

Buy Through TIPS. No RFP Required.

Network infrastructure, systems, and cybersecurity professional services, available now to TIPS member agencies nationwide.

TIPS CONTRACT 260202

Security Systems, Products, and Services

Awarded April 23, 2026 | All 50 states

Hands on security engineering, assessments, incident response, security training, and managed security.

TIPS CONTRACT 260601

Consulting and Other Related Services

Awarded August 25, 2026 | All 50 states

Defined scope advisory across network, systems, identity, cloud, continuity, and IT strategy. Your team implements; we design, set standards, and validate.

WHY BUY THROUGH TIPS

- **Procurement is already done.** Both contracts were competitively solicited and awarded by TIPS, so member agencies can issue a purchase order without running their own solicitation.
- **Discounted, published pricing.** Every line carries the TIPS member discount off catalog rates. The TIPS administration fee is built in, never added as a line item.
- **Supplier diversity credit.** A Texas HUB, VetHUB, SDVOSB, VOSB, and MBE certified firm supports your HUB and diversity spend goals on every engagement.
- **Services only.** No hardware resale and no product markup. We work on the equipment and licenses you already own.
- **Free membership.** Public agencies, school districts, colleges, and qualifying nonprofits join TIPS at no cost.

WHAT YOU CAN BUY

Service area	TIPS 260202	TIPS 260601
Network Infrastructure	Network security engineering: firewall, segmentation, VPN and SD WAN, access control. Network security assessment.	Network architecture and design advisory. Network security architecture and policy advisory.
Systems, Identity, and Cloud	Security tool integration and migration.	Systems and server architecture advisory. Directory, identity, and Microsoft 365 architecture advisory. Cloud and hybrid architecture advisory. Systems and server infrastructure assessment.
Cybersecurity and Compliance	Vulnerability assessment. Compliance gap assessment, single or multi framework. Security policy development. Compliance advisory: CJIS, HIPAA, NIST 800-53, NIST CSF, PCI DSS, FERPA.	vCISO advisory as a 90 day defined engagement. Security policy advisory. Compliance and risk assessments.
Incident Readiness	Incident response plan development. Tabletop exercises. Incident response retainer and emergency response. Post incident review.	Not offered under 260601.
Continuity and Strategy	Not offered under 260202.	Storage, backup, and disaster recovery planning. IT strategic planning and technology roadmap.
Training	Security awareness training. IT and security staff technical training. Compliance framework training.	Technical training for IT staff.

HOW TO BUY IN FIVE STEPS

- 1. **Confirm TIPS membership.** Join free at tips-usa.com if your agency is not yet a member.
- 2. **Request a TIPS quote.** Contact Deadbolt with your scope. We return a written quote and scope of work referencing the applicable TIPS contract number.
- 3. **Issue your purchase order.** Make the PO payable to Deadbolt Networks LLC, mark it as a TIPS purchase, and reference the same contract number.
- 4. **Send it to TIPS.** Email the PO and our quote, merged into one PDF, to tipspo@tips-usa.com. TIPS verifies compliance, forwards the order to us, and sends you a compliance letter for your file.
- 5. **Work begins.** Deadbolt confirms receipt, schedules with your team, delivers, and invoices you directly.

Not sure which contract fits your project? Send us the scope and we will tell you which one applies before you write the PO.

ABOUT DEADBOLT NETWORKS

Deadbolt Networks LLC is a McKinney, Texas firm delivering network infrastructure, systems, and cybersecurity professional services to public sector and regulated organizations. The firm was founded by Nathaniel Chisley, Jr., a United States Air Force veteran with 25+ years in IT infrastructure and cybersecurity across government, healthcare, financial services, and education.

Our work is grounded in the frameworks public agencies are measured against: NIST, CJIS, HIPAA, PCI DSS, SOX, and FERPA. Deliverables are written for both technical staff and leadership, with prioritized findings your team can act on.

OTHER VEHICLES

- Texas DIR ITSAC through prime partners, for IT staff augmentation at state agencies and DIR customers.

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