



Request # WCP20-020
(assigned by OMB)

CITY OF PITTSBURGH
REQUEST FOR WAIVER OF COMPETITIVE PROCESS

Contract Title: HazMat Team - Midland Emergency Response Kit

Contract Description: HazMat Team - Midland Emergency Response Kit

Contract Duration: One time purchase

Requesting Department: Public Safety Contract Type: _____

Requests for exemption must be based on one or more of the categories listed in City Code 161.02B located here:

Please list all category numbers that apply (see page 2) Sole Source

Justification:

The Midland Emergency Response Kit (ERK) is only manufactured and sold by the Midland Company. This kit is used to manage, control and cap leaking rail borne pressure tank cars. The design of the Midland ERK permits use on a variety of commodity rail transportation cars. The kit includes a variety of gaskets and tools to manage various chemicals in transit. Midland Corp is the sole manufacturer of the ERK and the only authorized distributor of the system. Midland is also the manufacturer of tank rail cars. as such their ERK is specifically suited for the management of various products. There is also a kit currently carried by the HazMat Team, it however is ONLY suited for the management of chlorine and sulfur dioxide.

Signed by: *Wendell D. Almon*
Department Director

Date: 7-31-2020

Waiver Request is hereby: Granted Denied

OMB Procurement: *Jennifer L. Olinger* Date: 7/31/20

After completion, please email this form, along with any appropriate backup to procurement@pittsburghpa.gov

If a waiver is granted, contract authorization is then required by City Council. Department shall submit appropriate legislation and note the Resolution number on this form and submit a copy along with the contract when submitting to the Controller's Office for signature.

Resolution Number _____ Effective Date _____



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April 27th, 2018

RE: Midland Products (Sole Source Supplier)

Thank you for your interest in Midland Manufacturing's products. Our products are manufactured exclusively by Midland Manufacturing in Skokie, Illinois facility. There are no other manufacturers of our products and we do not directly employ distributors.

Thank you again for your interest in Midland products. Please contact Sales at 847-677-0333 (press "1") if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

Kevin Cook
Global Director – Rail Business Unit
Midland Manufacturing

Cc:

MIDLAND MANUFACTURING B-243-VA-EPDM KIT Parts List
9/1/2015

Item	Qty	Description
+ 240-1-CS	1	LARGE PR VALVE COVER ASSY. CARBON STEEL
240-16-VA	2	GASKET, VITON A
+ 240-2-CS	1	2" ANGLE VALVE COVER ASSY., CARBON STEEL
240-26-VA	2	GASKET, VITON A
+ 240-3-CS	1	COVER ASSY. GAGING DEVICE, CARBON STEEL
240-35-VA	2	GASKET, VITON A
240-46-VA	2	GASKET, VITON A
+ 243-4-CS	1	SMALL PR VALVE COVER ASSY., CARBON STEEL
545-252-MO	8	SPLIT LOCKWASHER, 316 STAINLESS STEEL
240-503-CS	4	HEX HEAD CAP SCREW,CS, ZINC PLATED CARBON STEEL
+ 240-54-CS	1	PAD, CARBON STEEL
240-55-VA	4	GASKET, VITON A
+ 240-56-AL	1	AUXILIARY CROSS ARM, ALUMINUM
240-57-CS	2	FLAT HEAD SLOTTED MACHINE SCREW, ZINC PLATED CARBON STEEL
+ 240-61-AL	2	CROSS ARM CHANNEL DETAIL, ALUMINUM
240-62-AL	12	HEX HEAD BOLT, ALUMINUM 2024-T4
+ 240-63-AL	16	SPACER, ANODIZED ALUMINUM
240-64-AL	16	HEX NUT, ALUMINUM
240-66-BN	2	PIN HOLDER, BUNA N
240-67-CS	4	SPLIT KEY RING, CARBON STEEL
240-65-AL	8	FLAT WASHER, ALUMINUM
+ 240-81-AL	4	VCM SAFETY KIT TIE BAR CL TANKS, ALUMINUM 7075-T651
240-9-CS	8	TIE BAR PIN 5/8" DIA., CARBON STEEL
+ 243-10-AL	1	VCM SAFETY KIT TIE BAR CL TANKS, ALUMINUM 7075-T651
240-11-CS	1	TIE BAR PIN 7/16" DIA., CARBON STEEL
+ 240-12-CS	2	PORTHOLE BRACKET, CARBON STEEL
240-195-XS	1	FLEXIBLE METAL HOSE FOR B240 ERK, CARBON STEEL /STAINLESS STEEL
240-211	1	2" BALL VALVE, CARBON STEEL
+ A-256-SS-VA	1	1/4" NPT NEEDLE VALVE, STAINLESS STEEL, VITON A
+ 243-49-CS	1	JACK PLATE, CARBON STEEL
+ 243-491-CS	4	JACK SCREWS, CARBON STEEL
240-103	1	1 13/16" SOCKET
240-111	1	11 PC. SOCKET SET
240-112	1	1 7/16" CROW FOOT WRENCH WITH 3/4" DRIVE FOR 7/8" HEAVY HEX NUT
240-113	1	1 1/4" CROW FOOT WRENCH WITH 3/4" DRIVE FOR 3/4" HEAVY HEX NUT
240-114	1	T-HANDLE WITH 3/4" SQUARE DRIVE
240-115	1	16" EXTENSION BAR WITH 3/4" SQUARE DRIVE
240-116	1	3/4" FEMALE TO 1/2" MALE ADAPTER
240-120	1	ADJUSTABLE SLIP-NUT WRENCH, (MALLEABLE IRON)
240-130	1	18" OFFSET PIPE WRENCH
240-131	1	WISE GRIP WRENCH
240-140	1	18" BOLT CUTTER
240-150	1	5 PCS. SCREW DRIVER SET
240-160	1	1 1/16" X 1 1/18" OPEN END WRENCH
240-161	1	15/16" X 1" OPEN END WRENCH
240-162	1	3/4" X 7/8" OPEN END WRENCH
240-163	1	1 1/2" 15 DEGREE ANGLE CHECK NUT WRENCH
240-164	1	1 5/16" 15 DEGREE ANGLE CHECK NUT WRENCH
240-180-CS	1	18" X 5/8" CROW BAR, CARBON STEEL

