

County of Ventura GSA Procurement Competitive Thresholds Quick Reference

<http://gsa.countyofventura.org/bid>

Bid Threshold	\$1-\$10,000	\$10,001-\$200,000	\$200,000 & over	Board Approval
Products	Administrative Process**	3 Written Quotations	Sealed Bid or RFP	Not Required
Maintenance and Repair	Administrative Process**	3 Written Quotations	Sealed Bid or RFP	Required, if over \$200,000
Services*	Administrative Process**	Quotation***	Sealed Bid or RFP	Required, if over \$200,000
Bid Threshold	\$1-\$10,000	\$10,001-\$60,000	\$60,001 to \$200,000	Over \$200,000
Public Projects/Construction	Administrative Process**	3 Written Quotations	Sealed Bid	Contact Public Works

* IT projects and software same as services - Please refer to GSA Procurement Guide for more information.

**Department may collect verbal or written quotes and may use own selection process.

***Buyer to document reasonableness of cost. Over \$60,000 a buyer shall require quotes, a cost price analysis, or other research demonstrating valid cost of services.

EXCEPTIONS TO BIDDING REQUIREMENTS

Emergencies
Sole Source
Piggyback

Used Equipment
Buying from other Government Agency
Utilities

Medical Services
Legal Services

DEPARTMENT'S RESPONSIBILITIES:

Provide proof of 3rd party approvals where applicable - i.e. HR, ITDS, ITC (for IT projects over \$50,000)

Make only authorized purchases.

Obtain purchase orders before buying.

Submit requisitions to Procurement Services in a timely manner.

Communicate procurement needs openly and clearly to Procurement Services.

Provide generic or non-proprietary specifications with each requisition.

Process vendor invoices in a timely manner.

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