

## NOTICE OF PROPOSED SOLE SOURCE PROCUREMENT this is not a competitive bid/proposal

The Utah Transit Authority (UTA) Procurement Policy provides that sole source procurements may be used only when the Award of a Contract is infeasible under other source selection methods, and at least one of the following circumstances applies: (a) The required goods or services are of a specialized nature requiring expertise that is only available from a single source; (b) The public exigency or emergency for the required goods or services will not permit a delay resulting from competitive solicitations; (c) After solicitations of a number of sources, competition is determined inadequate.

The UTA Purchasing Department has received a request to make the following sole source procurement:

## Product and/or Service to be purchased: Mobile Radio Development and Hardware

**Contract Duration: One time purchase** 

Proposed Sole Source Supplier: AdvanceTec Industries

Estimated Total: \$2,625,000

Sole Source Justification: AdvanceTec Industries is uniquely qualified to seamlessly integrate with UTA's existing Bus, Rail, and White fleet systems. They provide a Push-to-Talk (PTT) application and off-air radio recording system specifically developed for UTA. Their mobile units are designed to fit within the operational constraints of the fleet. Additionally, their cost-effective pricing structure is justifiable compared to other vendors, who would require significant modifications, additional development, or system overhauls, resulting in higher costs.

Notice Start Date:	March 28, 2025	2:00 PM MDT
Notice End Date:	April 4, 2025	2:00 PM MDT
Due Date for Comments:	April 4, 2025	2:00 PM MDT

Earliest Date for Purchase: April 4, 2025

- Action to be Taken: No action is required if you agree this proposed purchase is a valid sole source. If for any reason you do not agree with the proposed sole source procurement, you wish to comment, or object, please email your comments noting so to Troy Hamilton, UTA Manager of Procurement, at <u>thamilton@rideuta.com</u> prior to the "Due Date for Comments" indicated above. Please do not submit questions, bids, no-bids, or proposals in response this notice. This is a request for information only.
- Bid Contact: Troy Hamilton thamilton@rideuta.com
- Bid Comments:
   THIS IS NOT A REQUEST FOR BID OR PROPOSAL THIS IS A PUBLIC POSTING FOR A SOLE SOURCE PURCHASE ONLY.

   A copy of information related to this sole source procurement will be made available for public inspection, upon request, at the main office of UTA.

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