

The Source NC

eProcurement Newsletter

January 2020 Edition



NC eProcurement 2020 Upgrade News

The design for the new version of NC eProcurement has been finalized and the project is on track to go live in May 2020. To help users through the transition, there will be a period of **Dual Processing** during which both the current platform (version 9R1) and the new platform (version AOD) will be functional. The timeline for Dual Processing is as follows:

One Week Prior to Go-Live	Users can no longer create new eRequisitions in the existing NC E-Procurement 9R1 platform. Any requisitions in “Composing” status or pending approval need to be approved before Go-Live.
Go-Live until June 30, 2020	Users create all new Purchase Requisitions in the new NC eProcurement AOD platform. Purchase Orders created in AOD are branded with the upgrade logo. 9R1 is limited to read-only access. Changes or cancellations of any PO initiated in 9R1 will be sent to the vendor through 9R1 and branded with the current logo.
Fiscal Year 2021	All new actions occur in AOD. Users will have read-only access 9R1 to view previous transactions until 9R1 is retired. After 9R1 is retired, historical data will then be accessed through the Government Data Analytics Center (GDAC).

As the upgrade moves forward over the next several months, stay tuned to **The Source** for more information about exciting new features and expected timelines!

Statewide Term Contract Announcements

Statewide Term Contract 269A The Division of Purchase & Contract has established a new [Statewide Term Contract 269A – Pharmaceutical Distribution Services](#). This is a single-vendor mandatory contract for state departments, most state agencies, and by state higher education institutions (except under the conditions specified in G.S. §115D-58.14(a) and G.S. §116-13). The contract may also be utilized, without further competition, by non-mandatory state agencies and other eligible entities. The contract term is January 01, 2020 through October 31, 2021. If you have any questions related to this contract, contact Grant Braley at (919) 807-4519 or grant.braley@doa.nc.gov.

Statewide Term Contract 545A The Division of Purchase & Contract has established a new [Statewide Term Contract 545A – Lathe & Metalworking Machines](#). This is a multiple-vendor mandatory contract for state agencies, departments, institutions, universities and community colleges - unless exempted by North Carolina General Statute. Additionally, non-mandatory entities, including schools and local governments, that are allowed by general statute may use this contract. The contract term is January 23, 2020 through January 22, 2023. If you have any questions related to this contract, contact Bahaa Jizi at (919) 807-4520 or bahaa.jizi@doa.nc.gov.

Statewide Term Contract 680D The Division of Purchase & Contract has established a new [Statewide Term Contract 680D – Law Enforcement Vehicle Upfits & Installation Services](#). This is a

multiple-vendor convenience contract for state agencies, departments, institutions, universities, community colleges, and non-mandatory entities including schools and local governments. The contract term is January 01, 2020 through December 31, 2022. If you have any questions related to this contract, contact Grant Braley at (919) 807-4519 or grant.braley@doa.nc.gov.

Statewide Term Contract 975B The Division of Purchase & Contract has established a new [Statewide Term Contract 975B – Vehicle Rental Services](#). This is a single-vendor convenience contract for state departments and most state agencies, and for state higher education institutions (except under the conditions specified in G.S. §115D-58.14(a) and G.S. §116-13). This contract may also be utilized, without further competition, by non-mandatory state agencies and other eligible entities. The contract term is January 2, 2020 through September 15, 2021. If you have any questions related to this contract, contact Steve Hussey at (919) 807-4540 or steven.hussey@doa.nc.gov.

This newsletter was sent to all Community College and LEA users. Questions about information covered in this newsletter? Send an email to ephelpdesk@its.nc.gov.