

**PROCUREMENT OFFICER'S DETERMINATION**

**CONTRACT NO. P6104594  
CASE DV36 TANDEM DRUM VIBRATORY ASPHALT ROLLER  
AT  
BALTIMORE/WASHINGTON INTERNATIONAL THURGOOD MARSHALL AIRPORT**

December 2, 2020

**Procurement Method:**

In accordance with State Procurement Regulations COMAR 21.05.09.04, the Maryland Department of Transportation Maryland Aviation Administration (MDOT MAA) Procurement Officer has determined that it would be in the best interest of the State to procure a Case DV36 Tandem Drum Vibratory Asphalt Roller from Sourcewell Contract:

- Contract No. 032119-CNH –Case Construction, Inc. via Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchase Method

Sourcewell strives to make the governmental procurement process more efficient by establishing competitively priced contracts for goods and services. This contract is available to authorized parties, including institutions of higher education, cities and counties, other political subdivision or special districts, and nonprofit corporations. This contract has been awarded by virtue of a public competitive procurement process and compliant with state statutes.

**Background:**

The purchase of this Case Asphalt Roller will replace a Vibromax Asphalt Roller #30067. The current Asphalt Roller is 18 years old and nearing the end of its service life. This equipment is used to complete new asphalt installation projects, make repairs to failing sections of asphalt and replace asphalt that was removed to complete underground work. It is primarily used on runways, taxiways, loading ramps and public areas at Baltimore/Washington International Thurgood Marshall (BWI Thurgood Marshall) Airport.

The replacement of this equipment is essential for maintaining pavement in critical areas to meet FAA inspection standards at BWI Thurgood Marshall Airport. Failure to replace this equipment could cause delays in maintaining runway and taxiway standards and create inefficiencies performing daily work by the MDOT MAA Office of Grounds Maintenance. The Asphalt Roller will provide MDOT MAA with improved fleet maintenance efficiency and operational equipment availability.

**Finding of Fact:**

Contract No. 032119-CNH between Sourcewell and Case Construction, is effective July 8, 2019 through May 23, 2023. The contract provides the Asphalt Roller for, including \$1,000 for shipping, a total configured price of \$60,731.00. This price has a 25% discount (\$19,647.00) from the list price of \$78,588.00. The lead time of this equipment is 14-21 days after receipt of order.

Through market research MDOT MAA found a comparable Caterpillar, Inc. CB36 Asphalt Roller from a competitively bid Ohio State contract No. 800525. The contract provides the Asphalt Roller, not including shipping costs, for a base price of \$64,941.75, a 19% discount (\$15,233.25) from the list price of \$80,175.00. Compared to the discounted price of \$60,731.00 from the Sourcewell contract, MDOT MAA will realize a great savings.

**Conclusion:**

MDOT MAA has obtained funds approval from MDOT MAA Capital Programs to acquire the Case Asphalt Roller requested by MDOT MAA Office of Grounds Maintenance. Contract No. 032119-CNH Case Construction has been procured pursuant to COMAR 21.05.09, Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing. Utilizing this procurement method will allow MDOT MAA to realize a savings of both time and money in obtaining the specialized equipment. It is in the best interest of the State and will promote administrative efficiencies and intergovernmental cooperation.

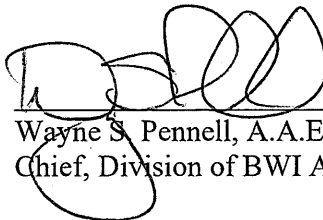
It is not intended as a means to evade the purposes set forth under COMAR 21.01.01.03 or State Finance and Procurement, Section 13-110.



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