

**Solicitation Number: RFP #110223****CONTRACT**

This Contract is between Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 (Sourcewell) and Scranton Manufacturing Company/New Way Trucks, 101 State Street, Scranton, IA 51462 (Supplier).

Sourcewell is a State of Minnesota local government unit and service cooperative created under the laws of the State of Minnesota (Minnesota Statutes Section 123A.21) that offers cooperative procurement solutions to government entities. Participation is open to eligible federal, state/province, and municipal governmental entities, higher education, K-12 education, nonprofit, tribal government, and other public entities located in the United States and Canada. Sourcewell issued a public solicitation for Refuse Collection Vehicles with Related Equipment, Accessories and Services from which Supplier was awarded a contract.

Supplier desires to contract with Sourcewell to provide equipment, products, or services to Sourcewell and the entities that access Sourcewell's cooperative purchasing contracts (Participating Entities).

1. TERM OF CONTRACT

A. **EFFECTIVE DATE.** This Contract is effective upon the date of the final signature below.

EXPIRATION DATE AND EXTENSION. This Contract expires December 28, 2027, unless it is cancelled sooner pursuant to Article 22. This Contract allows up to three additional one-year extensions upon the request of Sourcewell and written agreement by Supplier. Sourcewell retains the right to consider additional extensions beyond seven years as required under exceptional circumstances.

B. **SURVIVAL OF TERMS.** Notwithstanding any expiration or termination of this Contract, all payment obligations incurred prior to expiration or termination will survive, as will the following: Articles 11 through 14 survive the expiration or cancellation of this Contract. All other rights will cease upon expiration or termination of this Contract.

2. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES

A. EQUIPMENT, PRODUCTS, OR SERVICES. Supplier will provide the Equipment, Products, or Services as stated in its Proposal submitted under the Solicitation Number listed above. Supplier's Equipment, Products, or Services Proposal (Proposal) is attached and incorporated into this Contract.

All Equipment and Products provided under this Contract must be new and the current model. Supplier may offer close-out or refurbished Equipment or Products if they are clearly indicated in Supplier's product and pricing list. Unless agreed to by the Participating Entities in advance, Equipment or Products must be delivered as operational to the Participating Entity's site.

This Contract offers an indefinite quantity of sales, and while substantial volume is anticipated, sales and sales volume are not guaranteed.

B. WARRANTY. Supplier warrants that all Equipment, Products, and Services furnished are free from liens and encumbrances, and are free from defects in design, materials, and workmanship. In addition, Supplier warrants the Equipment, Products, and Services are suitable for and will perform in accordance with the ordinary use for which they are intended. Supplier's dealers and distributors must agree to assist the Participating Entity in reaching a resolution in any dispute over warranty terms with the manufacturer. Any manufacturer's warranty that extends beyond the expiration of the Supplier's warranty will be passed on to the Participating Entity.

C. DEALERS, DISTRIBUTORS, AND/OR RESELLERS. Upon Contract execution and throughout the Contract term, Supplier must provide to Sourcewell a current means to validate or authenticate Supplier's authorized dealers, distributors, or resellers relative to the Equipment, Products, and Services offered under this Contract, which will be incorporated into this Contract by reference. It is the Supplier's responsibility to ensure Sourcewell receives the most current information.

3. PRICING

All Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract will be priced at or below the price stated in Supplier's Proposal.

When providing pricing quotes to Participating Entities, all pricing quoted must reflect a Participating Entity's total cost of acquisition. This means that the quoted cost is for delivered Equipment, Products, and Services that are operational for their intended purpose, and includes all costs to the Participating Entity's requested delivery location.

Regardless of the payment method chosen by the Participating Entity, the total cost associated with any purchase option of the Equipment, Products, or Services must always be disclosed in the pricing quote to the applicable Participating Entity at the time of purchase.

A. **SHIPPING AND SHIPPING COSTS.** All delivered Equipment and Products must be properly packaged. Damaged Equipment and Products may be rejected. If the damage is not readily apparent at the time of delivery, Supplier must permit the Equipment and Products to be returned within a reasonable time at no cost to Sourcewell or its Participating Entities. Participating Entities reserve the right to inspect the Equipment and Products at a reasonable time after delivery where circumstances or conditions prevent effective inspection of the Equipment and Products at the time of delivery. In the event of the delivery of nonconforming Equipment and Products, the Participating Entity will notify the Supplier as soon as possible and the Supplier will replace nonconforming Equipment and Products with conforming Equipment and Products that are acceptable to the Participating Entity.

Supplier must arrange for and pay for the return shipment on Equipment and Products that arrive in a defective or inoperable condition.

Sourcewell may declare the Supplier in breach of this Contract if the Supplier intentionally delivers substandard or inferior Equipment or Products.

B. **SALES TAX.** Each Participating Entity is responsible for supplying the Supplier with valid tax-exemption certification(s). When ordering, a Participating Entity must indicate if it is a tax-exempt entity.

C. **HOT LIST PRICING.** At any time during this Contract, Supplier may offer a specific selection of Equipment, Products, or Services at discounts greater than those listed in the Contract. When Supplier determines it will offer Hot List Pricing, it must be submitted electronically to Sourcewell in a line-item format. Equipment, Products, or Services may be added or removed from the Hot List at any time through a Sourcewell Price and Product Change Form as defined in Article 4 below.

Hot List program and pricing may also be used to discount and liquidate close-out and discontinued Equipment and Products as long as those close-out and discontinued items are clearly identified as such. Current ordering process and administrative fees apply. Hot List Pricing must be published and made available to all Participating Entities.

4. PRODUCT AND PRICING CHANGE REQUESTS

Supplier may request Equipment, Product, or Service changes, additions, or deletions at any time. All requests must be made in writing by submitting a signed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form to the assigned Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator. This approved form is available from the assigned Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator. At a minimum, the request must:

- Identify the applicable Sourcewell contract number;

- Clearly specify the requested change;
- Provide sufficient detail to justify the requested change;
- Individually list all Equipment, Products, or Services affected by the requested change, along with the requested change (e.g., addition, deletion, price change); and
- Include a complete restatement of pricing documentation in Microsoft Excel with the effective date of the modified pricing, or product addition or deletion. The new pricing restatement must include all Equipment, Products, and Services offered, even for those items where pricing remains unchanged.

A fully executed Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form will become an amendment to this Contract and will be incorporated by reference.

5. PARTICIPATION, CONTRACT ACCESS, AND PARTICIPATING ENTITY REQUIREMENTS

A. PARTICIPATION. Sourcewell's cooperative contracts are available and open to public and nonprofit entities across the United States and Canada; such as federal, state/province, municipal, K-12 and higher education, tribal government, and other public entities.

The benefits of this Contract should be available to all Participating Entities that can legally access the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract. A Participating Entity's authority to access this Contract is determined through its cooperative purchasing, interlocal, or joint powers laws. Any entity accessing benefits of this Contract will be considered a Service Member of Sourcewell during such time of access. Supplier understands that a Participating Entity's use of this Contract is at the Participating Entity's sole convenience and Participating Entities reserve the right to obtain like Equipment, Products, or Services from any other source.

Supplier is responsible for familiarizing its sales and service forces with Sourcewell contract use eligibility requirements and documentation and will encourage potential participating entities to join Sourcewell. Sourcewell reserves the right to add and remove Participating Entities to its roster during the term of this Contract.

B. PUBLIC FACILITIES. Supplier's employees may be required to perform work at government-owned facilities, including schools. Supplier's employees and agents must conduct themselves in a professional manner while on the premises, and in accordance with Participating Entity policies and procedures, and all applicable laws.

6. PARTICIPATING ENTITY USE AND PURCHASING

A. ORDERS AND PAYMENT. To access the contracted Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract, a Participating Entity must clearly indicate to Supplier that it intends to access this Contract; however, order flow and procedure will be developed jointly between Sourcewell and Supplier. Typically, a Participating Entity will issue an order directly to Supplier or its authorized

subsidiary, distributor, dealer, or reseller. If a Participating Entity issues a purchase order, it may use its own forms, but the purchase order should clearly note the applicable Sourcewell contract number. All Participating Entity orders under this Contract must be issued prior to expiration or cancellation of this Contract; however, Supplier performance, Participating Entity payment obligations, and any applicable warranty periods or other Supplier or Participating Entity obligations may extend beyond the term of this Contract.

Supplier's acceptable forms of payment are included in its attached Proposal. Participating Entities will be solely responsible for payment and Sourcewell will have no liability for any unpaid invoice of any Participating Entity.

B. **ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS/PARTICIPATING ADDENDUM.** Additional terms and conditions to a purchase order, or other required transaction documentation, may be negotiated between a Participating Entity and Supplier, such as job or industry-specific requirements, legal requirements (e.g., affirmative action or immigration status requirements), or specific local policy requirements. Some Participating Entities may require the use of a Participating Addendum, the terms of which will be negotiated directly between the Participating Entity and the Supplier or its authorized dealers, distributors, or resellers, as applicable. Any negotiated additional terms and conditions must never be less favorable to the Participating Entity than what is contained in this Contract.

C. **SPECIALIZED SERVICE REQUIREMENTS.** In the event that the Participating Entity requires service or specialized performance requirements not addressed in this Contract (such as e-commerce specifications, specialized delivery requirements, or other specifications and requirements), the Participating Entity and the Supplier may enter into a separate, standalone agreement, apart from this Contract. Sourcewell, including its agents and employees, will not be made a party to a claim for breach of such agreement.

D. **TERMINATION OF ORDERS.** Participating Entities may terminate an order, in whole or in part, immediately upon notice to Supplier in the event of any of the following events:

1. The Participating Entity fails to receive funding or appropriation from its governing body at levels sufficient to pay for the equipment, products, or services to be purchased; or
2. Federal, state, or provincial laws or regulations prohibit the purchase or change the Participating Entity's requirements.

E. **GOVERNING LAW AND VENUE.** The governing law and venue for any action related to a Participating Entity's order will be determined by the Participating Entity making the purchase.

7. CUSTOMER SERVICE

A. PRIMARY ACCOUNT REPRESENTATIVE. Supplier will assign an Account Representative to Sourcewell for this Contract and must provide prompt notice to Sourcewell if that person is changed. The Account Representative will be responsible for:

- Maintenance and management of this Contract;
- Timely response to all Sourcewell and Participating Entity inquiries; and
- Business reviews to Sourcewell and Participating Entities, if applicable.

B. BUSINESS REVIEWS. Supplier must perform a minimum of one business review with Sourcewell per contract year. The business review will cover sales to Participating Entities, pricing and contract terms, administrative fees, sales data reports, performance issues, supply issues, customer issues, and any other necessary information.

8. REPORT ON CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY AND ADMINISTRATIVE FEE PAYMENT

A. CONTRACT SALES ACTIVITY REPORT. Each calendar quarter, Supplier must provide a contract sales activity report (Report) to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract. Reports are due no later than 45 days after the end of each calendar quarter. A Report must be provided regardless of the number or amount of sales during that quarter (i.e., if there are no sales, Supplier must submit a report indicating no sales were made).

The Report must contain the following fields:

- Participating Entity Name (e.g., City of Staples Highway Department);
- Participating Entity Physical Street Address;
- Participating Entity City;
- Participating Entity State/Province;
- Participating Entity Zip/Postal Code;
- Participating Entity Contact Name;
- Participating Entity Contact Email Address;
- Participating Entity Contact Telephone Number;
- Sourcewell Assigned Entity/Participating Entity Number;
- Item Purchased Description;
- Item Purchased Price;
- Sourcewell Administrative Fee Applied; and
- Date Purchase was invoiced/sale was recognized as revenue by Supplier.

B. ADMINISTRATIVE FEE. In consideration for the support and services provided by Sourcewell, the Supplier will pay an administrative fee to Sourcewell on all Equipment, Products, and Services provided to Participating Entities. The Administrative Fee must be included in, and not added to, the pricing. Supplier may not charge Participating Entities more than the contracted

price to offset the Administrative Fee.

The Supplier will submit payment to Sourcewell for the percentage of administrative fee stated in the Proposal multiplied by the total sales of all Equipment, Products, and Services purchased by Participating Entities under this Contract during each calendar quarter. Payments should note the Supplier's name and Sourcewell-assigned contract number in the memo; and must be mailed to the address above "Attn: Accounts Receivable" or remitted electronically to Sourcewell's banking institution per Sourcewell's Finance department instructions. Payments must be received no later than 45 calendar days after the end of each calendar quarter.

Supplier agrees to cooperate with Sourcewell in auditing transactions under this Contract to ensure that the administrative fee is paid on all items purchased under this Contract.

In the event the Supplier is delinquent in any undisputed administrative fees, Sourcewell reserves the right to cancel this Contract and reject any proposal submitted by the Supplier in any subsequent solicitation. In the event this Contract is cancelled by either party prior to the Contract's expiration date, the administrative fee payment will be due no more than 30 days from the cancellation date.

9. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

Sourcewell's Authorized Representative is its Chief Procurement Officer.

Supplier's Authorized Representative is the person named in the Supplier's Proposal. If Supplier's Authorized Representative changes at any time during this Contract, Supplier must promptly notify Sourcewell in writing.

10. AUDIT, ASSIGNMENT, AMENDMENTS, WAIVER, AND CONTRACT COMPLETE

A. **AUDIT.** Pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 16C.05, subdivision 5, the books, records, documents, and accounting procedures and practices relevant to this Contract are subject to examination by Sourcewell or the Minnesota State Auditor for a minimum of six years from the end of this Contract. This clause extends to Participating Entities as it relates to business conducted by that Participating Entity under this Contract.

B. **ASSIGNMENT.** Neither party may assign or otherwise transfer its rights or obligations under this Contract without the prior written consent of the other party and a fully executed assignment agreement. Such consent will not be unreasonably withheld. Any prohibited assignment will be invalid.

C. **AMENDMENTS.** Any amendment to this Contract must be in writing and will not be effective until it has been duly executed by the parties.

D. **WAIVER.** Failure by either party to take action or assert any right under this Contract will not be deemed a waiver of such right in the event of the continuation or repetition of the circumstances giving rise to such right. Any such waiver must be in writing and signed by the parties.

E. **CONTRACT COMPLETE.** This Contract represents the complete agreement between the parties. No other understanding regarding this Contract, whether written or oral, may be used to bind either party. For any conflict between the attached Proposal and the terms set out in Articles 1-22 of this Contract, the terms of Articles 1-22 will govern.

