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ADDENDUM #1 #18-0067

SEDGWICK COUNTY DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY ORGANIZATION (SCDDO)
ASSESSMENT OF TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM CAPACITY FOR SERVING INDIVIDUALS WITH INTELLECTUAL
AND/OR DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES (IDD)

October 4, 2018

The following is to ensure that vendors have complete information prior to submitting a response. Below are some clarifications regarding the Assessment of Transportation System for Sedgwick County Developmental Disability Organization.

Questions and/or statements of clarification are in bold font, and answers to specific questions are italicized.

1. Why was this RFP created?

Answer: In April 2017 SCDDO attended a meeting with ACT of South Central Kansas, WAMPO, City of Wichita and members of the Board of County Commissioners concerning steak holders experience with transportation. SCDDO is not a transportation authority, but wants to help users get transportation. This RFP was released previously, but was released again with a smaller scope that will have a better chance to be within the budget.

2. What questions do you have for the stakeholders, persons served and affiliates?

Answer: How to make a safe transportation system. How to get transportation to rural, surrounding areas. What are the things they are not able to do that other citizens can do? How are people using public transit? What transportation is safe for people with cognitive and developmental disabilities?

3. Is the research going to be used only in-house or could it be used for external story telling?

Answer: It may be used with affiliates or the state to advocate for change.

4. Do you want to know who would provide the transportation?

Answer: That could be one element of your proposal.

5. Do you want information about people who use public transportation?

Answer: We want to know how these people use or don't use transportation and how well. We want to know what a transportation system that meets the needs of people with intellectual and developmental disabilities would look like.

6. Is there a focus on areas outside of Wichita?

Answer: Not necessarily, although the assessment does have to include all geographic areas within Sedgwick County. We have data on how many users are in and outside of the city that could be shared.

7. Are you interested in seeing how other cities are handling this issue?

Answer: Yes, specific to the IDD population.

8. Who would the provider work with?

Answer: Dee Nighswonger and Jeannette Livingston at SCDDO.

9. Will there be meetings to discuss program and research issues in the future?

Answer: Yes.

10. Can you reveal the budget for this RFP?

Answer: No but we could negotiate the price if the scope of the RFP is met.

11. When would you like to have the work done?

Answer: Summer 2019.

12. Would the findings be presented to other organizations?

Answer: Possibly to council, professional journals and conferences.

13. Could students work on this?

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Answer: Yes

14. Our organization has two departments, both of which would like to respond to this opportunity. Both departments are legally one and same entity, however. Are there any limits to the number of proposals that our organization may submit?

Answer: There is no limit on the number of proposals that can be submitted from an organization. It would be convenient for the County if they would collaborate.

15. Our organization has a federally negotiated indirect rate. Does Sedgwick County have any limits to the amount of indirect cost recovery we may request in our proposal budget?

Answer: No, Sedgwick County does not have a limit on indirect expenses; however, projects will be selected based on the most advantageous cost/benefit ratio to the County.

Firms interested in submitting a *proposal* must respond with complete information and **deliver on or before 1:45 CDT p.m.** *Tuesday, October 30, 2018.* Late proposals will not be accepted and will not receive consideration for final award.

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