

MAINTENANCE, REPAIR, OPERATING, INDUSTRIAL SUPPLIES AND RELATED PRODUCTS Executive Summary

Lead Agency: Maricopa County, AZ Solicitation: 16154-RFP

RFP Issued: August 4, 2016 **Pre-Proposal Date:** September 1, 2016

Response Due Date: September 22, 2016 Proposals Received: #5

Awarded to: Applied Industrial Technologies Inc. Contract #16154-RFP

Maricopa County Office of Procurement Services issued RFP #16154-RFP on August 4, 2016, to establish a national cooperative contract for Maintenance, Repair, Operating, Industrial Supplies and Related Products.

The solicitation included cooperative purchasing in Section 1.0 Introduction, Background and Intent – 1.1 Master Agreement:

Maricopa County, AZ (herein "Lead Public Agency" on behalf of itself and all states, local governments, school districts, and higher education institutions in the United States of America, and other government agencies and nonprofit organizations (herein "Participating Public Agencies") is soliciting proposals from qualified suppliers to enter into a Master Agreement for a complete line of Maintenance, Repair and Operating (MRO) Supplies and Industrial Supplies in a Retail and Wholesale environment; and Related Products and Services (herein "Products and Services").

And Section 1.0 Introduction, Background and Intent – 1.4 U.S. Communities:

U.S. Communities Government Purchasing Alliance (herein "U.S. Communities") assists Participating Public Agencies to reduce the cost of purchased goods through strategic sourcing that combines the volumes and the purchasing power of public agencies nationwide. This is accomplished through an award of competitively solicited contracts for high quality products and services by large and well recognized public agencies (herein "Lead Public Agencies"). The contracts provide for use by not only the respective Lead Public Agency, but also by other Participating Public Agencies.

Notice of the solicitation was sent to potential offerors, as well as advertised in the following:

- The Honolulu Star, HI
- Daily Journal of Commerce, OR
- ONVIA
- Merx.com
- U.S. Communities Website

On September 22, 2016 proposals were received from the following offerors:

- Applied Industrial Technologies
- HD Supply Facilities Maintenance, Ltd.
- Interline Brands dba as Supply Works
- Camfil USA Inc
- Home Depot USA Inc.

One (1) proposal was deemed non-responsive and four (4) proposals were deemed responsive: Applied Industrial Technologies, HD Supply Facilities Maintenance Ltd, Interline Brands DBA as Supply Works, and Home Depot USA Inc.

Upon evaluation, the committee elected to award the four responsive proposals: Applied Industrial Technologies, HD Supply Facilities Maintenance Ltd, Interline Brands DBA as Supply Works, and Home Depot USA Inc. for maintenance, repair, operating supplies, industrial supplies and related products and services.

Contract includes:

A leading industrial distributor that offers more than six million parts to serve the needs of MRO and OEM customers in virtually every industry. Solution benefits include:

- Applied.com offers a selection of more than 2.5 million products on a 24/7 basis.
- Integration transactions with customer's order-to-pay systems
- Robust reporting capabilities for inventory, shipping, products purchased, backorders and much more

Term:

Contract period from February 1, 2017 through December 31, 2021 with the option to renew to a maximum of five (5) additional years, through December 31, 2026.

Pricing/Discount: Discount off catalog

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