



**FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
CLEAN VESSEL ACT GRANT PROGRAM
NONCOMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT SUPPLEMENT**

The Clean Vessel Act (CVA) Program funds are subject to the Federal Simplified Acquisition Threshold, as defined in [Title 48 Code of Federal Regulations \(CFR\) §2.101](#), and currently set at \$150,000 (2015). CVA Applicants should competitively solicit the goods or services that exceed this threshold, and submit the final bid package along with the application submission.

Should the CVA applicant feel they do not have the means or ability to competitively solicit this purchase, please give a brief reasoning as to why the facility needs to procure noncompetitively in the space below:

Then, pursuant to [2 CFR §200.320\(f\)](#), if a CVA Applicant is planning to purchase any goods or services that exceed \$150,000 through noncompetitive methods, one or more of the following circumstances *must* apply:

The item is available only from a single source.

There is a public emergency for the requirement such that competitive solicitation would cause a delay.

The Federal awarding agency or DEP's CVA Program, as the pass-through entity, expressly authorizes noncompetitive proposals in response to a written request from the CVA Applicant.

To receive authorization, please submit a vendor quote showing an itemized list for the purchase, this Supplement, a completed CVA application, along with a letter, on facility letterhead, justifying the purchase.

After solicitation of several sources, competition is determined to be inadequate.

To support this determination, please submit the quotes from all sources and this Supplement, along with a completed CVA application.

The CVA Program will review this Supplement, completed application, and all supporting documentation upon receipt and will inform the Applicant of their authorization decision within 15 business days.