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Medical Grade Gas Cylinder Lease for Asheville VAMC

Department of Veterans Affairs › 246-Network Contracting Office 6 (36c246)

Solicitation 36C24626Q0873

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RFP DETECTOR SCORE

High data confidence

Score at publication: 48 (D)

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

Limited (D, 48/100): posted today, SDVOSB set-aside (strong incumbent); but small typical award (~$56K).

−10.5 Value | +9.0 Freshness | −4.3 Clarity & completeness | +2.7 Competition & access

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

At a glance

ESTIMATED VALUE	SET-ASIDE	NAICS	PSC
~$56K Estimated: median award, FY24–FY26	SDVOSB set-aside Set-aside code SDVOSBC	325120 Industrial Gas Manufacturing	6830 Product / service code
PLACE OF PERFORMANCE	**POSTED**	**RESPONSE DUE**	**LISTING**
Asheville, North Carolina	Aug 4, 2026	Aug 14, 2026, 10:00 AM EDT Closed	Official federal notice Updated Aug 4, 2026

Our summary

Department of Veterans Affairs (246-Network Contracting Office 6 (36c246)) posted a presolicitation notice titled “Medical Grade Gas Cylinder Lease for Asheville VAMC” under solicitation number 36C24626Q0873. It was posted on Aug 4, 2026. The response deadline was Aug 14, 2026, 10:00 AM EDT. It is classified under NAICS 325120 (Industrial Gas Manufacturing) and product/service code 6830. The set-aside is listed as Service-Disabled Veteran-Owned Small Business (SDVOSB) Set-Aside (FAR 19.14). The place of performance is Asheville, North Carolina. The listed point of contact is Kristine Woodbury, Contracting...

Summary by RFP Detector.

Timeline

- **Posted** Aug 4
- **Response due** Aug 14
- **Archive** Nov 21

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		−10.5	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 80%
No value published. Typical award is about $56K: the median of 677 VA contracts over $25K awarded in NAICS 325120, FY24–FY26.				
Competition & access	MEASURED		+2.7	−18.0 / +18.0 w 20 · conf 100%
Service-disabled veteran-owned small business set-aside. The largest recipient took 46% of these dollars in FY24–FY26, so expect a strong incumbent.				
Issuer & market	MEASURED		+2.0	−23.4 / +12.6 w 20 · conf 100%
VA obligated $74.5M on NAICS 325120 across 888 contracts in FY24–FY26. 112 other notices from this office in the past 12 months.				
Time & stage	MEASURED		−0.5	−14.9 / +12.2 w 15 · conf 100%
Presolicitation: 10 days to respond (due Aug 14, 2026, 10:00 AM EDT).				
Clarity & completeness	ESTIMATED		−4.3	−18.9 / +8.1 w 15 · conf 75%
Documents not listed, named contact with email and phone, 5-word description.				
Freshness	MEASURED		+9.0	−9.0 / +9.0 w 10 · conf 100%
Posted today.				

Starts at 50 · contributions sum to **48.4**

Score at publication **48** **(D)**

Score trend

Recorded whenever the score changes, last 30 days

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

Evaluated Aug 4, 2026, 1:00 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 325120. Award counts and sizes cover new awards in FY24–FY26; dollars are obligations in the same window.

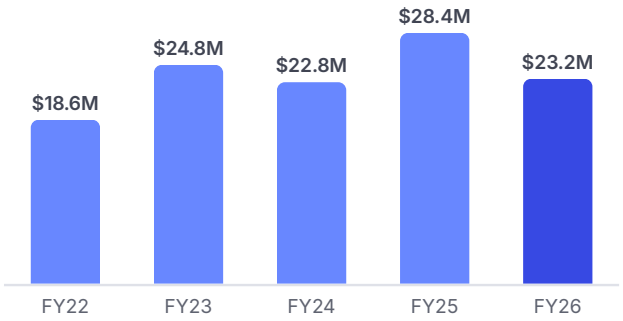
CONTRACTS AWARDED
888
New awards, FY24–FY26

TOTAL OBLIGATED
$74.5M
Obligated FY24–FY26

MEDIAN AWARD OVER $25K
$56K
677 awards above $25K

Obligations by fiscal year

Department of Veterans Affairs, NAICS 325120



Award size

VA NAICS 325120 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	Ras Enterprises LLC	$34.4M	46%
2	Rcg Of North Carolina, LLC	$12.5M	17%
3	Paula F Price Enterprises LLC	$10.1M	14%
4	Medical Equipment & Supplies Of America LLC	$2.6M	4%
5	Stripes Global, Inc.	$2M	3%

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 −10.5
Small typical award (~$56K)

Competition & access +2.7
SDVOSB set-aside (strong incumbent)

Issuer & market +2.0
Active buyer ($74.5M 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

Service-disabled veteran-owned small business set-aside: only businesses holding this status may respond.

NAICS

325120 Industrial Gas Manufacturing

PRODUCT / SERVICE CODE

6830

Place & submission

PLACE OF PERFORMANCE

Asheville, North Carolina

HOW TO SUBMIT

As instructed in the official solicitation

OFFICIAL SOLICITATION

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

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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

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  Department of the Navy · Due Dec 9
- C | 64 **K1000ULE Block II Upgrade**
  US Special Operations Command (USSOCOM) · Due Dec 9
- C | 63 **Procurement of VMEP ECA Basic Kit**
  US Coast Guard · Due Dec 7
- C | 63 **Overhaul of the Wheels, Brakes and associated components to support the HC-144 and HC-27J...**
  US Coast Guard · Due Dec 18
- C | 62 **Recon Specialized equipment**
  Department of the Navy · Due Nov 18

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- F | 22 **Dumpster Area Roll Up Door Replacement**
  Department of Veterans Affairs · Due Nov 27
- C | 54 **ORControl Board Service - Healthcare Control Systems Inc.**
  Department of Veterans Affairs · Due Nov 30
- F | 26 **Police Ballistic Vests**
  Department of Veterans Affairs · Due Nov 30
- D | 37 **Loading Dock Concrete Repairs**
  Department of Veterans Affairs · Due Dec 2

Data and as-of times

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