Using BidMatch Effectively

Introduction to solicitation search software

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- Free assistance with all aspects of government contracting, from cradle to grave (start to finish) for federal, state and local purchasing activity

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Discussion Topics

❖ Searching for solicitations

❖ Introducing the BidMatch process

❖ BidMatch limitations

❖ Creating a Search Criteria List

❖ Looking at solicitation from more than one perspective

❖ Updating or initiating a BidMatch profile

❖ Using Contract Opportunities to the best advantage

❖ Using FPDS to research PSCs

❖ Summary

BidMatch limitations

❖ Not all government purchasing starts with a <u>published</u> solicitation/bid package!
- Non-competitive 8(a) solicitations
- Sole Source Awards
- GSA eBuy & MAS schedule awards
- Direct request from buyers to provide a quote ("closed bid list")
- Delivery orders under an existing IDIQ contract award
- Innovation program purchase (SBIR/STTR, other grant applications)

❖ Bad search profiles lead to poor results
- Search criteria insufficient
- Search criteria too restrictive
- Didn't review search criteria – how is the agency coding and naming the solicitation

Solicitation Search

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"This guy knows how to find solicitation streams."

BidMatch – Daily Email Notice

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Dear Bid Match Customer,

There are 31 new articles available for you on your personal MyBidmatch Web site where you can view the bid opportunities and/or informational articles for February 14, 2026. You will receive an email notification each time new articles are posted to your personal Web site. You can also bookmark this page and return to it periodically to check for new articles. The notices will remain on the system for 30 days, after which time they will be purged. If you wish to save these articles please select **File/Save As** from your browser's menu.

Click this link MyBidmatch for your directory of output.

The titles of the articles are listed below:

- A ~ Sea Range Safety Surveillance Services (DEPT OF DEFENSE)
- F ~ PNW Alaska On-Grid Plots - Prince of Wales (AGRICULTURE)
- F ~ PNW Alaska On-Grid Plots - Wrangell Ketchikan (AGRICULTURE)
- S ~ FY 26 Grounds Maintenance Services Eielson AFB (DEPT OF DEFENSE)
- S ~ TAYLOR HWY OUTHOUSE PUMPING 2026 (INTERIOR, DEPARTMENT OF THE, BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, ALASKA STATE OFFICE, 222 W 7TH AVENUE #13, ANCHORAGE AK 99513)
- V ~ Dry Cargo Voyage Charter (DEPT OF DEFENSE)
- Z ~ Z--AK KENAI NWR VC EXTERIOR WOOD REFINISH (INTERIOR, DEPARTMENT OF THE, US FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE, FWS, CONSTRUCTION A/E TEAM 3, FWS, Construction A/E Team 3, Falls Church VA 22041)
- Z ~ Design-Build & Construction Multiple Award Task Order Contract (MATOC) in support of Job Corps Centers Nationwide (LABOR, DEPARTMENT OF, OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT, DOL - JCAS - AEC, 200 CONSTITUTION AVE, NW, WASHINGTON DC 20210)
- 43-- Fuels Air Breathing (DEPT OF DEFENSE)
- 54-- USCG KETCHIKAN VARIOUS TANKS REQUIRMENT (HOMELAND SECURITY)
- 99-- 99--AK KENAI NWR PUB ACCESS SIGNS (INTERIOR, DEPARTMENT OF THE, US FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE, FWS, SAT TEAM 1, FWS, SAT Team 1, Falls Church VA 22041)
- H · ITB 2026-521 EMERGENCY LIGHTING SYSTEMS INSPECTION AND TESTING T (Alaska - Anchorage School District)
- C · Kotzebue DF&G Hangar Design and Engineering Services (Alaska - Department of Transportation and Public Facilities Professional Services)
- C · HNS Highway Restoration MP 2.3 and MP 3.7- Design Services (Alaska - Department of Transportation and Public Facilities Professional Services)
- 99 · IFA PRINCE OF WALES PASSENGER ACCOMMODATION UPGRADES & OVERH (Alaska - Department of Transportation and Public Facilities)
- Z · ADF&G RFP # IH-26-004 - Whiskey Gulch Boating Access Site Improvements (Alaska - State of Alaska)
- Z · ADF&G RFP# IH-26-005 - Lower Bonnie Lake Boat Launch Facility Renovation (Alaska - State of Alaska)
- Y · ITB: 9500166/SFHWY00544_A; IFA Prince of Wales Passenger Accomodation Upgrades & Overhaul Re-Bid (Alaska - State of Alaska)
- Z · Potter Marsh Facility Improvements Project No. 91032-2 (Alaska - State of Alaska)
- Y · The North Slope Borough is seeking sealed bids for construction (Alaska - North Slope Borough)
- C · Matanuska-Susitna Borough Tentative Advertising Schedule for Construction & Design Projects (Alaska - Matanuska-Susitna Borough Bids)
- 42 · Port Mackenzie Conveyor System Removal (Alaska - Matanuska-Susitna Borough Bids)
- S · Janitorial Services at City Hall (Alaska - Alaska Purchasing Group)
- S · DISTRICT WIDE SNOW PLOWING SERVICES TERM CONTRACT (Alaska - Alaska Purchasing Group)
- J · Riverbed Steelhead Maintenance Support (Alaska - Alaska Purchasing Group)
- · Nelson Lagoon, AK - Residential Septic System Installations (Alaska - Alaska Purchasing Group)

