

REQUEST FOR SOLE SOURCE

TO: CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER, COUNTY OF MAUI FINANCE DEPARTMENT
FROM: Maui Police Department, Investigative Services Bureau, Criminal Investigation Division

(DEPARTMENT/DIVISION/BRANCH)

RE: REQUEST FOR SOLE SOURCE APPROVAL

PURSUANT TO 103D-306, and Subchapter 9, Chapter 3-122, HAR, the Department requests sole source approval to purchase the following (Description of goods, services, or construction):

Full Spectrum Imaging System (FSIS) with an integrated camera and dedicated computer with software to capture and process images of latent fingerprints on evidence items. Includes: system, installation, and 3-days on-site training by manufacturer representative.

Name of Vendor: Arrowhead Forensics

Cost: \$ 55,685.00 Term of Contract: From: 1-year from purchase To: _____

Prior Sole Source Reference No.(s), if any: _____

- (1) The goods, services, or construction has the following unique features, characteristics, or capabilities:
The camera has range of sensitivity from shortwave UV thru IR (254-1100nm), most light systems operate in visible light spectrum with no UV or IR. Arrowhead's proprietary system captures images on curved surfaces in a single file.

- (2) How are the unique features, characteristics, or capabilities essential for the agency to accomplish its work:
The patented multi-frame integration feature of the software allows user to set exposure and brightness levels before capturing the image in a single file (avoiding user stitching together in image editing software). FSIS will increase the efficiency of our sequential fingerprint processing workflow for the nondestructive examination of evidence.

(Attach Additional Sheets If Necessary)

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- (3) The following other possible sources for the goods, services, or construction were investigated but do not meet our needs because:

Only two vendors (Arrowhead Forensics and SPEX Forensics) provide an imaging system utilizing full spectrum of light. SPEX software is not capable of multi-frame integration and is more suitable for fingerprint comparisons, not the recovery by CSI's.

Direct questions to: Anthony Earles Phone: 808-463-3830

A completed Notice of Sole Source is attached.

I CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION PROVIDED ABOVE IS TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE TRUE, CORRECT AND THAT THE GOODS, SERVICES, OR CONSTRUCTION ARE AVAILABLE THROUGH ONLY ONE SOURCE.

YVES J. Jarama

Department/Agency Head

Date

9/24/19

Authorized Designee (if any)

Title:

Date

CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER'S COMMENTS:

Please ensure adherence to applicable administrative and statutory requirements. This expenditure may be processed through a purchase order:

Yes ___ No ___. If no, a contract must be executed and funds certified.

APPROVED DENIED

Scott J...
CHIEF PROCUREMENT OFFICER

5/31/19
Date

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NOTICE OF SOLE SOURCE

The Chief Procurement Officer is in the process of reviewing the request from the department of
The Maui County Police Department

for the sole source purchase of the following goods, services, or construction:
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software to capture and process images of latent fingerprints on evidence items.
Includes: system, installation, and 3-days on-site training by manufacturer representative.

Name of Vendor: Arrowhead Forensics
Address: 1106 Strang Line Road, Lenexa, KS 66215
Cost: \$ 55,685.00 Term of Contract: From: 1-year from purchase To: _____

Direct Any Inquiries To:
Name/Title: Anthony Earles, Police Evidence Specialist III Phone No.: 808-463-3830
Address: Criminal Investigation Div.: Forensics/ID Unit
55 Mahalani Street, Wailuku, HI 96793 Fax No.: 808-244-6479

5/31/19
Date Notice Posted

A copy of this notice of intent shall be posted by the Chief Procurement Officer and the purchasing agency in an area accessible to the public at least seven calendar days prior to any approval action.

Submit written objections to this notice of intent to issue a sole source contract within seven calendar days from the date this notice was posted to:

Chief Procurement Officer
County of Maui Finance Department
200 South High Street
Wailuku, Maui, HI 96793

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