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578-19-026: Installation of Hines Gate Control at the Hines VA Hospital in Hines, IL

Department of Veterans Affairs › 252-NETWORK CONTRACT OFFICE 12 (36C252)

Solicitation `36C25227B0004`

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RFP DETECTOR SCORE

High data confidence

Score at publication: 67 (B)

Frozen when the RFP closed; closed RFPs never show a live score

B
67

Strong (B, 67/100): posted today, full and open; but small typical award (~$124K).

+9.0 Freshness | −6.7 Value | +5.9 Competition & access | +3.9 Clarity & completeness

Informational, not advice. How the score works: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

At a glance

ESTIMATED VALUE	SET-ASIDE	NAICS	PSC
~$124K Estimated: median award, FY24–FY26	None Full and open competition	238210 Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors	Y1PZ Product / service code
PLACE OF PERFORMANCE	**POSTED**	**RESPONSE DUE**	**LISTING**
Not stated	Sep 28, 2026	Oct 5, 2026, 12:00 PM CDT Closed	Official federal notice Updated Sep 28, 2026

Our summary

Department of Veterans Affairs (252-NETWORK CONTRACT OFFICE 12 (36C252)) posted a sources sought notice titled “578-19-026: Installation of Hines Gate Control at the Hines VA Hospital in Hines, IL” under solicitation number 36C25227B0004. It was posted on Sep 28, 2026. The response deadline was Oct 5, 2026, 12:00 PM CDT. It is classified under NAICS 238210 (Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors) and product/service code Y1PZ. No set-aside is listed. The listed point of contact is Kristi Kluck, Contracting Officer.

Summary by RFP Detector.

Timeline



02 Score breakdown

Every RFP starts at 50. Each factor adds or subtracts points depending on how this RFP compares with a typical one, scaled by its weight and by how sure we are of the data. Unknown data has no effect.

Factor		◀ lowers the score · raises the score ▶	Points	Range
Value	ESTIMATED		−6.7	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 80%
No value published. Typical award is about $124K: the median of 447 VA contracts over $25K awarded in NAICS 238210, FY24–FY26.				
Competition & access	MEASURED		+5.9	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 100%
Full and open competition. The largest recipient took 6% of these dollars in FY24–FY26, and spending is spread across many vendors.				
Issuer & market	MEASURED		+3.8	−23.4 / +12.6 w 20 · conf 100%
VA obligated $323M on NAICS 238210 across 645 contracts in FY24–FY26. 82 other notices from this office in the past 12 months.				
Time & stage	MEASURED		+1.2	−14.9 / +12.2 w 15 · conf 100%
Sources sought (market research, not a bid): 7 days to respond (due Oct 5, 2026, 12:00 PM CDT). Tight.				
Clarity & completeness	ESTIMATED		+3.9	−18.9 / +8.1 w 15 · conf 75%
Documents not listed, named contact with email and phone, 829-word description.				
Freshness	MEASURED		+9.0	−9.0 / +9.0 w 10 · conf 100%
Posted today.				

Starts at 50 · contributions sum to **67.1**

Score at publication **67** **(B)**

Score trend

Recorded whenever the score changes, last 30 days

Closed RFPs keep their score at publication, so there is no live trend.

Evaluated Sep 28, 2026, 3:14 PM EDT · version 1.0.0

How the score works

Value	weight 20 · −18.0 to +18.0
Competition & access	weight 20 · −18.0 to +18.0
Issuer & market	weight 20 · −23.4 to +12.6
Time & stage	weight 15 · −14.9 to +12.2
Clarity & completeness	weight 15 · −18.9 to +8.1
Freshness	weight 10 · −9.0 to +9.0

Measured data counts fully, estimated data counts less, unknown data counts zero. Grades: A 80–100 · B 65–79 · C 50–64 · D 35–49 · F 0–34. Data confidence (92/100) is how much of the score rests on measured data.

