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Dear Vendor,

In the spirit of continuous improvement and cost management, we are pleased to announce that Westchester County has joined the Hudson Valley Municipal Purchasing Group! This automatic bid notification system allows your company to receive messages anytime any of the participating agencies issue bid opportunities that match your company's line of business.

Participating agencies post all of their bids, quotes, requests for proposal, construction notices, addendums and awards on this one centralized system. A list of the current agency members can be found on the next page.

If you would like to continue receiving bid opportunities from Westchester County, we recommend registering your company online as quickly as possible. To register, visit www.HudsonValleyBidSystem.com. Once there, use the "Registration" link and follow the instructions to complete the registration form.

By creating an account, your company will receive bid opportunities from Westchester County as well as instant access to all opportunities posted by the other participating agencies!

In addition, this system offers an e-mail notification service, which automatically sends you a message anytime any agency issues bids, addendums, and awards that match your selected product and service codes.

If you need help or need assistance in any way, please call our technical support department at BidNet toll free 1-800-677-1997, Ext. 214. To expedite your request, please ask for the Hudson Valley Municipal Purchasing Group.

We look forward to providing you with more bid information, less paperwork and simplifying the processes for everyone involved. We thank you for your cooperation and welcome your participation!

Sincerely,

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The current list of participating agencies posting bid information on the Hudson Valley Purchasing Group are shown below. As of 12/1/2006 there have been 5493 solicitations posted to this system.

City of Kingston
City of New Rochelle
City of Poughkeepsie
City of Yonkers
Clarkstown Central School District
Cornell Cooperative Extension Dutchess County
County of Dutchess
County of Orange
County of Rockland
County of Ulster
Dutchess Community College
Dutchess County Resource Recovery Agency
Dutchess County Water and Wastewater Authority
Fairview Fire District
Haverstraw King's Daughters Public Library
Orange - Ulster Boces
Pearl River School District
Putnam County
Rockland Community College
Rockland County Solid Waste Management
Town of Clarkstown
Town of Clinton
Town of Cortlandt
Town of Lewisboro
Town of Newburgh
Town of Orangetown
Town of Putnam Valley
Town of Ramapo