



PURCHASING DEPARTMENT  
County Of Hidalgo

MEMORANDUM

TO: Guadalupe "Lupe" Trevino, Sheriff  
Hidalgo County Sheriff's Office

ATTN: Lt. Richard Ozuna  
Juan Tapia, Procurement Specialist

FROM: Sandra Montalvo, Buyer *SM*  
Hidalgo County Purchasing Department

DATE: March 11, 2009

RE: BID AWARD RECOMMENDATION REQUEST  
Bid No. 2009-025-03-11-SMA  
HIDALGO COUNTY-"Purchase of New Bulletproof Vests (soft body armors)"

Attached you will find copies of four (4) bid responses received for the above referenced project. Please review and reply with your recommendation. We need to present your recommendation on the next Commissioner's Court Meeting; therefore, we would like to have your response on or before the following deadline.

Please indicate your recommendation or any concerns on the space provided below and reply to the Purchasing Dept. via fax to (956)-318-2629 or (956) 292-7612 or email: sandra.montalvo@co.hidalgo.tx.us by no later than Friday, March 20, 2009 @ 12:00 P.M. in order to place this item on the agenda for next Commissioners Court Meeting, Tuesday, March 31, 2009.

If you should have any questions or need additional information please contact me at (956) 318-2626 ext.4865

AWARD TO VENDOR(S):	RECOMMENDATION (BASIS)
1. Lone Star Uniforms	Meets All Specifications.
2.	
3.	
BUDGET ACCOUNT #: 9-1100-421-00-280-001-0-611	

*[Signature]*  
Authorized Signature      Richard Ozuna      Hidalgo County SO.      3-13-09  
Printed Name      Department      Date

Enclosures

**HIDALGO COUNTY**  
**“PURCHASE OF NEW BULLETPROOF VESTS (body armors)”**  
**TABULATION SHEET**  
**BID NO. 2009-025-03-11-SMA**

DESCRIPTION BULLETPROOF VESTS		PROPOSED VENDORS									
		Miller Uniforms & Emblems Austin, Tx		GT Distributors, Inc. Austin, Tx		Lone Star Uniforms, Inc. Houston, Tx		BAE Systems			
		ADD'L COMPLETE CARRIER	VEST W/ CARRIER	ADD'L COMPLETE CARRIER	VEST W/ CARRIER	ADD'L COMPLETE CARRIER	VEST W/CARRIER	ADD'L COMPLETE CARRIER	VEST W/CARRIER		
<b>LEVEL II</b> OPTION-A	SM to XL	\$100.00	\$514.00	\$79.95	\$561.25	\$80.00	\$474.00			No bid prices	
	2XL to 6 XL	\$100.00	\$514.00	\$79.95	\$561.25	\$80.00	\$474.00				
<b>LEVEL II</b> OPTION-B	SM to XL	\$108.00	\$618.00	\$82.67	\$601.88	\$88.00	\$579.00				
	2XL to 6 XL	\$108.00	\$618.00	\$82.67	\$601.88	\$88.00	\$579.00				
<b>LEVEL IIIA</b> OPTION-A	SM to XL	\$100.00	\$557.00	\$79.95	\$623.75	\$80.00	\$517.00				
	2XL to 6 XL	\$100.00	\$557.00	\$79.95	\$623.75	\$80.00	\$517.00				
<b>LEVEL IIIA</b> OPTION-B	SM to XL	\$108.00	\$671.00	\$82.67	\$658.13	\$88.00	\$631.00				
	2XL to 6 XL	\$108.00	\$671.00	\$82.67	\$658.13	\$88.00	\$631.00				

**HIDALGO COUNTY PURCHASING DEPARTMENT  
PARTICIPATING BIDDER'S LOG  
SPECIFICATIONS/BID PACKETS  
IBF-RFB-RFP-RFQ-RFO-RFI**

