# CITY COLLEGES' OF CHICAGO

# September 30, 2022 ADDENDUM NO. 1 SEALED BID #WM2205-SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION SERVICE

## ONE (1) ORIGINAL SIGNATURE HARD COPY AND ONE (1) USB DRIVE OF THE BID TO BE SUBMITTED

Chicago, IL 60609

Attn: William Moore, Contract Administrator

#### Addendum Item No. 1

### **Questions, Responses and Clarification of Information**

- 1.Does CCC currently have an agency/individual providing this service? YES
- 2. What is the historical need for Sign Language Interpreter(s) throughout the CCC campuses? That is, historically, how many hours per week (on average) has each campus required ASL interpreting services? This varies every semester, but the agency covers approximately 800-1,800 hour depending on the semester and the amount of needs.
- 3. Historically, what are CCC's requirements for in-person vs. remote interpreting? What percentage is in-person, and what percentage is video/remote?

This is ever changing depending on the semester. This semester, we saw a drastic increase in in person requests. For the current semester, we have about 65-70% on campus needs. We are not sure how this will change in the future; it all depends on when and how students register.

4. Would CCC consider bids that include only remote or video ASL interpreting services? Or is CCC considering only firms who can provide both in-person and remote/video interpreting? We need a firm that can reliably do both. We understand that VRI requests are easier to fill; however, we are seeing drastic inequities for our in-person students when our staff are not available. We will not be considering a bid for only remote requests.

#### **END OF ADDENDUM**