◯ = Product Service Code (PSC) or Federal Supply Group (FSG) Codes

BidMatch Profile Homepage

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Welcome to mybidmatch.com for search profile: A1366 ❓ 🏠 Alaska APEX Accelerator

The procurement opportunities that matched your search profile are listed below by date, along with the total number of articles found for each date. You will receive an e-mail when new articles are posted here. If your e-mail address changes, please notify us as soon as possible using the contact information included with each day's listing.

You may also bookmark this page and check back as often as you'd like for new postings and please visit our help file for assistance on interpreting the bid leads. Articles will remain on the mybidmatch.com Web site for 30 days.

Date	Articles	Read
Monday, Feb 16, 2026	1	New
Sunday, Feb 15, 2026	7	New
Saturday, Feb 14, 2026	31	New
Friday, Feb 13, 2026	22	Feb 16 2026 11:43AM
Thursday, Feb 12, 2026	23	Feb 13 2026 1:46PM
Wednesday, Feb 11, 2026	26	Feb 12 2026 6:18PM
Tuesday, Feb 10, 2026	18	Feb 12 2026 6:19PM
Monday, Feb 9, 2026	3	Feb 9 2026 3:05PM
Sunday, Feb 8, 2026	9	Feb 9 2026 1:18PM
Saturday, Feb 7, 2026	25	Feb 9 2026 1:21PM
Friday, Feb 6, 2026	27	Feb 9 2026 1:23PM
Thursday, Feb 5, 2026	39	Feb 9 2026 1:42PM
Wednesday, Feb 4, 2026	30	Feb 4 2026 2:44PM
Tuesday, Feb 3, 2026	23	Feb 3 2026 4:22PM
Monday, Feb 2, 2026	2	New
Sunday, Feb 1, 2026	17	Feb 2 2026 2:31PM
Saturday, Jan 31, 2026	34	New

Alaska APEX has access to each BidMatch profile. This means we can pull up your search profile to help find a specific solicitation or to review search results success or failure.

