

February 20, 2018

To: NJPA Cooperative Purchasing Vendor Community
From: Mr. Marcus Miller, General Counsel and Director of Government Relations
Re: NJPA to be formally known as Sourcewell

National Joint Powers Alliance (NJPA) will formally be known as Sourcewell beginning the summer of 2018. The NJPA board of directors voted unanimously to change the organization's name to Sourcewell. Documentation has been formally submitted and Sourcewell has been registered and trademarked both federally and in Minnesota with the appropriate agencies. As of June 6, 2018 NJPA will begin operating under the name Sourcewell.

NJPA has worked intentionally to mitigate the implications of this change to current and potential members, currently awarded vendors, and other existing partners. Following June 6th, Sourcewell will maintain and continue to recognize the National Joint Powers Alliance name. Membership agreements, contracts and agreements entered into with the National Joint Powers Alliance name will remain valid and continue in effect without impact. This will ensure contractual continuity and safeguard any disruptions to engagement with Sourcewell or NJPA. This includes membership, use of cooperative purchasing contracts, or other binding contractual engagements.

For all other inquiries relating to the name change from NJPA to Sourcewell, please call or email the contract administration team.

