



Region One Education Service Center

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TO: Vendor Addressed

FROM: Marc David García, Purchasing Specialist

SUBJECT: **Region One Purchasing Cooperative - Professional Consulting Services
RFP 21-AGENCY-000089, Extension 1 of 3**

DATE: December 15, 2021

This request for proposal (RFP) allows Region One Education Service Center and its Region One Purchasing Cooperative (ROPC) members the opportunity to contract with pre-qualified responsive and responsible vendors to provide Professional Consulting Services, such as, but not limited to grant writing/evaluation, professional development, compliance, education/training, benefits, food service/school nutrition, management, and security. ROPC members are required to conduct a cost or price analysis for the procurement of goods and/or services not listed in the items tab, and within the scope of services offered with this bid solicitation. ROPC members are responsible for the selection of goods and/or services available to meet their needs preferences.

On December 16, 2020, the Region One ESC Purchasing Department received twenty-seven (27) responses to Professional Consulting Services RFP 21-AGENCY-000089, one (1) response from Telemundo was a "No Bid", one (1) response from LB Specialties, Inc. was a duplicate, and therefore not considered.

On January 19, 2021, the Region One ESC Board of Directors met to review and approve the recommendations of the ROPC, acting on behalf of its members, for award of Professional Consulting Services RFP 21-AGENCY-000089. Proposals were evaluated to select the best qualified vendors based on the established criteria. Twenty-four (24) vendors were recommended for award. Vendors recommended for awarded had complete request for proposal submissions with an evaluation score of 70 or greater. The following vendors were awarded for ROPC Professional Consulting Services RFP 21-AGENCY-000089 based on the proposals received, including pricing and services that best meet the needs of the cooperative members; effective upon board approval through December 31, 2021, with three (3) one-year extension options if parties agree.

The current awarded vendors were offered the opportunity to utilize the first extension option for Professional Consultant Services RFP 19-AGENCY-000089-E1, effective January 1, 2022, through December 31, 2022, with two (2) one-year extension options remaining. All twenty-four (24) vendors agreed to the extension option. On December 14, 2021, the Region One ESC Board of Directors met to review and approve the recommendations of the ROPC, acting on behalf of its members, for award extension of Professional Consulting Services RFP 21-AGENCY-000089-E1. The tabulation and evaluation summary are available upon request.

Region One Purchasing Cooperative Professional Consultant Services RFP 21-AGENCY-000089, Extension 1 of 3 was approved to the following vendors: **ACT, Inc., Iowa City, IA; C1 Fiber, LLC, McAllen, TX; Danyelle Reid dba Dany Christi Consulting, Richardson, TX; David K. Young Consulting, LLC, San Antonio, TX; Education Logistics, Inc., Missoula, MT; Ellevation, Inc., Boston, MA; ePrep, Inc., Princeton, NJ; IDE Corp., Ramsey, NJ; Infojini, Inc., Columbia, MD; LB Specialties, Inc., San Antonio, TX; Mobile Video Tapes, Weslaco, TX; National Council for Community and Education Partnerships, Washington, DC; Netsync Network Solutions, Houston, TX; New Teacher Center, Santa Cruz, CA; Qannection.com, Inc., Austin, TX; RADgov, Inc., Fort Lauderdale, FL; Reybotics, LLC, Mercedes, TX; Rio Grande Valley Linking Economic & Academic Development, Inc., Weslaco, TX; Seeds Training, San Diego, CA; Successful Lifestyles, Edinburg, TX; The University of Texas at Austin, Charles A. Dana Center, Austin, TX; True North Consulting Group, LLC, Waco, TX; UnboundEd Learning, Inc., New York, NY; Vision Ed Group, Mission, TX.**

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