

PROCUREMENT LIMITED SOURCE JUSTIFICATION Purchases Above \$5,000

A Limited source is defined as: A purchase that is clearly and legitimately limited to a single source or supply.			
A. If more than one company can respond to your specifications, it is not a Limited source.			
B. The use of Limited source purcha			
All Limited source purchases shall follow the City of Independence Procurement Policy Section 13.A - B.			
I REQUEST THAT THE REFERENCED PURCHASE BE DECLARED A LIMITED SOURCE PURCHASE.			
Proposed supplier name and address: Toth and Associates - 1550 E. Republic Road, Springfiled, MO 65804		Estimated cost: \$122,407.00	
Purchase Requisition #:		Munis Vendor ID #	
		Or attach Supplier's W-9 Form	
This is a Limited or Limited source purchase because (Check all that apply): Licensed or patented – supplier has a license or patent that makes them the Limited provider. One-of-a-kind – there are no competitive alternatives available on the market. Limited Distributor – Supplier is the Limited distributor for the region or municipality Compatibility – must match existing brand or equipment for compatibility. Warranty/Replacement part – for a specific brand or factory authorized warranty services. Grant – Requirements for specific goods/services established in the grant language. Attach grant for support. Unique design – must meet physical design or quality standards. Public Utility Services – Necessary adjustment of utility facilities Other - Toth & Associates is an approved A & E vedor of the City of Independence and complies with the City policy on engineering QBS process. Toth & Associates are familiar with IPL protection schemes and engineering policies as demonstrated over thepast three years by successfully completing engineering services for the rebuild of Substations K and E for IPL. This knowledge will serve as an efficient and economical method of reviewing proposed Substation M 69 kV breaker replacement engineering services. Therefore recommend limiting the engineering services for the Substation M 69 kV Breaker Replacement project only to Toth & Associates. Using other consultants will require substantially more			
 engineering services and cause increased costs to IPL. If the justification for Limited source is "Standardization" then additional supporting documentation must be provided. * Procurements of items which the City has established a standard of designating a brand name or manufacturer or by 			
pre-approving via testing shall be competitively bid if there is more than one supplier for the item.			
Describe the proposed goods or services.		r Replacment Engineering Services	
What are the specific <u>necessary</u> features that this supplier provides that are not available from other suppliers?	Toth & Associates have been supplying system protection and substation designs for IPL over the past three years, and as a result are very familiar with the IPL design policies and procedures. This knowledge will serve as an efficient and econmomical method of reviewing proposed Substation M 69 kV Breaker replacement engineering services.		
Describe your efforts to identify other potential sources and how similar goods or services are <u>unable</u> to meet the required objective.	The bidding to others will require significantly more engineering services and cause increased costs to IPL. Due to the previous successful engineering provided by Toth and their availability during the timeframe needed there is no need to persue review with other engineering firms.		

*Testing and Evaluations performed to support standardization.			
*How will standardization support the department/agency?	electrical configuration a	& McDonnell, for the Sub S site and consistent and standard approach will be us transmission planning studes. Their ional and accurate.	
Is this a one-time procurement?		ocurement requires justification to be renewed	
☐ No* ⊠ Yes	every two years.		
PRICE REASONABLENESS (Check all that apply and attach back-up documentation)			
 □ I reviewed the proposed price to current published catalog, price lists, or market prices as documented in the attachments and the proposed price is similar or less. Attach relevant documentation. □ Based on my knowledge of the market, my experience of prior similar proposals, or knowledge imparted by technical experts. □ The price is set by law or regulations. □ Other: Pricing is reasonable and consistent for this type of work. Toth & Associates is an approved A & E vendor for the City of Independence and complies with QBS practices. □ Back-up documentation is attached. 			
STATEMENT OF NEED AND CERTIFICATION: My department's recommendation for Limited source is based upon an objective review of the product/service required and appears to be in the best interest of the City of Independence. I know of no conflict of interest on my part or personal involvement in any way with this request. No gratuities, favors or compromising action have taken place. Neither has my personal familiarity with particular brands, types of equipment, materials or firms been a deciding influence on my request to Limited source this purchase when there are other known suppliers to exist.			
By submitting this form to Munis, I hereby certify that this justification for Limited source procurement is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.			
Printed/Typed Name: Mitch Krysa		Title: Power Engineering Manager	

Note: If additional space is required, attach additional sheets of paper and submit with this completed form.