BidMatch Profile By Date

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Sample #1   📅 Feb 14, 2026

#	Source	Agency	FSG	Title	Keywords
1	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	A	Sea Range Safety Surveillance Services	ak;
2	procure	AGRICULTURE	F	PNW Alaska On-Grid Plots - Prince of Wales	ak; alaska; state!ak;
3	procure	AGRICULTURE	F	PNW Alaska On-Grid Plots - Wrangell Ketchikan	ak; alaska; state!ak;
4	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	S	FY 26 Grounds Maintenance Services Eielson AFB	ak; alaska; state!ak;
5	procure	INTERIOR	S	TAYLOR HWY OUTHOUSE PUMPING 2026	alaska; state!ak;
6	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	V	Dry Cargo Voyage Charter	ak; state!ak;
7	procure	INTERIOR	Z	AK KENAI NWR VC EXTERIOR WOOD REFINISH	ak;
8	procure	LABOR	Z	Build & Construction Multiple Award Task Order Contract (MATOC) ...	alaska; state!ak;
9	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	43	Fuels Air Breathing	ak; state!ak;
10	procure	HOMELAND SECURITY	54	USCG KETCHIKAN VARIOUS TANKS REQUIRMENT	ak; state!ak;
11	awards	INTERIOR	99	AK KENAI NWR PUB ACCESS SIGNS	ak;
12	bid	Alaska - Anchorage School District	H	521 EMERGENCY LIGHTING SYSTEMS INSPECTION AND TESTING T	state!ak;
13	bid	Alaska - Department of Transportation and Public Facilities Professional Services	C	Kotzebue DF&G Hangar Design and Engineering Services	state!ak;
14	bid	Alaska - Department of Transportation and Public Facilities Professional Services	C	HNS Highway Restoration MP 2.3 and MP 3.7- Design Services	state!ak;
15	bid	Alaska - Department of Transportation and Public Facilities	99	IFA PRINCE OF WALES PASSENGER ACCOMMODATION UPGRADES & OVERH	state!ak;
16	bid	Alaska - State of Alaska	Z	ADF&G RFP # IH-26-004 - Whiskey Gulch Boating Access Site Improv...	state!ak;
17	bid	Alaska - State of Alaska	Z	ADF&G RFP# IH-26-005 - Lower Bonnie Lake Boat Launch Facility Re...	state!ak;
18	bid	Alaska - State of Alaska	Y	ITB: 9500166/SFHWY00544_A; IFA Prince of Wales Passenger Accomod...	ak; alaska; state!ak;
19	bid	Alaska - State of Alaska	Z	Potter Marsh Facility Improvements Project No. 91032-2	ak; alaska; state!ak;

BidMatch Profile By Date

Sample #2

#	Source	Agency	FSG	Title	Keywords
1	procure	ENERGY	A	Battery	manag*; road?; road; permit*;
2	procure	INTERIOR	B	ANCHORAGE CAMPBELL TRACT FIRE RETARDANT	naics!541990;
3	procure	VETERANS AFFAIRS	C	612-165 MTZ - Construct Parking Structure Replacing Expiring Le...	construct*; design*; engineer*; naics!541330; plan*; survey*;
4	procure	HOMELAND SECURITY	F	PEST CONTROL SERVICES	design*; permit*; transport*;
5	procure	AGRICULTURE	F	Z Stewardship IRSC, Region 5, Plumas National Forest, CA	manag*; road?; road; construct*; design*; permit*; plan*;
6	procure	HOMELAND SECURITY	F	Transportation and Disposal of Hazardous and Universal Waste Ser...	manag*; design*; permit*; traffic; transport*;
7	procure	AGRICULTURE	F	Wildlife Acoustics Song Meter SM4 Acoustic Recorder	manag*; road?; road; plan*;
8	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	H	Life Raft Yearly Inspection and Certification	manag*;
9	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	R	OPTION - PII Shredding Services	manag*; permit*;
10	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	R	MOTCO Equipment Maintenance Services	naics!541990; ti:service?;
11	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	Y	8(a) IDIQs for Guam Typhoon Repair and Rebuild	manag*; road?; construct*; design*; engineer*; naics!236220; building?;
12	procure	INTERIOR	Y	Swimming Pool Renovation for Sherman Indian School	manag*; construct*; naics!236220; building?;
13	procure	TRANSPORTATION	Y	AZ/CA FTBR LCD PADA(1) - PARKER DAM ROAD	road?; road; naics!237310;
14	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	Y	Gavins Point IDCC Roads and Grounds Maintenance	road?; construct*; engineer*; naics!237310;
15	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	Y	Construct Fire Suppression Water Storage Facility at JFTB Los Al...	construct*; engineer*; naics!236220; building?; plan*; transport*;
16	procure	VETERANS AFFAIRS	66	Notice of Intent to Sole Source - Cepheid GX Module and Repair	manag*;
17	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	66	SPEED SENSOR,TURBIN	plan*;
18	procure	HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES	66	Intent to Sole Source for Thermal Cyclers	manag*; plan*; survey*;
19	procure	DEPT OF DEFENSE	66	Gas Chromatograph	manag*;
20	awards	AGRICULTURE	C	Engineer [A-E] services. Bridge Engineering. Multiple-award Inde...	engineer*; naics!541330; ti:engineer*; ti:service?;
21	bid	Alaska - Alaska Purchasing Group	C	Design Services for Homestead Park Reconstruction	design*;

