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ADOPTED-BOARD OF TRUSTEES COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508 DECEMBER 7, 2023

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508 COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS

TECHNICAL STAFF AUGMENTATION SERVICES THE OFFICE OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY DISTRICT WIDE

THE CHANCELLOR RECOMMENDS:

that the Board of Trustees authorizes the Chair, upon final approval of the General Counsel as to the legal form of such agreements, to authorize the execution of an agreement with multiple service providers (listed below) for Technical Staff Augmentation for the period from January 1, 2024 through December 31, 2027 at a total cost not to exceed \$10,800,000.00 for the contract term and in accordance with the pricing set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto.

Vendors

Name	Address
22nd Century Technologies, Inc.	220 DAVIDSON AVENUE
	SOMERSET, NJ 08873
Sntial Technologies Inc.	150 N. MICHIGAN AVE., STE. 2800
	CHICAGO, IL 60601
Mavensolve, LLC	3333 WARRENVILLE RD
	LISLE, IL 60532
Viva USA Inc.	3601 ALGONQUIN ROAD - SUITE 425
	ROLLING MEADOWS, IL 60183
Elegant Enterprise-Wide Solutions, Inc.	25961 HARTWOOD DRIVE
	CHANTILLY, VA 20152
Infojini Inc.	10015 OLD COLUMBIA ROAD
	COLUMBIA, MD 21046
Mirage Software Inc. dba Bourntec	1701 EAST WOODFIELD ROAD STE 200
	SCHAUMBURG, IL 60173
ERP Analysts Inc.	425 METRO PLACE NORTH, STE 510
	DUBLIN, OH 43017
TryFacta Inc.	4637 CHABOT DR
	PLEASANTON, CA 94588

Rose International, Inc.	1605 Swingley Ridge Road, Suite 350 Chesterfield, MO 63017
ComTec Consultants Inc.	2400 VETERANS BLVD., STE. 205 KENNER, LA 70062
LanceSoft Inc.	13454, SUNRISE VALLEY DR., STE. 120 HERNDON, VA 20171
V3IT Consulting Inc.	1717 N. Naper Blvd. Suite #103 Naperville, IL 60563

USER: District Wide

TERM:

The term of this agreement shall begin on January 1, 2024 and shall end on December 31, 2027 with the option to renew for one (1) additional two (2) year period.

SCOPE OF SERVICES:

Provide the District with IT-related professional consultant(s) to support various CCC departments, projects, and initiatives. These vendors shall complement OIT with professional services in areas of: implementations, upgrades, and maintenance of critical IT systems including but not limited to: Human Resources, Financials, Student Finance, Financial Aid, Payroll, Customer Relationship Management. Benefits, Compensation, Recruiting, CCC Websites, my.ccc.edu Portal, Network Infrastructure, Security, ID Cards, etc. related to student, staff, and/or faculty.

BENEFIT TO CITY COLLEGES OF CHICAGO:

The pool of vendors will benefit OIT onboarding, development, enrollment, completion, retention, productivity, and efficiency in the areas of technical implementation, maintenance, and operations. Having direct access to this pool of vendors to provide services will allow CCC to complete projects/tasks as requested by business users and stakeholders rapidly, while leveraging the latest and greatest technology in our industry.

VENDOR SELECTION CRITERIA:

Specifications were prepared by District Procurement Staff in conjunction with the Office of Information Technology and a Request for Proposal (RFP) #NC2305 was publicly advertised in the Chicago Sun-Times and the Procurement website on July 18, 2023. The RFP was emailed to twentyseven (27) vendors and a pre-proposal conference was held on July 25, 2023. On August 22, 2023, fifty-one (51) firms responded: 1) 22nd CenturyTech; 2) Agreeya Solutions Inc.; 3) Akshar IT Solutions LLC; 4) Arisma Group, LLC dba Cendien; 5) California Creative Solutions dba CCS Global Tech.; 6) Clarity Partners; 7) Clovity Inc.; 8) Compunnel Software Group; 9) Compu-Vision; 10) ComTec Consultants Inc.; 11) CrowdPlat Inc.; 12) Dexian Signature Consultants; 13) Eitacies Inc.; 14) Elegant Enterprise-Wide Solutions, Inc.; 15) E-Logic Inc.; 16) ERP Analysts Inc.; 17) Experis US LLC; 18) GNC Consulting Inc.; 19) Infojini Inc.; 20) InstantServe LLC; 21) JW Affinity IT; 22) Kapital Data Corp.; 23) Kastech Solutions LLC; 24) LanceSoft Inc.; 25) LaSalle Network; 26) Mavensolve, LLC; 27) Mirage Software Inc. dba Bourntec; 28) Msys Inc.; 29) Netlogx; 30) NetSynk Inc.; 31) Next Generation Inc.; 32) NextRow

Digital; 33) NIHA Technologies; 34) Paramount Software Solutions; 35) RCR Technology Corp; 36) RL Canning Inc.; 37) Rose International; 38) SDI Presence LLC; 39) Serigor Inc.; 40) Sotial Technologies Inc.; 41) Softsage Software Technology; 42) Solomons International LLC; 43) Swoon Group; 44) System domain Inc.; 45) TekGence Inc.; 46) The William Everett Group; 47) TryFacta Inc.; 48) US Tech Solutions; 49) V3IT Consulting Inc.; 50) Viva USA Inc.; and 51) V-Tech Solutions. Of those, three (3) vendors: 1) Swoon Group; 2) E-Logic; and 3) NetSynk Inc. were deemed non-responsive for not submitting in accordance with the RFP requirements.