**BID OPENING DATE:** March 11, 2009

**BID OPENING TIME:** 9:30 A.M.

**DEPARTMENT/BID DESCRIPTION:** HIDALGO COUNTY- "Purchase of New Bulletproof Vests(Soft Body Armors)"

**BID NO:** 2009-025-03-11-SMA

NAME OF BIDDER: COMPANY/FIRM	BID REQUEST *VIA	SIGNATURE (IF APPLICABLE) OR INITIALS OF STAFF ADDRESSING MAIL OUT	DATE	ADDRESS, PHONE NO & EMAIL ADDRESS
1) Lone Star Uniforms, Inc. Attn: David Mitrani	BLM	Sandra Montalvo	02/23/09	8430 N. Sam Houston Parkway W. Houston, Tx 77064 832-237-8000 ext. 1374 713-502-6742 cell 832-237-8008 fax <a href="mailto:david@lonestaruniforms.com">david@lonestaruniforms.com</a>
2) Tactical Gear Now, Inc. Attn: Lisa Bray or Kirk Rovinsky	BLM	Sandra Montalvo	02/23/09	401 South Sherman, Suite 215 Richardson, Tx 75081 800-282-3327 972-960-9394 214-351-9606 (fax) <a href="mailto:lisa@tacticalgearnow.com">lisa@tacticalgearnow.com</a> <a href="mailto:kirk@tacticalgearnow.com">kirk@tacticalgearnow.com</a>
3) Nardis, Inc. Attn: Jack Thurmon or Rene Martinez	BLM	Sandra Montalvo	02/23/09	500 E Main St Kilgore, TX 75662 903-984-8900 903-984-8982 fax <a href="mailto:renem@nardisinc.com">renem@nardisinc.com</a> <a href="mailto:jjt@nardisinc.com">jjt@nardisinc.com</a>
4) Miller Uniforms & Emblems, Inc Attn: Robert A Miller	BLM	Sandra Montalvo	02/23/09	650 Canon St. Austin, Tx 78752 512-302-5541 512-302-5516 fax <a href="mailto:bobmiller@milleruniforms.com">bobmiller@milleruniforms.com</a> <a href="mailto:garevjackson@milleruniforms.com">garevjackson@milleruniforms.com</a>
5) G T Distributors Attn: Chyrlynne Crockett	BLM	Sandra Montalvo	02/23/09	PO Box 16080 Austin, TX 78761 Ph: 512-691-5856 Fax: 512-453-6149 <a href="mailto:txbids@gtdist.com">txbids@gtdist.com</a> <a href="http://www.gtdist.com">www.gtdist.com</a>
6) Central Lake Armor Express Attn: Cindy Visnaw	EMR	Sandra Montalvo	02/23/09	P.O. Box 516 Central Lake, MI 49622 231-544-6090 ext 326 Fax 231-544-6734 <a href="mailto:cvisnaw@armorexpress.com">cvisnaw@armorexpress.com</a>
7) Lawmen's & Shooters' Supply, Inc. Attn: Gail Walker-Keen	EMR	Sandra Montalvo	02/24/09	7750 9 <sup>th</sup> Street SW Vero Beach, FL 32968 772-569-8700 ext 218 772-569-2955 fax <a href="mailto:gail@lawmens.net">gail@lawmens.net</a>
8) Antonio Gonzalez	TR	Sandra Montalvo	03/02/09	956-789-8081 cell <a href="mailto:Gonzalez217@yahoo.com">Gonzalez217@yahoo.com</a>
9) Centilla Corporation Attn: Robert Centilla	EMR	Sandra Montalvo	03/03/09	37 Industrial Drive Exeter, NH 03833 603-658-3881 phone 603-658-3882 fax <a href="mailto:Robert@centilla.net">Robert@centilla.net</a>
10) U.S. Armor Corporation Attn: Maggie Solis	EMR	Sandra Montalvo	03/05/09	16433 VALLEY VIEW AVENUE CERRITOS, CA 90703 562-207-4240 phone <a href="mailto:Maggie@usarmor.com">Maggie@usarmor.com</a>

11) Protective Products International Attn: Debbi Barnes	EMR	Sandra Montalvo	03/05/09	1649 NW 136 <sup>th</sup> Ave. Sunrise, FL 33323 954-846-8222 office 954-846-0555 fax <a href="mailto:dbarnes@body-armor.com">dbarnes@body-armor.com</a> <a href="http://www.body-armor.com">www.body-armor.com</a>
12) Integrity Group Attn: Monica Bell	EMR	Sandra Montalvo	03/06/09	55 Chapman Oak Dr. Newnan, GA 30265 404-391-1327 office <a href="mailto:Monicabell08@comcast.net">Monicabell08@comcast.net</a>
13) RBR Tactical Armor, Inc Attn: Lee Sisson	EMR	Sandra Montalvo	03/05/09	800-672-7667 804-822-5070 phone 804-726-6028 fax <a href="mailto:lee@rbrtactical.com">lee@rbrtactical.com</a>

**\*VIA:**  
**IN PERSON (IP)**  
**TELEPHONE REQUEST (TR)**  
**BIDDER LIST MAIL OUT (BLM)**  
**E-MAIL (EM)**