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DAS Contract Information

The following contracts were issued during the last 15 days.

Contract Number:	Contract Name:	For:	Contract Term:
<u>06PSX0396</u>	Printing: Claim/Check Form UC-610/611	Department of Labor	Date of Award through December 31, 2007
<u>06PSX0364</u>	Repair of Regular Overhead Doors and Mega Doors for the Department of Transportation - New Haven and Fairfield Counties	Department of Transportation	Date of Award through June 30, 2010
<u>06PSX0359</u>	Snowblowing and Snow Removal Services	Department of Public Works	November 1, 2006 through March 31, 2008
<u>06PSX0372</u>	Stump Removal Services	Military Department	Date of award through 45 working days from date of awarded purchase order number to complete project
<u>06PSX0363</u>	Snow Removal Services	DMR West Region	Date of Award through April 30, 2008
<u>06PSX0337</u>	Laser Printing and Mailing Processing Services	Department of Administrative Services	November 1, 2006 through June 30, 2009
<u>06PSX0283</u>	Post, Wood 6" (CCA Pressure Treated)	Department of Transportation	November 1, 2006 through October 31, 2008
<u>06PSX0332</u>	Snow Plowing and Removal Services	Department of Public Works	November 1, 2006 or first active snowfall through April 30, 2008
<u>06PSX0333</u>	Snow Plowing and Snow Removal Services	Department of Public Works	November 1, 2006 or first active snowfall through April 30, 2008
<u>06PSX0349</u>	Rubbish and Cardboard Removal Services for Fleet Operations in Norwich and Fleet Operations/Surplus Warehouse	Department of Administrative Services	November 1, 2006 through October 31, 2009
<u>06PSX0345</u>	Maintenance and Repair Services on a XEROX DOCUTECH PP135 Production Publisher	Department of Motor Vehicles	November 1, 2006 through October 31, 2009
<u>06PSX0140</u>	Armored Car Service	All Using State Agencies, Political Subdivisions and Not-for-Profit Organizations	November 1, 2006 through December 31, 2009
<u>06PSX0342</u>	Snowplowing and Snow Removal Services at All DMR-North Region Group Homes.	Department of Mental Retardation - North Region	November 1, 2006 through October 31, 2008
<u>06PSX0360</u>	Snowplowing and Snow Removal Services for DPW properties located at 10 Clinton Street and 79 Elm Street, Hartford	Department of Public Works	November 1, 2006 through April 30, 2008
<u>06PSX0296</u>	Imaging, Indexing and Archiving Services for the Department of Revenue Services	Department of Revenue Services	January 1, 2007 through December 31, 2008
<u>06PSX0344</u>	Custodial Services for the DOT District 1	Department of Transportation	November 1, 2006 through October 31, 2009
<u>06PSX0321</u>	Rubbish Removal Services for Connecticut Mental Health Center	DMHAS	November 1, 2006 through September 30, 2008
<u>06PSX0353</u>	Custodial Services for the Connecticut Fire Prevention and Control's Connecticut Fire Academy, Windsor Locks	Commission on Fire Prevention and Control	November 1, 2006 through October 31, 2007
<u>06PSX0270</u>	Rental of Tandem Axle Dump Trucks, Tri-Axle Dump Trucks, Front or Rear Discharge Trucks without Dump Bodies, and Trailer Type Dump Trucks, WITH OPERATORS.	Department of Transportation, All Using State Agencies and Political Subdivisions of the State	Date of Award through August 31, 2008
<u>06PSX0341</u>	Snow Removal at Bradley International Airport.	Department of Transportation	November 1, 2006 through April 30, 2007
<u>06PSX0351</u>	Snowplowing and Snow Removal Services at the Connecticut Fire Academy.	Connecticut Fire Academy	November 1, 2006 through April 30, 2010
<u>06PSX0334</u>	Inspection and Repair of Fire and Burglar Alarm Systems at DMR South Region	Department of Mental Retardation South Region	November 1, 2006 through October 31, 2010

Are you maximizing your spending power?

If your organization is a regular user of the many state contracts that are set up for use by state agencies, towns, municipalities and political subdivisions then you are already familiar with the low prices you receive by using these contracts. However, you might not be aware that you could be saving even more money by making sure that you are taking advantage of any early payment incentives as well as available rebates for large volume purchases.

Some of the contracts that DAS has negotiated such as the Food Distribution Contract ([04PSX0033](#)) and the Maintenance, Repair and Operations contract ([04PSX0028](#)) contain provisions for rebates if a certain volume is reached or a certain dollar amount is spent. Also, there are some contracts that offer a prompt payment discount for faster payment of invoices. In some cases, where spending is high, this could result in the saving of thousands of dollars just by paying invoices faster.

The next time you place an order using a state contract, take a look at the payment terms to see if any special quick payment incentives have been negotiated and also check the terms and conditions to see if there is any rebate language included with the contract. By taking full advantage of the cost savings opportunities that have been negotiated into our contracts, you will insure that you are spending your organization's dollars in the most cost effective manner.

If you have questions on rebates or quick payment incentives, please don't hesitate to contact the contract specialist for that particular contract.

Catalog Shopping?

Use this link to access the listing of the vendors, contract numbers and contract names that have been loaded into the **Core-CT** catalog.

Contracts Expiring

Click on the list of "Contracts Issued/Expiring In Last/Next 30/60/90/120 Days." Choose the radio button marked "Expiring Contracts" and select the time frame. Then click "Get Contracts". That's all there is to it! [Contract Search](#)

Bid Notice Postings

To view the entire DAS bid notice listing, click on the following hyperlink to go to our web page [DAS Bid Notices](#).

Certification Central

We have made it even easier for you to see which Connecticut vendors have recently become certified! Use the link we have provided to access the listing of [New Set-Aside Vendors certified in the last 7 days](#).

New Subscription Policy for BuyLines

A new list service has been designed for BuyLines subscribers. If you'd like to subscribe, simply email the automated listserv at imailsrv@list.state.ct.us. In the body of the email type "Subscribe BuyLines YourFirstName YourLastName" ...that's it! You'll now start receiving DAS Procurement's BuyLines newsletter whenever it's published.

And it's just as easy to unsubscribe. Simply email the listserv at imailsrv@list.state.ct.us, and type "Unsubscribe BuyLines" in the body of the message.

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Please have your information into our listserv database by December 31.