

NOTICE TO OFFERORS
(Chapter 103D, HRS)

STATE OF HAWAII
STATE PROCUREMENT OFFICE

INTRODUCTION: NASPO ValuePoint is a cooperative purchasing program facilitating public procurement solicitations and agreements using a lead state model. The National Association of State Procurement Officials (NASPO) is a cooperative group contracting consortium for State government departments, institutions, agencies, and political subdivisions (i.e. colleges, school districts, counties, cities, etc.) for the fifty states, the District of Columbia, and the organized US territories. NASPO is a non-profit association dedicated to strengthening the procurement community through education, research, and communications

The objective of this cooperative group is to obtain volume price discounts based on the collective volume of the numerous potential purchases by the individual States and their various governmental entities. The benefits of cooperative procurements are the potential administrative and contract management savings realized by contractors from their administration and management of a single, comprehensive NASPO ValuePoint contract, rather than multiple contracts for various State governments and governmental entities. Concurrently, the various State governmental entities also realize these same administrative and management benefits.

RFP-AR-21-001 Body Armor and Ballistic-Resistant Protective Solicitation: The State of Colorado, DPA – Division of Accounts and Control, on behalf of Colorado, and in association with NASPO ValuePoint, including the State of Hawaii, is requesting bids for:

Commodity/Services:	Body Armor and Ballistic-Resistant Protective Products
Release Date:	7/1/2020
Pre-Bid Conference:	7/15/2020, 11:30AM MDT
Deadline for Submission:	8/12/2020, 1:00PM MDT
Invitation for Bid:	RFP-AR-21-001
Issuing State Procurement Ofc:	Colorado
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The State of Colorado State, Department of Personnel & Administration, State Purchasing Office, on behalf of Colorado and NASPO ValuePoint is releasing this RFP-AR-21-001 for the purpose of establishing one or more Master Ordering Agreements with qualified offerors to provide Body Armor and Ballistic-Resistant Protective Products for all participating States.

The initial term of this Master Agreement is for two (2) years. This Master Agreement may be extended beyond the original contract period for three (3) additional years at Colorado discretion and by mutual agreement and upon review of requirements of Participating Entities, current market conditions, and Contractor performance.

The RFP is available on the <https://codpa-vss.cloud.cgifederal.com/webapp/PRDVSS2X1/AltSelfService> website. Click on Public Access (at the bottom left of the screen). A login is not required. Type is RFP-AR-21-001 in the Keyword Search box and hit enter.

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