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The government contract opportunities enclosed with this email are provided to you by the Alaska APEX Anchorage Center. If you would like to add or delete search criteria to your custom profile you may contact Jody King at: Tel: (907) 786-7270 jlking8@alaska.edu.

INTERIOR, DEPARTMENT OF THE, BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT, ALASKA STATE OFFICE, 222 W 7TH AVENUE #13, ANCHORAGE AK 99513

(S)-- TAYLOR HWY OUTHOUSE PUMPING 2026 SOL 140L6326Q0003 DUE 02/27/2026 at 05:00PM -09:00 POC Brune, Lisa, lbrune@blm.gov, tel:9072714453, fax:9072714595The Bureau of Land Management, Alaska State Office has a requirement for highway outhouse pumping along the Taylor Highway in Alaska. Detailed information will be included in the solicitation package. The solicitation will be available at https://sam.gov on or about February 13, 2026. Quotes will be due February 27, 2026. The solicitation is subject to the provisions of the Federal Acquisition Regulations (FAR) Parts 12 and 13. This procurement is a set-aside for small businesses. The North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code for this procurement is 562991 size standard $9.0 million. Offerors must be registered at www.sam.gov (System for Award Management) to be eligible for award of any federal contact. Subscribers to this service are responsible for reviewing this site for all information relevant to this solicitation. Prospective offerors will be required to visit this website periodically to check for amendments and other changes to the solicitation documents. No other notification will be sent. Offers will be accepted at the email address in the solicitation. Set-Aside: Total Small Business Set-Aside (FAR 19.5) URL: https://sam.gov/opp/7692e73eee3d456ea0000193054d53f2/view

OutreachSystems Article Number: 20260214/PROCURE/0188
Matching keyword(s): alaska; state!ak;

What are you looking for?

Building Search Criteria:

- ❖ Keywords – how do you define your business?
  - o NAICS Description
  - o Competitor: SBA Small Business Search (SBS) profile
    https://search.certifications.sba.gov/

- ❖ NAICS Codes   https://www.census.gov/naics/

- ❖ Federal Supply Groups (FSG) & Product Service Codes (PSC)
  - o Federal Procurement Data System (FPDS)
  - o FSG / PSC table: http://support.outreachsystems.com/resources/tables/pscs/

- ❖ DoDAAC – Department of Defense Activity Address Code
  https://www.dla.mil/HQ/InformationOperations/DLMS/DLMSPrograms/DoDAAD/

- ❖ Competitors Unique Entity ID numbers (UEI) → SAM.gov and/or DSBS profile(s)

- ❖ Federal Organization codes – SAM.gov

Don't forget to research the agency website and district office websites for keywords!

Why are you looking?

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Searching for more than just the next job:

- ❖ **Expanding Search Criteria**
  - o Federal Organization Codes
  - o Key word – better descriptors
  - o DoDAAC
- ❖ **Marketing Data**
  - o Awardee Information
  - o What are agencies looking for?
  - o Regional diversification
  - o Interested Vendor List (IVL)
- ❖ **Agency Data**
  - o Contact information
  - o Physical location of contracting offices

SAM.GOV

Federal Procurement Data System

USASPENDING.gov

Feedback

Use the Feedback button to request the IVL "always accessible & visible to public"

Starting/Updating BidMatch

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New Search Profile for

Welcome to the profile data entry screen. There are six important steps to review and complete when you are creating a new profile. It is important to note that the best search profiles include a combination of keywords and product codes. Profiles that only include NAICS or FSC codes are likely to miss valid bid opportunities.

