

# MEPNN Supplier Scouting Opportunity Synopsis

## Section 1: General Information

Scouting Number	2025-195
Item to be Scouted	Various Merchandise Printing (US-Made)
Days to be scouted	14
Response Due By	07/02/2025
Description	Xplorer Maps ( <a href="https://xplorermaps.com/">https://xplorermaps.com/</a> ) prints map artwork onto dozens of consumer products. They are seeking domestic manufacturers to partner with for producing some of these items on US-made materials. This is a

## Section 2: Technical Information

Type of supplier being sought	(s) your clients are capable of producing. Contract manufacturer
Reason	These specific items we're looking for are: - Apparel, including Hoodies (ideally ultralight weight fabric, like UV-blocking variable, but materials should be made in the United States. - Hats (baseball-style, trucker hats)
Describe the manufacturing processes (elaborate to provide as much detail as possible)	Variable - L shirts (Bi or Tri soft blend, Higher end quality, with full sublimation) - "Festival" Blankets - one sided design for laying on the ground (concert, beach, etc)
Provide dimensions / size / tolerances / performance specifications for the item	Variable - Gift Wrap - preferably rolls, actual paper made in the USA - Swedish Dishcloths - domestically made cloth - Light Switch Plates - material made in USA, plastic if possible but other materials if that's what's made domestically
List required materials needed to make the product, including materials of product components	Variable - Socks - Full Sublimation on US- sourced fabrics - Other: - Bandanas
Are there applicable certification requirements?	No
Are there applicable regulations?	No
Are there any other standards, requirements, etc.?	No Cloth napkins Travel towels
Additional Technical Comments	Montana

## Section 4: Business Information

Estimated potential business volume	Medium - high volume.. 5,000 to 20,000 annually depending on the product. We're hoping for strong partnerships that can continue indefinitely.
Estimated target price / unit cost information (if unavailable explain)	Varies by product
When is it needed by?	End of 2025, or 2026
Describe packaging requirements	Whatever it takes to get it to Missoula undamaged.
Where will this item be shipped?	Missoula, MT

## Additional Comments

Is there other information you would like to include?	
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