

February 16, 2019 ADDENDUM NO. 1

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP) #MWJ1901 COMPUTER TECHNOLOGY EQUIPMENT AND SERVICES DISTRICT-WIDE

ONE (1) ORIGINAL SIGNATURE HARD COPY AND TWO (2) USB DRIVES OF THE RESPONSE TO BE SUBMITTED

All responses shall be addressed and returned to: City Colleges of Chicago Dawson Technical Institute Procurement Services 3901 S. State Street, Room 102 Chicago, IL 60609 Attn: Marietta Williams-Johnson, Buyer Proposals must be received no later than 12:00 p.m. local Chicago time, on Friday, March 15, 2019

Part 1 – Questions, Responses and Clarification of Information

- Q1 How should the letter of Intent be submitted? Response: Please refer to the directions in Attachment A.
- Q2 Is there any flexibility with the timeframe for submitting questions after deadline? Response: Per the RFP, final questions are due Monday, February 11, by end of day.
- Q3 What is the timeframe for award notification? Response: Proposers will be notified after our Board has approved the recommended Vendor, prior to the end of the current contract, June 30, 2019.
- Q4 How will existing equipment be serviced? What is expectation of vendors with respect to Break/Fix? Response: This RFP is for new equipment. There is a separate RFP for break/fix, DK1901 – Onsite Computer Repair, that is now posted on our website, <u>http://www.ccc.edu/departments/pages/procurement.aspx/</u>, scroll down to "Publications" and click on Current Bid Schedule.

- Q5 The list of software components does not have branding. Is CCC looking for a specific brand or function? Response: We will respond to this guestion in another Addendum to be issued.
- Q6 What are the CCC limits given the size of Oracle's applications? What Enterprise Apps are used?
 - Response: We will respond to this question in another Addendum to be issued.
- Q7 What services are included in this RFP? Response: This RFP is for new equipment and any services associated with the purchase of new equipment during the warranty period as stated in the RFP.
- Q8 Does scope include security cameras, hardware, installation, and card readers? Response: Yes, security cameras will be added to the Security requirement in another Addendum to be issued.
- Q9 Is the installation of security cameras done by the vendor? Does vendor have to get permits and/or licenses to install required security equipment?
 Response: Yes, installation of security cameras will be performed by the Vendor or their subcontractor and the vendor or subcontractor is responsible for all permits and licensing for camera installations.
- Q10 Is CCC considering a Managed Service Model? Response: Potentially in the future.
- Q11 This RFP includes Hardware and Software, must a vendor be able to provide all elements of the RFP?
 Response: Vendors are encouraged to bid on goods and/or services they can fulfill.
- Q12 How can an MBE connect with larger firms to partner with on this RFP? Response: You can try networking with the vendors that attended the Pre-Proposal Meeting. The Pre-Proposal Attendees listing was emailed to the Prospective Proposers on February 14 and is posted on the CCC website with this RFP, <u>http://www.ccc.edu/departments/pages/procurement.aspx/</u>, scroll down to "Publications" and click on Current Bid Schedule.
- Q13 What is your definition of list price? Response: MSRP (manufacturer's suggested retail price) or retail price
- Q14 Should the list price be a percentage off the distribution price or MSRP? Response: Percentage off the MSRP or retail price.
- Q15 Is this entire bid all or nothing or will multiple vendors be approved? Response: CCC reserves the right to award to one or more vendors. Whichever is in the best interest of CCC.

Part 2 - Modification to the RFP document:

Item No. 1 – SECTION II - SCOPE OF SERVICES – B., 1st paragraph

Replace with the following language:

B. <u>Service Management Plan</u> – For the SMP (Must be provided by the Vendor), CCC requires on-site repair, service, and maintenance for equipment that is in warranty as listed in Exhibit A.

Note: We are working on revising Section VIII – Fee/Cost Proposal – Exhibit A and Exhibit B.

Please acknowledge receipt of all Addendums in your proposal submissions.

End of Addendum