Step 1. The Profile Email Address

The following information will be used in the new search profile:

Email sent to: [   ]

Email format: Web Mail (mybidmatch.com) ⌄

Step 2. Choose Your Data Sources

Please check any or all of the databases that you want to search:

☑ **All Domestic (US) Sources**

☑ Blue Tops Sub-Contracts (sec=bt)   ☑ Other Federal Small Purchases (sec=small)
☑ SAM/FBO (sec=fedbiz)   ☑ USABID State and Local (sec=bid)
☑ DLA Small Purchases (sec=dla)

☐ **All Foreign Sources**

☐ Foreign Trade Opportunities (sec=fto)

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Step 3. Limit Your Search to Federal Supply Groups

You can limit your search to one or more Federal Supply Groups by individually selecting each group. Or, for looser restrictions, you can choose the "All Services" or "All Supplies" checkbox to narrow the search to just the alpha service codes or just the numeric supply codes. To search all groups, leave all checkboxes unchecked. For a detailed description of all groups please refer to http://www.outreachsystems.com/resources/tables/pscs.

☑ **All Services**

- ☐ A Research and Development
- ☐ B Special Studies and Analyses -- Not R&D
- ☐ C Architect and Engineering Services -- Construction
- ☐ D Data Processing and Telecommunication Services
- ☐ E Purchase of Structures and Facilities
- ☐ F Natural Resources and Conservation Services
- ☐ G Social Services
- ☐ H Quality Control, Testing, and inspection Services
- ☐ J Maintenance, Repair and Rebuilding of Equipment
- ☐ K Modification of Equipment
- ☐ L Technical Representative Services
- ☐ M Operation of Government Owned Facility
- ☐ N Installation of Equipment
- ☐ P Salvage Services
- ☐ Q Medical Services
- ☐ R Professional, Administrative and Management Services
- ☐ S Utilities and Housekeeping Services
- ☐ T Photographic, Printing, and Publications Services
- ☐ U Education and Training Services
- ☐ V Transportation, Travel and Relocation Services
- ☐ W Lease or Rental of Equipment
- ☐ X Lease or Rental of Facilities
- ☐ Y Construction of Structures and Facilities
- ☐ Z Maintenance, Repair or Alteration of Real Property