F. **RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES.** The relationship of the parties is one of independent contractors, each free to exercise judgment and discretion with regard to the conduct of their respective businesses. This Contract does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other relationship such as master-servant, or principal-agent.

11. INDEMNITY AND HOLD HARMLESS

Supplier must indemnify, defend, save, and hold Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their agents and employees, harmless from any claims or causes of action, including attorneys' fees incurred by Sourcewell or its Participating Entities, arising out of any act or omission in the performance of this Contract by the Supplier or its agents or employees; this indemnification includes injury or death to person(s) or property alleged to have been caused by some defect in the Equipment, Products, or Services under this Contract to the extent the Equipment, Product, or Service has been used according to its specifications. Sourcewell's responsibility will be governed by the State of Minnesota's Tort Liability Act (Minnesota Statutes Chapter 466) and other applicable law.

12. GOVERNMENT DATA PRACTICES

Supplier and Sourcewell must comply with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13, as it applies to all data provided by or provided to Sourcewell under this Contract and as it applies to all data created, collected, received, maintained, or disseminated by the Supplier under this Contract.

13. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY, PUBLICITY, MARKETING, AND ENDORSEMENT

A. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

1. *Grant of License.* During the term of this Contract:

- a. Sourcewell grants to Supplier a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use the trademark(s) provided to Supplier by Sourcewell in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Sourcewell's relationship with Supplier.

b. Supplier grants to Sourcewell a royalty-free, worldwide, non-exclusive right and license to use Supplier's trademarks in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing Supplier's relationship with Sourcewell.

2. *Limited Right of Sublicense.* The right and license granted herein includes a limited right of each party to grant sublicenses to their respective subsidiaries, distributors, dealers, resellers, marketing representatives, and agents (collectively "Permitted Sublicensees") in advertising and promotional materials for the purpose of marketing the Parties' relationship to Participating Entities. Any sublicense granted will be subject to the terms and conditions of this Article. Each party will be responsible for any breach of this Article by any of their respective sublicensees.

3. *Use; Quality Control.*

a. Neither party may alter the other party's trademarks from the form provided and must comply with removal requests as to specific uses of its trademarks or logos.

b. Each party agrees to use, and to cause its Permitted Sublicensees to use, the other party's trademarks only in good faith and in a dignified manner consistent with such party's use of the trademarks. Upon written notice to the breaching party, the breaching party has 30 days of the date of the written notice to cure the breach or the license will be terminated.

4. *Termination.* Upon the termination of this Contract for any reason, each party, including Permitted Sublicensees, will have 30 days to remove all Trademarks from signage, websites, and the like bearing the other party's name or logo (excepting Sourcewell's pre-printed catalog of suppliers which may be used until the next printing). Supplier must return all marketing and promotional materials, including signage, provided by Sourcewell, or dispose of it according to Sourcewell's written directions.

B. **PUBLICITY.** Any publicity regarding the subject matter of this Contract must not be released without prior written approval from the Authorized Representatives. Publicity includes notices, informational pamphlets, press releases, research, reports, signs, and similar public notices prepared by or for the Supplier individually or jointly with others, or any subcontractors, with respect to the program, publications, or services provided resulting from this Contract.

C. **MARKETING.** Any direct advertising, marketing, or offers with Participating Entities must be approved by Sourcewell. Send all approval requests to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract.

D. **ENDORSEMENT.** The Supplier must not claim that Sourcewell endorses its Equipment, Products, or Services.

14. GOVERNING LAW, JURISDICTION, AND VENUE

The substantive and procedural laws of the State of Minnesota will govern this Contract. Venue for all legal proceedings arising out of this Contract, or its breach, must be in the appropriate state court in Todd County, Minnesota or federal court in Fergus Falls, Minnesota.

15. FORCE MAJEURE

Neither party to this Contract will be held responsible for delay or default caused by acts of God or other conditions that are beyond that party's reasonable control. A party defaulting under this provision must provide the other party prompt written notice of the default.

16. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Contract is found by a court of competent jurisdiction to be illegal, unenforceable, or void then both parties will be relieved from all obligations arising from that provision. If the remainder of this Contract is capable of being performed, it will not be affected by such determination or finding and must be fully performed.

17. PERFORMANCE, DEFAULT, AND REMEDIES

A. **PERFORMANCE.** During the term of this Contract, the parties will monitor performance and address unresolved contract issues as follows:

1. *Notification.* The parties must promptly notify each other of any known dispute and work in good faith to resolve such dispute within a reasonable period of time. If necessary, Sourcewell and the Supplier will jointly develop a short briefing document that describes the issue(s), relevant impact, and positions of both parties.
2. *Escalation.* If parties are unable to resolve the issue in a timely manner, as specified above, either Sourcewell or Supplier may escalate the resolution of the issue to a higher level of management. The Supplier will have 30 calendar days to cure an outstanding issue.
3. *Performance while Dispute is Pending.* Notwithstanding the existence of a dispute, the Supplier must continue without delay to carry out all of its responsibilities under the Contract that are not affected by the dispute. If the Supplier fails to continue without delay to perform its responsibilities under the Contract, in the accomplishment of all undisputed work, the Supplier will bear any additional costs incurred by Sourcewell and/or its Participating Entities as a result of such failure to proceed.

B. **DEFAULT AND REMEDIES.** Either of the following constitutes cause to declare this Contract, or any Participating Entity order under this Contract, in default:

1. Nonperformance of contractual requirements, or
2. A material breach of any term or condition of this Contract.

The party claiming default must provide written notice of the default, with 30 calendar days to cure the default. Time allowed for cure will not diminish or eliminate any liability for liquidated or other damages. If the default remains after the opportunity for cure, the non-defaulting party may:

- Exercise any remedy provided by law or equity, or
- Terminate the Contract or any portion thereof, including any orders issued against the Contract.

18. INSURANCE

A. REQUIREMENTS. At its own expense, Supplier must maintain insurance policy(ies) in effect at all times during the performance of this Contract with insurance company(ies) licensed or authorized to do business in the State of Minnesota having an "AM BEST" rating of A- or better, with coverage and limits of insurance not less than the following:

1. *Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability.*

Workers' Compensation: As required by any applicable law or regulation.

Employer's Liability Insurance: must be provided in amounts not less than listed below:

Minimum limits:

\$500,000 each accident for bodily injury by accident

\$500,000 policy limit for bodily injury by disease

\$500,000 each employee for bodily injury by disease

2. *Commercial General Liability Insurance.* Supplier will maintain insurance covering its operations, with coverage on an occurrence basis, and must be subject to terms no less broad than the Insurance Services Office ("ISO") Commercial General Liability Form CG0001 (2001 or newer edition), or equivalent. At a minimum, coverage must include liability arising from premises, operations, bodily injury and property damage, independent contractors, products-completed operations including construction defect, contractual liability, blanket contractual liability, and personal injury and advertising injury. All required limits, terms and conditions of coverage must be maintained during the term of this Contract.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each occurrence Bodily Injury and Property Damage

\$1,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury

\$2,000,000 aggregate for products liability-completed operations

\$2,000,000 general aggregate

3. *Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance.* During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain insurance covering all owned, hired, and non-owned automobiles in limits of liability not less than indicated below. The coverage must be subject to terms

no less broad than ISO Business Auto Coverage Form CA 0001 (2010 edition or newer), or equivalent.

Minimum Limits:

\$1,000,000 each accident, combined single limit

4. *Umbrella Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain umbrella coverage over Employer's Liability, Commercial General Liability, and Commercial Automobile.

Minimum Limits:

\$2,000,000

5. *Network Security and Privacy Liability Insurance*. During the term of this Contract, Supplier will maintain coverage for network security and privacy liability. The coverage may be endorsed on another form of liability coverage or written on a standalone policy. The insurance must cover claims which may arise from failure of Supplier's security resulting in, but not limited to, computer attacks, unauthorized access, disclosure of not public data – including but not limited to, confidential or private information, transmission of a computer virus, or denial of service.

Minimum limits:

\$2,000,000 per occurrence

\$2,000,000 annual aggregate

Failure of Supplier to maintain the required insurance will constitute a material breach entitling Sourcewell to immediately terminate this Contract for default.

B. CERTIFICATES OF INSURANCE. Prior to commencing under this Contract, Supplier must furnish to Sourcewell a certificate of insurance, as evidence of the insurance required under this Contract. Prior to expiration of the policy(ies), renewal certificates must be mailed to Sourcewell, 202 12th Street Northeast, P.O. Box 219, Staples, MN 56479 or sent to the Sourcewell Supplier Development Administrator assigned to this Contract. The certificates must be signed by a person authorized by the insurer(s) to bind coverage on their behalf.

Failure to request certificates of insurance by Sourcewell, or failure of Supplier to provide certificates of insurance, in no way limits or relieves Supplier of its duties and responsibilities in this Contract.

C. ADDITIONAL INSURED ENDORSEMENT AND PRIMARY AND NON-CONTRIBUTORY INSURANCE CLAUSE. Supplier agrees to list Sourcewell and its Participating Entities, including their officers, agents, and employees, as an additional insured under the Supplier's commercial general liability insurance policy with respect to liability arising out of activities, "operations," or "work" performed by or on behalf of Supplier, and products and completed operations of Supplier. The policy provision(s) or endorsement(s) must further provide that coverage is

primary and not excess over or contributory with any other valid, applicable, and collectible insurance or self-insurance in force for the additional insureds.

D. **WAIVER OF SUBROGATION.** Supplier waives and must require (by endorsement or otherwise) all its insurers to waive subrogation rights against Sourcewell and other additional insureds for losses paid under the insurance policies required by this Contract or other insurance applicable to the Supplier or its subcontractors. The waiver must apply to all deductibles and/or self-insured retentions applicable to the required or any other insurance maintained by the Supplier or its subcontractors. Where permitted by law, Supplier must require similar written express waivers of subrogation and insurance clauses from each of its subcontractors.

E. **UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY/SELF-INSURED RETENTION.** The limits required by this Contract can be met by either providing a primary policy or in combination with umbrella/excess liability policy(ies), or self-insured retention.

19. COMPLIANCE

A. **LAWS AND REGULATIONS.** All Equipment, Products, or Services provided under this Contract must comply fully with applicable federal laws and regulations, and with the laws in the states and provinces in which the Equipment, Products, or Services are sold.

B. **LICENSES.** Supplier must maintain a valid and current status on all required federal, state/provincial, and local licenses, bonds, and permits required for the operation of the business that the Supplier conducts with Sourcewell and Participating Entities.

20. BANKRUPTCY, DEBARMENT, OR SUSPENSION CERTIFICATION

Supplier certifies and warrants that it is not in bankruptcy or that it has previously disclosed in writing certain information to Sourcewell related to bankruptcy actions. If at any time during this Contract Supplier declares bankruptcy, Supplier must immediately notify Sourcewell in writing.

Supplier certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Supplier certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this Contract. Supplier further warrants that it will provide immediate written notice to Sourcewell if this certification changes at any time.

21. PROVISIONS FOR NON-UNITED STATES FEDERAL ENTITY PROCUREMENTS UNDER UNITED STATES FEDERAL AWARDS OR OTHER AWARDS

Participating Entities that use United States federal grant or FEMA funds to purchase goods or services from this Contract may be subject to additional requirements including the procurement standards of the Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards, 2 C.F.R. § 200. Participating Entities may have additional requirements based on specific funding source terms or conditions. Within this Article, all references to “federal” should be interpreted to mean the United States federal government. The following list only applies when a Participating Entity accesses Supplier’s Equipment, Products, or Services with United States federal funds.

A. **EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY.** Except as otherwise provided under 41 C.F.R. § 60, all contracts that meet the definition of “federally assisted construction contract” in 41 C.F.R. § 60-1.3 must include the equal opportunity clause provided under 41 C.F.R. §60-1.4(b), in accordance with Executive Order 11246, “Equal Employment Opportunity” (30 FR 12319, 12935, 3 C.F.R. §, 1964-1965 Comp., p. 339), as amended by Executive Order 11375, “Amending Executive Order 11246 Relating to Equal Employment Opportunity,” and implementing regulations at 41 C.F.R. § 60, “Office of Federal Contract Compliance Programs, Equal Employment Opportunity, Department of Labor.” The equal opportunity clause is incorporated herein by reference.

B. **DAVIS-BACON ACT, AS AMENDED (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3148).** When required by federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of \$2,000 awarded by non-federal entities must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. § 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. The non-federal entity must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. § 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the federal awarding agency. Supplier must be in compliance with all applicable Davis-Bacon Act provisions.

C. CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3701-3708). Where applicable, all contracts awarded by the non-federal entity in excess of \$100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. §§ 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 C.F.R. § 5). Under 40 U.S.C. § 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. § 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence. This provision is hereby incorporated by reference into this Contract. Supplier certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

D. RIGHTS TO INVENTIONS MADE UNDER A CONTRACT OR AGREEMENT. If the federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 C.F.R. § 401.2(a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency. Supplier certifies that during the term of an award for all contracts by Sourcewell resulting from this procurement process, Supplier must comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

E. CLEAN AIR ACT (42 U.S.C. § 7401-7671Q.) AND THE FEDERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL ACT (33 U.S.C. § 1251-1387). Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of \$150,000 require the non-federal award to agree to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. § 7401- 7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. § 1251- 1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements as referenced above.

F. DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION (EXECUTIVE ORDERS 12549 AND 12689). A contract award (see 2 C.F.R. § 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 C.F.R. §180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 C.F.R. § 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 C.F.R. § 1989 Comp., p. 235), “Debarment and Suspension.” SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared

ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549. Supplier certifies that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation by any federal department or agency.

G. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT, AS AMENDED (31 U.S.C. § 1352). Suppliers must file any required certifications. Suppliers must not have used federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any federal contract, grant, or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. § 1352. Suppliers must disclose any lobbying with non-federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-federal award. Suppliers must file all certifications and disclosures required by, and otherwise comply with, the Byrd Anti-Lobbying Amendment (31 U.S.C. § 1352).

H. RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with the record retention requirements detailed in 2 C.F.R. § 200.333. The Supplier further certifies that it will retain all records as required by 2 C.F.R. § 200.333 for a period of 3 years after grantees or subgrantees submit final expenditure reports or quarterly or annual financial reports, as applicable, and all other pending matters are closed.

