

SS-5942-26-KF

CITY OF GRAND JUNCTION
SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION FORM

Date: June 10, 2026 Requested By: Commander Chris Taylor
 Department: Grand Junction Police Department Division: Office of the Chief
 Vendor Name: Warrior Kit, Pueblo, Colorado Net Cost Delivered: \$ 38,500.00

Provide G/L Account where funds are budgeted: 100-400-670-7200
 Project code, if applicable 01037-1111

SOLE SOURCE JUSTIFICATION**(INITIAL ALL ENTRIES THAT APPLY)**

Material/Service Description: SOBTW48X3 3S - Special Ops Bunker TAC WALL 48 Modular Defense System, Set of Three (3) 20" x 48" Level III Shields, including Crossbar (SOBTW CB3)

1. - Uniqueness: Is unique and unavailable from any other source due to proprietary rights, patents, copyrights, secret processes, or monopoly control;
2. X - Compatibility: There is a need for compatibility with existing equipment, technologies, or processes, and only a specific product or service can satisfy that need;
3. - Urgency: Delay would lead to serious injury, death, or significant financial loss;
4. - Expertise: The vendor has unique experience, expertise, or capabilities unavailable elsewhere;
5. X - Standardization: There is a need to standardize specific equipment or supplies to reduce training, inventory, or maintenance costs, and only one vendor can meet this need;
6. - Written demonstration and justification is available which reasonably and practicably establishes that the selection of a sole source vendor is in the best interest of the City.

Attach Justification Memo and Pricing Documentation, then proceed with signatures below.
After Dept Head approval, forward to Purchasing.

Department Director Approval:

I recommend that competitive procurement be waived and that the service or material described herein be purchased as a sole source.

Signed: DocuSigned by:
Matt Smith 6/25/2026
2FFFDAB3E8BE478 Department Head Signature Date

Purchasing Approval:

Based on the above and attached documents, I have determined this to be a sole source with no other vendor practicably available.

Signed: DocuSigned by:
Jay Valentine 6/26/2026
09BA38D53EDD4B7... Purchasing Manager Signature Date

Final Authorization

City Manager Approval Required (\$25K to \$50K)

Yes

Signed: Signed by:
[Signature] 6/26/2026
7245B2BCAB8F4F3... City Manager Signature Date

City Council Approval Required (over \$50K)

No



Memorandum

TO: Matthew Smith, Chief of Police
Jay Valentine, Chief Financial Officer/Purchasing Manager
Michael Bennett, City Manager

FROM: Chris Taylor, Commander
Grand Junction Police Department

DATE: June 10, 2026

SUBJECT: Request for Approval of Sole Source Procurement – SOBTW48X3-3S
Special Ops Bunker TAC-WALL 48 Modular Defense System from Warrior Kit, Inc.

The Grand Junction Police Department is requesting approval to purchase one (1) SOBTW48X3-3S Special Ops Bunker (SOB) TAC-WALL 48 Modular Defense System consisting of three (3) 20" x 48" Level III ballistic shields, associated crossbar components, and carrying case through a sole source procurement.

The Police Department currently owns and utilizes a Special Ops Bunker TAC-WALL system. The proposed purchase is intended to expand the Department's existing ballistic shield capabilities with equipment that is fully compatible with the system already in service.

The Special Ops Bunker TAC-WALL system is a modular ballistic defense platform specifically designed to allow multiple shield sections and accessories to be connected and configured together. Procuring the same manufacturer and model is necessary for the following reasons:

1. Equipment Compatibility and Interoperability

The new TAC-WALL components must be fully compatible with the Department's existing TAC-WALL system. All shield sections, crossbars, and accessories are designed to interconnect, enabling officers to assemble larger defensive configurations as operational needs dictate. Alternate manufacturers' products are not designed to integrate with the existing TAC-WALL equipment and would not provide the required interoperability.

2. Officer Training and Operational Readiness

Officers have already received training on the deployment, assembly, transport, and tactical use of the Special Ops Bunker TAC-WALL system. Standardizing on the same equipment reduces training costs, maintains consistency in tactical operations, and allows officers to rely on established muscle memory during high-stress and potentially life-threatening incidents. Introducing a different

ballistic shield system would require additional training and could increase the risk of operational errors during critical events.

3. **Standardization of Equipment**

Maintaining a consistent platform simplifies maintenance, storage, deployment procedures, inventory management, and future replacement planning. Standardization enhances operational efficiency and ensures personnel can immediately utilize any TAC-WALL components available during an emergency response.

4. **Authorized Source**

The Special Ops Bunker TAC-WALL system is manufactured by Special Ops Bunker and marketed through Point Blank Enterprises. Warrior Kit, Inc., located in Pueblo, Colorado, serves as a Point Blank Enterprises, Inc. representative for Colorado public safety agencies and can provide the specific TAC-WALL configuration required by the Grand Junction Police Department.

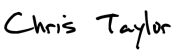
The basis for this procurement is not solely vendor availability, but the Department's need to acquire equipment that is fully compatible with its existing TAC-WALL system and supports established officer training and operational procedures.

Recommendation

It is recommended that the City approve the purchase of the SOBTW48X3-3S Special Ops Bunker TAC-WALL 48 Modular Defense System from Warrior Kit, Inc. through a sole source procurement. The requested equipment is necessary to maintain compatibility and interoperability with the Police Department's existing TAC-WALL system, support established officer training and operational readiness, and preserve equipment standardization. Due to these operational requirements, procurement of an alternate product would not satisfy the Department's needs and competitive procurement is not practicable.

Therefore, the Grand Junction Police Department requests approval to procure the SOBTW48X3-3S Special Ops Bunker TAC-WALL 48 Modular Defense System from Warrior Kit, Inc. as a sole source purchase.

Sincerely,

DocuSigned by:

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Commander Chris Taylor



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Pueblo West, CO 81007

Estimate

Date	Estimate #
6/8/2026	WKE26-154
Rep	
John Schaerfl	
E-mail	
john@warriorkit.com	

Name / Address
Grand Junction Police Department 555 Ute Avenue Grand Junction, CO 81501 ATTN: CDR Chris Taylor

Project

Description	Qty	Rate	Total
SOBTW48X3-3S SOB TAC-WALL 48 Modular Defense System - Set of (3) 20" x 48" Shields (Level 3 Standard) Includes Crossbar (SOBTW-CB3) and Case (SOBTW48-CASE) MSRP: \$68,222.00 NASPO/CO Contract: \$38,200.00	1	38,200.00	38,200.00
FedEx shipping	1	300.00	300.00
Thank you for allowing Warrior Kit the opportunity to provide you with protective equipment. We appreciate it very much!		Total	

Phone #	Web Site
(505) 690-7082	www.warriorkit.com

Customer Signature: _____

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