Full methodology: rfpdetector.com/methodology/score

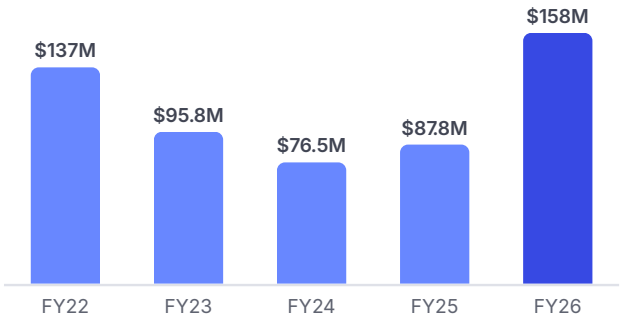
03 Market intelligence

Federal contract awards for Department of Veterans Affairs, NAICS 238210. Award counts and sizes cover new awards in FY24–FY26; dollars are obligations in the same window.

CONTRACTS AWARDED	TOTAL OBLIGATED	MEDIAN AWARD OVER $25K
645	**$323M**	**$124K**
New awards, FY24–FY26	Obligated FY24–FY26	447 awards above $25K

Obligations by fiscal year

Department of Veterans Affairs, NAICS 238210



Award size

VA NAICS 238210 contracts, FY24–FY26 (log scale)



For reference, the typical federal contract award above $25K across all agencies is about $69K.

Largest recipients in this market

Share of obligated dollars, FY24–FY26

1	J & J Mechanical And Construction Group LLC	$19.3M	6%
2	Skytek LLC	$18.7M	6%
3	Standard Communications Inc	$15.6M	5%
4	Mgi, Inc.	$13.5M	4%
5	Kar Contracting LLC	$12.9M	4%

These are the largest recipients across this agency and NAICS code, not the incumbent of this RFP. Concentration feeds the Competition & access factor.

How this market feeds the score

Value	Competition & access	Issuer & market
−6.7	+5.9	+3.8
Small typical award (~$124K)	Full and open	Active buyer ($323M FY24–FY26)

Federal award history: contract award types A–D, FY24–FY26, updated Nov 13, 2026.

04 Requirements & logistics

Facts from the notice. Confirm every requirement and date on the official notice before responding.

Eligibility

SET-ASIDE

Full and open competition: any responsible business may respond.

NAICS

238210 Electrical Contractors and Other Wiring Installation Contractors

PRODUCT / SERVICE CODE

Y1PZ

Place & submission

PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

Not stated

HOW TO SUBMIT

As instructed in the official solicitation

OFFICIAL SOLICITATION

Open the official solicitation at rfpdetector.com (free account)

Contacts

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Documents

No documents are listed on the notice.

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This RFP is closed

Responses are no longer accepted, so the response checklist is omitted. The facts above stay available for reference and for similar bids; see similar open RFPs and more from this issuer on page 5.

05 Related RFPs

Open RFPs with the same NAICS industry group or category (same state first, then by score), and more from this issuer. Each title links to its page on RFP Detector.

Similar open RFPs

- A | 100 **Naval Surface Warfare Center Philadelphia Division (NSWCPD) Indefinite Delivery Indefinit...**
  Department of the Navy · Due Jan 15
- A | 98 **W9127N27BA005 Foster Spillway Gate Nut Replacements and Re-Tensioning**
  Department of the Army · Due Dec 16
- A | 97 **USACE SPK DBB Construction - LAR C3B South - Sacramento, CA**
  Department of the Army · Due Jan 5
- A | 96 **USACE SPK DBB Construction - LAR C3B North - Sacramento, CA**
  Department of the Army · Due Dec 18
- A | 95 **Construct Egress JBPHH HI**
  Department of the Army · Due Jan 19

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- F | 31 **Grease Trap Service-FY27 Base-Tomah VAMC - December 2026 - November 2027**
  Department of Veterans Affairs · Due Nov 27
- C | 50 **Lakeside CBOC Parking Contract**
  Department of Veterans Affairs · Due Nov 30
- D | 37 **Great Lakes Region Durable Medical Equipment (DME) Delivery Services**
  Department of Veterans Affairs · Due Nov 30
- C | 61 **Karl Storz Laryngoscope Protection1 Comprehensive Service at Edward Hines Jr. VA Hospital**
  Department of Veterans Affairs · Due Dec 1

Data and as-of times

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