I. ENERGY POLICY AND CONSERVATION ACT COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with the mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act.

J. BUY AMERICAN PROVISIONS COMPLIANCE. To the extent applicable, Supplier must comply with all applicable provisions of the Buy American Act. Purchases made in accordance with the Buy American Act must follow the applicable procurement rules calling for free and open competition.

K. ACCESS TO RECORDS (2 C.F.R. § 200.336). Supplier agrees that duly authorized representatives of a federal agency must have access to any books, documents, papers and records of Supplier that are directly pertinent to Supplier's discharge of its obligations under this Contract for the purpose of making audits, examinations, excerpts, and transcriptions. The right also includes timely and reasonable access to Supplier's personnel for the purpose of interview and discussion relating to such documents.

L. PROCUREMENT OF RECOVERED MATERIALS (2 C.F.R. § 200.322). A non-federal entity that is a state agency or agency of a political subdivision of a state and its contractors must comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in

guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 C.F.R. § 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

M. FEDERAL SEAL(S), LOGOS, AND FLAGS. The Supplier cannot use the seal(s), logos, crests, or reproductions of flags or likenesses of Federal agency officials without specific pre-approval.

N. NO OBLIGATION BY FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. The U.S. federal government is not a party to this Contract or any purchase by a Participating Entity and is not subject to any obligations or liabilities to the Participating Entity, Supplier, or any other party pertaining to any matter resulting from the Contract or any purchase by an authorized user.

O. PROGRAM FRAUD AND FALSE OR FRAUDULENT STATEMENTS OR RELATED ACTS. The Contractor acknowledges that 31 U.S.C. 38 (Administrative Remedies for False Claims and Statements) applies to the Supplier's actions pertaining to this Contract or any purchase by a Participating Entity.

P. FEDERAL DEBT. The Supplier certifies that it is non-delinquent in its repayment of any federal debt. Examples of relevant debt include delinquent payroll and other taxes, audit disallowance, and benefit overpayments.

Q. CONFLICTS OF INTEREST. The Supplier must notify the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity as soon as possible if this Contract or any aspect related to the anticipated work under this Contract raises an actual or potential conflict of interest (as described in 2 C.F.R. Part 200). The Supplier must explain the actual or potential conflict in writing in sufficient detail so that the U.S. Office of General Services, Sourcewell, and Participating Entity are able to assess the actual or potential conflict; and provide any additional information as necessary or requested.

R. U.S. EXECUTIVE ORDER 13224. The Supplier, and its subcontractors, must comply with U.S. Executive Order 13224 and U.S. Laws that prohibit transactions with and provision of resources and support to individuals and organizations associated with terrorism.

S. PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract it will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.216.

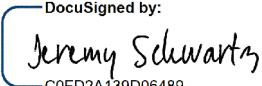
T. DOMESTIC PREFERENCES FOR PROCUREMENTS. To the extent applicable, Supplier certifies that during the term of this Contract will comply with applicable requirements of 2 C.F.R. § 200.322.

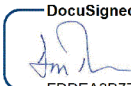
22. CANCELLATION

Sourcwell or Supplier may cancel this Contract at any time, with or without cause, upon 60 days' written notice to the other party. However, Sourcwell may cancel this Contract immediately upon discovery of a material defect in any certification made in Supplier's Proposal. Cancellation of this Contract does not relieve either party of financial, product, or service obligations incurred or accrued prior to cancellation.

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RFP 110223 - Refuse Collection Vehicles with Related Equipment, Accessories, and Services

Vendor Details

Company Name: Scranton Manufacturing Co.< Inc.

Does your company conduct business under any other name? If yes, please state: New Way Trucks

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Specifications

Table 1: Proposer Identity & Authorized Representatives

General Instructions (applies to all Tables) Sourcewell prefers a brief but thorough response to each question. Do not merely attach additional documents to your response without also providing a substantive response. Do not leave answers blank; respond "N/A" if the question does not apply to you (preferably with an explanation).

Line Item	Question	Response *	
1	Proposer Legal Name (one legal entity only): (In the event of award, will execute the resulting contract as "Supplier")	Scranton Manufacturing Company/New Way Trucks	*
2	Identify all subsidiary entities of the Proposer whose equipment, products, or services are included in the Proposal.	New Way FleetForce Rentals	*
3	Identify all applicable assumed names or DBA names of the Proposer or Proposer's subsidiaries in Line 1 or Line 2 above.	New Way FleetForce LLC	*
4	Provide your CAGE code or Unique Entity Identifier (SAM):	46996	*
5	Proposer Physical Address:	101 State Street Scranton, Iowa 51462	*
6	Proposer website address (or addresses):	newwaytrucks.com refusetrucks.scrantonmfg.com	*
7	Proposer's Authorized Representative (name, title, address, email address & phone) (The representative must have authority to sign the "Proposer's Assurance of Compliance" on behalf of the Proposer and, in the event of award, will be expected to execute the resulting contract):	Jesse Geeslin New Way FleetForce Director of Sales 809 Locust Street Scranton, Iowa 51462 jgeeslin@newwayfleetforce.com 715.321.6048	*
8	Proposer's primary contact for this proposal (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Sam Norland Marketing Supervisor 809 Locust Street Scranton, Iowa 51462 snorland@mcfamco.com 712.634.6383	*
9	Proposer's other contacts for this proposal, if any (name, title, address, email address & phone):	Nick Daniel Sales Operations Manager 809 Locust Street Scranton, Iowa 51462 ndaniel@newwaytrucks.com 712.634.6010	

Table 2: Company Information and Financial Strength

Line Item	Question	Response *	
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10	Provide a brief history of your company, including your company's core values, business philosophy, and industry longevity related to the requested equipment, products or services.	In 1971, John McLaughlin, his brother, and a friend began repairing farm equipment in small-town Scranton, Iowa. The trio soon began manufacturing innovative products that farmers in the surrounding area needed, including the world's first mechanical hybrid seed corn detasseler. It was only a matter of time before Scranton Manufacturing's reputation for high quality, innovative products spread to farms across the country. Scranton Manufacturing became one of the nation's premier livestock handling and feeding equipment manufacturers as a result. A farming depression in the 1980's necessitated change as Scranton Manufacturing purchased the New Way product line of garbage trucks after John saw an ad in the Wall Street Journal for a small garbage truck manufacturer based in nearby Des Moines, Iowa. John saw to his vision to improve and expand the New Way product line and build a network of distributors that reached every region in North America. Today, Scranton Manufacturing and its New Way Trucks brand is the crown jewel of the McLaughlin Family Companies. It is the largest privately-held refuse collection vehicle manufacturer in the nation. New Way Trucks is one of the fastest-growing companies in the \$100 billion North American solid waste industry and remains family-owned for more than 50 years. Throughout our existence, we have been committed to innovation, safety, quality, customer satisfaction, and growth. Midwest values drive everything we do, and our people are our most valuable asset. Scranton Manufacturing founder and 2009 National Waste & Recycling Association (Nwra) Hall of Fame inductee, John McLaughlin, has long attributed the company's continued success to the 4 P's: People, Principles, Products, and Persistence. New Way manufactures the widest product lineup of front-, rear-, and side-load refuse collection equipment in the refuse industry and proudly goes to market through the industry's most well-respected Distributor Network. More than 40 individual distributors operate over 60 separate locations that provide necessary support during and after the sale as well as unmatched post-sale service to the entire United States and Canada. New Way's Distributor Network also includes more than a dozen additional locations across the globe. Our Distributor Network lays the bedrock of our organization, and we would not have been able to add new manufacturing facilities in Booneville, Mississippi in 2020 and 2021 without the continued sales and service efforts of our valued distributors that necessitate production capacity increases. New Way also opened a new manufacturing facility in Carroll, Iowa in 2020 a short drive from our New Way Parts Department. A mere 18 miles separates our Carroll facilities from our headquarters in Scranton. Giving back has been core to Scranton Manufacturing since John McLaughlin founded the company in 1971. Employee-organized blood drives, care packages for soldiers serving domestically and overseas, school supply and winter coat donation events are common. Toy drives around the holidays and clean-up efforts in the aftermath of local natural disasters are also regular occurrences. Though selfless acts have been common since the company's founding, we gave these efforts a name in 2021: Driving Goodness. Driving Goodness was established to help individuals going through hardship in our local communities due to unforeseen circumstances. Employees nominate potential fund recipients. New Way Trucks also donates equipment to and participates in local parades and festivals. Welding staff visit local high school welding programs every other week to help develop students' skills. School groups frequently tour our manufacturing facilities to learn about the benefits of careers in the skilled trades, and we partner with local community colleges to ensure these opportunities are readily available. Our employee family is proud to be stewards of the communities in which we operate in both Iowa and Mississippi.
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11	What are your company's expectations in the event of an award?	Should New Way be awarded a new Contract, we will develop a Sourcewell-specific sales order sheet to further simplify the refuse collection vehicle procurement process for Sourcewell Participating Agencies. Members of the New Way team will travel to Minnesota within 45 days of an award to initiate further training on the new agreement and formally launch the contract. New Way will train the remainder of our Sales Operations Staff on any new procedures related to the Sourcewell Contract, and New Way Regional Sales Managers (RSMs) will inform our Distributor Network accordingly. New, discounted refuse collection vehicle - and parts - pricing will become valid immediately to Participating Agencies and New Way will subsequently implement our turnkey solution. A Sourcewell-awarded contract will allow New Way Trucks to continue to provide Participating Agencies with great products at a discounted price to our many existing municipal customers, grow our municipal base, and open the door to new opportunities in the educational space.	*
12	Demonstrate your financial strength and stability with meaningful data. This could include such items as financial statements, SEC filings, credit and bond ratings, letters of credit, and detailed reference letters. Upload supporting documents (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	New Way Trucks is the cornerstone of McLaughlin Family Companies, an ever expanding central-Iowa and northeast-Mississippi based group of companies focused on refuse, recycling, veterinary, and animal control equipment manufacturing and retail product distribution for new and used automobiles and automotive products. New Way's business plan has been based on growth and expansion since John McLaughlin bought the company in the mid-1980's. In 2015 we added a 56,000 square foot manufacturing addition at our main manufacturing facility in Scranton, Iowa. In 2018 a \$3 million investment in computerized fabrication equipment and robotics at our facilities in Iowa continued that expansion. In 2020, New Way Trucks expanded to Booneville, Mississippi by opening a 152,000 square foot manufacturing facility and in Carroll, Iowa when we bought a 42,000 square foot facility. In 2021, we began operations in another facility in Booneville, a 66,000 square foot operation. Today our space exceeds 600,000 square feet under roof in central Iowa and northeast Mississippi with joint venture manufacturing projects in Canada, Mexico, and most recently in Australia. New Way has consistently experienced annual double-digit growth, and now operates three manufacturing facilities and a parts department in Iowa. In addition, New Way operates two manufacturing facilities and a parts depot in Mississippi. New Way has opened one new manufacturing facility in both Iowa and Mississippi – and Mississippi's parts depot – since being awarded Sourcewell Contract #091219-NWY. New Way is committed to expanding our manufacturing capacity by investing in human capital and cutting-edge equipment to meet the ever-growing demand for our refuse collection vehicles.	*
13	What is your US market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	According to National Waste and Recycling Association (NWRA) data, New Way Trucks represents slightly more than twenty-four (24) percent market share in the US for front-, rear-, and side-load refuse collection equipment sold in 2022. New Way's industry-leading Sidewinder XTR automated residential side loader represents nearly thirty (30) percent of all automated side loaders sold in the United States.	*
14	What is your Canadian market share for the solutions that you are proposing?	According to best estimates, New Way currently has nine (9) percent market share in Canada. New Way is excited at the prospect of working with Canoe through a new Sourcewell Contract in Canada thanks not only to our existing distributor infrastructure that includes four distributors serving the country across nine locations, but also because of how well-connected our newest distributor covering Canada's most populous province – Ontario – is in the municipal market.	*
15	Has your business ever petitioned for bankruptcy protection? If so, explain in detail.	No. New Way Trucks is a financially stable organization with continued growth year after year. We are the largest privately held refuse equipment manufacturer in North America and rank in the top three of all refuse collection vehicle manufacturers in total units produced.	*

16	How is your organization best described: is it a manufacturer, a distributor/dealer/reseller, or a service provider? Answer whichever question (either a) or b) just below) best applies to your organization. a) If your company is best described as a distributor/dealer/reseller (or similar entity), provide your written authorization to act as a distributor/dealer/reseller for the manufacturer of the products proposed in this RFP. If applicable, is your dealer network independent or company owned? b) If your company is best described as a manufacturer or service provider, describe your relationship with your sales and service force and with your dealer network in delivering the products and services proposed in this RFP. Are these individuals your employees, or the employees of a third party?	New Way Trucks is an original equipment manufacturer (OEM). Both New Way's sales force and Distributor Network cover all of the U.S. and Canada. Our sales force is comprised of all New Way employees, whereas our trusted distributors and their representatives are employees of their respective organizations. The New Way Distributor network is made up of 40 privately owned organizations with over 60 locations across the United States and Canada. This North American network includes over 150 distributor employees dedicated to and experienced in showcasing the New Way brand. To support its customers and extensive Distributor Network, New Way Trucks has a 40+-person sales, marketing, parts, warranty and service organization made up of all full-time New Way employees. Ten Regional Sales Managers (RSMs) are responsible for our North American sales territories and provide direct distributor and end-user product support. These RSMs are responsible for training, educating, and demonstrating our products to end-users and distributors. They also assist with price quoting, order development, and support both during and after the product sale. Our Service, Warranty, and Parts teams provide after-sales support to both distributors and end-users. New Way's Field Service teams provide on-site technical support and training to our end- users and Distributor Network. New Way certified field service technicians are available to Participating Agencies. These field service technicians provide service and support at Distributor and Participating Agency locations to assist with any maintenance needs that arise. The New Way Distributor Network is the first line of defense for any parts or service issue. Each distributor maintains an inventory of stock parts and a team of service technicians are available to support Participating Agencies when necessary.	*
17	If applicable, provide a detailed explanation outlining the licenses and certifications that are both required to be held, and actually held, by your organization (including third parties and subcontractors that you use) in pursuit of the business contemplated by this RFP.	The American National Standards Institute (ANSI) is the governing body for refuse equipment specifications and requirements in North America. The National Waste & Recycling Association (NWRA) administers ANSI. New Way is actively involved with NWRA as we hold the current Chairman of the NWRA Board of Trustees and Chairman of the NWRA Suppliers Board of Governors positions. New Way is also represented on all ANSI committees and is actively involved in establishing new equipment safety protocols and equipment specifications for our industry. In addition, each of our manufacturing facilities in Iowa and Mississippi meet and exceed the standards set by the Occupational, Safety, and Health Administration (OSHA).	*
18	Provide all "Suspension or Debarment" information that has applied to your organization during the past ten years.	New Way Trucks has not been suspended or disbarred from participating in any government contracts since the company's inception.	*

Table 3A: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services

Line Item	Question	Response *
19	Provide a detailed description of the equipment, products, and services that you are offering in your proposal.	New Way believes that all solid waste is local. This is visible in the refuse collection vehicle variations our customers request. To meet that need, we manufacture the widest product lineup of any refuse collection vehicle body manufacturer. With over 40 body sizes of twelve different product lines of refuse collection vehicle bodies, there is no refuse collection need that New Way Trucks cannot meet. Our product lineup features two front-load, six rear-load, three automated side-load, and a satellite side-load refuse collection vehicle. New Way refuse collection vehicle bodies range in size from six cubic yards to 43 cubic yards. New Way is pleased to include our entire parts catalog to keep Participating Agencies' equipment running smoothly. We have created first round preventive maintenance parts packages that include replacement filters and wear items to assure Participating Agencies use New Way parts during the standard warranty period. Each of our refuse collection vehicles are available for rent through our New Way FleetForce program. FleetForce is the only direct-from-manufacturer rental operation in the industry offering various rental contract options ranging from a month to multiple years-long time frames. The latest, most productive New Way refuse collection vehicles are regularly being added to FleetForce's rental fleet to meet to meet a Participating Agency's immediate need. If a vehicle is available, FleetForce will immediately deliver to a Participating Agency's location. Since New Way FleetForce units are built and distributed just like any of our refuse collection

vehicles, Sourcewell Participating Agencies are guaranteed factory-trained support through our Distributor Network.

