Teaming with the Office of State Procurement





Does anyone have an unlimited budget?





Who has more resources than you know what to do with?





If we could help you identify ways to do more with less, saving both time and money, would you be interested?



Poll Question

How many of you are familiar with the Office of State Procurement & State Term Contracts?



What commodities and services do your agencies purchase?











Objectives

- Identify efficiencies through State Term Contracts
- Recognize State Procurement's organizational structure and identify who to contact based on your needs
- Find open solicitations and existing contracts
- Navigate the State's Procurement Services Website
- Provide State Term Contract updates





What does the Office of State Procurement do?

Establish state term contracts for governmental bodies to use.

Establish agency contracts for State agencies above their certification limits.





Office of State
Procurement
Structure

Agency Sourcing Teams Human Services / Other Agencies

Higher
Education /
Law
Enforcement

Information Technology



Office of State
Procurement
Structure

Goods & Services

State Term Contracting Teams

Information Technology



Primary Goals of the State Term Contracting Team

Identify Contracting Opportunities

Acquisition Planning

 Strategic Sourcing of State Term Contracts

Monitoring Contract Performance





Why Utilize State Term Contracts?

Save
Time
&
Money!





Increase savings



Buy in bulk & ask vendor for additional discounted pricing.



Access State Term Contracts

https://procurement.sc.gov

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What is a statewide "term" contract?

A statewide "term" contract is a contract for the indefinite delivery of an indefinite quantity of specific supplies or services to be furnished as needed and upon request during a fixed period.

- These contracts can be established only by one of the state's chief procurement officers.
- Use of "term" contracts is mandatory for all "governmental bodies," as that term is defined in the Procurement Code.

For additional tips, see the attached FAQ

FAQ

Who can use our statewide contracts?

Generally, any of the following entities can purchase through statewide contracts awarded by Procurement Services. Any special limitations will be addressed in the applicable contract

- State government, including any department, commission, council, board, bureau, committee, institution, college, university, technical school, agency, government corporation, or other establishment of state government.
- Political Subdivisions, including all counties, municipalities, school districts, public service or special purpose districts, and any units thereof which expend public funds for a procurement.

How can I get approval?

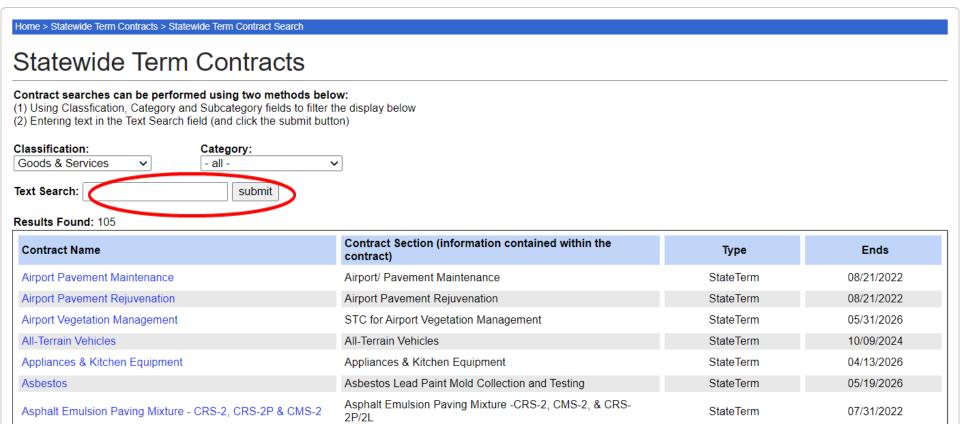
The General Assembly defines which entities are eligible to participate, not Procurement Services. However, we may be able to assist you in determining whether your entity is a county, municipality, or school district is usually straight forward. Determining whether your entity is a public service or special purpose district can be more complicated. If you do not know, you can submit a letter of request. The following attachments provide additional guidance and instructions.

- Requesting Guidance
- FAQ Eligibility



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Do you have a great demand for something you do not see on existing state term contract?





Great demand?





Identifying Contracting Opportunities

- Anticipated Users
- Anticipated Volume
 - dollars
 - & quantity
- Continued Need
- Market Stability
- Level of Competition





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The Now Monthly(!) Statewide Term Contract Town Hall

By Michael Speakmon, CPPO

The first Town Hall we conducted on March 13, 2023 was a great success. Ninety-nine people registered for the event and 55 actually showed up. The first Town Hall was such a hit that we have decided to make them a monthly event. Based on the conversations we had during the initial Town Hall, in future events we will be:

Providing Updates to STCs that didn't make DisPatcheS. -Sometimes we don't get an update in time to meet the publishing deadline.

