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➤➤ NCPA (National Cooperative Purchasing Alliance) is a nationwide government purchasing cooperative working to reduce the cost of goods and services by leveraging the purchasing power of public agencies in all 50 states.

➤➤ NCPA works with public agencies, who act as Lead Agencies, and competitively solicit master contracts. Contracts are awarded based on quality, performance, and most importantly pricing.

➤➤ NCPA contracts are available for use to over 90,000 agencies nationwide in both the public and nonprofit sectors including: K-12, Higher Education, City, County, State, and all Non-profit organizations.

➤➤ The NCPA competitive bid process includes:

- The Lead Agency issues a competitive solicitation for a product or service on behalf of NCPA and all public agencies.
- The solicitation is advertised nationally for a minimum of four weeks.
- The solicitation contains language that allows the contract to be accessible nationally to public agencies who's state laws allow for intergovernmental contract use (also known as "piggybacking" or "adopting").
- Vendors respond to the solicitation with sealed responses that are recorded and publicly opened.
- The Lead Agency evaluates the responses and awards contracts.

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