Front-Loaders

New Way offers two front load refuse collection vehicle body styles for commercial collection: the New Way Mammoth and a lightweight Mammoth Western Series for areas in the western United States where United States Department of Transportation (DOT) regulations are a concern. Both models have a twelve (12) cubic yard hopper capacity and body capacities of 22, 28, and 31 cubic yards.

The New Way Mammoth is known for its one-piece, curved shell design that boasts the strongest steel specs in the industry. The Mammoth gets its name from the heavy-duty single-piece constructed arms that resemble tusks when extended. Torque tube assembly and pack-on-the go features maximize route and labor efficiency. The refuse collection vehicle body features the largest clean-out doors and sump in the industry. This front-loader's ease of use and maintenance, superior strength, durability, and after sales product support and service are unmatched.

The New Way Mammoth Western is a ten percent lighter front-loader that does not compromise on strength. New Way's engineering team accomplished this with lighter weight, high-tensile steels. Its fast cycle times and high compaction rates make it an ideal fit for customers in the western United States that need a rugged front-load refuse collection vehicle that is fully compliant with local regulations. The Mammoth Western offers the pachyderm-esque strength and stamina of its sibling while remaining weight-log compliant for more stringent coastal states' DOT regulations.

Rear-Loaders

The New Way King Cobra offers industry-leading rear-load waste compaction and comes available in body sizes from 20- to 32-cubic-yards. The King Cobra is the unequivocal industry leader with an approximate 1,000 to 1,300 pounds per cubic yard compaction rate and superior rear-loading capabilities.

Built to take on a lot of work without requiring much maintenance, the King Cobra rear loader offers many of the standard features of other New Way rear-loaders. Curbside hydraulic access, side-body automatic tailgate locks, a rear-view camera and two-year hydraulic cylinder warranty are just a few of the many standard options. The King Cobra can also be customized to meet the needs of a Participating Agency's individual operation.

Combine all of this with the fact that the King Cobra has the lowest cost of operation of any comparable body size and one of the lowest warranty claims of any mobile refuse collection vehicle body in the industry, and you've got a mobile refuse collection vehicle that charms the most demanding of routes.

The King Cobra comes available in the following body capacities: 20-, 25-, 27-, and 32-cubic yards.

The New Way Cobra Magnum is a large rear-loader that is still fully DOT compliant. Like the King Cobra, it is also available in body sizes of 20-, 25-, 27-, and 32-cubic-yards. The Cobra Magnum offers the ultra-high compaction of the King Cobra with a body weight lighter than what the competition can achieve.

The Cobra Magnum is designed to comply with Department of Transportation weight regulations and offers the easiest operational features in today's mobile refuse collection vehicle market. Operators have convenient access to curbside hydraulic controls on this impressive rear loader that will easily compact up to 1,100 pounds per cubic yard depending on the waste stream.

Add in a huge 3.55 cubic yard hopper and a striking 21-23 second cycle time, and the Cobra Magnum delivers the perfect size mobile refuse collection vehicle with the bite to crush anything you throw its way.

The newest addition to New Way's rear-load lineup is the Cobra High Compaction rear-end-loader. The Cobra High Compaction (HC) boasts the compaction and speed of its bigger brothers, the Cobra Magnum and King Cobra, but features a lightweight body with an overall lower profile for height-restricted refuse collection routes.

Preventive maintenance is simple thanks to the vehicle's mounted front valve, easy access wiring system, and removable slide show access cover. The new Way Cobra HC hit the industry in 2020 with its 1,100 to 1,300 pounds per cubic yard compaction rate, 15,000-pound weight (for the standard 25-yard model), and a 21-23 second cycle time. 20- and 27-yard models are also available.

Additional features include a large 3.5 cubic yard hopper with wide 80-inch tailgate and inboard hydraulic cylinders, an inside-body hydraulic tank, optional auto-lock turnbuckles, and optional bolt-on winch systems.

The New Way Cobra is a lightweight rear loader that boasts full-sized compaction capabilities. Our Cobra rear-end-loader is the contractor's choice, striking the perfect balance between outstanding compaction and a lightweight 16- to 20-cubic-yard body. With a compaction rate of up to 850 pounds per cubic yard, the Cobra is a powerful rear load mobile refuse collection vehicle that will do everything mid-size mobile refuse collection vehicles are expected to.

Add in the Cobra's large 3.2-cubic-yard hopper on a single-axle chassis, internally-mounted hydraulic cylinders, operating valve on the outside of the hopper, automatic tailgate locks with outside lever controls, high-compaction body and a variety of container-handling options for both steel and plastic carts, and you'll understand why the Cobra dominates the mid-sized refuse collection vehicle market.

The Cobra is available in 16-, 18-, and 20-cubic yard body sizes.

The New Way Viper is an innovative rear-end-loader built for safety and maintenance and comes available in body sizes of 9-, 11-, and 13-cubic-yards. It is one of the most popular mid-compaction rear loader bodies on the market today. It is a lighter, faster version of the industry-leading Cobra.

The ever-popular 11-yard Viper does not require a CDL to operate as it is commonly sold on chassis under 26,000 lbs. Gross Vehicle Weight Rating (GVWR). It's the perfect mobile collection vehicle for small-volume residential routes and a reliable, durable favorite of fleet managers from coast to coast.

The Viper also comes standard with automatic tailgate locks with the control handle located on the side of the chassis, thus eliminating the time and effort needed to go back and forth to operate the traditional turnbuckle locks.

With accessories and adapters to accommodate all varieties of residential cart tippers and commercial containers, a rear-view camera and a two-year hydraulic cylinder warranty, this rear-loader is a great beginning refuse collection vehicle for operators to train on before getting their CDL and graduating to a larger, yet still familiar, vehicle.

The under-CDL New Way Diamondback packs powerful features into a compact profile. Our smallest rear-load refuse collection vehicle exhibits quality in workmanship and raw materials that differentiates it from the competition. This compact, low-profile mobile refuse collection vehicle with a low load-still threshold has a compaction rate of up to 800 pounds per cubic yard in the standard unit and up to 1,000 pounds per cubic yard on the high-compaction model.

When searching for quality, affordability, and maneuverability to service high-density areas, resorts, campuses, and park collection routes, the Diamondback refuse collection vehicle is the answer. It is available in 6- or 8-cubic-yard body capacities, and is adaptable to all residential cart tippers.

The Diamondback comes fully-equipped with a range of standard features that are merely options on most other units, including a rear-vision camera and standard two-year hydraulic cylinder warranty.

Automated Side-Loaders

For the last 20 years, the solid waste industry focused on improving productivity. That effort translated to bigger and fewer collection routes, larger trucks, and fleet-rightsizing. Given the current CDL driver shortage, however, one shoe does not fit all markets. Hauling operators are now seeing those trends begin to reverse. There is a willingness to expand fleets with smaller collection vehicles with hopes of expanding the labor pool and drawing candidates from groups not traditionally targeted by the nation's waste haulers. New Way Trucks is poised and ready to meet that need.

The industry's continued shift to automation has further proven to extend an aging workforce while at the same time becoming gender neutral. Historically solid waste has been male-dominated due to the heavy lifting requirements. However, technology has solved that problem. Automation does the heavy lifting, and equipment manufacturers are designing for smaller stature, creating access to more commercial drivers in a time when driver shortages are widespread.

The New Way Sidewinder XTR™ is the best-selling Class 8 automated side-loader in the industry according to the National Waste & Recycling Association's equipment statistics program. It's just a matter of time before the New Way Wolverine

becomes the most sought-after Class 6.

The New Way Sidewinder XTR is an automated side-loader with one-operator efficiency. With a deceptively fast compaction rate and the industry's strongest frame-mounted collection arm that reaches up to an impressive 12 feet, efficiency is always at the operator's side. The Sidewinder XTR combines the convenience of automated loading with the ability to maneuver in tight spaces to create an ultra-tough, overbuilt side-loading machine.

At the end of the day, the convenient features of the Sidewinder XTR are even more evident. Mobile refuse collection vehicle operators appreciate the convenience of being able to easily clean out behind the pack panel with the widest opening access and largest clean-out sump in the industry. Add to that the standard rear-view camera and a two-year hydraulic cylinder warranty, and you can see why the Sidewinder XTR has a solid grip on the industry.

The New Way Sidewinder XTR comes available in the following standard body sizes: 22-, 24-, 29-, and 31-cubic yards. 18-, 20-, and 33-yard Sidewinder XTRs are not standard, but are available by request.

The New Way® Wolverine is the latest innovation from New Way Trucks and joins the largest and most diverse family of refuse equipment in the industry. The Wolverine has the attributes of its larger siblings, just in a smaller package. With pack cycle times equivalent to a Sidewinder, arm cycle times equivalent to a Rotopac, a nine-foot arm reach, and full eject capability, the Wolverine provides a package that promotes efficient collection. Both manual and automated Wolverines are available to meet the need of any user. To aid in replacement costs and space, the Wolverine and Sidewinder share common parts in the hydraulic and control systems to eliminate the need for multiple SKU's on the shelf.

Although the Wolverine is a full-fledged collection vehicle, it is available in an under-CDL package, making finding and training new drivers considerably easier. Your new drivers can focus on safety, customer service, and a manageable route footprint in a smaller vehicle, and eventually graduate to a full-sized unit bringing those skills forward to a larger – yet still familiar – refuse collection vehicle.

The Wolverine comes available in 10-, 12-, and 14-cubic-yard body capacities.

The New Way ROTO PAC is the first auger-driven organics and municipal solid waste collection vehicle in the world. The ultimate goal of waste management is zero waste being deposited into landfills. With an eye towards the future, New Way is leading the pack with our ROTO PAC.

Organics on Monday, municipal solid waste (MSW) on Tuesday. Gone are the days of maintaining separate trucks to meet a community's waste management needs. As the first refuse collection vehicle that works equally well with municipal solid waste as it does with recycling and organics, the multi-purpose ROTO PAC is designed for operational flexibility.

The ROTO PAC'S self-cleaning auger not only more efficiently compacts organic materials - such as grass clippings and food waste - but will automatically reverse in the rare event of a jam. The 23,000 pounds of auger torque makes quick work of compaction and self-cleaning, which eliminates downtime to clean out behind a pack panel. The automated arm has a 12-foot reach and can easily manage up to 500 pounds at maximum extension.

Add to that bodies sizes of 14-, 16-, 20-, 22-, 25-, and 27-cubic-yards, the highest legal payload in the industry at 25,000 pounds, reduced hydraulic cylinder maintenance due to the auger, and a liquid-tight hopper up to 40 inches high, and you have the most adaptable refuse collection vehicle available on the market today.

Satellite Side-Loader

The New Way Mamba under-CDL satellite side-loader is a fiercely-fast and agile side loader. This truck slithers its way into residential collection routes that other refuse collection vehicles cannot and provides the freedom to load from both sides. With its slender body construction, the Mamba plays a vital role and allows operators transfer compacted materials to larger rear loaders.

Available in fixed-body mount, the Mamba also features cart tipper and barrel dumper options, giving Participating Agencies the ability to customize a side-loader machine that is sure to handle anything thrown its way. The Mamba is available in 6-, 8-, and 10-cubic yard body sizes.

