

Use of Publicly Owned Equipment

The Project Manager should normally not allow the Contractor to use publicly owned equipment for performing contract work.

In an emergency, however, the Contractor may rent publicly owned equipment if the Project Manager gives written approval that such use is in the public interest and the rental does not increase the project cost.

Publicly owned equipment may be used, however, by a public agency in the performance of work under an Order for Force Work. The Order for Force Work must comply with the Change Orders/Force Account/Work by Public Forces section (15) of this Manual.