

**FINANCE DEPARTMENT**  
**Certificate of Exemption Form**

Date: 09/09/2016

Originating Department: Building & Equipment Svs

The City is authorized under limited conditions to make procurements outside of the competitive solicitation process. Chapter 252 of the Local Government Code provides guidance regarding sixteen general exemptions from the competitive solicitation. Please select one exemption.

- a procurement made because of a public calamity that requires funds to relieve the needs of the residents or to preserve city property
- a procurement to preserve or protect the public health or safety of the city's residents
- a procurement necessary because of unforeseen damage to machinery, equipment or other property
- a procurement for personal, professional or planning services
- a procurement for work that is performed and paid for by the day as the work progresses
- a purchase of land or right-of-way
- a procurement of items available from only one source
- a purchase of rare books, papers and other materials for a public library
- paving, drainage, street widening and other public improvements or related matter where at least one-third of the costs are paid by special assessments
- a public improvement project which has been authorized but for which there is deficiency of funds to complete in accordance with the plans as authorized
- a payment under a contract by which a developer participates in the construction of a public improvement as provided by subchap. c, ch 212.
- personal property sold
- services performed by blind or severely disabled persons
- goods purchased by a municipality for subsequent retail sale by the municipality
- electricity
- advertising, other than legal notices

This Certificate of Exemption is executed and filed with the Finance Department as follows:

1. The undersigned is authorized to approve an exemption.
2. An exemption according to Section 252.022 of the Local Government Code exists. More specifically, the following event has occurred:

The Solid Waste Department assembled a committee of sanitation collection truck drivers, heavy truck technicians, and supervisors to examine refuse trucks available for purchase in the San Antonio area. They examined parts availability, operator ease, mechanical design, and price in order to ensure the best use of FY 2017 funding. Various truck models were examined and tested over a two week period. The committee by unanimous agreement determined the follow vehicle configurations should be specified for purchase: (7) Peterbilt chassis with a Scorpion Refuse Collection Body; (8) Mack chassis with a Hell Refuse Collection Body; (8) Mack chassis with a Scorpion Refuse Collection Body; and (7) Autocar CNG chassis with a Hell Refuse Collection Body. A total of 25 sanitation trucks will be purchased in FY 2017. This evaluation was performed for future parts and service cost avoidance, and to prevent unforeseen repair delays due to limited service providers available within a 80 mile radius of San Antonio.

3. Because the exemption stated above exists, the City of San Antonio intends to contract with Rush Truck Ctr/Grande Truck Ctr which will cost approximately \$7,495,596.00.

Maggie Metzner 9/16/16  
Originator

[Signature] 9/21/16  
Department Director Approval

Revised 3/12/2014

[Signature] 9/22/16  
Procurement Administrator Approval

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City Manager  
(approval required only for ratification by City Council)

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