BEWARE OF BID RIGGING
KNOW THE WARNING SIGNS

» Watch for patterns over time, such as competing vendors rotating as the winner or a vendor always winning regardless of competition.

» Research how many vendors could be expected to compete for a bid, and be wary when only a small percentage of them do.

» Keep an eye out for behavior suggesting that vendors worked together rather than competed for an award.

» Be on the lookout for proposals from different vendors that contain suspicious similarities.

To submit a tip about bid-rigging or other forms of collusion:

Call the Antitrust Section at 614-466-4328.

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Visit www.OhioAttorneyGeneral.gov/Antitrust and click “Antitrust Bid-Rigging Web Tip Form.”