

MEPNN Supplier Scouting Opportunity Synopsis

Section 1: General Information

Scouting Number	2026-103
Item to be Scouted	BABA Compliant Plumbing Fittings & Pipe Accessories
Days to be scouted	30
Response Due By	04/24/2026

Section 2: Technical Information

Type of supplier being sought	Other
Details	Distributor / Manufacturer
Reason	BABA
Describe the manufacturing processes (elaborate to provide as much detail as possible)	Domestic components in each of the BABAA compliant manufactured products must exceed 55% of the total component cost and be assembled in the United States. May involve but is not limited to Die-casting or extrusion for aluminum parts or injection molding for plastic parts, CNC machining, powder coating or anodizing, painting or polishing, soldering, electrical assembly and/or mechanical assembly
Provide dimensions / size / tolerances / performance specifications for the item	See attached specs and mechanical schedule for more information.
List required materials needed to make the product, including materials of product components	See attached specs and mechanical schedule for more information.
Are there applicable certification requirements?	Yes
Details	Must be able to submit BABAA manufactured product self-certification manufactured product letter that details a compliant product.
Are there applicable regulations?	No
Are there any other standards, requirements, etc.?	No
Additional Technical Comments	See attached specs and mechanical schedule for more information.

Description	<p>BABA Compliant: GALVINIZED FITTINGS 1/2" BRASS CAP F 1" BRASS COUPLER FXF 1" X 2" NIPPLE PVC SCH 80 1" X 6" NIPPLE BRASS 1-1/4" MATCO 1-1/4 TXT BR CROSS HDL GATE VLV</p> <p>Piping Accessories (Fittings, Unions, Etc.) Insulation</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Premolded insulation sections: Premolded insulation sections shall meet the requirements for the adjacent insulation. 2. Tape <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. All service jacket tape: Provide tape with pressure sensitive adhesive suitable for sealing all service jacket on chilled and dual temperature piping system. Tape shall provide a vapor barrier. b. PVC sealing tape: Provide PVC sealing tape with pressure sensitive adhesive suitable for use with pre-molded PVC insulation covers. Tape shall provide a vapor barrier. Tape shall be white and 10 mil thick. 3. Glass cloth: Provide white 20 x 10 mesh resin-treated glass cloth. 4. Vapor barrier mastic: Mastic shall be a water-base product suitable for spraying or trowel application. Color shall be white. Water vapor permeance (ASTM E 398) shall be 3.0 perm at 1/16 in. dry film thickness new and 1.0 perm when aged. Surface temperature range shall be -20 to 180 degrees. 5. Insulating and finishing cement: Provide a high temperature mineral fiber cement with a hydraulic-setting binder (asbestos free) suitable for service to 1200 degrees, complying with ASTM C 449. Cement shall have a k-value of 0.97 Btu-in/hr-sq ft/degree at 400 degrees mean temperature. Cement shall be suitable for troweled application and set up to a smooth hard white finish. Surface shall be suitable for painting, or weatherproofing for outside service. 6. PVC jacketing and fitting covers: PVC fitting covers shall be used with fiberglass inserts or with fiberglass pipe insulation cut to the shape of the cover. Inserts shall meet the temperature requirements for fiberglass pipe insulation. Covers and jacketing shall meet the 25/50 flame and smoke developed ratings of ASTM E 84. Covers and jacketing shall be white, 20 mil thickness and be suitable for surface temperatures up to 150 degrees. Covers and jacketing used external to building shall be 30 mil thickness. 7. Metal jacket pipe and fitting covers shall be 0.016 thick aluminum or stainless steel. 8. Laminated Protective Jacketing: Provide <5 ply> <13 ply> laminated jacketing with acrylic adhesive, in <smooth> or <embossed>, <aluminum> <black> <white> finish to cover all insulated piping, fittings, duct and equipment for weather and moisture protection. <p>Vapor barrier coating: Provide white, flexible, fire resistive vapor barrier coating. Permeance shall be 0.05 perm at 0.055 in. dry film thickness. Coating shall be good for temperatures at coating of 0 to 150 degrees</p>
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State item to be used in	Colorado
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Section 4: Business Information

Estimated potential business volume	TBD post selection. Quantity not determined at this time. Cost should be the best available, and cannot increase the project cost by 25%.
Estimated target price / unit cost information (if unavailable explain)	TBD post selection. Cost should be the best available, and cannot increase the project cost by 25%.
When is it needed by?	Q3 - 4 2026
Describe packaging requirements	Best available. Must arrive undamaged. Specifics discussed in negotiation.
Where will this item be shipped?	Colorado

Additional Comments

Is there other information you would like to include?	<p>Agency providing funds - HUD Name/POC for BABA related questions - Sullivan Staires Email address of contact - Sullivan.Staires@okalliance.com</p> <p>Nationwide Search</p> <p>Provide written documentation in response to the Supplier Scouting request for being a current Build America Buy America Act compliant Plumbing Fittings & Pipe Accessories manufacturer with experience in manufacturing the system components, meeting the product performance requirements.</p> <p>Information on BABAA compliance requirements can be found at the Made in America Office link https://www.madeinamerica.gov/.</p> <p>Switchgrass Apartments</p>
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