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Cooperative Purchasing Overview





Eligible Agencies

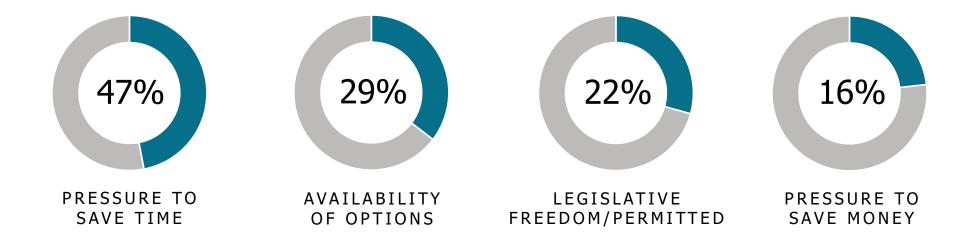
- Cities & Towns
- Counties
- State Agencies
- Universities & Colleges
- K-12 School Districts
- Special Districts (Housing Authorities, Airports, Water Districts, etc.)
- Non-Profits (Churches, Associations, etc.)

Trends in Use of Cooperative Purchasing

- 20% of state, local government, and education (SLED) spend is through cooperative purchasing.
- 2%-5% increase every 3 years
- Greater awareness/realization of benefits
 of Cooperative Purchasing
- Increase of available contracts



Why Public Agencies Use Cooperatives



OMNIA Partners Public Sector Overview

OMNIA Partners Key Differentiators



<u>Resources</u> – Both human and technology resources. We have a growing team with subject matter experts available for you to lean on for support



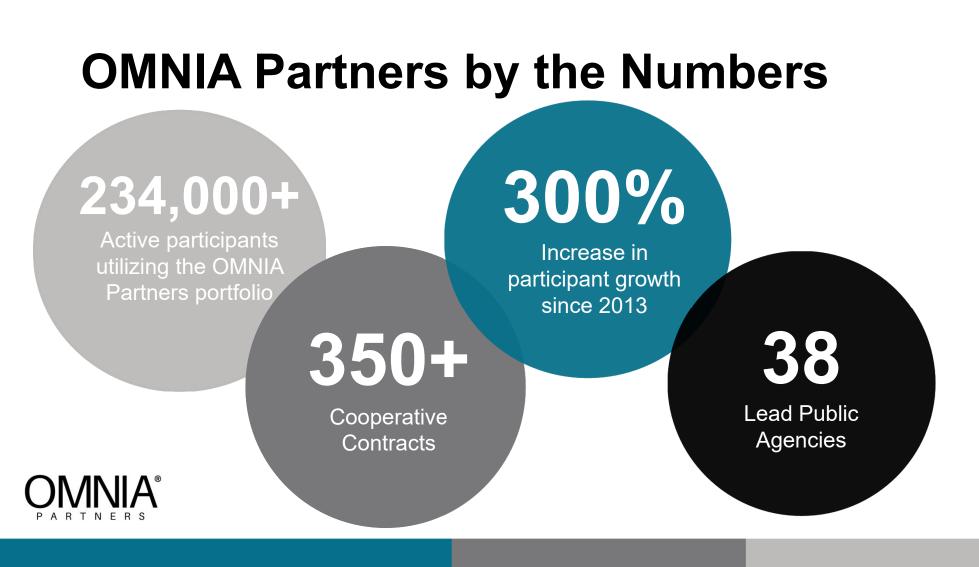
Largest Cooperative – Providing the power of volume and reach nationally and across all public sector markets



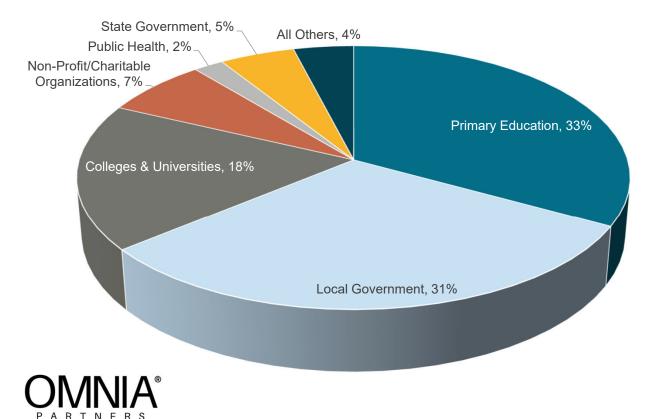
Full Catalog Offering – Your contract is designed to cover the broad scope of your products and services to offer your customers overall best value



Lead Agency Model – OMNIA Partners pioneered the use of the Lead Agency Model as a way for public agencies to piggyback on your contracts



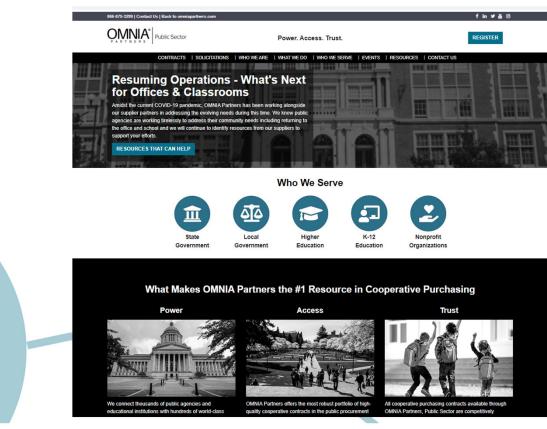
Participation by Segment



- Primary Education
- Local Government
- Colleges & Universities
- Non-Profit/Charitable Organizations
- Public Health
- State Government
- All Others

OMNIA Partners Website

www.omniapartners.com/publicsector





Lead Agency Solicitation Process

Lead Agency Contracting Process

The lead public agency prepares a competitive solicitation

The lead agency issues the solicitation and conducts pre-proposal conference

Interested suppliers respond to the solicitation The lead agency evaluates the responses and awards the cooperative contract/master agreement

Award documentation is available to the public – no FOIA or special requests necessary

Two Key Points to Remember:

- The lead agency owns the contracting process as well as the resulting award to the supplier.
- All solicitation and award documentation is posted on the OMNIA Partners, Public Sector website (<u>www.omniapartners.com/publicsector</u>) and is available in the documentation section of each awarded agreement.



Our Lead Agencies





Contract Categories

- Athletic
- Apparel
- Automotive Parts
- Business Products, Machines & Services
- Construction
- Consulting & Professional Services
- Disaster Preparedness, Relief & Restoration

- Equipment Rental
- Facilities/Grounds
 Maintenance
- Flooring
- Food
- Furniture
- Grounds Keeping & Irrigation
- Heavy Equipment
- HVAC
- Janitorial

- Maintenance & Operations
- Managed Print Solutions
- Office Supplies
- Oracle
- Playground Equipment
- Roofing
- School Supplies
- Technology
- Travel
- Many More!









Questions?