☑ **All Supplies**

- ☐ 10 Weapons
- ☐ 11 Nuclear Ordinance
- ☐ 12 Fire Control Equipment
- ☐ 13 Ammunition and Explosives
- ☐ 14 Guided Missiles
- ☐ 15 Aircraft and Airframe Structural Components
- ☐ 16 Aircraft Components and Accessories
- ☐ 17 Aircraft Launching, and Landing Equipment.
- ☐ 18 Space Vehicles
- ☐ 19 Ships, Small Craft, Pontoons, and Floating Docks
- ☐ 20 Ship and Marine Equipment
- ☐ 22 Railway Equipment
- ☐ 23 Motor Vehicles, Trailers, and Cycles
- ☐ 24 Tractors
- ☐ 25 Vehicular Equipment Components
- ☐ 26 Tires and Tubes
- ☐ 28 Engines, Turbines, and Components
- ☐ 29 Engine Accessories
- ☐ 30 Mechanical Power Transmission Equipment
- ☐ 31 Bearings
- ☐ 32 Woodworking Machinery and Equipment
- ☐ 34 Metalworking Machinery
- ☐ 35 Service and Trade Equipment
- ☐ 36 Special Industry Machinery
- ☐ 37 Agricultural Machinery and Equipment
- ☐ 38 Construction, Excavating, and Highway Equipment
- ☐ 39 Materials Handling Equipment
- ☐ 40 Rope, Cable, Chain, and Fittings
- ☐ 41 Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Equipment
- ☐ 42 Fire Fighting, Rescue, and Safety Equipment
- ☐ 43 Pumps and Compressors
- ☐ 44 Furnace, Nuclear Reactors
- ☐ 45 Plumbing, Heating and Sanitation Equipment
- ☐ 46 Water Purification and Sewage Treatment Equipment
- ☐ 47 Pipe, Tubing, Hose, and Fittings
- ☐ 48 Valves
- ☐ 49 Maintenance and Repair Shop Equipment
- ☐ 51 Hand Tools
- ☐ 52 Measuring Tools
- ☐ 53 Hardware and Abrasives
- ☐ 54 Prefabricated Structures and Scaffolding
- ☐ 55 Lumber, Millwork, Plywood, and Veneer
- ☐ 56 Construction and Building Materials
- ☐ 58 Communications Equipment
- ☐ 59 Electrical and Electronic Equipment Components
- ☐ 61 Electric Wire, and Power and Distribution Equipment
- ☐ 62 Lighting Fixtures and Lamps
- ☐ 63 Alarm, Signal and Security Detection Systems
- ☐ 65 Medical, Dental, and Veterinary Equipment
- ☐ 66 Instruments and Laboratory Equipment
- ☐ 67 Photographic Equipment
- ☐ 68 Chemicals and Chemical Products
- ☐ 69 Training Aids and Devices
- ☐ 70 IT and Telecom (incl. 7A-7K)
- ☐ 71 Furniture
- ☐ 72 Household Furnishings and Appliances
- ☐ 73 Food Preparation and Serving Equipment
- ☐ 74 Office Machines
- ☐ 75 Office Supplies and Devices
- ☐ 76 Books, Maps, and Other Publications
- ☐ 77 Musical Instruments, Phonographs, and Home-Type Radios
- ☐ 78 Recreational and Athletic Equipment
- ☐ 79 Cleaning Equipment and Supplies
- ☐ 80 Brushes, Paints, Sealers, and Adhesives
- ☐ 81 Containers, Packaging, and Packing Supplies
- ☐ 83 Textiles, Leather, Furs, Apparel, Shoes, Tents, Flags
- ☐ 84 Clothing, Individual Equipment, and Insignia
- ☐ 85 Toiletries
- ☐ 87 Agricultural Supplies
- ☐ 88 Live Animals
- ☐ 89 Subsistence (Food)
- ☐ 91 Fuels, Lubricants, Oils, and Waxes
- ☐ 93 Nonmetallic Fabricated Materials
- ☐ 94 Nonmetallic Crude Materials
- ☐ 95 Metal Bars, Sheets, and Shapes
- ☐ 96 Ores, Minerals, and Their Primary Products
- ☐ 99 Miscellaneous

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Step 4. Limit Your Search to States/Regions

You can limit your search to one of the pre-defined regions from the drop down, or select the states in which you wish to search for your keywords. To search all states, please leave all checkboxes unchecked or choose the "No geographic restrictions" checkbox.

(Region Restrictions) ▾

☐ **No geographic restrictions**

United States

- ☐ Alabama
- ☐ Alaska
- ☐ Arizona
- ☐ Arkansas
- ☐ California
- ☐ Colorado
- ☐ Connecticut
- ☐ Delaware
- ☐ Washington, D.C.
- ☐ Florida
- ☐ Georgia
- ☐ Hawaii
- ☐ Idaho
- ☐ Illinois
- ☐ Indiana
- ☐ Iowa
- ☐ Kansas
- ☐ Kentucky
- ☐ Louisiana
- ☐ Maine
- ☐ Maryland
- ☐ Massachusetts
- ☐ Michigan
- ☐ Minnesota
- ☐ Mississippi
- ☐ Missouri
- ☐ Montana
- ☐ Nebraska
- ☐ Nevada
- ☐ New Hampshire
- ☐ New Jersey
- ☐ New Mexico
- ☐ New York
- ☐ North Carolina
- ☐ North Dakota
- ☐ Ohio
- ☐ Oklahoma
- ☐ Oregon
- ☐ Pennsylvania
- ☐ Puerto Rico
- ☐ Rhode Island
- ☐ South Carolina
- ☐ South Dakota
- ☐ Tennessee
- ☐ Texas
- ☐ U.S. Virgin Islands
- ☐ Utah
- ☐ Vermont
- ☐ Virginia
- ☐ Washington
- ☐ West Virginia
- ☐ Wisconsin
- ☐ Wyoming