Highlighting a contract to discuss issues we may have been/ are having and how to resolve them. We not only get questions from you, the users, we also get them from the Contractors, so we want to make sure everyone is on the same page.

Having both Goods & Services & IT Representation. Mikey no likey IT q Answering your questions and providing guidance as necessary. We do you tell us what you need, and we'll do our best to provide the solution.

YOU can also help set the agenda for the meeting by emailing any specific question before the meeting. This isn't required, but it can give us a heads up on what you m need to do any research to find the answer. Of course, we'll still field any questions questions ahead of time to one of the following people:

G&S Questions - mspeakmon@mmo.sc.gov

IT Questions - rbarr@mmo.sc.gov

The next Town Hall will be Tuesday, April 11, 2023, at 10:00 AM. At this Town Hall De discussing some questions we have been getting about the STC for Furniture and providing questions.

Click on this link to register for the MS Teams meeting. Once you have registered, you will ing to put the event on your calendar. When you do that, the link to the meeting will be in the some reason you don't get the link after registering, email Michael Speakmon and he'll send i pasting this into your web browser's address field: https://teams.microsoft.com/registration/FND46di/ wisPWwIX83O.u4eaTLLpgEOB8gWCwKt6mg,T2LwfhNsgo6KrXdDNRgRWO,YkOCLwzvnUGEe PLDIRAFO,K4ng w,P8pUI-HKvk6rDuX_1DK4XQ?mode=read&tenantId=eqf8do14-8od8-4f27-bod6-c3d6c085fcdd&webinarRing=gcc

Market Research and Agency Input Requests for NEW State Term Contracts (STC)

(STC). If you have any information you can share, please contact the appropriate procurs contracts in place that will meet your needs, but we need your input to ensure success.

questions or concerns, please contact Alicia Pearson., at apearson@mmo.sc.gov If you are a curre will effectively meet your needs.

Market Research and Agency Input Requests for existing State Term Contracts

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If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Stephen Taylor, at staylor@mmo.sc.gov.

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Cyber Liability Insurance (Expires 12/16/2023) — Michael Speakmon (mspeakmon@mmo.sc.gov) is conducting into the next iteration of this contract and is looking for any input that you may have. fectively meet your needs.



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STC Contract Updates



Additional STC Contract Updates

As a reminder, we have moved some contracts that were previously managed by the IT team to the Goods & Services team. Those contracts are:

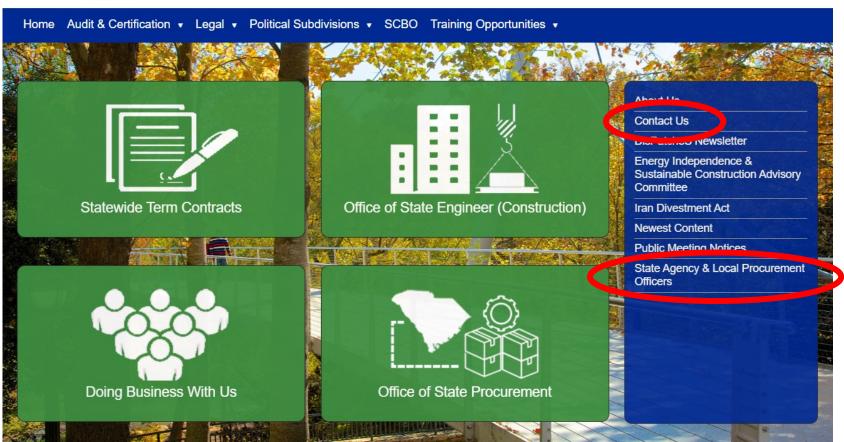
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- Remanufactured Toner Cartridges
- Records Conversion, Storage & Destruction
- Shredders
- Mobile Device Protection Plan
- Hardware Maintenance Manager
- UVC Lighting Disinfectant Machines
- Electronic Equipment Recycling
- Recovery Audit Services

Those items will still be purchased with the IT spending limitations rather than G&S.



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Where can I find more information about state government procurement?





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- Visit our Website www.procurement.sc.gov







Poll Question

If you have learned at least 1 thing that will help make your job, or your interaction with our office easier, will you raise your hand?

