

# Trusted advisors focused on your success



## Plante Moran & Equalis Group

*Publicly Procured Contract Vehicle*

### Plante Moran Contract Highlights

- Access to independent advice and counsel based on proven technology management practices and solutions rather than vendor relationships.
- Assistance with improving the effectiveness and efficiency of your IT support function with technology/process assessment consulting.
- Confidence in a proven project approach, including a robust and flexible set of tools and templates refined through experience with numerous public sector clients.
- Leverage our successful track record of assisting public sector clients with technology assessments, planning, design, and selection of ERP software and instructional technology and IT infrastructure, as well as cybersecurity and data analytics.

### Who is Plante Moran?

Plante Moran is among the nation's largest management consulting and accounting firms. For 75+ years, public sector organizations have trusted us to provide technology, financial, and operational services. We serve more than 200 public sector clients, and we have a thorough knowledge of public sector trends, issues, and best practices.

You'll benefit from the security of knowing there will be no unwanted surprises because of upfront planning, regular communications, and early identification of issues that will be resolved before project-end. We listen to what you need, and we deliver on time.

**Save Time...** we've done the procurement work so you don't have to.

**Save Money...** your dollar goes further with the collective buying power of Equalis Group.

**Stay Legal...** our competitive procurement process delivers statutory compliance in every state.

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**Lead Agency:** Region 10 ESC

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## Get Started



**Learn more about how we can help you achieve your procurement goals while Saving Time, Saving Money & Staying Legal. Email [Engage@EqualisGroup.org](mailto:Engage@EqualisGroup.org) or visit [EqualisGroup.org/Map](http://EqualisGroup.org/Map) to connect with your dedicated Member Engagement Resource today.**

# Created by Public Sector Organizations for Public Sector Organizations



## Who is Equalis Group?

Equalis Group is a Member-Driven, Supplier-Centric organization that embodies the power of partnership. Equalis Group operates with the guiding principle that when the objectives of buyers and sellers are aligned, sustainable value is created, transcending that of the typical short-term transactional relationship. With this differentiated approach, Equalis Group is not just a cooperative purchasing organization; we are a family.

We leverage Equalis Group members' combined buying power to command better pricing and favorable contract

terms from suppliers. We develop and administer a diverse portfolio of cooperative purchasing programs that cover a wide range of products and services and provide our members with a legal and compliant exemption to the bid/request for proposals (RFP) process.

Each program in our rapidly growing portfolio provides our members with contracting compliance and the ability to configure the solution that best meets their individual needs while achieving the lowest Total Cost of Ownership.

## Time Saved through Equalis Group = More Resources for You to Invest

How many hours and over how many weeks or months does your team invest in a typical solicitation process? How many solicitations does your organization publish each year? How much time and effort can your organization save by leveraging Equalis Group's already-procured portfolio of programs? In what ways can you re-invest that saved time and energy to fulfill your organization's purpose?

### Your Solicitation Process Today



### Your Implementation Process with Equalis Group



## *Become a Member of Equalis Group*

If you are not already a member, you can join Equalis Group in just minutes and immediately access our portfolio of cooperative purchasing programs. Simply visit [www.equalisgroup.org/member-registration](http://www.equalisgroup.org/member-registration) to get started. There are no dues, fees, or obligations.