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Step 5. Enter Your Keywords/ NAICS/ PSC Codes

Please enter each keyword or keyphrase on its own line for clarity and improved bid matching. For keyword suggestions please view the sample profiles listed at http://support.outreachsystems.com/cats/bidmatch/profiles.

Enter Keyword(s):   [Add]

You can enter as many NAICS and/or PSC codes as you want, but keep in mind that creating a profile based upon codes is *not recommended*.

NAICS Code: [Add]   FSC/PSC: [Add]

Step 6. Enter Additional Comments

You can include any additional comments that may help our profile strategists create the best profile for your client. Please do not use the comment box to add keywords. Comments are limited to 250 characters.

Time to update when:

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❖ Too little or too many articles

❖ Not finding the right solicitations

❖ Adding/removing geographic regions

❖ New email POC(s)

❖ Profile not updated within 2 years

❖ Profile has too few:
 o Key words
 o NAICS codes
 o FSC/PSC

Have you recently reviewed your search profile? If not, have Alaska APEX email it to you.

Date	Articles	Articles
Thursday, Sep 21, 2023	0	240
Wednesday, Sep 20, 2023	0	256
Tuesday, Sep 19, 2023	0	236
Monday, Sep 18, 2023	0	8
Sunday, Sep 17, 2023	0	24
Saturday, Sep 16, 2023	0	222
Friday, Sep 15, 2023	1	227
Thursday, Sep 14, 2023	0	249
Wednesday, Sep 13, 2023	0	251
Tuesday, Sep 12, 2023	0	188
Monday, Sep 11, 2023	0	7
Sunday, Sep 10, 2023	0	17
Saturday, Sep 9, 2023	0	245
Friday, Sep 8, 2023	0	277
Thursday, Sep 7, 2023	1	301
Wednesday, Sep 6, 2023	1	227
Tuesday, Sep 5, 2023	1	19
Monday, Sep 4, 2023	0	5
Sunday, Sep 3, 2023	0	16
Saturday, Sep 2, 2023	0	245
Friday, Sep 1, 2023	1	277
Thursday, Aug 31, 2023	1	262
Wednesday, Aug 30, 2023	1	291
Tuesday, Aug 29, 2023	1	223
Monday, Aug 28, 2023	0	9
Sunday, Aug 27, 2023	0	21
Saturday, Aug 26, 2023	0	253
Friday, Aug 25, 2023	0	286
Thursday, Aug 24, 2023	0	281
Wednesday, Aug 23, 2023	1	261
Tuesday, Aug 22, 2023	1	245

