7E: Integration with Turnkey Services

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Line Item	Category or Type	Comments *		
83	Describe what levels of service (e.g., technology/infrastructure only, turnkey, other) are being proposed.	We are Manufacturer and Distributor of Vehicle Detection. For detection and data this is a turnkey solution. However it can be paired with other products using the open API to provide other features for LED boards, parking lot availability etc.  Typically the Agency Installs the equipment themselves as adding cameras requires a bucket truck. Similar products take 2-8 hours to install. Ours takes 3 minutes - 2 hours  Do to our interoperability, if working cameras are in place, the cabinet equipment can be installed in as few as 3 minutes and instantly provide above 99.6% count data and above 99.9999999% detection accuracy.		
84	Describe your proposed maintenance plans and schedules.  Provide details on routine maintenance, emergency repairs, software updates, and any remote monitoring capabilities.  Include pricing for such maintenance in your proposal.	ITS Plus Thunder processor can be paired with our low maintenance cameraminimizing any preventative maintenance required on field equipment. Software updates are few and far between - so far only needed if new desired features are wanted- not for functionality. If updates are desired, they can be done by agency remotely or at the device. Assistance from ITS Plus service reps is complimentary.		
85	Briefly describe one (1) project you have completed for another public agency and OUTLINE the deployment process.	The City of Virginia Beach was one of the first to adopt Thunder Processors and has more than any other agency currently.  For the first installation, a trained ITS Plus service rep is present to assist with installation and programming and provide training.  For cabinet only equipment, existing cameras are plugged in and Thunder is powered up. After plugging in a laptop, the software now allows programming. The programming is as simply as drawing a shape with a mouse. Objects inside the shape are detected.		

#### Table 8: Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form

Line Item 86. NOTICE: To identify any exception, or to request any modification, to Sourcewell standard Master Agreement terms, conditions, or specifications, a Proposer must submit the proposed exception(s) or requested modification(s) via redline in the Master Agreement 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 Master Agreement.

Do you have exceptions or modifications to propose?	Acknowledgement *	
	C Yes	
	© 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 4. Catalog Pricing w Sourcewell Discount.pdf Friday April 11, 2025 14:31:21
  - Financial Strength and Stability 1. Bank reference letter.pdf Wednesday April 09, 2025 11:56:08
  - Marketing Plan/Samples 2. Sample Ad.pdf Wednesday April 09, 2025 12:11:57
  - WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates (optional)
  - Standard Transaction Document Samples 3. Transaction Documents.pdf Wednesday April 09, 2025 11:54:31
  - Requested Exceptions (optional)
  - Upload Additional Document (optional)

#### Addenda, Terms and Conditions

#### PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE

I certify that I am an authorized representative of Proposer and have authority to submit the foregoing Proposal:

- 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 award.
- 3. The Proposer certifies that:
  - (1) The prices in this Proposal have been arrived at independently, without, for the purpose of restricting competition, any consultation, communication, or agreement with any other Proposer or competitor relating to-
    - (i) Those prices;
    - (ii) The intention to submit an offer: or
    - (iii) The methods or factors used to calculate the prices offered.
- (2) The prices in this Proposal have not been and will not be knowingly disclosed by the Proposer, directly or indirectly, to any other Proposer or competitor before award unless otherwise required by law; and
  - (3) No attempt has been made or will be made by Proposer to induce any other concern to submit or not to submit a Proposal for the purpose of restricting competition.
- 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 is created when a current or prospective supplier is unable to render impartial service to Sourcewell due to the supplier's: a. creation of evaluation criteria during performance of a prior agreement which potentially influences future competitive opportunities to its favor; b. access to nonpublic and material information that may provide for a competitive advantage in a later procurement competition; c. impaired objectivity in providing advice to Sourcewell.
- 5. Proposer will provide to Sourcewell Participating Entities Solutions in accordance with the terms, conditions, and scope of a resulting master agreement.
- 6. The Proposer possesses, or will possess all applicable licenses or certifications necessary to deliver Solutions under any resulting master agreement.
- 7. The Proposer will comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules, and orders.
- 8. 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: <a href="https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf">https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf</a>;
  - 2. Included on the government-wide exclusions lists in the United States System for Award Management found at: <a href="https://sam.gov/SAM/">https://sam.gov/SAM/</a>; 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, 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. STACI INGRAM, President, ITS Plus Inc

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 obligations contemplated in the solicitation proposal.

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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
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Addendum_5_Smart_Infrastructure_RFP041525 Thu March 27 2025 02:54 PM	M	1
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Addendum_3_Smart_Infrastructure_RFP041525 Tue March 25 2025 09:49 AM	<b>⋈</b>	2
Addendum_2_Smart_Infrastructure_RFP041525 Tue March 18 2025 08:15 AM	<b>⋈</b>	1
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