



# BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY Notice and Request for Sole Source

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PROC	<i>BPM</i> <small>Digitally signed by Brent T. Nakatsuka Date: 2026.05.27 12:24:00 -10'00'</small>
FIN	Daniel Huang <small>Digitally signed by Daniel Huang Date: 2026.05.28 11:59:28 -10'00'</small>
FIN	Kristopher Lum Kee <small>Digitally signed by Kristopher Lum Kee Date: 2026.05.28 13:48:40 -10'00'</small>
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DATE: May 15, 2026

TO: ERNEST Y. W. LAU, P.E.  
MANAGER AND CHIEF ENGINEER

FROM: Erwin Kawata, Water System Operations

Name of Requesting Division Head/ Division

Erwin Kawata  
Digitally signed by Erwin Kawata  
Date: 2026.05.20  
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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR SOLE SOURCE AWARD

Pursuant §103D-306, Hawaii Revised Statutes (HRS), and Subchapter 9, Chapter 3-122 of the Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR), I am requesting sole source approval to purchase the following:

1. Vendor Name & Address Clipper Controls, Inc 660 Bercut Drive, Sacramento, CA 95811		2. Amount of the contract. \$23,017.44	
3. Term of the contract. One time purchase		4. Prior sole source contract numbers and dates. BWS 18-01-SS - July 31, 2017; BWS 20-03-SS - December 24, 2019, BWS 22-01-SS - July 27, 2021	
5. Description of the goods to be purchased. (Attach additional sheets if needed.) Portable Ultrasonic Clamp-on Flow Meter - General Electric Panametrics Transport PT900 with transducers and hard-shell carrying case			
6. Explanation how the unique features, characteristics or capabilities are essential for the BWS to accomplish its work. (Attach additional sheets if needed.) -Compact design allows for greater flexibility in applications -Flowmeter provides high accuracy measurements -Bluetooth capability allows monitoring from a safe distance if necessary -User friendly design allows for installation			
7. Describe the efforts and results in determining that this is the only vendor who can provide the goods, services, or construction. (Attach additional sheets if needed.) As the only Hawaii distributor from Panametrics a Baker Hughes Company, Clipper Controls is the only distributor of the Transport PT900 Flowmeter.			

8. Other possible sources for the goods, services or construction that were investigated but do not meet the BWS's needs. (Attach additional sheets if needed.)

As the only Hawaii distributor from Panametrics a Baker Hughes Company, Clipper Controls is the only distributor of the Transport PT900 Flowmeter.

I certify that the information provided is to the best of my knowledge, true and correct and that the goods described above are available through only one (1) source.

Name / Title: Jessica Yee Requestor Phone 808-748-5819

Date of Public Notice posting: 5/29/26 to \_\_\_\_\_

The Manager and Chief Engineer as the Chief Procurement Officer for the BWS is in the process of reviewing this request for Sole Source pursuant to HRS §103D-306. Submit written objections to this notice within seven (7) calendar days or as otherwise allowed from the above posted date to:

Manager and Chief Engineer  
Board of Water Supply  
630 South Beretania Street, Room 201  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96748  
Email: FN\_Procurement@HBWS.org

**REVIEWED AS TO PROCUREMENT FORM**

PROCUREMENT OFFICE

**CERTIFIED AS TO AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS**

Leanne Matsumoto Digitally signed by Leanne Matsumoto  
Date: 2026.05.28 14:00:48 -10'00'

FINANCE

**CONTRACT TYPE** (Select one):

Completion Contract  Term Contract

**METHOD OF FUNDING**

(Select one of the following):

Purchase Order (Certification of Funds will be completed as part of the Purchase Requisition Review and Approval process.)

Price Schedule Contract \_\_\_\_\_

Funding / Contract No.

Encumbered Not Encumbered

Standard Contract \_\_\_\_\_

Funding / Contract No.

**MANAGER AND CHIEF ENGINEER COMMENTS**

APPROVED  NOT APPROVED

ERNEST Y. W. LAU, P.E.  
MANAGER AND CHIEF ENGINEER

1. Scan and attach all supporting documents to this Form.
2. Division Head digitally signs the Form.
3. Email the signed Form to FN\_Procurement
4. Email Subject heading format: SS\_PRO – Project Title/Description  
Example: SS\_PRO – Sensus Meters

DIVISION ROUTING	



1100 Technology Park Dr  
Billerica, MA 01821, USA

11<sup>th</sup> March 2026  
Andrew Durrant

To whom it may concern:

This letter is an official statement from Panametrics LLC that Clipper Controls is our primary, contracted, authorized Measurement Controls Rep, with primary sales responsibility for the following territories:

- Northern California
- Northern Nevada
- Hawaii

As our business partner, Clipper Controls is allowed to specify, submit quotations, extend previously approved warranties and act in the best interest of Panametrics LLC, as the factory would do upon any of its numerous clients and customers.

Clipper Controls is headquartered at:

660 Bercut Drive

Sacramento, CA 95811, USA.

This document is valid through June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2026

Sincerely,

**Andrew J. Durrant** | Panametrics, Sales Manager, Western Region | Crane | M: +1 415 307 7105

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