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Request for SOLE SOURCE - Bidding Exception Justification - Sec. 20-64 (a)(1)
Agency: TEM Requisition Number: 56452
Requests for a "Sole Source" bidding exception must be provided on this form (with any necessary attachments) and accompany the requisition or be electronically submitted to the Purchasing Division referencing the requisition number. This "Sole Source" bidding exception document must be signed by the Head of the Agency or their authorized designee and the agency's Purchasing Contact Representative. Use additional attached pages if necessary.
1. Are you requesting a "Sole Source" bidding exception in accordance with D.R.M.C. Section 20-64(a) (1):
Yes 💢 No 🗆 If No. explain under what authority you believe a "Sole Source" purchase is justified:
Why is the good or service available from only one source?  The product requested is currently the only product available that is self-contained and does not require mounting and set up on one specific vehicle. Additionally, this unit does not require a permanently mounted computer to be installed in the vehicle.
Why can't the good or service be substituted with another that may meet the same need or fulfill the
same function?  Although other products can provide retroreflective data of roadway markings, this product is the most versatile and least costly of other products in that it can be used on any fleet vehicle and is entirely self-contained with no additional computer hardware needed.
If there is an alternative source or an "approved, acceptable equal" to the good or service desired. why, for "practical purposes" can't the alternative or "equal" fulfill your needs?  There is likely an acceptable equal that will provide accurate retroreflectivity readings of roadway markings. However, as stated previously, this product does not require a specific vehicle for permanent mounting and does not require additional computer hardware to process the data. Therefore, the overall cost is much less than other products in the market.
What verifiable efforts have you made to investigate alternative or "equal" goods or services? (Include any source documents you've reviewed during this process.)  In addition to web based research, representatives from the two primary manufacturers of retrometers sold in the US were invited to demonstrate the capabilities and installation requirements of their respective products.
What additional information would you like to present in support of your "Sole Source" justification? Vendors for the two primary manufacturers of these devices were invited to demonstrate their products for Transportation & Mobility and the unanimous opinion of those in attendance is that the Roadvista Laserlux G7 is the best product overall, combining versatility of utilization as well as the lowest cost.
The Purchasing Division shall review this justification for compliance with applicable law and may require additional information from the agency, from the suggested vendor or alternative vendors or from trade associations, industry experts or other appropriate sources. In some instances, the Purchasing Division may request review of the "sole source" request and supporting documentation by the Office of the City Attorney.

Date

Agency Head (Authorized

Department Signature)

Date

Purchasing Contact

Representative

Sec. 20-64 (a)(1). Purchases not subject to bidding procedures.

(1) Supplies or services indispensable to the City which are obtainable, for practical purposes, from only

one (1) single source (a sole source purchase);

Form PurchBE1 - 03/19/2013 - SOLE SOURCE - Bidding Exception Justification - Sec. 20-64 (a) (1)

### Quote



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2/4/2016	Q364641			

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#### Vehicle Mounted Retrometer Request

This document is intended to provide detailed information to support the acquisition of a vehicle mounted retrometer. A retrometer is utilized to record the retro-reflectivity of pavement markings. Simply stated, retro-reflectivity is how bright pavement markings appear at night when illuminated by vehicle headlights. The impetus behind the need to test, verify and record this data is multi-faceted.

First, the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) has identified minimum levels of retro-reflectivity at which agencies must be proactive with the replacement of these markings. The ability to effectively monitor and track the degradation of these markings is critical in planning our annual work program.

Second, the Colorado Department of Transportation (CDOT) is now requiring the markings that the City maintains on State Highways, to be tested and reported on for these minimum levels bi-annually. In addition, as these levels have been identified by FHWA and are expected to be adhered to by all agencies nationwide, it is imperative that the City also measure and monitor the reflectivity of markings on all City streets.

Lastly, as autonomous vehicles become more prevalent in the transportation industry, it is imperative that pavement markings be maintained proactively at a level suitable for the effective operation of these self-driving vehicles. Since current autonomous vehicle technology utilizes pavement markings to determine the vehicles positioning within the designated travel lane, assuring proper retro-reflectivity levels is critical to support the reliable operation of this emerging technology.

At present, City forces utilize a hand held retrometer to record reflectivity levels at spot locations. This process is very labor intensive, requires additional resources for traffic control and exposes employees to moving traffic. In addition, the measurement at a spot location is truly not indicative of the reflectivity level of the marking overall. Although this process is acceptable to meet the requirements of both FHWA and CDOT, it is not supportive of autonomous vehicles as the technology current utilized constantly scans pavement markings to assure the vehicle is within the designated travel lane.

By utilizing a vehicle mounted retrometer, the collection of data will most certainly be safer for employees, require less resources and collection of data will be much more efficient, effective and comprehensive in supporting our efforts to provide a safe and reliable transportation system.

