



COMMISSIONERS COURT  
COMMUNICATION

REFERENCE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

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DATE: 02/21/2024

**SUBJECT: BID NO. F2024056 - SALE OF WEAPONS AND ACCESSORIES -  
SHERIFF'S OFFICE - VARIOUS VENDORS - PER UNIT PRICE**

**COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED**

It is requested that the Commissioners Court award Bid No. F2024056, Sale of Weapons and Accessories, for the Sheriff's Office, to the following vendors at the per unit price:

Proforce Marketing, Inc.	18 of 21 Lots
d/b/a Proforce Law Enforcement	
GT Distributors, Inc.	3 of 21 Lots

**BACKGROUND**

Notice of the County's intent to bid was advertised in local newspapers, as required by State statute, and posted on the Internet, the Arlington Black Chamber of Commerce, the Fort Worth Hispanic Chamber of Commerce, the Fort Worth Metropolitan Black Chamber of Commerce, and the Tarrant County Asian American Chamber of Commerce. One hundred and seventy-eight (178) vendors were contacted and requested to participate in this bid process. All documents pertaining to this bid were posted on the Tarrant County website and were downloaded by interested bidders. A pre-bid conference held on January 17, 2024, was attended by one (1) vendor as well as representatives from the Sheriff's Office and Purchasing. Seven (7) bids and two (2) no-bids were received.

Bids were evaluated by the Sheriff's Office and Purchasing representatives. Award recommendations are to the high bids meeting specifications.

The purpose of this contract is to sell forfeited weapons and accessories to the highest bidders with current Federal Firearms Licenses. The weapons and accessories are being held in the Sheriff's Office evidence room.

Therefore, it is the joint recommendation of the Sheriff's Office and Purchasing that Bid No. F2024056, Sale of Weapons and Accessories, be awarded to the vendors listed above at the per unit price.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

This award constitutes revenue to Tarrant County in the amount of \$46,322.00. The deposit account is S9600-2024 State Forfeitures/2110710000 State Forfeitures/483012 Auction - Non Tax.

SUBMITTED BY:	Purchasing	PREPARED BY: APPROVED BY:	Niki Jones Chris Lax, CPSM, CPSD, CPCP
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