20	Within this RFP category there may be subcategories of solutions. List subcategory titles that best describe your products and services.	1) New Way Trucks Parts 2) After-Sale Distributor Support Services: Parts, Service, Warranty through the New Way Distributor Network 3) New Way FleetForce Refuse Collection Vehicle Rental Program: FleetForce provides turnkey rental solution for complete, ready-to-work New Way refuse collection vehicles. A rental unit is an immediate solution for Participating Agencies that seek alternative finance options in adding the same productive New Way refuse collection vehicle to their fleet. 4) Off-rent truck sales availability: New Way aggressively discounts refuse collection vehicles in the FleetForce rental fleet after contracts complete. These units are available through the New Way Distributor Network. 5) Work Ready Truck Program: The New Way Trucks Work Ready Truck Program is designed to meet Participating Agencies' most pressing needs for purchasing refuse collection vehicles. New Way regularly builds large quantities of standard, well-equipped vehicles that provide immediate solutions for Participating agencies that desire quicker lead times.	*
21	If your proposal does not include the chassis as a turnkey solution, describe in detail, the process to assist the member to acquire the chassis.	To meet more pressing Participating Agency needs, our proposal does include the chassis as a turnkey solution. This simple six (6) step process is laid out below. 1) A Participating Agency searches the New Way website or contacts a New Way Distributor for a work-ready mobile refuse collection vehicle that meets their unique specifications. 2) The New Way Distributor verifies specifications and contacts our Sourcewell ready vehicle program manager for vehicle availability. 3) Once a vehicle is located, the New Way Distributor reviews specifications with the Participating Agency and quotes price based on most current, not-to-exceed contract pricing. 4) The Participating Agency approves the quotation and issues a purchase order to the New Way Distributor, who subsequently submits a distributor order to New Way. 5) The work-ready mobile refuse collection vehicle is shipped to the New Way Distributor for pre-delivery inspection (PDI), and a delivery appointment is coordinated with the Participating Agency. 6) The ready vehicle is then delivered to the Participating Agency's location. When it arrives, the New Way Distributor conducts operator training and the Participating Agency takes delivery of its New Way work-ready mobile refuse collection vehicle. New Way Distributors assure that all units are ready to begin service immediately upon delivery, pending licensing and permitting by the Participating Agency. New Way is proud to offer work-ready mobile refuse collection vehicle solutions for immediate sale. Participating Agencies are welcome to choose between these work-ready solutions or a more customizable option, whichever choice better meets a Participating Agency's desires. New Way's current work-ready vehicles are always in production and are regularly available. New Way regularly communicates available work-ready inventory to the New Way Distributor Network. This helps a Participating Agency more easily find what inventory is immediately available and ready for purchase. Both New Way and our Distributor Network also have refuse collection vehicles currently working in our Demonstration Truck line that are aggressively priced and ready for immediate sale. We even have off-rent vehicles available for purchase.	
22	If a hybrid/electric chassis option is not a part of your product offering, provide information on when a hybrid/electric option may be part of your offering.	New Way Trucks has more units on route each day on electric chassis than any of our competitors. We have ongoing projects with every chassis manufacturer that offers a hybrid/electric refuse collection option.	

Table 3B: Depth and Breadth of Offered Equipment Products and Services

Indicate below if the listed types or classes of equipment, products, and services are offered within your proposal. Provide additional comments in the text box provided, as necessary.

Line Item	Category or Type	Offered *	Comments
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23	Front-load, side-load, rear-load, and multi-compartment refuse vehicles, including electric powered refuse vehicle bodies	☒ Yes ☐ No	New Way manufactures multiple front-load, side-load, and rear-load refuse collection vehicle bodies to meet the needs of a wide-ranging customer base. Given emission standards coming down the pike for model year 2024 chassis, we are also developing electric powered refuse vehicle bodies to give end-users the option of owning a one-hundred percent electric powered refuse collection vehicle.	*
24	Wide range of chassis, including internal combustion, natural gas or propane Autogas, hybrid or alternative fuel, and electric powered	☒ Yes ☐ No	New Way continues to work with all leading chassis manufacturers on alternative fuel systems to proactively integrate given the myriad changes and advancements in the refuse space. We are on the short list with chassis manufacturers when it comes to integration of any new alternative fuel chassis products. New Way has long been on the forefront of refuse truck electrification and is well-versed in clean diesel, compressed natural gas, and battery-powered fuel systems. We have also committed to a hydrogen-powered refuse collection vehicle solution.	*
25	Technological, logistical or mechanical accessories designed to increase operator and vehicle safety	☒ Yes ☐ No	Each New Way refuse collection vehicle is customizable to a Participating Agency's needs. A multitude of safety and vehicle options exist to prevent accidents, promote safe driving, and protect the operator. Radar detection, warning indicators, and multi-camera systems are available to detect any obstructions during the operator's daily routine. Automatic braking systems are also available to prevent collisions while extensive light packages offer a reliable way to protect the operator by increasing the visibility of the vehicle. The integrated use of proximity sensors with the hydraulic system also allows for a cushion effect to give the operator less fatigue and promote ergonomic operation. All New Way bodies also feature easy troubleshooting through lights, service diagnostic software, or a user interface that is mounted in the cab. Each method of troubleshooting can help to pinpoint the problematic area efficiently and reduce downtime. Safety is of the utmost importance to New Way and each refuse collection vehicle is continuously improved and designed with the safety and ergonomics of the operator and vehicle in mind. We also use Geotab to ensure safe refuse collection vehicle deliveries to Participating Agencies, and other safety-added platform features to assure end-users fleets are performing optimally.	*

26	Maintenance services	☒ Yes ☐ No	New Way's distributor network is unmatched when it comes to after-sales service. Upon request, we can also task one of our field service representatives or inside service staff to assist specific issues an end-user may be encountering.	*
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Table 4: Pricing Offered

Line Item	The Pricing Offered in this Proposal is: *	Comments
27	c. better than the Proposer typically offers to GPOs, cooperative procurement organizations, or state purchasing departments.	New Way is offering another generous percentage off MSRP discount to Sourcewell Participating Agencies. Additionally, New Way distributors have agreed to offer a discount range on top of that. Distributors often provided similar discounts throughout Contract #091219-NWY, so we are defining that range to provide Participating Agencies with the best New Way refuse collection vehicle pricing currently available. This improved pricing structure will better help Participating Agencies budget for refuse collection vehicle purchases throughout the life of the Sourcewell contract.

Table 5: Pricing and Delivery

Provide detailed pricing information in the questions that follow below. Keep in mind that reasonable price and product adjustments can be made during the term of an awarded Contract as described in the RFP, the template Contract, and the Sourcewell Price and Product Change Request Form.

Line Item	Question	Response *	
28	Describe your pricing model (e.g., line-item discounts or product-category discounts). Provide detailed pricing data (including standard or list pricing and the Sourcewell discounted price) on all of the items that you want Sourcewell to consider as part of your RFP response. If applicable, provide a SKU for each item in your proposal. Upload your pricing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	New Way Trucks maintains individual MSRP/retail price lists for each of our equipment product offerings. New Way will offer a four (4) percent discount off MSRP/retail price to Sourcewell Participating Agencies under this contract. Please see our pricing attachment for all catalog pricing of our MSRP/retail equipment. The model-specific price sheets include purchased material surcharges. Unlike other manufacturers that utilize fixed percentage or dollar amount surcharges, New Way determines purchased material surcharges on a model-by-model basis depending on the quantity of purchased material that each refuse collection vehicle body contains.	*
29	Quantify the pricing discount represented by the pricing proposal in this response. For example, if the pricing in your response represents a percentage discount from MSRP or list, state the percentage or percentage range.	New Way Trucks is offering all Participating Agencies a four (4) percent discount off its retail or list price on all our mobile refuse collection vehicle models and parts. Additionally, the New Way Distributor Network will offer discounts to Sourcewell Participating Agencies anywhere from one (1) to five (5) percent on all Sourcewell orders. As a result, participating Agencies stand to procure New Way's full line of refuse collection vehicle bodies for a five (5) to nine (9) percent discount off MSRP.	*
30	Describe any quantity or volume discounts or rebate programs that you offer.	New Way Trucks and our distributors are happy to offer negotiable volume discounts on large orders. New Way does not currently offer a rebate program.	*

31	Propose a method of facilitating “sourced” products or related services, which may be referred to as “open market” items or “nonstandard options”. For example, you may supply such items “at cost” or “at cost plus a percentage,” or you may supply a quote for each such request.	New Way Trucks provides the following solutions: A) Participating Agencies have the option to purchase a chassis as a sourced good OR using the Sourcewell contract through a specific chassis vendor. B) On the rare occasion that one of our work-ready chassis is not what a Participating Agency wants, we have the resources to locate the correct chassis for a Participating Agency. Due to our strategic partnerships with every major chassis manufacturer, we can purchase as many chassis as a Participating Agency desires at a competitive market price that is advantageous to the Participating Agency. Due to the level of customization that we provide, it may become necessary to source a “good” (chassis) from another provider. In that rare instance, the sourced good is considered cost-plus.	*
32	Identify any element of the total cost of acquisition that is NOT included in the pricing submitted with your response. This includes all additional charges associated with a purchase that are not directly identified as freight or shipping charges. For example, list costs for items like pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, or initial inspection. Identify any parties that impose such costs and their relationship to the Proposer.	Freight is not included in pricing submitted. New Way Trucks will always offer competitively procured freight costs to Participating Agencies. Items such as pre-delivery inspection, installation, set up, mandatory training, and initial inspection are all included in the initial purchase price and completed prior to the Participating Agency taking delivery, per New Way warranty requirements.	*
33	If freight, delivery, or shipping is an additional cost to the Sourcewell participating entity, describe in detail the complete freight, shipping, and delivery program.	New Way Trucks provides numerous delivery options to Participating Agencies. The Participating Agency can choose between picking a completed mobile refuse collection vehicle up at one of our manufacturing facilities in Iowa or Mississippi, having the completed vehicle delivered to their local authorized New Way Distributor, or having the completed vehicle delivered directly to the Participating Agency's location. We will work with the Participating Agency during the order process to identify the right choice. Freight is an additional sourced charge. New Way Trucks will always offer competitively procured freight costs to Participating Agencies.	*
34	Specifically describe freight, shipping, and delivery terms or programs available for Alaska, Hawaii, Canada, or any offshore delivery.	Our authorized New Way Distributor in Hawaii has years of experience coordinating the delivery of refuse collection equipment. New Way has delivered many mobile collection vehicles to Alaska throughout the years, employing tugboats when the situation necessitates it. To make it as easy as possible for Participating Agencies in both states, our distributors and transportation specialists will leverage existing freight networks to coordinate timely and competitively priced deliveries. Similarly, for Participating Agencies in Canada, our respected Canadian Distributor Network that covers all of Canada will help broker freight and shipping. All freight costs are competitively procured. All freight charges will be passed through to Participating Agencies at a competitively-sourced cost without mark-up.	*
35	Describe any unique distribution and/or delivery methods or options offered in your proposal.	Our distribution network is unique in that New Way Trucks has the most robust Distributor Network in North America. To best serve our extensive Distributor Network, New Way Trucks currently has a dozen trained drivers delivering our New Way collection vehicles across North America. New Way also employs the best drive-away delivery companies as needed.	*

Table 6: Payment Terms and Financing Options

Line Item	Question	Response *	
36	Describe your payment terms and accepted payment methods.	Net 30 Days. New Way accepts payment by check, ACH, credit card, and even cash. There is a three (3) percent fee on credit card transactions over \$2,500.	*
37	Describe any leasing or financing options available for use by educational or governmental entities.	New Way's Distributor Network offers various leasing and financing options to educational or governmental entities. These include key third party financing organizations such as Wells Fargo, Key Equipment Finance, and National Cooperative Leasing (NCL) Government Capital.	*
38	Describe any standard transaction documents that you propose to use in connection with an awarded contract (order forms, terms and conditions, service level agreements, etc.). Upload a sample of each (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	New Way's standard transaction documents for all refuse collection vehicle sales are order forms and order acknowledgements. A Sourcewell Participating Agency will work with an authorized New Way Distributor to submit an order form detailing the exact specifications and custom options they would like their New Way refuse collection vehicle to include. The New Way distributor will submit the completed order form to the New Way Sales Operations department, who will enter the order into our enterprise resource planning software. The department will review the completed order form to assure its accuracy and subsequently create a line-by-line order acknowledgement form that lists out the refuse collection vehicle body and all custom options the Participating Agency selected when filling out the sales order form with their local New Way Distributor. The Participating Agency's refuse collection vehicle(s) are not cleared to begin production until New Way receives a signed order acknowledgement. This simple checks and balances process assures that Sourcewell Participating Agencies receive the exact refuse collection vehicle tailor made to their unique refuse collection needs.	*
39	Do you accept the P-card procurement and payment process? If so, is there any additional cost to Sourcewell participating entities for using this process?	New Way does accept the P-card procurement and payment process. There is a three (3) percent processing fee associated with all P-card purchases.	*

Table 7: Audit and Administrative Fee

Line Item	Question	Response *	
40	Specifically describe any self-audit process or program that you plan to employ to verify compliance with your proposed Contract with Sourcewell. This process includes ensuring that Sourcewell participating entities obtain the proper pricing, that the Vendor reports all sales under the Contract each quarter, and that the Vendor remits the proper administrative fee to Sourcewell. Provide sufficient detail to support your ability to report quarterly sales to Sourcewell as described in the Contract template.	New Way will continue to independently track Sourcewell orders as part of our overall order process. Our sales staff will verify Participating Agency account numbers and compare them to the most updated Participating Agency list. New Way will then verify order pricing to ensure quoted prices do not exceed the current Sourcewell discount. We will review large orders to identify potential volume discounts and additional Participating Agency savings. New Way Trucks will continue to provide Sourcewell with quarterly contract sales reports along with the proper administrative fees for all reported refuse collection vehicle, parts, and FleetForce rental business.	*
41	If you are awarded a contract, provide a few examples of internal metrics that will be tracked to measure whether you are having success with the contract.	New Way will continue to track the total number of units quoted, units sold, overall sales figures, and lead times. If awarded a Sourcewell Contract, we will begin to track parts sales and FleetForce rental activity.	*
42	Identify a proposed administrative fee that you will pay to Sourcewell for facilitating, managing, and promoting the Sourcewell Contract in the event that you are awarded a Contract. This fee is typically calculated as a percentage of Vendor's sales under the Contract or as a per-unit fee; it is not a line-item addition to the Member's cost of goods. (See the RFP and template Contract for additional details.)	New Way Trucks will provide Sourcewell with a Direct Sales Administrative Fee of two (2) percent. The fee will apply to all currently priced contract goods. Please note that the fee will not apply to non-contract priced goods such as freight, sourced goods, training, et cetera.	*

