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SUBJECT: **Region One Purchasing Cooperative Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) / State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR) Aligned Assessment Item Bank Request for Proposal 16-AGENCY-000032-E1**

DATE: May 18, 2018

This request for proposal (RFP) allows Region One Education Service Center and its Region One Purchasing Cooperative (ROPC) members the opportunity to contract with qualified vendors for goods and/or services which include, but are not limited to, assessment items and delivery software capable of generating tests/worksheets, flash cards, and mirrored tests in Spanish and English at selected grade levels in each core content area, for use on an as-needed basis from qualified vendors. Price lists and/or catalogs have been provided by each vendor; each cooperative member must conduct a cost/price analysis for the procurement of the specific goods and/or services being requested within the scope of this RFP. Region One ESC and its ROPC members are responsible for the selection of goods and/or services available to meet their needs.

On August 2, 2017, the Region One ESC Purchasing Department, acting on behalf of its ROPC members, received three (3) responses to Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) / State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR) Aligned Assessment Item Bank, Proposal 16-AGENCY-000032.

On August 24, 2017 the Region One Education Service Center Board of Directors met to review and approve the recommendations of the Region One Purchasing Cooperative (ROPC), acting on behalf of its members, for award of Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) / State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR) Aligned Assessment Item Bank, Proposal 16-AGENCY-000032. Effective September 1, 2017 through August 31, 2018 with three (3) one-year extension options.

On May 17, 2018 the Region One ESC Board of Directors met to review and approve the recommendation for Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) / State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR) Aligned Assessment Item Bank RFP 16-AGENCY-000032, effective September 1, 2017 through August 31, 2018 with three (3) one-year extension options. On behalf of the ROPC membership, the current awarded vendors were offered the opportunity to extend their RFP for a one-year period. All vendors agreed to the extension. The term of this extension is effective September 1, 2018 through August 31, 2019 with two (2) additional one-year extension options if parties are in agreement.

The following three (3) vendors are awarded for Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills (TEKS) / State of Texas Assessments of Academic Readiness (STAAR) Aligned Assessment Item Bank Proposal 16-AGENCY-000032 based on the extension agreements received and, including pricing and services that meet the needs of our members:

Illuminate Education – Irvine, CA

TX Bank One – Edinburg, TX

SchoolCity, Inc. – Santa Clara, CA

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