240-181	1	BRASS FLAT BLADE SCRAPER
240-182	1	BRASS WIRE BRUSH, BRASS AND PLASTIC
240-183	1	BRASS MALLET
240-184	1	BRISTLE BRUSH
240-186	1	RETRACTABLE BLADE KNIFE 3 POSITION
240-187	1	25' COTTON ROPE
240-188	1	RIGID EYE SPRING HOOK
240-189	1	CANVAS BAG
240-194-CS	1	2" X 1" HEX REDUCER BUSHING, CARBON STEEL
240-196	1	FLASHLIGHT
240-204	1	TUBE OF HEAT RESISTANT GREASE
240-205-TF	1	CAN OF TEFLON SEAL ROPE, TEFLON
240-206-TF	1	1/2" TEFLON TAPE, PTFE TEFLON
240-212	2	2" NPT X 2 1/2" LG EXTRA HEAVY BLACK CARBON STEEL PIPE
240-213-MI	1	2" 90 DEGREE ELBOW FEMALE THREADS, MALLAEBLE IRON
240-110	1	24" TOOL BOX FOR B-240 TOOL KIT
240-1001-AL	1	CASE ERK LARGE, ALUMINUM
240-1002-AL	1	CASE ERK SMALL, ALUMINUM
+ 10-3-CS	2	SAFETY VALVE GASKET RETAINER, CARBON STEEL
10-10-VA	1	SEAT O-RING, VITON A
10-11-VA	1	STEM O-RING, VITON A
+ 32-3-CS	2	RETAINER, CARBON STEEL
32-10-VA	1	SEAT O-RING, VITON A
32-11-VA	1	STEM O-RING, VITON A
+ 31-3-CS	2	RETAINER, CARBON STEEL
27-11-VA	1	STEM O-RING, VITON A
31-11-VA	1	STEM O-RING, VITON A
240-621-AL	4	HEX HEAD BOLT WITH HOLE, ALUMINUM
+ 240-91-CS	4	SASH CHAIN, CARBON STEEL
240-92-CS	2	SASH CHAIN, CARBON STEEL
+ 240-71-CS	1	COMPRESSION SCREW, CARBON STEEL
+ 240-72-CS	1	BLOCK ASSY., CARBON STEEL
240-16-EPDM	1	GASKET, ERK, EPDM
240-26-EPDM	1	GASKET, ERK, EPDM
240-35-EPDM	1	GASKET, ERK, EPDM
240-46-EPDM	1	GASKET, ERK, EPDM
240-55-EPDM	2	GASKET ERK, EPDM
10-10-EPDM	1	ORING, EPDM
10-11-EPDM	1	O-RING, EPDM
32-10-EPDM	1	O-RING, EPDM
32-11-EPDM	1	O-RING, EPDM
27-11-EPDM	1	O-RING, EPDM
31-11-EPDM	1	O-RING, EPDM
240-DVD	1	TRAINING AND OPERATION DVD
+ 240-5-CS	2	AUXILIARY CROSSARM CAP, CARBON STEEL
+ 240-148-CS	1	TWO ARM PULLER, CARBON STEEL
240-100	1	3/4" SQUARE DRIVE, STANDARD RATCHET WRENCH 19" LONG
240-101	1	1 1/4" SOCKET - 3/4" SQUARE DRIVE
240-102	1	1 5/16" SOCKET
240-200-PL	6	DECAL, B-240-CAPS
240-201-PL	2	DECAL, B-240 CASE
243-60-PL	1	KIT PACKAGING INSTRUCTION PLACARD