Table 8: Industry Recognition & Marketplace Success

Line Item	Question	Response *	
43	Describe any relevant industry awards or recognition that your company has received in the past five years	New Way is incredibly active in the North American solid waste industry and has received awards by industry-specific organizations and local organizations alike. In the past five years we have been recognized by the National Waste & Recycling Association (Nwra), Solid Waste Association of North America (SWANA), and Environmental Research & Education Foundation (EREF) as well as a local development association and newspaper in northeast Mississippi. a. 2018: Waste360 40 under 40 recipient Johnathon McLaughlin, New Way Chief Manufacturing Officer b. 2019: Nwra Member of the Year Don Ross, New Way Chief Sales Officer for, "demonstrating extraordinary service to the mission and goals of the organization." c. 2020: Prentiss County (Mississippi) Development Association's Industry of the Year for, "contributions made to the economy of Prentiss County in the areas of employment, investment, and community support." d. 2020: Prentiss County's Best New Business, as voted on by Booneville Banner Independent readers e. 2020: Don Ross received the SWANA Collection & Transfer Technical Division Distinguished Individual Achievement Award for, "service to the technical division, support of SWANA's mission to advance the practice of solid waste collection and transfer, and overall long-term service to the industry." f. 2020: Don Ross elected to serve on the Nwra Board of Trustees g. 2021: New Way Chief Executive Officer Mike McLaughlin elected to serve on the EREF Board of Directors h. 2021-2022: Recognized as one of the Prentiss County Community's 2021 Business Newsmakers in consecutive years i. 2022: Voted Prentiss County's Best Place to Work by Booneville Banner Independent readers j. 2022: Mike McLaughlin awarded the Nwra Suppliers Distinguished Service Award for his, "consistent support of the association." k. 2022: Don Ross elected Chairman of Nwra Board of Trustees l. 2023: Surpassed \$750,000 in donations to EREF to advance scientific research and create educational pathways that enable innovation in sustainable waste management practices.	*
44	What percentage of your sales are to the governmental sector in the past three years	Though New Way Trucks serves both the private and public sectors of the solid waste industry, the majority of our customers are government entities. Over 63% of New Way Trucks sales were to the public sector in the past three years.	*
45	What percentage of your sales are to the education sector in the past three years	New Way sells fewer than three (3) percent of our refuse collection vehicles to the education sector, but New Way is proud to list an array of major educational institutions and school districts as customers. In the past three years we have sold our equipment to a list of universities that includes, but is not limited to: the University of Mississippi, The George Washington University, Iowa State University, the University of Georgia, the University of Illinois, the University of Missouri, the University of Washington, the University of Oregon, the University of South Carolina, the University of Texas, the University of Minnesota, the University of Illinois-Chicago, and the University of Wisconsin-Madison. New Way is proud to list the following school districts as customers the past three years: Atascadero (CA) Unified School District, Baltimore City Public Schools, Long Beach (CA) Unified School District, Plymouth (WI) School District, San Ramon Valley (CA) Unified School District, and West Seneca (NY) Central School District.	*
46	List any state, provincial, or cooperative purchasing contracts that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	New Way Trucks currently holds a contract with the Houston-Galveston Area Cooperative. Sales via this cooperative account for fewer than one percent of annual total units sold.	*
47	List any GSA contracts or Standing Offers and Supply Arrangements (SOSA) that you hold. What is the annual sales volume for each of these contracts over the past three years?	New Way is listed as a manufacturer on GSA contract #47QMCA18D000E, held by one of our distributors, Maryland Industrial Trucks. Through this contract New Way equips National Parks and United States military bases around the globe with refuse collection equipment. Sales via this contract have accounted for fewer than one percent of annual total units sold.	*

Table 9: Top Five Government or Education Customers

Line Item 48. Provide a list of your top five government, education, or non-profit customers (entity name is optional), including entity type, the state or province the entity is located in, scope of the project(s), size of transaction(s), and dollar volumes from the past three years.

Entity Name	Entity Type *	State / Province *	Scope of Work *	Size of Transactions *	Dollar Volume Past Three Years *	
City of Philadelphia	Government	Pennsylvania - PA	106 rear-load mobile refuse collection vehicle bodies for residential and commercial collection: 20 cubic yard New Way King Cobras, 8 cubic yard New Way Diamondbacks, 18 cubic yard New Way Cobras	Anywhere from three to eleven mobile refuse collection bodies per order, multiple times per year.	\$6,707,874.07	*
City of Sacramento, Fleet Management	Government	California - CA	43 New Way Sidewinder automated-side-load West Coast lightweight mobile refuse collection vehicle bodies for residential collection, fueled by compressed natural gas: 29 cubic yard units. Four 25 cubic yard New Way King Cobra rear-load mobile refuse collection vehicle units for commercial collection. One 13 cubic yard New Way Cobra rear-load mobile refuse collection vehicle body for residential collection.	New Way built the City of Sacramento's Fleet Management department fourteen mobile refuse collection vehicle bodies in 2020, twenty-two bodies in 2021, and a dozen in 2022.	\$5,328,418.67	*
Miami-Dade County	Government	Florida - FL	31 New Way Sidewinder automated-side-load mobile refuse collection vehicle bodies for residential collection: 31 cubic yard units. Nine (9) Cobra Magnum rear-load mobile refuse collection vehicle bodies for residential and commercial collection: 25 cubic yard units. Four New Way Cobra rear-load mobile refuse collection vehicle bodies for residential collection: 16 cubic yard units.	New Way built Miami-Dade County thirty-two mobile refuse collection vehicle bodies in 2021 and a dozen in 2022.	\$4,483,038.69	*
City of Tampa	Government	Florida - FL	30 New Way Sidewinder automated-side-load mobile refuse collection bodies for residential collection: 31 cubic yard units.	New Way built the city of Tampa seven mobile refuse collection vehicle bodies in 2020, eleven bodies in 2021, and a dozen in 2022.	\$4,356,101.35	*
Sacramento County	Government	California - CA	26 New Way Sidewinder automated-side-load mobile refuse collection vehicle bodies, fueled by compressed natural gas, for residential collection: 31 cubic yard West Coast lightweight units.	New Way built Sacramento County thirteen mobile refuse collection vehicle bodies in both 2021 and 2022.	\$3,414,034.12	*

Table 10: References/Testimonials

Line Item 49. Supply reference information from three customers who are eligible to be Sourcwell participating entities.

Entity Name *	Contact Name *	Phone Number *	
City of Statesboro, Georgia	Ronnie Lane	912.764.0681	*
City of Lakeland, Florida	Gene Ginn	863.834.8773	*
City of Los Angeles Sanitation Department	Ron Cole	818.752.5703	*
City of Baltimore, Maryland	Nicholas C. Hirsch	410.396.5790	
City of Dallas, Texas	Vincent Olsen	214.671.9064	

Table 11: Ability to Sell and Deliver Service

Describe your company's capability to meet the needs of Sourcewell participating entities across the US and Canada, as applicable. Your response should address in detail at least the following areas: locations of your network of sales and service providers, the number of workers (full-time equivalents) involved in each sector, whether these workers are your direct employees (or employees of a third party), and any overlap between the sales and service functions.

Line Item	Question	Response *
50	Sales force.	New Way employs ten (10) Regional Sales Managers (RSMs) that cover the entire North American continent. New Way RSMs are strategically located within their territories to provide immediate responses to customer inquiries. New Way is proud to state that we have one of the most robust refuse collection vehicle sales & sales support teams of any original equipment manufacturer in North America. Our RSMs are supported by a Chief Sales Officer, three sales technicians, a sales operations supervisor, a sales engineer, and two marketing specialists at our primary manufacturing facility in Scranton, Iowa.
51	Dealer network or other distribution methods.	New Way's Distributor Network is the cornerstone of our organization. Our expansive Distributor Network covers every state in the United States and all of Canada. Authorized New Way Distributors employ more than 150 knowledgeable sales and sales support staff in the United States & Canada that are dedicated to the New Way brand. These representatives are well trained in selling refuse collection vehicles through Sourcewell.
52	Service force.	Our Distributor Network is the first line of defense for any parts and service inquiries. Each of our distributors currently stock parts and have several service technicians immediately available to aid where needed. New Way boasts a wide-ranging distributor network that covers all the U.S. and Canada. Although they cover each region in the U.S. and Canada, these distributors are consistently adding new locations across their respective regions to decrease response time. The distributor network is regularly trained by New Way service technicians and the Service Manager on New Way's continuously improving refuse collection vehicles. Also, most distributors provide additional service programs with distributor-based service technicians available to help customers further reduce downtime. These distributors communicate extensively with New Way service, parts, engineers, and factory technicians. Beyond the distributor network, the New Way service manager as well as four field service technicians covering all the U.S. and Canada are always available to solve any issue by instantaneous phone or on-site support. Together, these service teams work together to provide a safe and efficient method of reducing downtime and providing support in a timely manner. The New Way Parts Department - centrally located in Carroll, Iowa, has sixteen (16) members split amongst a knowledgeable call center support staff, parts operations supervisor, outside sales & business development representative, and shipping and receiving personnel to handle any replacement parts needs for Participating Agencies in an efficient, professional, and timely manner. Two more parts staff are located at our main manufacturing facility in Scranton, Iowa. We can ship parts anywhere in the world thanks to our logistics partnerships. Lead times for uncommon parts are short given the Parts Department's proximity to New Way's main production plant in Scranton. New Way will open a parts depot at an existing New Way location in Booneville, Mississippi in the second half of 2023 to better serve distributors and customers in the eastern United States and Canada.

53	Describe the ordering process. If orders will be handled by distributors, dealers or others, explain the respective roles of the Proposer and others.	New Way's Sourcewell order procedure includes six simple steps. 1) A Participating Agency searches the New Way website or contacts a local New Way distributor for a refuse collection vehicle that meets their unique specifications. 2) The New Way Distributor develops a New Way Trucks Distributor quotation to the Participating Agency's specifications utilizing the Sourcewell Contract's discounted pricing and sends to the Participating Agency for approval. 3) The Participating Agency approves the quotation and issues a purchase order to the New Way Distributor, who subsequently submits an order to New Way. 4) The New Way Sales Operations department will enter the order into our enterprise resource planning software. The department will review the completed order form to assure its accuracy and subsequently create a line-by-line order acknowledgement form that lists out the refuse collection vehicle body and all custom options the Participating Agency selected when filling out the sales order form with their local New Way Distributor. Only then will the refuse collection vehicle(s) cleared to begin production. 5) Once complete, the refuse collection vehicle is shipped to the New Way Distributor for pre-delivery inspection (PDI), and a delivery appointment is coordinated with the Participating Agency. 6) The refuse collection vehicle is moved to the Participating Agency's location, where the New Way Distributor conducts operator training and the Participating Agency takes delivery of its New Way refuse collection vehicle.	*
54	Describe in detail the process and procedure of your customer service program, if applicable. Include your response-time capabilities and commitments, as well as any incentives that help your providers meet your stated service goals or promises.	New Way wields a first-class service department that is always available by call or text and instantaneously starts working toward a solution or troubleshooting steps to fix the problem at hand. Featuring a call center, this cross disciplinary team is led by a Service Manager, Inside Service Technician, administrative support team, and four Field Service Technicians all yielding years of experience in the refuse industry. With direct lines to mechanical engineers, hydraulics technicians, controls technicians, designers, and factory install technicians, most solutions are immediate. For more in-depth service needs, the field service technicians are available for on-site troubleshooting at the Participating Agency's location or through New Way's robust distributor network. In addition to the service team, New Way has a large parts department that is fully stocked with replacement and wear parts for all models. The parts division communicates regularly with all New Way manufacturing facilities to ensure that parts are shipped from the closest available New Way location to decrease shipping costs, time, and number of hours a refuse collection vehicle may be down.	*
55	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in the United States.	New Way Trucks is proud to go to market across the entire United States through our well-respected distributor network. New Way's 34 domestic distributors are happy to serve Sourcewell Participating Entities in every state from 53 locations across the country. Our parts and service departments work with distributors to keep end-users' vehicles maintained and productive. With extended shipping hours and over \$2 million in on-hand refuse collection vehicle parts inventory – including items with typically long lead times – the New Way Parts Department and will work to assure that Participating Entities have what they need to keep their refuse collection vehicles on route. Distributors from coast to coast also stock parts at their locations to best serve end-users and assure maximum uptime. Our parts depot at one of our facilities in Booneville, Mississippi will cut down on lead times for distributors and Participating Agencies east of the Mississippi River. As we outlined in item 12, New Way Trucks has added three manufacturing facilities during the current Sourcewell contract period. Our Diamondback and Mamba production facility began operating in Carroll, Iowa in 2020. Our Wolverine facility and The Arsenal opened in Booneville, Mississippi in 2020 and 2022, respectively. New Way remains committed to expanding our manufacturing capacity to cut down on lead times and meet the growing demand for our industry-leading line of refuse collection equipment.	*
56	Describe your ability and willingness to provide your products and services to Sourcewell participating entities in Canada.	New Way is well equipped to offer our entire product and parts lineup to Sourcewell Participating Entities across Canada thanks to our four (4) distributor partners at nine (9) locations throughout the country.	*
57	Identify any geographic areas of the United States or Canada that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract.	New Way has refuse collection vehicles operating in all 50 states and across Canada and is well-equipped to provide refuse equipment solutions to every state, province, and territory. In areas not covered by an authorized New Way Distributor, we partner with local service facilities to carry out warranty and repair work. There is nowhere that we will not service in the United States or Canada.	*

58	Identify any Sourcewell participating entity sectors (i.e., government, education, not-for-profit) that you will NOT be fully serving through the proposed contract. Explain in detail. For example, does your company have only a regional presence, or do other cooperative purchasing contracts limit your ability to promote another contract?	New Way Trucks and our distributor network are willing and able to serve all Participating Entity sectors thanks to our strong North American presence and robust distributor network. New Way is not restricted in promoting the Sourcewell contract.	*
59	Define any specific contract requirements or restrictions that would apply to our participating entities in Hawaii and Alaska and in US Territories.	There are no restrictions in Alaska, Hawaii, or any U.S. Territories. New Way refuse collection vehicles are currently service in Alaska, Hawaii, and many U.S. Territories. We have distributors located in Hawaii and Puerto Rico. There is even a New Way refuse collection vehicle operating on Kwajalein Atoll, Marshall Islands – one of the most remote island chains on earth! Though we do not currently have a distributor that covers Alaska, a New Way Regional Sales Manager sells directly into the state, and we partner with local service facilities to carry out warranty and repair work.	*

