

**DESCRIPTION OF INTENDED
SINGLE SOURCE PURCHASE
(PUR 7776)**

AGENCY: Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles

TITLE: Speer and Federal ammunition for the Florida Highway Patrol (FHP)

Short description of the commodity or service desired: Speer and Federal ammunition for active duty use and training by FHP.

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This description of commodities or contractual services intended for purchase from a single source is posted in accordance with Sections 120.57(3) and 287.057(3), Florida Statutes, and will remain posted for a period of at least 7 business days.

Commodity or Contractual Service Required (commodity or United National Standard Products and Services Code (UNSPSC), manufacturer, model, and description, as appropriate):

46101600: Ammunition

46101601: Defense or Law Enforcement Ammunition

Quantity or Term (as appropriate):

FY 21/22 - FY 23/24

A) Speer Bonded Duty, 9mm +P, 124 Grain, GDHP - 300 cases

B) Speer Lawman Bonded Duty, 9mm +P, 124 Grain, GDHP - 500 cases

C) Speer Lawman RHT Frangible, 9mm, 100 Grain, CF-RHT- 100 cases

D) Speer Bonded Duty, 223 Rem, 75 Grain, GDS- 500 cases

E) Federal Bonded Training, 223 75 Grain, TMJ- 800 cases

F) Federal BallistiClean Frangible Training, 223 Rem, 55 Grain, RHT- 100 cases

G) Federal Gold Medal Match, 308 Win, 168 Grain, Sierra Matchking BTHP - 25 cases

Requestor (division, bureau, office, individual, as appropriate):

Frank Frink, Armorer, Florida Highway Patrol

Performance and/or Design Requirements (e.g. intended use, function or application, compatibility, requirements; reference to policy, rule, statute or other act of the Legislature, etc., as appropriate):

Ammunition to be used for training at the FHP academy and active duty use by FHP Troopers.

Intended Single Source:

Florida Bullet Inc.
PO BOX 7497
Clearwater, FL 33758

Estimated Dollar Amount:

FY 21/22 - \$585,192.50
FY 22/23 - \$672,971.37
FY 23/24 - \$773,917.07

Justification for single source acquisition (what is necessary and unique about the product, service or source; steps taken to confirm unavailability of competition, as appropriate):

After independent ballistic testing over the last few years, the Department has determined that the Speer GDHP bullet is the most effective type of ammunition available for our Department due to its high weight retention ratio and penetration when fired through auto metal and also less bullet deformity when fired through auto glass which comprises a large portion of our encounters when firearms are used. When fired through heavy clothing the bullet has perfect expansion and does not over-penetrate. In comparison, other products do not perform as well given the unique situations our Troopers find themselves in daily. The Federal ammunition has the same ballistic coefficient as the Speer. This allows the training ammo (Federal) to have the same point of impact as the Duty ammo (Speer).

Florida Bullet, Inc. is the only factory authorized Law Enforcement Distributor of Speer and Federal Cartridge products in the State of Florida.

Approved By (names & titles, as appropriate, e.g., requestor, requestor management, information systems, budget, purchasing):

Major Kelly Hildreth, Academy Director, Florida Highway Patrol
Frank Frink, Division Armorer, Florida Highway Patrol
Bradley Keever, Purchasing and Contracts
Stephanie Sanford, Procurement Administrator, Purchasing and Contracts

Prospective vendors are requested to provide information regarding their ability to supply the commodities or contractual services described. If it is determined in writing by the agency, after reviewing any information received from prospective vendors, that the commodities or contractual services are available only from a single source, the agency shall: provide notice of its intended decision to enter a single-source purchase contract in the manner specified in Section 120.57(3), F.S.