All responsive proposals were reviewed, evaluated, and ranked by the evaluation committee which included staff from the office of Information Technology and Financial Systems. The evaluation criteria included:

- Qualifications and experience of firm.
- Past experience with similar services for higher educational institutions or comparable organizations entities.
- Demonstrated ability to provide services as outlined in the scope of services and responses to interrogatories.
- Cost Proposal.
- M/WBE Compliance.

Based on the evaluation scoring, the committee recommends an award to the following vendors:

- 1. 22nd Century Technology
- 2. Sntial Technologies Inc.
- 3. Mavensolve, LLC
- 4. Viva USA, Inc.
- 5. Elegant Enterprise-Wide Solutions, Inc.
- 6. Infojini Inc.
- 7. Mirage Software Inc. dba Bourntec
- 8. ERP Analyst Inc.
- 9. Tryfacta Inc.
- 10. Rose International
- 11. ComTec Consultants Inc.
- 12. LanceSoft Inc.
- 13. V3IT Consulting Inc.

MBE/WBE COMPLIANCE:

The Office of Procurement Services has reviewed the proposed compliance plans and determined the following vendors have complied with the Board Approved MBE/WBE Contract Participation Plan:

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
22 nd Century Technology	MBE	25	Direct	NMSDC
Optimize Manpower Solutions	WBE	7	Direct	WBNEC

22nd Century Technology

Sntial Technologies Inc.

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
Sntial Technologies, Inc.	MBE	93	Direct	State of Illinois CEI
LimeRed Studio, Inc.	WBE	7	Direct	WBNEC

Mavensolve

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
Mavensolve	MBE	93	Direct	City of Chicago
Ahava Services LLC	WBE	7	Direct	City of Chicago

Viva USA, Inc.

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
Viva USA, Inc.	MBE	93	Direct	NMSDC
HealthPro Innovation Workforce				
Solution LLC	WBE	7	Direct	WBNEC

Elegant Enterprise-Wide Solutions, Inc.

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
Elegant Enterprise-Wide				
Solutions, Inc.	MBE	25	Direct	State of Illinois CEI
Precise Requirements LLC	WBE	7	Direct	City of Chicago

Infojini Inc.

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
Infojini Inc.	MBE	25	Direct	NMSDC
SAVVY Technology Solutions LLC	WBE	7	Direct	State of Illinois CEI

Mirage Software Inc. dba Bourntec Solutions

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
Mirage Software Inc. dba				
Bourntec Solutions	MBE	93	Direct	City of Chicago
Agilite, Inc.	WBE	7	Direct	City of Chicago

ERP Analyst Inc.

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
ERP Analyst Inc.	MBE	93	Direct	NMSDC
lyka Enterprises, Inc.	WBE	7	Direct	WBNEC

Tryfacta, Inc.

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
Tryfacta Inc.	MBE	25	Direct	State of Illinois CEI
lyka Enterprises, Inc.	WBE	7	Direct	WBNEC

Rose International

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
Rose International	MBE	25	Direct	NMSDC
Viva USA, Inc.	WBE	7	Direct	WBNEC

ComTec Consultants Inc.

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
ComTec Consultants Inc.	MBE	93	Direct	NMSDC
Infospectra, LLC	WBE	7	Direct	City of Chicago

LanceSoft Inc.

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
Next Gen IT, Inc.	MBE	25	Direct	NMSDC
Next Gen II, Inc.	IVIDE	25	Direct	State of Virginia
				Department of
				Small Business &
LanceSoft Inc.	WBE	75	Direct	Supplier Diversity

V3IT Consulting Inc.

Vendor	MBE/WBE	%	Participation	Certifying Agency
V3IT Consulting Inc.	MBE	25	Direct	NMSDC
Agilite, Inc.	WBE	7	Direct	City of Chicago

GENERAL CONDITIONS:

Inspector General- It shall be the duty of each party to the agreement to cooperate with the Inspector General for City Colleges of Chicago in any investigation conducted pursuant to the Inspector General's authority under Article 2, Section 2.7.4(b) of the Board Bylaws.

Ethics – It shall be the duty of each party to the agreement to comply with the applicable provisions of the Board's Ethics Policy adopted January 7, 1993, and as amended by the Board.

Contingent Liability – Pursuant to Section 7-14 of the Illinois Public Community College Act, all agreements authorized herein shall contain a clause that any expenditure beyond the current fiscal year is subject to appropriation in the subsequent fiscal year.

FINANCIAL

Total: \$10,800,000.00 Charge to: The Office of Information Technology and various campus departments Sources of Funds: Education, Capital, and Grant FY24: 530000-00003-Various-80000 530000-92015-various-80000

Respectfully submitted,

Juan Salgado Chancellor

December 7, 2023 – The Office of Information Technology