Table 12: Marketing Plan

Line Item	Question	Response *	
60	Describe your marketing strategy for promoting this contract opportunity. Upload representative samples of your marketing materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	Sourcewell has long been and will continue to be a key feature in New Way Trucks sales and marketing efforts. New Way dedicates a homepage slider that links to a page on our website dedicated to our partnership with Sourcewell (newwaytrucks.com/sourcewell). For the past nine years, we have included the NJPA /Sourcewell contract information in all product literature and print ads, various distributor communications and newsletters, and at all events and conferences. New Way has also partnered with Sourcewell to present the benefits of being a Sourcewell Participating Agency at 2018's New Way Distributor Summit event, and would have done so again at our first summit in five years in late September had it not fallen during this proposal's no-contact period. Additionally, New Way will continue to participate in nationwide Sourcewell training events. New Way Trucks is also prepared to co-sponsor local, regional, and nationwide trade shows with our Distributor Network – which all focus on our products and partnership with Sourcewell. Please review samples of our numerous co-branding efforts with Sourcewell in the document upload section.	*
61	Describe your use of technology and digital data (e.g., social media, metadata usage) to enhance marketing effectiveness.	New Way Trucks communicates regularly with our Distributor Network via e-newsletter, where we can track opens, clicks, and confirm which of our distributors has acknowledged the important sales, product, manufacturing, and parts information we share. A password-protected distributor portal is the go-to resource for product specifications, company news, marketing collateral, technical publications, department-by-department contact information, and Sourcewell discounted pricing and contract information. The distributor portal alone receives over 2,000 page views per month, while the public facing New Way site averages over 17,500 monthly pageviews. New Way Trucks is also an industry leader in social media strategy & digital media execution. Our official accounts have organically amassed over 5,300 followers on Facebook, 1,695 Instagram followers, 675 twitter followers, 490 YouTube subscribers, and 2,125 LinkedIn followers. Our on-premise Research & Development Departments are constantly striving to make data-driven decisions to improve the refuse collection bodies we manufacture. In turn, we market these product updates through both traditional and digital means to distributors and the public alike. New Way gets much more actionable refuse collection vehicle body and parts sales data since implementing a new enterprise resource planning (ERP) system in November 2019. Accordingly, we can more accurately forecast and communicate shifting production priorities, product improvements, and new product launches. The New Way Parts Department uses historical parts sales data to develop blanket ordering plans for distributors' parts stocking programs on a location-by-location basis. This insight is invaluable for distributors when refuse collection equipment and parts solutions with Participating Agencies.	*

62	In your view, what is Sourcewell's role in promoting contracts arising out of this RFP? How will you integrate a Sourcewell-awarded contract into your sales process?	A Sourcewell-awarded contract represents a long-term partnership between well-respected organizations. This partnership is made stronger by the participation of its Participating Agencies and engagement of its Awarded Suppliers and Sourcewell represents the conduit between these entities. For the contract to be successful, both parties should help promote its value. An Awarded Supplier such as New Way needs Sourcewell to connect us to its Participating Agencies while simultaneously promoting the competitive nature of the procurement tool, the high-quality, industry leading Awarded Suppliers it selects, and the ease of use of its program. At the same time, an Awarded Supplier such as New Way, with its large North American footprint, vast distributor network, and industry-leading municipal customer base, should showcase its Sourcewell-awarded contract as the cornerstone of its municipal sales program. No other competitively procured agreement has the reach, ease of use, and cost savings of a Sourcewell-awarded contract, and New Way's team will promote and demonstrate that value through all our sales and marketing channels, as we do today. New Way Trucks highly values Sourcewell's continued participation in our regular Distributor Summits and training programs that bring together and support Participating Agencies and Awarded Suppliers. Sourcewell is already a large part of the sales process at New Way Trucks. New Way trains distributors quarterly on how to sell refuse collection vehicles most effectively via Sourcewell. New Way distributors regularly attend Sourcewell-provided regional trainings. In this past year alone 75 New Way and New Way distributor employees attended virtual or in-person Sourcewell trainings. We prominently place the Sourcewell logo and awarded contract number on product literature, marketing collateral, eNewsletters, and our website. Our New Way Distributors are well-versed in doing business within the confines of the Sourcewell Contract. New Way will continue to exhibit our partnership with Sourcewell at local, regional, and national training events and tradeshow. Sourcewell will remain a key fixture in New Way's sales process.	*
63	Are your products or services available through an e-procurement ordering process? If so, describe your e-procurement system and how governmental and educational customers have used it.	Since 90 percent of our refuse collection vehicles are specially customized for our customers, we do not currently offer an e-procurement ordering process. The New Way Parts Department is currently developing an e-commerce parts platform.	*

Table 13: Value-Added Attributes

Line Item	Question	Response *	
64	Describe any product, equipment, maintenance, or operator training programs that you offer to Sourcewell participating entities. Include details, such as whether training is standard or optional, who provides training, and any costs that apply.	New Way offers multiple opportunities for service and product training throughout the year involving members of the service, sales, product management, or engineering teams. Service personnel host events at each New Way factory located in Iowa and Mississippi as well as at customer and distributor locations. These events also offer specialized tooling that is available to boost efficiency in repair and provide hands-on training to aid in preventive maintenance. Distributor Summits provide key information based around new product development, service support, warranty support, and upcoming engineering changes. A demonstrator fleet of new products is always available for demonstrator operation to assist in giving the customer a full understanding of the capability of each product and helping as a live training aid to gain hands-on experience. After delivery, New Way Trucks and our distributors visit and provide support at the Participating Agency's location, train operators on the product, and support the product throughout its life cycle. Select in-classroom sessions are available to distributors and Participating Agencies on demand in the weeks after training sessions.	*

65	Explain key designs or processes your company takes to provide and promote safe operation of your equipment.	New Way's robust engineering departments continuously improve operator safety and efficiency. New Way refuse collection vehicles feature a comprehensive amount of safety features such as interlocks, shutdowns, guarding, signage, detailed manuals, and recommended personal protective equipment when necessary. Current refuse collection vehicle offerings are the result of a Sustaining Engineering Department comprised of years of manufacturing and refuse collection equipment knowledge that ensures steady changes based on operator feedback. An extensive team of technicians also operate 100% of New Way refuse collection vehicles before factory completion to verify safe, ergonomic, and efficient operating conditions. For upcoming refuse collection vehicle offerings and improvements, a New Product Development Team repeatedly looks for cutting edge equipment that improves the safety, reliability, and efficiency of the unit by regularly interfacing with distributors, refuse collection equipment operators (garbage women and men), and suppliers. New Way's Research and Development Team also proves any new equipment by carrying out in-house testing procedures that expand upon testing based on industry standards - such as ANSI (American National Standards Institute). New Way carries out the latest testing methods and technology from ANSI by having representation on their committees and assisting in the establishment of new safety protocols for our industry.
66	Describe how the equipment you propose simplifies the operation for end-users.	Durability and longevity are consistent throughout all New Way refuse collection vehicle lines, and the key to maintaining these qualities is New Way's ability to produce a product that meets the needs of each individual end-user. Customization is the foundation that New Way was built upon, and each refuse collection vehicle is designed with the operator or end-user's specific needs in mind. New Way's comprehensive engineering and sales staff are experienced in meeting the unique requirements of any end-user and provide a route-ready vehicle that fits the operator's needs. Participating Agencies can choose from the industry's widest refuse collection vehicle lineup to get just what their operation requires. According to research from the American Trucking Associations, half of all commercial driver's license (CDL) operators will likely retire in the next decade. New Way continues to proactively innovate to meet the industry's shifting needs. Our rear- and side-load under-CDL refuse collection vehicles make finding and training new drivers easier. For the last 20 years, the solid waste industry focused on improving productivity. That effort translated to larger and fewer collection routes, larger trucks, and fleet-rightsizing. Given the current CDL driver shortage, however, one shoe does not fit all markets. Hauling operators are now seeing those trends begin to reverse. There is a willingness to expand fleets with smaller collection vehicles with hopes of expanding the labor pool and drawing candidates from groups not traditionally targeted by the nation's waste haulers. New drivers can focus on safety, customer service, and a manageable route footprint in a smaller vehicle before eventually graduating to a full-size refuse collection vehicle – bringing those skills to a larger (yet still familiar) vehicle. New Way's under-CDL capable Viper and Diamondback rear-end loaders (RELs) have been available for many years. More maneuverable than their larger counterparts, they also meet height restrictions in older municipalities. Not only are these perfect vehicles for training non-CDL operators, but they are also ideal for small-volume residential routes, valet-type collection, high-density areas, resorts, and park routes. These small REL models are adaptable to residential cart-tippers, have a low load-sill threshold, operate quietly, and the Diamondback even comes available in high-compaction models. The New Way Mamba under-CDL satellite side-loader has also been available for years. With its slender body construction, the Mamba squeezes into places its larger, wider counterparts cannot and provides the freedom to load from either side. The Mamba can also transfer compacted waste into larger rear-end-loaders (RELs). The Mamba features cart tipper and barrel dumper options, providing haulers the ability to customize their truck to meet their collection needs. New Way introduced the Wolverine in 2022 as an under-CDL automated side loader with all the safety features and many characteristics of the Sidewinder XTR and ROTO PAC automated side loaders. Multiple body sizes, customization options, and manual configurations are available while the refuse collection vehicle maintains a competitive compaction rate to fit the needs of any Participating Agency's hauling operation. New Way also proudly provides more customizable options than any other mobile refuse collection vehicle manufacturer in the United States and Canada. Ninety percent of the refuse collection vehicles that we manufacture are customized in one way or another. No additional modifications are necessary once a Sourcewell Participating Agency receives their New Way refuse collection vehicle.

67	Describe any safety innovations on your equipment that are either exclusive or that you have introduced into the marketplace.	New Way is represented on all ANSI committees and assists in establishing new safety protocols for the refuse industry. The American National Standards Institute (ANSI) is the governing body for refuse equipment specifications and requirements in North America and is administered by the National Waste and Recycling Association (NWRA). New Way bodies are easily identified as ANSI compliant by our literature or serial tags. As industry leaders, we help shape the safety innovations of the future. Carrying over from over twenty years ago where New Way was one of the first manufacturers to make rear-vision cameras standard on our refuse collection vehicles, we are continuing to innovate by offering collision avoidance systems, scale systems, customizable camera locations, and rear-view radar systems. All these systems integrate into the chassis and body to provide a route ready truck that gives a high safety value to the Participating Agency. Although New Way is a body manufacturer, chassis integration is a critical part of each product and the ability of the refuse collection vehicle to operate safely and efficiently. We continuously work with chassis manufacturers to add safety features and efficiency to each product through feedback from operators and distributors. Even simple changes such as camera placement, monitor placement, harness routing, and controls adaptation can help to provide a safer refuse collection vehicle by keeping the operator and service technicians safe. As stated, a route ready truck that is utilized as a single refuse collection system is what New Way strives to offer to each Participating Agency. As a family-owned company, we see value in the relationships that are built from the chassis integration all the way to the Participating Agency to promote a safe product. Chassis manufacturers are commonly offering New Way specifications that allows a pre-engineered chassis to be used that requires little to no integration and minimal body mounting effort to make the complete refuse collection vehicle as seamless as possible. This process reduces the complexity of wiring and routing, reduces weight, mitigates electronic mishaps, and makes routine maintenance easier, faster, and cheaper for the Participating Agency. With seamless integration, operating the refuse collection vehicle is more ergonomic, thus increasing operator productivity and decreasing operator fatigue. All these features combine to make an operator's job more efficient and comfortable, which results in high driver retention rates. High retention coupled with the exhaustive safety features New Way and chassis manufacturers proudly offer makes it easier for refuse collection operations to build an experienced operator base that is fully committed to safely operating its refuse collection vehicle fleet.
68	Describe any technological advances that your proposed products or services offer.	New Way has long spurred innovation in the refuse industry and continues this throughout all products. From the toughest sideloading arm in the industry, the first auger-driven refuse collection vehicle, and multiple under-CDL offerings that apply to both side-loading and rear-load customers, New Way is leading the way in technologically advanced product offerings. To continue these advances, the New Way product team, comprised of over 35 engineers and technicians, has undergone a complete restructure to include New Product Development Engineering, Sustaining Engineering, and Product Management teams that come together to both increase the productivity of the current product offerings and provide innovative new product offerings. A few notable examples of innovative craftsmanship in New Way include the following: The New Way Wolverine is an under-CDL automated-side-loader that provides full eject capabilities as well as compaction rates that match many trucks twice its size. This new product is available in 3 body sizes, is capable of 8ft arm reach, and has cycle times that rival large, automated collection vehicles. This refuse collection vehicle simplifies operations by allowing an under-CDL operator to safely gain experience in automated collection while providing enough maneuverability to comfortably navigate subdivisions, cul-de-sacs, and busy city streets. The New Way ROTO PAC was introduced as the first auger-driven organics collection vehicle in North America. The ROTO PAC excels in compacting organic waste as well as mixed solid waste and provides a compaction rate unmatched by any type of mobile refuse vehicle in the industry. The ROTO PAC provides 23,000 pounds of torque in a screw-type auger that extends into the compactor body to consistently contribute toward the industry leading compaction rates. New Way is also regularly examining the trends in refuse collection and clean environmental impact. Accordingly, New Way works with chassis manufacturers to provide alternatively fueled refuse collection vehicles and ensures that collection ability is not negatively impacted while promoting a clean environment. New Way has delivered hundreds of alternatively fueled vehicles including more battery-electric vehicles than any other refuse collection body manufacturer across multiple product lines.

