



STATE OF WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF ENTERPRISE SERVICES

1500 Jefferson Street SE, Olympia, WA 98501

TO: Bidders of Washington State IFB #03115-Fire Detection and Suppression Systems: Repairs, Inspections and Testing Services

FROM: Jennifer Burbage, Procurement Coordinator

SUBJECT: **Announcement of the Apparent Successful Bidders**
IFB #03115-Fire Detection and Suppression Systems: Repairs, Inspections and Testing Services

DATE: December 23, 2015

This Announcement of the Apparent Successful Bidder(s) (ASB) is issued to designate the Apparent Successful Bidder(s) in Washington State's Invitation for Bids (IFB) #03115-Fire Detection and Suppression Systems: Repairs, Inspections and Testing Services, as set forth in the chart below.

Designation as an Apparent Successful Bidder does not imply that DES will issue an award to your firm. The Bidder must not construe a notification of ASB as a notification of award, impending award, an attempt to negotiate, etc. If you act or fail to act in reliance of this notification, you do so at your own risk and expense. DES will contact the Apparent Successful Bidder(s) in the near future to discuss finalizing their contracts.

Any bidder may request a debrief conference to meet with DES to discuss its bid and the evaluation process of the bid submittals for IFB #03115. A request for a debrief conference must be made in writing and sent via email to the undersigned at Jennifer.Burbage@des.wa.gov within three business days after the date of this notice. Conferences will be conducted within three days after they are requested either in person at the DES facility in Olympia, Washington, or via telephone conference and are limited to one hour in length.

The failure of a bidder to request and attend a debrief conference within the specified times constitutes a waiver of the right to submit a protest. For more information on debrief and protest procedures, please refer to **Appendix M** of IFB #03115 (Complaint, Debrief and Protest Procedures).

Apparent Successful Bidder:	Categories & Regions:
Fire Protection Specialists, LLC	Category A: South Central and Eastern
Commercial Fire Protection	Category A: Olympic, Northwest, Southwest, South Central and Eastern Category B Fire Alarms: Olympic, Northwest, Southwest, South Central, Eastern, North Central Category B Suppression Systems: Olympic, Northwest, Southwest, South Central, Eastern, North Central
Sales Engineer Convergent Technologies, LLC	Category B Fire Alarms: Olympic, Northwest, Southwest, South Central, Eastern, North Central
Simplex Grinnell	Category A: Northwest, Olympic, Southwest Category B Fire Alarms: Northwest, Olympic, Southwest, South Central, Eastern, North Central Category B Suppression Systems: Olympic, Northwest, Southwest, South Central, Eastern, North Central

Thank you,



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