February 14, 2014

Notice to Potential Bidders

BULLETIN NUMBER TWO QUESTIONS AND RESPONSES RELEASE VISITOR BUS TRANSPORTATION SERVICES INVITATION FOR BID NUMBER 518-SH

This Bulletin Number Two is being issued to provide responses to questions that were received by February 5, 2014 (Written Questions Due by 3:00 p.m. (Pacific Time)), and from the Mandatory Bidder's Conference held on February 10, 2014. The responses are final and become part of the Invitation for Bid (IFB).

Questions (Italic) and Responses (Bold):

- 1Q. "What is the approximate mileage of each of the five routes and approximate number of times each route is driven each day?"
- **1R.** The miles from the Pitchess Detention Center visitor parking lot to the various facilities, round trip is as follows:

PDC NCCF 4.1 miles
PDC East 3.6 miles
PDC South 2.8 miles
PDC North 3.8 miles
For MLDC see questions 3

The estimated average number of trips by buses is two to three trips per bus per hour.

2Q. "Please clarify how "low bid" will be determined? Can you please provide the formula that will determine the low bid winner?"

- 2R. The County will apply weighted percentages to each bid price based on prior and on estimated use rates. Bids will be examined to determine the lowest price based on the rates set forth in the Bidder's Exhibit 12 (Price Sheet) of Appendix D (Required Forms) of this IFB, and as described in Paragraph 3.1 (Review Process) of this IFB.
- 3Q. "Please provide information on the route for services from downtown Lancaster to MLDC as indicated on the price sheet?"
- 3R. From Lancaster Metrolink Station, 44182 Sierra Hwy, Lancaster, CA 95356 to MLDC, 45100 60th St. West, Lancaster, CA 93536:
 - 1. Start out going north on Sierra Hwy toward W Lancaster Blvd. -0.5Miles
 - 2. Turn left onto W Avenue I. 5.6 Miles
 - 3. Turn left onto 60th St W.-0.1 Miles
 - 4. MIRA LOMA DETENTION FACILITY TOTAL MILES= 6.3
- 4Q. "Please provide the current contractor name and rates?"

4R. Horizon Coach Lines

Cost per bus per FULL DAY (More than 4 hours upon arrival at PDC)	\$ 752.00
Cost per handicap vehicle per FULL DAY (More than 4 hours upon arrival at PDC)	\$ 752.00
Cost per bus per HALF DAY (4 hours or less upon arrival at PDC)	\$ 451.20
Cost per handicap vehicle per HALF DAY (4 hours or less upon arrival at PDC)	\$ 451.20
AFTER HOUR service for bus (Prior to 8:00 am or after 4:00 pm)	\$ 98.00/hour
AFTER HOUR service for handicap vehicle (Prior to 8:00 am or after 4:00 pm)	\$ 98.00/hour

- 5Q. What is the estimated annual budget for this service?
- 5R. The estimated annual budget is \$450,000.

Should you have any questions, please contact William Smith, Contract Analyst, via email at wksmith@lasd.org.

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