

MEPNN Supplier Scouting Opportunity Synopsis

Section 1: General Information

Scouting Number	2025-313
Item to be Scouted	BABA Compliant SDS Screws
Days to be scouted	26
Response Due By	09/29/2025
Description	BABA Compliant: Wood Screws and Lag Screws: ASME B18.2.1, ASME B18.6.1, or ICC-ES AC308

Section 2: Technical Information

Type of supplier being sought	Other
Details	BABAA-compliant self-certified manufacturers
Reason	BABA
Describe the manufacturing processes (elaborate to provide as much detail as possible)	Domestic components in each of the BABAA compliant manufactured products must exceed 55% of the total component cost and be assembled in the United States.
Provide dimensions / size / tolerances / performance specifications for the item	See attached specs and mechanical schedule for more information.
List required materials needed to make the product, including materials of product components	See attached specs and mechanical schedule for more information.
Are there applicable certification requirements?	Yes
Details	Build America, Buy America Act (BABAA) compliant
Are there applicable regulations?	Yes
Details	Must be able to submit BABAA manufactured product self-certification manufactured product letter that details a compliant product.
Are there any other standards, requirements, etc.?	No
Additional Technical Comments	See attached specs and mechanical schedule for more information.

Section 4: Business Information

Estimated potential business volume	TBD post selection. Cost should be the best available, and cannot increase the project cost by 25%.
Estimated target price / unit cost information (if unavailable explain)	TBD post selection. Cost should be the best available, and cannot increase the project cost by 25%.
When is it needed by?	Q1 2026
Describe packaging requirements	Must arrive undamaged
Where will this item be shipped?	Colorado

Additional Comments

Is there other information you would like to include?

Nationwide Search

Provide written documentation in response to the Supplier Scouting request of being a current Build America Buy America Act Wood Screws manufacturer with experience in manufacturing the system components, meeting the product performance requirements.

Information on BABAA compliance requirements can be found at the Made in America Office link <https://www.madeinamerica.gov/>

2. Dimension Lumber: 15 percent.

2.02 LUMBER

- A. Hand select wood for fence boards for freedom from characteristics, on exposed surfaces and edges, that would impair finish appearance, including decay, honeycomb, knot holes, shake, splits, torn grain, and wane.
- B. Dimension Lumber: [No. 2] grade and the following species:
 - 1. Western Red Cedar; NLGA, WCLIB, WWPA.
- C. Boards:
 - 1. Western red cedar, Grade A; NLGA, WCLIB, or WWPA.

2.03 POSTS

- A. Dimension Lumber Posts: No. 2 grade and the following species:
 - 1. Western woods; WCLIB or WWPA.

2.04 FASTENERS

- A. General: Provide fasteners of size and type indicated, acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction, and that comply with requirements specified in this article for material and manufacture. Provide nails or screws, in sufficient length, to penetrate not less than 1-1/2 inches into wood substrate.
 - 1. Use fasteners with hot-dip zinc coating complying with ASTM A153/A153M or ASTM F2329 unless otherwise indicated.
 - 2. For pressure-preservative-treated wood, use stainless steel fasteners.
- B. Nails: ASTM F1667.
- C. Power-Driven Fasteners: ICC-ES AC70.
- D. Wood Screws and Lag Screws: ASME B18.2.1, ASME B18.6.1, or ICC-ES AC233.
- E. Postinstalled Anchors: Stainless steel, anchors with capability to sustain, without failure, a load equal to 6 times the load imposed when installed in unit masonry assemblies and equal to 4 times the load imposed when installed in concrete as determined by testing according to ASTM E488, conducted by a qualified independent testing and inspecting agency.
 - 1. Stainless steel bolts and nuts complying with ASTM F593 and ASTM F594, Alloy Group 1 or 2.

2.05 METAL ACCESSORIES

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 PREPARATION

- A. Stain wood indicated to be stained, including both faces and edges. Cut to required lengths and stain ends. Comply with requirements in Section 09 9300 "Staining and Transparent Finishing."

3.02 INSTALLATION