

**GULF COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)**

**BID #1516-28
SPECIFICATIONS**

**PROTECTIVE GEAR
COAT/PANT COMBINATION**

The Gulf County Board of County Commissioners of Gulf County, Florida will receive sealed bids from any person, company, or corporation interested in contracting with Gulf County to provide the following:

Proposals from interested parties for the following:

- **Protective Gear – Coat/Pant Combination or Equivalent**
- **Garment shall meet and be third party certified to all applicable requirements of NFPA 1977 and NFPA 1951 current edition.**

Questions should be addressed to Lynn Lanier, 1000 Cecil G. Costin Sr., Blvd., Port St. Joe, FL., 32456, llanier@gulfcounty-fl.gov, or (850) 229-6106, Mon-Thurs., 7a.m. – 5:30 p.m., E.T.

Please respond with your best proposal terms.

Gulf County reserves the right to refuse any and all bids.

Please indicate on the envelope **YOUR COMPANY NAME**, that this is a **SEALED BID** and include the **BID NUMBER**.

Proposals must be submitted to the Gulf County Clerk's Office at 1000 Cecil G. Costin, Sr., Blvd, Room 149, Port St. Joe, Florida, 32456, by 4:30 p.m., E.T., no later than August 12, 2016. Bids will be opened at this location on Monday, August 15, 2016 at 10:00 a.m., E.T.

CERTIFICATIONS

This garment shall meet and be third party certified to all applicable requirements of NFPA 1977 and NFPA 1951 current editions.

OUTER SHELL MATERIAL

The outer shell shall be constructed of an inherent FR fiber blend containing TECGEN® (or equivalent) bi-regional carbonaceous fiber and para aramid with an approximate weight of 6.5oz. per square yard, and shall be treated with a durable water repellent finish.

SEAMS

All Seams shall comply with the most recent NFPA 1977 and NFPA 1951 edition requirements utilizing 100% aramid fiber thread.

COLLAR

The collar shall be of two (2) layer configuration such that when the collar is raised it will remain standing and provide continuous thermal and moisture protection around the neck and face.

THROAT STRAP

The frontal throat strap shall be mounted to the collar to ensure that, when the coat is closed and the collar is raised, the throat strap shall prevent any opening between the left and right collars, and shall overlap the left and right coat fronts below the collar.

BUILT-IN BELLOWS (COAT)

Built-in bellows construction shall consist of a bi-wing design to ensure maximum upper body freedom of movement including complete arm mobility when reaching up and/or forward. This system omits extra seams and give better comfort to the wearer.

GLOVE INTERFACE ADJUSTMENTS (COAT)

The wrist cuffs shall be designed with the ability to adjust the circumference using a hook and loop closure system to fit snugly against the gloves worn during service.

WAIST ADJUSTMENTS (PANT)

The trouser shall be designed with a waist take up system that can be adjusted via 1" wide take up straps to provide proper and comfortable fit given various types of undergarments worn underneath the trouser.

LEG ADJUSTMENTS (PANT)

The trouser shall be designed with a leg take up system that can be adjusted via take up straps to provide proper and comfortable fit given various types of footwear worn during service.

POCKETS (COAT)

The coat shall have 4 pockets:

- (1) 3.5" W x 8" H x 3" D radio pocket with mic tab and closure flap on the left chest with built-in smartphone pocket and pin pockets on each side of the radio pocket
- (1) 6" W x 7" H pocket with tool dividers on the right chest
- (2) 8" W x 7.5" H pockets with closure flaps located on the left and right sides of the abdomen.

POCKETS (TROUSER)

The pant shall have 6 pockets:

- (1) 8.5" x 8.5" cargo pocket with closure flap located on the left leg middle thigh to just above the knee
- (1) 9" x 9" 50/50 split cargo pocket with reinforced bottom and closure flap located on right leg middle thigh to just above knee
- (2) rear 6" x 8" patch pockets
- (2) internal pockets with slant openings just below waist on each side

REINFORCEMENTS (TROUSER)

The knees shall contain a removable padded insert and be reinforced with Stedshield ® FR reinforcement fabric in a manner that provides additional abrasion, cut and tear protection to the knees and upper shin area. The trouser cuffs shall also be reinforced with Stedshield ® FR fabric in a manner that will minimize wear and tear on the cuffs and the instep of the garment.

REFLECTIVE TRIM

All trim shall be 3" REFLEXITE ® brand lime yellow with silver stripe in New York Style configuration.

QUANTITY

20 sets with the above specifications or equivalent.