



## Cooperative Purchasing Connection Participation Agreement

The Cooperative Purchasing Connection (CPC) is a joint program of eight Service Cooperatives in Minnesota. The Service Cooperatives are public entities, created under Minnesota Statute 123A.21, whose purpose is to conduct joint activities that will result in cost savings and enhanced services for schools, governmental units, and nonprofit entities. CPC is established and operates under MN Statute 123A.21, and MN Statute 471.59, Joint Exercise of Powers. We have established a category of participation for eligible organizations interested in utilizing the CPC contracts for goods and services established under MN Statute 471.345, Uniform Municipal Contracting Law and South Dakota Codified Laws, Chapter 5-18A-37, Cooperation and Agreements with Other State and Federal Purchasing Agencies. This CPC participation agreement does not require a membership fee to the service cooperatives.

This participation agreement is made effective by and between CPC and the eligible organization signing this agreement.

1. CPC will offer its contracts for goods and services for purchases of supplies, equipment, and services for use within the Participant's organization.
2. The Participant will adhere to the original terms and conditions of the CPC contracts.
3. The Participant agrees to be responsible for all aspects of the procurement process when purchasing from a CPC contracted vendor. Any dispute which may arise between the Participant and the CPC contracted vendor will be resolved between the Participant and the CPC contracted vendor.
4. This Agreement will become effective on the date listed below and will remain in effect until canceled by either party with written notice to the other party.

Participant:

Cooperative Purchasing Connection

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Authorized Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Authorized Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

Name of Organization		
Name of Contact		
Address		
City/State/Zip		
Email		
Phone	Fax	
<b>Please include a copy of your sales tax exemption certificate/ST3.</b>		

Questions? Call our friendly staff at 888-739-3289.  
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