## **ESU PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES**

## **Grants and Contracts**

PROCUREMENT OF SERVICES **						
ALLOWABLE \$ AMOUNT	PURCHASING METHOD	PROCESSING TIME FRAME	BID/QUOTE REQUIRED	INSTRUCTIONS/GUIDELINES		
\$1-\$599	Direct Charge	Approx. 1 week	No	Dept. contracts directly with service provider. Dept. signs, codes, and PI then sends the invoice to the OSPR/GA who will approve and send to Procurement/Accounts Payable to process payment.		
\$600-\$5,000	SAP	Approx. 3 weeks	3 informal written quotes; Service Purchase Contract (SPC) is required	Dept. secretary will put requisition through SAP on behalf of PI; or PI will input SAP requisition     Attach quotes to SAP requisition		
\$5,001-\$19,399	SAP	Approx. 6 weeks	3 written quotes or 3 suggested service providers (procurement may get the quotes); Service Purchase Contract (SPC) is required	Dept. secretary will put requisition through SAP on behalf of PI; or PI will input SAP requisition     Attach quotes to SAP requisition		
\$19,400 and up	SAP	Approx. 10 weeks (or longer depending on cost)	Competitive bid and public advertisement <i>required;</i> Service Purchase Contract (SPC) is required	Dept. secretary will put requisition through SAP on behalf of PI; or PI will input SAP requisition		

PROCUREMENT OF GOODS **							
ALLOWABLE \$ AMOUNT	PURCHASING METHOD	PROCESSING TIME FRAME	BID/QUOTE REQUIRED	INSTRUCTIONS/GUIDELINES			
\$1- \$100	PI's personal credit card or cash	Dependent upon vendor; reimbursement dependent upon submission of receipts and approvals	No	After purchase, fill out the <b>Reimbursement Request Form</b> , attach all original receipts and proof of personal payment (credit card statement, etc.) and submit to the OSPR/GA. <u>PI must sign all invoices</u> , reimbursements, etc. for grant funded purchases.			
\$1 - \$500	Dept. P-Card*	Approx. 1 week; shipping time dependent upon vendor	No	All departments have their own P-Card.  Dept. secretary will help PI place order with card directly from vendor.			
\$1 - \$1,499	Direct Charge	Approx. 1 week	No	PI/Dept. orders directly from vendor, whom upon delivery of goods includes an invoice. PI then signs and sends invoice to the OSPR/GA to approve and forward to Accounts Payable.			
\$1 - \$1,499	SAP	Approx. 1 to 3 weeks	No	Dept. secretary will put requisition through SAP on behalf of PI; or PI will input SAP requisition			
\$1,500-\$5,000	SAP	Approx. 3 weeks	3 informal written quotes or 3 suggested suppliers and procurement will get the quotes (their discretion)	Dept. secretary will put requisition through SAP on behalf of PI; or PI will input SAP requisition     Attach quotes to SAP requisition     Procurement may send RFP to additional vendors			
\$5,000-\$19,399	SAP	Approx. 6 weeks	3 written quotes or 3 suggested suppliers and procurement will get the quotes (their discretion)	<ul> <li>Dept. secretary will put requisition through SAP on behalf of PI; or PI will input SAP requisition</li> <li>Attach quotes to SAP requisition</li> <li>Procurement may send RFP to additional vendors</li> </ul>			
\$19,400 and up	SAP	Approx. 10 weeks (or longer depending on cost)	Competitive bid and public advertisement <i>required</i>	Dept. secretary will put requisition through SAP on behalf of PI; or PI will input SAP requisition			

<sup>\*</sup> The Procurement Card (P-Card) program is highly encouraged in lieu of a purchase requisition when the total cost of the commodities being purchased is \$500 or less. The card cannot be used to purchase services.

 $<sup>\</sup>ensuremath{^{**}}$  PI must sign all invoices, reimbursements, etc. for grant-funded purchases.