# Specification for Vehicle Mounted Retroreflectometer for determining the coefficient of retroreflected luminance of pavement markings

- 1. Instrument shall perform real-time pavement marking retroreflectivity measurements.
- 2. Instrument shall also detect, measure, and record the location of retroreflective road studs (raised pavement markers) in the 30-meter geometry.
- 3. The driver/headlight geometry shall be a 1/5th scaled system utilizing the ASTM E1710 and EN1436 30-meter geometry with a minimum of 12 cm of ground clearance when in use.
- 4. While not in use, the instrument shall raise up to achieve a minimum of 7 inches (17.8 cm) ground clearance.
- 5. Measurement shall be made 6 meters in front of the instrument to most closely mimic the driver perspective.
- 6. Illumination Angle shall be 1,24° (per EN 1436)
- 7. Observation Angle shall be 2,29° (per EN 1436)
- 8. Entrance Angle shall be 88.76° (per ASTM E1710)
- 9. Observation Angle shall be 1.05° (per ASTM E1710)
- 10. Measuring aspects of the total angular spread shall not exceed 0.33 degree
- 11. Operating Temperature Range shall be 20° to 131°F (-7 to 55°C)
- 12. Measuring width of the instrument shall be minimum of 1 meter (39.3 inches).
- 13. Measurements shall be made at any speed up to 110 mph (180 km/h).
- 14. Measurements shall be collected at minimum of 400 measurements per second.
- 15. Instrument shall make a measurement on the line every 3 inches (7.62 cm) at most while traveling at 75 mph (120 km/h).
- 16. Instrument shall have longitudinal resolution of 8 inches (20 cm) to ensure continuous coverage of a line at all speeds up to 110 mph (180 km/h).

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- 17. Resolution of the measurement shall be at least 18-bit.
- 18. Instrument shall utilize a solid-state light source that requires no maintenance for 10,000 hours of operation.
- 19. Instrument shall accurately measure skip lines (broken lines) without any correction factors
- 20. Device shall be able to measure both white and yellow, flat and profiled road markings of any type on Flat and Rough, Dry and Wet surfaces. The device must compensate for the day light and must continue to measure under different light conditions during the day and night.
- 21. Instrument shall give individual readings for both lines of a double line.
- 22. System shall be controlled wirelessly using any iOS, Windows, OSX, Android, or Linux tablet, laptop, or smartphone with a wifi connection using a web browser. The system shall be capable of being operated by multiple devices at the same time and not require any software or Application installation
- 23. The system shall have a standard real-time display of retroreflectivity profile of measured markings.
- 24. The system shall have a built-in standard high precision Distance Measuring Instrument to tag data to odometer.
- 25. GPS system shall report GPS coordinates with each measurement point
- 26. The system shall have a real-time event codes, with programmable header labels so the operator can tag data as measurements are being collected.
- 27. Data file shall record and report the following values in a user-specified test distance (adjustable from 0.01 to 10 miles, but typically every 0.1 miles, or 10 to 10000 meters, but typically every 100 meters): Record number; Odometer reading; Date; Time; GPS Coordinates; GPS position fix accuracy; Vehicle Speed; Ambient Temperature; Ambient Humidity; Number of valid scans; Maximum, minimum, average, stripe width of left and right stripes individually, number of road studs found, stripe type, user road condition codes.
- 28. Data shall be recorded to an easily removable USB flash drive in the instrument.

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- 29. The instrument shall automatically generate color-coded Google Map Files (KML) with green, yellow, red, and black coding indicating good, marginal, bad, and no line levels, which shall be saved to the same removable USB flash drive as the recorded data.
- 30. Calibration standard shall attach to the front of the instrument for simple calibration that takes less than 1 minute, requires no flat ground, nor requires placing any calibration standards on the ground at the measurement distance from the instrument.
- 31. Calibration Standard shall have a traceable certificate from NIST and be ISO/IEC 17025 compliant.
- 32. Retroreflectometer shall be capable of being mounted to either side of a vehicle without making any modifications to the vehicle utilizing a cinema-grade vacuum mount system capable of supporting more than 200 kg.
- 33. The instrument shall be fully self-contained inside the optical head, and require only a power connection to a vehicle cigarette lighter.
- 34. Weight of the instrument shall be less than 26 lbs (12 kg).
- 35. Instrument power consumption shall be less than 50 Watts at all times while in operation.
- 36. The instrument shall automatically adjust its height and tilt to maintain the correct geometry while measuring.
- 37. A video recording system shall digitally record the roadway while displaying the Date, Time, GPS Coordinates, Retroreflectivity values, and Odometer reading. The videos shall be recorded to a removable USB flash drive on the instrument.