69	Describe any "green" initiatives or Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) that relate to your company or to your products or services, and include a list of the certifying agency for each.	New Way participates in the following environmentally friendly initiatives at our manufacturing facilities. Every employee is provided a reusable water bottle to cut down on plastic use at each of our locations. We monitor stormwater on an annual basis. We also participate in a filter program with local landfills to ensure that we carry permits for proper disposal. In addition, we contract with Safety Kleen to dispose of paint waste in an environmentally responsible manner. Finally, we test the air quality in our manufacturing facilities and offices twice per year, once in the summer and once in the winter. During this process, we analyze all areas of production to collect several readings to assure that our employees are breathing clean air.	*
70	Identify any third-party issued eco-labels, ratings or certifications that your company has received for the equipment or products included in your Proposal related to energy efficiency or conservation, life-cycle design (cradle-to-cradle), or other green/sustainability factors.	The industry's shift to alternative fuels continues, and New Way is proud to drive the industry towards environmentally sustainable refuse collection vehicles for more end-users. New Way is further along in battery-electric vehicle (BEV) refuse applications than any other body manufacturer. New Way BEV refuse collection vehicles are working and on route every day. New Way is also developing a fully electric refuse collection body and has partnered on a hydrogen-powered refuse collection vehicle project. New Way has alternative fuel chassis integration projects underway with every major chassis manufacturer that operates in North America. These partnerships focus on developing software enhancements, operator assists, and pack system efficiencies to help maximize battery life and make collection operations more intuitive for BEV applications. Several New Way BEV refuse collection vehicles are on order for end-users across the nation. Additionally, a significant portion of all New Way refuse trucks are built to run on compressed natural gas (CNG). Operations of all sizes have made long-term commitments to convert their entire fleets to either BEV or CNG trucks. New Way is well-equipped to help meet the sustainability goals which these refuse collection operations have implemented. New Way is a certified installer for all leading providers of CNG fuel systems including Hexagon Agility and Momentum Fuel Technologies. There are numerous options for mounting CNG fuel systems. These include back-of-cab mounts, tailgate mounts, frame rail/side mounts, roof mounts, and custom hybrid designs to accommodate unique customer challenges. New Way engineers carefully analyze each chassis and situation to determine the ideal placement for each CNG fuel system. Ordering a BEV or CNG refuse truck from New Way assures you'll be driving the greatest value in BEV and CNG refuse collection. CNG systems are currently available on most New Way models, and we continue to work with leading fuel system providers to optimize design integrations. As a leader and steward of innovation in refuse truck body manufacturing, it is up to us to forge a new way forward that includes an emphasis on sustainability. We have played a major role in affecting positive, sustainable change for our customers and the public they serve on their routes.	*
71	Describe any Women or Minority Business Entity (WMBE), Small Business Entity (SBE), or veteran owned business certifications that your company or hub partners have obtained. Upload documentation of certification (as applicable) in the document upload section of your response.	New Way is a family-owned company and, as a result, is not eligible for these certifications. That said, two of our co-owners are women and New Way can be considered a Women Owned Business. New Way also supports the National Waste & Recycling Association Women's Council through active engagement and generous contributions to the association. We are proud to have representation on the NWRA Women's Council, and we are honored to employ several active-duty U.S. military members and veterans.	*

72	What unique attributes does your company, your products, or your services offer to Sourcewell participating entities? What makes your proposed solutions unique in your industry as it applies to Sourcewell participating entities?	New Way provides an endless amount of customization for all product lines and offers the widest lineup of front-, rear-, and side-load refuse collection vehicles available. The customer comes first at New Way, and each truck is hand crafted to provide a safe and enjoyable experience for the operator and a fleet's service technicians. Ninety percent of our refuse vehicles are customized by the end-user, and we are proudly still able to accommodate these customizations while being the largest private refuse collection vehicle body manufacturer in North America. The attentional to detail provided by New Way, the preventive maintenance ability within each product, and the customization provide a complete immersive experience for Sourcewell Participating Agencies. All trucks that are built by New Way are thoroughly checked for efficiency, ergonomics, and safety before delivery so that the vehicle is route ready. Being privately held means we can implement changes more efficiently than our public company competitors, but we are also large enough to scale production and human capital to meet the ever-growing demand for our industry-leading product line of refuse collection vehicles. The successful launch of three new manufacturing facilities since submitting the previous Sourcewell proposal illustrates this. Other key differentiators include: New Way's after-sales support and distributor network who provides an unmatched service standard, New Way's frame mounted sidelading arm differentiates us from our competitors and allows us to have easy access for service, safer serviceability, and a smooth operation. The reduced cab shake and smooth operation results in less driver fatigue and a more ergonomic operation. New Way's commonization of SSAB Hardox abrasion resistant steel has made us the largest buyer of Hardox in North America, which speaks to our unmatched product quality. New Way also provides the only direct-from manufacturer refuse collection vehicle rental program in the industry: FleetForce.	*
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Table 14: Warranty

Describe in detail your manufacturer warranty program, including conditions and requirements to qualify, claims procedure, and overall structure. You may upload representative samples of your warranty materials (if applicable) in the document upload section of your response in addition to responding to the questions below.

Line Item	Question	Response *	
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73	Do your warranties cover all products, parts, and labor?	New Way manufactured replacement parts, components, and assemblies are sold under a Limited Warranty to be free from defects in workmanship or material for a period of twelve (12) months. This is a part replacement only warranty and the item must be returned to the New Way Distributor for exchange. The labor and shipping cost to replace the parts shall be the responsibility of the customer. There is no warranty on expendable items, wear components, or used parts. Extended warranties are available on all of our current bodies and turnkey chassis. More information about extended warranties can be found on our price sheets and via the chassis' Original Equipment Manufacturer (OEM). Sourcewell Participating Agencies will register their New Way warranty cards. This process is handled via an easy online form that a Participating Agency's local New Way Distributor can fill out. Parts only warranty (see section III.d of attached warranty statement) will apply for distributor or customer installed accessories that have been purchased through Scranton Manufacturing Company, provided part failure was not due to improper installation, use, or neglect. Damage caused by incorrectly installed field accessories may void portions or all of the unit's warranty. When a warranty service is requested, the distributor shall: Verify warranty eligibility of the machine to be serviced per previous sections Diagnose the problem to determine that the service is warrantable Ensure that the parts necessary to perform the repair are available Provide the necessary repair services Complete and submit the Warranty Request Form For more on the Warranty Request Form, see sections V.b and V.c of the attached warranty statement.	*
74	Do your warranties impose usage restrictions or other limitations that adversely affect coverage?	New Way's warranty shall not apply to equipment that has been subject to misuse, negligence, or accident, or which has been repaired or altered without New Way's prior knowledge or consent. New Way will not be responsible for warranty repairs made in the field by personnel other than from New Way or an authorized New Way agent unless previously authorized by New Way. New Way Trucks are designed to operate only with the OEM products used by New Way. This limited warranty will be void if the New Way products are modified other than as done at New Way's factory or at a New Way authorized distributor unless authorized by New Way. Use of parts and assemblies from another manufacturer as substitutes for OEM products will also void the limited warranty. There will be no warranty on used parts.	*
75	Do your warranties cover the expense of technicians' travel time and mileage to perform warranty repairs?	Travel time and mileage are not subject to warranty labor reimbursement.	*
76	Are there any geographic regions of the United States or Canada (as applicable) for which you cannot provide a certified technician to perform warranty repairs? How will Sourcewell participating entities in these regions be provided service for warranty repair?	We have warranty service coverage in all areas covered under the Sourcewell contract. Service requests will be covered by the local authorized distributor or their designated service center(s).	*

77	Will you cover warranty service for items made by other manufacturers that are part of your proposal, or are these warranties issues typically passed on to the original equipment manufacturer?	In the case where a chassis is provided, New Way's warranty covers the vehicle's body only. The original equipment manufacturer (OEM) is responsible for covering the warranty for a chassis. New Way's warranty statement does not cover other manufacturers' goods. New Way warrants the packer body assembly for a standard base period of one (1) year from date of delivery (see section III.a of attached warranty statement). This limited warranty applies to body components as defined below to be free from proven defects in material and workmanship. Wear parts (pins, bushings, chain assemblies, door and gate seals, wear pads, etc.), and normal wear and tear are excluded. Labor repair costs may also be covered, (see section IV.g of attached warranty statement). The body assembly is defined as the following: Arms (front loaders and side loaders) Packer or Eject Panel Tailgate Electrical components Factory installed aftermarket parts (see section IV.a of attached warranty statement) Hydraulic components not including cylinders (see section IV.d of attached warranty statement) Paint Base Hydraulic Cylinder Warranty New Way warrants all hydraulic cylinders for a standard base period of two (2) years. This limited warranty applies to cylinder defects in material and/or workmanship only. See section IV.c of attached warranty statement for details. During the first year, replacement labor (see section IV.g of attached warranty statement) and shipping cost to the authorized distributor are covered. At the start of the second year, replacement labor and shipping costs are not covered by New Way. Optional three (3) or five (5) year extended warranties for hydraulic cylinders are available.	*
78	What are your proposed exchange and return programs and policies?	In the case of catastrophic failure of one of our bodies that is deemed to be the fault of our manufacturing process, New Way would offer a replacement at our expense. Parts may be returned by following the procedure outlined in section VI.a of the attached warranty statement.	*
79	Describe any service contract options for the items included in your proposal.	Service contracts are not available at this time, however optional extended warranties are available at the time of order.	*

Table 15: Exceptions to Terms, Conditions, or Specifications Form

Line Item 80. NOTICE: To identify any exception, or to request any modification, to Sourcewell standard Contract terms, conditions, or specifications, a Proposer must submit the proposed exception(s) or requested modification(s) via redline in the Contract Template provided in the "Bid Documents" section. Proposer must upload the redline in the "Requested Exceptions" upload field. All exceptions and/or proposed modifications are subject to review and approval by Sourcewell and will not automatically be included in the Contract.

Do you have exceptions or modifications to propose?	Acknowledgement *
	☐ Yes ☒ No

Documents

Ensure your submission document(s) conforms to the following:

1. Documents in PDF format are preferred. Documents in Word, Excel, or compatible formats may also be provided.
2. Documents should NOT have a security password, as Sourcewell may not be able to open the file. It is your sole responsibility to ensure that the uploaded document(s) are not either defective, corrupted or blank and that the documents can be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
3. Sourcewell may reject any response where any document(s) cannot be opened and viewed by Sourcewell.
4. If you need to upload more than one (1) document for a single item, you should combine the documents into one zipped file. If the zipped file contains more than one (1) document, ensure each document is named, in relation to the submission format item responding

to. For example, if responding to the Marketing Plan category save the document as "Marketing Plan."

- [Pricing](#) - NWT Sourcwell RFP 110223 Pricing Documents.zip - Monday October 30, 2023 10:50:13
- [Financial Strength and Stability](#) - NWT Financial Strength & Stability SW 110223.zip - Friday October 27, 2023 11:54:23
- [Marketing Plan/Samples](#) - NWT Sourcwell 110223 Marketing Plan & Samples.pdf - Friday October 27, 2023 11:58:26
- WMBE/MBE/SBE or Related Certificates (optional)
- [Warranty Information](#) - 128126 NWT Standard Warranty Policy.pdf - Friday October 27, 2023 12:01:27
- [Standard Transaction Document Samples](#) - NWT Standard Transaction Document Samples SW 110223.zip - Friday October 27, 2023 11:59:32
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Addenda, Terms and Conditions

PROPOSER AFFIDAVIT AND ASSURANCE OF COMPLIANCE

I certify that I am the authorized representative of the Proposer submitting the foregoing Proposal with the legal authority to bind the Proposer to this Affidavit and Assurance of Compliance:

1. The Proposer is submitting this Proposal under its full and complete legal name, and the Proposer legally exists in good standing in the jurisdiction of its residence.
2. The Proposer warrants that the information provided in this Proposal is true, correct, and reliable for purposes of evaluation for contract award.
3. The Proposer, including any person assisting with the creation of this Proposal, has arrived at this Proposal independently and the Proposal has been created without colluding with any other person, company, or parties that have or will submit a proposal under this solicitation; and the Proposal has in all respects been created fairly without any fraud or dishonesty. The Proposer has not directly or indirectly entered into any agreement or arrangement with any person or business in an effort to influence any part of this solicitation or operations of a resulting contract; and the Proposer has not taken any action in restraint of free trade or competitiveness in connection with this solicitation. Additionally, if Proposer has worked with a consultant on the Proposal, the consultant (an individual or a company) has not assisted any other entity that has submitted or will submit a proposal for this solicitation.
4. To the best of its knowledge and belief, and except as otherwise disclosed in the Proposal, there are no relevant facts or circumstances which could give rise to an organizational conflict of interest. An organizational conflict of interest exists when a vendor has an unfair competitive advantage or the vendor's objectivity in performing the contract is, or might be, impaired.
5. The contents of the Proposal have not been communicated by the Proposer or its employees or agents to any person not an employee or legally authorized agent of the Proposer and will not be communicated to any such persons prior to Due Date of this solicitation.
6. If awarded a contract, the Proposer will provide to Sourcewell Participating Entities the equipment, products, and services in accordance with the terms, conditions, and scope of a resulting contract.
7. The Proposer possesses, or will possess before delivering any equipment, products, or services, all applicable licenses or certifications necessary to deliver such equipment, products, or services under any resulting contract.
8. The Proposer agrees to deliver equipment, products, and services through valid contracts, purchase orders, or means that are acceptable to Sourcewell Members. Unless otherwise agreed to, the Proposer must provide only new and first-quality products and related services to Sourcewell Members under an awarded Contract.
9. The Proposer will comply with all applicable provisions of federal, state, and local laws, regulations, rules, and orders.
10. The Proposer understands that Sourcewell will reject RFP proposals that are marked "confidential" (or "nonpublic," etc.), either substantially or in their entirety. Under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.591, subdivision 4, all proposals are considered nonpublic data until the evaluation is complete and a Contract is awarded. At that point, proposals become public data. Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37 permits only certain narrowly defined data to be considered a "trade secret," and thus nonpublic data under Minnesota's Data Practices Act.
11. Proposer its employees, agents, and subcontractors are not:
 1. Included on the "Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons" list maintained by the Office of Foreign Assets Control of the United States Department of the Treasury found at: <https://www.treasury.gov/ofac/downloads/sdnlist.pdf>;
 2. Included on the government-wide exclusions lists in the United States System for Award Management found at: <https://sam.gov/SAM/>; or
 3. Presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from programs operated

by the State of Minnesota; the United States federal government or the Canadian government, as applicable; or any Participating Entity. Vendor certifies and warrants that neither it nor its principals have been convicted of a criminal offense related to the subject matter of this solicitation.

☒ By checking this box I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Proposer's Affidavit, have the legal authority to submit this Proposal on behalf of the Proposer, and that this electronic acknowledgment has the same legal effect, validity, and enforceability as if I had hand signed the Proposal. This signature will not be denied such legal effect, validity, or enforceability solely because an electronic signature or electronic record was used in its formation. - Sam Norland, Marketing Supervisor, New Way Trucks

The Proposer declares that there is an actual or potential Conflict of Interest relating to the preparation of its submission, and/or the Proposer foresees an actual or potential Conflict of Interest in performing the contractual obligations contemplated in the bid.

☒ Yes ☐ No

The Bidder acknowledges and agrees that the addendum/addenda below form part of the Bid Document.

Check the box in the column "I have reviewed this addendum" below to acknowledge each of the addenda.

File Name	I have reviewed the below addendum and attachments (if applicable)	Pages
There have not been any addenda issued for this bid.		