

DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

**Justification for Single Source Awards IAW [FAR 13.106-1](#)
For
Over Micro-Purchase Threshold but Not Exceeding the SAT**

Acquisition Plan Action ID: VA256-18-AP-7976

- 1. Contracting Activity:** NCO 16 Div II Supply Team C SHR for VHSO Fayetteville VAMC. 2237# 564-18-3-582-0014
- 2. Brief Description of Supplies/ Services required and the intended use/Estimated Amount:** Hustler Super Z Hyperdrive 72" Mowers 2ea. Estimated value \$31K
- 3. Unique characteristics that limit availability to only one source, with the reason no other supplies or services can be used:** The VHSO has operated Hustler ZTR Mowers on the grounds for years. The existing fleet of mowers was last augmented in 2016. The Grounds personnel are responsible for maintenance of the mowers. Their training and spare parts are all based on Hustler mowers of this type. Procuring a different make/model of mower would require an uneconomical duplication of investment in training and spare parts. Additionally, the Hustler is liquid-cooled, has hyperdrive transmission, and bacvac system.
- 4. Description of market research conducted and results or statement why it was not conducted:** Market Research was conducted to seek Veteran-Owned sources for this requirement. An RFQ will be issued under a Veteran-Owned Small Business Set-Aside. If no VOSB competition can be obtained, Small Business sources are available on GSA.
- 5. Contracting Officer's Certification:** *Purchase is approved in accordance with FAR13.106-1(b). I certify that the foregoing justification is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.*

Contracting Officer

5/24/2018_____
Date