

CONTRACT AWARD
CK09MERCER2024-13 CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR FOR THE COUNTY OF MERCER AND THE MERCER COUNTY COOPERATIVE CONTRACT PURCHASING SYSTEM PERIOD OF ONE (1) YEAR WITH AN
OPTION TO EXTEND ONE YEA
RRESOLUTION # 2025-1078

CONTRACT TERM: NOVEMBER 25, 2025 THROUGH NOVEMBER 24, 2026

C25-0210

CONTRACT ID	C25-0209	C25-0211	C25-0208	C25-0210
NAME OF BIDDER	KEYPORT ARMY NAVY	PROMO SOLUTIONS	SMART STITCH LLC.	DOT DESIGNING
ADDRESS	PO BOX 985	11104 WINDJAMMER DRIVE	129 WALTERS AVE.	242 POSSUM HOLLOW RD.
CITY, STATE, ZIP	BRICK, NJ, 08723	FRISCO, TX, 75036	EWING, NJ 08638	MONROE TWP, NJ, 08831
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NJ SAVI DESIGNATION	N/A	N/A	MWBE	N/A
EXTEND TO COOP	YES	YES	YES	YES
CONTINUITY OF SERVICE	YES	NO	YES	YES
COST FOR DIGITIZATION	\$ 75.00	\$ 35.00	\$ 50.00	\$ 35.00
COST PER LOGO FOR EMBROIDERY	\$ 10.00	\$ 3.00	\$ 9.00	\$ 6.00
GRAPHIC WORK, COST PER HOUR	\$ -	\$ 15.00	\$ 75.00	\$ -
MANUFACTURER				
BATES	20%	20%		
BERNE APPAREL	20%	20%		
CARHARTT	20%	20%		
DICKIE'S BRAND	20%	20%		
RED KAP	20%	20%		
REDWING	20%	20%		
ROCKY SHOE AND BOOTS		20%		
TIMBERLAND		20%		
WOLVERINE	20%	20%		
WORKRITE		20%		
EXCEPTIONS	NONE	NONE	NONE	NONE
ADDITIONAL MANUFACTURER'S VENDOR'S PROVIDE & UPCHARGE OVER WHOLESALE PRICE				
	KODIAK 50%			SANMAR 25% UPCHARGE TO WHOLESALE
	TERRA 50%			PETRA-ROC 28% UPCHARGE TO WHOLESALE
	BULWARK 40%		S&S ACTIVEWEAR 40% UP CHARGE TO WHOLESALE	silk screen one color \$1.00.
	CHEF DESIGN 40%			
	PORTWEST 35%			
	DICKIES B2B 40%			
	2W 40%			
	HORACE SMALL 40%			
	SANMAR 25%			
	ALPHA 30%			
	5.11 40%			

**SPECIFICATIONS FOR CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR
FOR ALL COUNTY AGENCIES AND THE MERCER COUNTY
COOPERATIVE CONTRACT PURCHASING SYSTEM FOR A PERIOD OF ONE YEAR WITH AN
OPTION TO EXTEND ONE (1) YEAR**

PURPOSE AND INTENT

The purpose of this solicitation is to obtain bid proposals for Clothing, Outerwear, and Footwear. This contract will be awarded to multiple vendors for a period of one (1) year with an option to extend one (1) year to those responsible bidders whose bid proposals conform with specifications. The county currently has in place, contracts for officer's uniforms for the Correction Center, Sheriff's Department and Prosecutor's Office. Please forward all questions to ohibbert@mercercounty.org or via the BidNet portal no later than **August 20, 2024**. Contract shall commence September of 2024.

BIDDERS MUST BE AUTHORIZED DISTRIBUTORS FOR EACH MANUFACTURER'S CATALOG SUBMITTED FOR BID.

Contracts shall be awarded to multiple suppliers based upon the discounted rate for 2024 and subsequent catalogs for 2025 and 2026. The award shall apply to all 2024 catalogs supplied by the vendor in this bid as well as future product releases. Electronic catalogs should be made available for future product releases. Vendors must be **authorized** distributors for each manufacturer's catalog submitted for bid. Bidders shall provide catalogs including but not limited to the referenced brands or equivalent.

TIME FOR DELIVERY

Delivery shall be made within two (2) weeks for standard items that do not require embroidery. Delivery shall be made within three (3) weeks for standard items that **require embroidery. In all cases, delivery shall be made within three (3) weeks.**

In the event of a manufacturer's price decrease during the contract period, vendor must notify the County via correspondence to Mercer County Purchasing Office advising of the reduction in cost. During the contract period the County at any time may inquire about vendor current pricing for which the vendor must provide verifiable proof of the current price and the County should receive the full benefit of the price reduction.

CLOTHING & FOOTWEAR (CLOTHING MAY REQUIRE EMBROIDERY)

- Safety Shoes
- Short and Long Sleeve T-Shirts
- Polo Shirts
- Sweat Shirts
- High Visibility Shirts
- Jackets (to include summer, winter and three-quarter length jackets with hoods)
- Coats
- Raincoats
- Coveralls
- Trousers (including Jeans and Khakis)

- Shorts
- Baseball and Knit Style Cap/Hat
- Hooded Sweatshirts

Bidders shall provide pricing for application of county patches. The County may supply emblems; however, the vendor shall also provide emblems.

