## **Special Notice**

## NOTICE OF INTENT TO JOIN NASPO VALUEPOINT COMPUTER EQUIPMENT AGREEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the State of New Jersey intends to enter into a publically advertised cooperative purchasing agreement for Computer Equipment (Desktops, Laptops, Tablets, Servers, Storage and Ruggedized Devices including related Peripherals & Services).

The State of New Jersey anticipates joining the NASPO ValuePoint contract led by the State of Minnesota in the August 2021 timeframe. The State of New Jersey expects to award contracts to vendors awarded a Master Agreement by the Lead State that also meet New Jersey compliance requirements and execute a New Jersey Participating Addendum.

Additional information, including the original Bid Solicitation, the Master Agreements, and executed Participating Addenda from all participating states is available at the following link: https://www.naspovaluepoint.org/solicitation-information/

The contract has an initial term of two (2) years with the option to extend up to 36 additional months.

Under N.J.S.A. 52:34-6.2, the State of New Jersey is authorized to join competitively bid and awarded cooperative purchasing agreements.

Note the comment period ends with the close of business on January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2021. To ensure that your comments are received by the comment period end date, they may be submitted to the following three addresses ONLY: (1) email at dpp.protest@treas.nj.gov; (2) facsimile at 609-984-2575; or (3) mail or courier to: Attn: Hearing Unit, Division of Purchase and Property, 33 West State St., P.O. Box 039, Trenton, NJ 08625-0039.