

**EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER REGION 19 ALLIED STATES COOPERATIVE
RFP AWARD SUMMARY**

RFP TITLE:	Paper Products – ESC Region 19 Allied States Cooperative
RFP NUMBER:	26-7548
RFP OPENING DATE:	January 27, 2026
CONTRACT TERM:	Date of award until February 28, 2027, with four annual extension options.
FUNDING SOURCE:	Various
RFP's ISSUED:	757
RESPONSES:	10
ADVERTISEMENT DATES:	El Paso Times – December 22, 2025 & December 29, 2025
RECOMMENDED FOR AWARD:	BZ Defense LLC Dream Ranch Office Supplies (Dream Ranch LLC) (HUB; SBE; VOB) School Specialty LLC Shelby Distribution Inc. (Express Office Products) (HUB; VOB) Spectrum Paper Co., Inc. (HUB) <u>United Sales USA Corp.</u>
TOTAL (estimated)	\$500,000.00/year

EXPLANATIONS:

Award of this solicitation will enable ESC Region 19 - Allied States Cooperative (ASC) to establish a contract with vendor(s) for Paper Products for those procurements made with federal, state or local funds. Evaluation and award recommendation were based on 70% pricing and 30% references. Bienali Promotions, LLC., Positive Promotions, Inc., and Tovar Printing, Inc. submitted a proposal, however, were not considered; vendors do not meet the scope of work. Staples Contract & Commercial (Staples Contract & Commercial LLC; Staples, Inc.) submitted a proposal, however, it was not considered, vendor did not provide a catalog/pricelist as per bid requirements. The awarded vendors' pricing and information can be found on the Award Detail spreadsheet.

**SPECIFICATIONS, PREPARATION AND
EVALUATION PROVIDED BY:**

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Special Conditions

1. This solicitation is for materials only and vendors are encouraged to provide only their full line of products they can provide in an expedited, professional manner meeting the specifications from their suppliers. Paper products for this solicitation may include but are not limited to classroom color paper, copy paper, bonded paper, custodial paper, food service paper & related, commercial paper, butcher paper, folders,

plotter paper, and any other paper products utilized by schools, cities, counties, universities, community colleges, state administered agencies, other governments and any ASC member.

2. Vendors, if a website is provided as your company's pricelist/catalog, only items/services that fall within the scope of work may be sold/provided under this contract. Any other items/services found in your website that do not fall within the scope of work, may not be sold/provided under this contract.
3. Members, if an awarded vendor provides their website as their catalog/pricelist, only items/services that fall within the scope of work may be procured under this contract. Any other items/services found in an awarded vendor's website that do not fall within the scope of work, may not be procured and will not be covered under this contract.
4. Awarded vendors must have the capacity to stock paper listed and provide specifications with each item being considered for award.
5. By responding, vendor agrees to provide samples upon request to any ESC Region 19 member requesting samples before placing a purchase order to determine if the products meet their needs.

Approved By: _____
Dr. Armando Aguirre

Date: _____
February 9, 2026