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    or state!nv or state!nm or state!nd or state!ok or state!or or state!sd
    or state!tn or state!tx or state!ut or state!wa or state!wi or state!wy
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select (pack? or packing?)
select cargo
select commercial<2u>(move? or mover? or moving?)
select freight
select logistic?
select naics!484110 or freight<1u>truck*
select naics!484121 or freight<1u>truck*
select naics!484210 or (household or office?)<2u>moving*
select naics!484220 or freight<1u>truck*
select naics!484230 or freight<1u>truck*
select residential<2u>(move? or mover? or moving?)
select transport?
select truck*
```

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Time to update when:

Date	Articles	Articles
Monday, Feb 16, 2026	0	240
Sunday, Feb 15, 2026	0	256
Saturday, Feb 14, 2026	0	236
Friday, Feb 13, 2026	0	8
Thursday, Feb 12, 2026	0	24
Wednesday, Feb 11, 2026	0	222
Tuesday, Feb 10, 2026	1	227
Monday, Feb 9, 2026	0	249
Sunday, Feb 8, 2026	0	251
Saturday, Feb 7, 2026	0	188
Friday, Feb 6, 2026	0	7
Thursday, Feb 5, 2026	0	17
Wednesday, Feb 4, 2026	0	245
Tuesday, Feb 3, 2026	0	277
Monday, Feb 2, 2026	1	301
Sunday, Feb 1, 2026	1	227
Saturday, Jan 31, 2026	1	19
Friday, Jan 30, 2026	0	5
Thursday, Jan 29, 2026	0	16
Wednesday, Jan 28, 2026	0	245
Tuesday, Jan 27, 2026	1	277
Monday, Jan 26, 2026	1	262
Sunday, Jan 25, 2026	1	291
Saturday, Jan 24, 2026	1	223
Friday, Jan 23, 2026	0	9
Thursday, Jan 22, 2026	0	21
Wednesday, Jan 21, 2026	0	253
Tuesday, Jan 20, 2026	0	286
Monday, Jan 19, 2026	0	281
Sunday, Jan 18, 2026	1	261
Saturday, Jan 17, 2026	1	245

❖ Too little or too many articles

❖ Not finding the right solicitations

❖ Adding/removing geographic regions

❖ New email POC(s)

❖ Profile not updated within 2 years

❖ Profile has too few:
  ○ Key words
  ○ NAICS codes
  ○ FSC/PSC

Have you recently reviewed your search profile? If not, have Alaska APEX email it to you.

```
option webmail
option transport=email coleykell@gmail.com
restrict sec:bt,fedbiz,dla,small,bid
restrict cat:v,81
restrict state!al or state!ak or state!az or state!ar or state!ca or state!co
    or state!hi or state!id or state!il or state!ia or state!ks or state!ky
    or state!la or state!mn or state!ms or state!mo or state!mt or state!ne
    or state!nv or state!nm or state!nd or state!ok or state!or or state!sd
    or state!tn or state!tx or state!ut or state!wa or state!wi or state!wy
select (moving or move? or mover?)
select (office or offices)<2u>(moving or move? or mover?)
select (pack? or packing?)
select cargo
select commercial<2u>(move? or mover? or moving?)
select freight
select logistic?
select naics!484110 or freight<1u>truck*
select naics!484121 or freight<1u>truck*
select naics!484210 or (household or office?)<2u>moving*
select naics!484220 or freight<1u>truck*
select naics!484230 or freight<1u>truck*
select residential<2u>(move? or mover? or moving?)
select transport*
select truck*
```

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Searching in SAM

Home   Search   Data Bank   Data Services   Help

Search   All Words ▼   e.g. 1606N020Q02   🔍

Select Domain
All Domains   +

Filter By   −

Keyword Search
For more information on how to use our keyword search, visit our help guide ☑

Simple Search | Search Editor

○ Any Words ⓘ
● All Words ⓘ
○ Exact Phrase ⓘ

e.g. 1606N020Q02

Select Criteria
Choose your filters and run your report to begin.

Going to live demo…

Searching in FPDS

Summary

- It takes a lot of time and effort to search solicitation posting sites daily – use BidMatch!
- BidMatch search results pull from federal, state & local procurement sites
- BidMatch is easy to start and update – just work with Alaska APEX staff
- The Alaska APEX Accelerator will inactivate BidMatch profiles that have not been accessed or updated
- Review & modify your BidMatch search profile on an annual basis to make sure it is performing as needed
- Found a solicitation that wasn't in a BidMatch list? Let Alaska APEX staff know so that we can review your profile to see why it was missed.
- Take the time to build a good search criteria list – you will use it over and over again
- Don't wait for opportunities to be published – build direct relationships with agencies and prime contractors!
- Research the agency – where is the procurement office for your products and/or services?

Questions?

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How can the Alaska APEX help you?