The County will accept the following catalogs or equivalent catalogs that respondents are authorized by the manufacturer to sell: Redwing, Wolverine, Dickie's Brand, Berne Apparel, Carhartt, Rocky Shoe and Boots, Red Kap, Timberland, Bates, Workrite.

Vendors shall provide pricing for furnishing embroidered patches or emblems. Refer to the County, Trenton-Mercer Airport, and Park Commission logos.

METHOD OF BIDDING

The bidder must submit with its bid proposal the manufacturer's official price list or most recent catalog. The bidders shall be authorized distributors of each brand bid upon. The price list submitted must be the current Cost Price List representing the cost price. **The bidder's failure to submit the MANUFACTURER'S OFFICIAL PRICE LIST (S) or CATALOG will be cause for rejection of the brand in question.** Bidders must submit the most current published catalog with the bid proposal. The catalog must show the products being bid. Only those items for which the Department of Purchasing has received the applicable catalog and price list will be considered for award.

The bidder must indicate a percentage markup on the "Price Sheet" portion of the cost proposal. **Only one percentage markup per line item/brand will be accepted. Multiple or series discounts will be not accepted.** Markup percentage is not to be extended beyond two decimal places. All prices and markups are based on the Cost Price. Products bid with incorrect Cost Price Lists will be rejected. The award shall be based upon the same Manufacturer's Cost Price List for all bidders. Therefore, it is essential that the bidder comply with the requirements set forth. No exceptions will be made.

Official Price Lists are to be in effect prior to the bid opening date. If a manufacturer's catalog also serves as its price list, then a separate price list is not required. The bidder may submit a combination catalog/price list as the Official Price List.

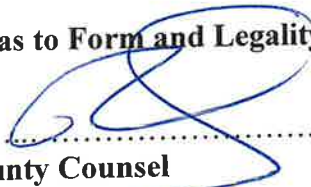
Successful contractors shall furnish, upon request, at any time during the term of the contract, both awarded price lists and catalogs to the using agencies at no additional cost.

SAMPLES

Samples are not required with the bid. **Prior to award, samples may be requested. Such samples must be furnished within ten working days of written request by the County. Failure to submit samples in the timeframe requested will result in the rejection of your bid or contract.**

Approved as to Form and Legality

Date



 County Counsel

....November 24, 2025.....

COUNTY EXECUTIVE AND CLERK TO THE BOARD AUTHORIZED TO “EXERCISE AN OPTION TO EXTEND” THE AWARD OF BID CONTRACT WITH MULTIPLE VENDORS FOR CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR FOR THE COUNTY OF MERCER AND THE MERCER COUNTY COOPERATIVE CONTRACT PURCHASING SYSTEM. PERIOD NOVEMBER 25, 2025 THROUGH NOVEMBER 24 2026. TOTAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$59,179.00 (FY2025 FUNDS: \$18,179.00) (FY2026 FUNDS: \$41,000.00) (CK09MERCER2024-13)

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provision of N.J.S.A. 40A:11-15, the governing body may include provisions for a contract extension upon a finding by the governing body that the services are being performed in an effective and efficient manner; and,

WHEREAS, the County of Mercer entered into an Award of Bid Contract with multiple vendors for clothing and footwear for the County of Mercer and the Mercer County Cooperative Contract Purchasing System for a period of one (1) year, with the Option to Extend one (1) year, as per Resolution No. 2024-870, adopted December 10, 2024; and,

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 Clerk to the Board

RECORD OF VOTE													
COMMISSIONERS	Aye	Nay	N.V.	Abs.	Res.	Sec.	COMMISSIONERS	Aye	Nay	N.V.	Abs.	Res.	Sec.
Cimino	X						Stokes	X				✓	
Frisby	X					✓	Walter	X					
Lewis	X						McLaughlin	X					
Melker	X												
X—Indicates Vote Abs.—Absent N.V.—Not Voting Res.—Resolution Moved Sec.—Resolution Seconded													

WHEREAS, an Amendment (Amendment No. 1) was required to increase the budgeted amount by an additional \$22,517.00 to continue providing clothing and footwear for additional departments, as per Resolution No. 2025-328, adopted April 10, 2025; and,

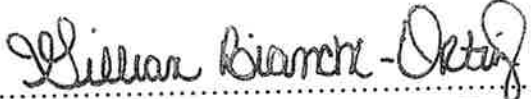
WHEREAS, the County of Mercer is desirous of exercising the Option to Extend the Award of Bid contract for one (1) year from November 25, 2025 through November 24, 2026, in an amount not to exceed \$59,179.00 with following vendors; and,

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WHEREAS, the Chief Financial Officer has certified in writing the availability of funds for the 2025 budget year funds set forth in this Resolution; said certification is on file with the Clerk to the Board, and FY 2026 funds will be certified in the authorizing 2026 Resolution of previously awarded contracts in 2026, pursuant to the approval of the 2026 Mercer County Budget, and through this, the Chief Financial Officer will certify the availability of funds for the purposes set forth in this Resolution.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the County Executive and Clerk to the Board are hereby authorized to “exercise the Option to Extend” the Award of Bid Contract with multiple vendors for clothing and footwear for the County of Mercer and the Mercer County Cooperative Contract Purchasing System for the period of November 25, 2025 through November 24, 2026, in an amount not to exceed \$59,179.00 on behalf of the County of Mercer, when presented in a form approved by County Counsel; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk to the Board shall forward a copy of this Resolution to the Purchasing Agent for further distribution.


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Clerk to the Board