

CITY OF SAN ANTONIO

Finance Department - Purchasing Division

REQUEST FOR COMPETITIVE SEALED PROPOSAL ("RFCSP") RFCSP 19-084; RFX 6100011689

PARKS - SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM (RFCSP)

Date Issued: SEPTEMBER 11, 2019

BIDS MUST BE RECEIVED **NO LATER** THAN: 2:00 P.M., CENTRAL TIME, NOVEMBER 1, 2019

Proposals may be submitted by any of the following means: Electronic submission through the Portal Hard copy in person or by mail

Address for hard copy responses:

Physical Address:
City Clerk's Office
c/o Municipal Archives and Records Facility
719 S. Santa Rosa Ave.
San Antonio, Texas 78204-3114

Mailing Address:
City Clerk's Office
P.O. Box 839966
San Antonio, Texas 78283-3966

For Hard Copy Submissions, Mark Envelope

"PARKS - SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM"

Proposal Due Date: 2:00 PM, CENTRAL TIME, NOVEMBER 1, 2019

RFCSP No.: 6100011689

Respondent's Name and Address

Proposal Bond: YES Performance Bond: YES Payment Bond: NO Other: NO

See Supplemental Terms & Conditions for information on these requirements.

Affirmative Procurement Initiative: YES DBE / ACDBE Requirements: NO

See Instructions for Respondents and Attachments sections for more information on these requirements.

Pre-Submittal Conference * YES

* If YES, the Pre-Submittal Conference will be held on, SEPTEMBER 24, 2019 at 9:00 A.M. CENTRAL TIME at PARKS AND RECREATION, RON DARNER BUILDING, LONGHORN CONFERENCE ROOM, 5800 ENRIQUE M. BARRERA PKWY, SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS 78227.

Staff Contact Person: REBECCA A. GARZA, PROCUREMENT SPECIALIST II, P.O. Box 839966, San Antonio, TX

78283-3966.

Email: REBECCA.GARZA@SANANTONIO.GOV

SBEDA Contact Information: Lucy.Barbosa@sanantonio.gov 210-207-3910

This solicitation has been identified as High-Profile.

Notice Regarding Prohibition on Campaign or Officeholder Contributions for Individuals and Entities Seeking High-Profile Contracts. Under Section 2-309 of the Municipal Campaign Finance Code, the following are prohibited from making a campaign or officeholder contribution to any member of City Council, candidate for City Council or political action committee that contributes to City Council elections from the 10th business day after a contract solicitation has been released until 30 calendar days after the contract has been awarded ("black out" period):

- 1 legal signatory of a high-profile contract;
- 2 any individual seeking a high-profile contract;
- 3 any owner or officer of an entity seeking a high-profile contract;
- 4 the spouse of any of these individuals;
- 5 any attorney, lobbyist or consultant retained to assist in seeking contract.

A high-profile contract cannot be awarded to the individual or entity if a prohibited contribution has been made by any of these individuals during the "black out" period.

*For this solicitation, the first day contributions are prohibited is Wednesday, September 25, 2019.

The first day contributions may be made is the 31st day after the contract is awarded at City Council "A" Session.

RESTRICTIONS ON COMMUNICATIONS

In accordance with and as authorized by Section 2-61 of the City Code, the following restrictions on communications apply to this solicitation: Respondents are prohibited from contacting 1) City officials, as defined by §2-62 of the City Code of the City of San Antonio, regarding the RFCSP or proposal from the time the RFCSP has been released until the contract is posted for consideration as an agenda item during a meeting designated as an A session; and 2) City employees from the time the RFCSP has been released until the contract is approved at a City Council "A" session.

Restrictions extend to "thank you" letters, phone calls, emails and any contact that results in the direct or indirect discussion of the RFCSP and/or proposal submitted by Respondent.

Violation of this provision by Respondent and/or its agent may lead to disqualification of Respondent's proposal from consideration.

For additional information, see the section of this RFCSP entitled "Restrictions on Communication".

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PART A

Submission of Proposals.

Respondent shall submit one <u>COMPLETE</u> original signed in ink, seven (7) hard copies *WITH ONLY TABS and documents for General Information Form; Experience, Background and Qualifications; Proposed Plan, etc. (NO SBEDA, VOSB, AND/OR PRICING TO BE INCLUDED)* and one complete copy of the proposal on compact disk (CD) or USB drive containing an Adobe PDF version of the entire proposal in a sealed package clearly marked with the project name, "ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM – PARKS, RFCSP 19-084, RFCSP: 6100011689" on the front of the package. The name and address of Respondent, the due date for submission of proposals, RFCSP number and title of the solicitation shall be marked on the outside of the envelope(s). All times stated herein are Central Time. Any proposal or modification received after the time and date stated on the Cover Page shall be rejected.

Proposals must be received in the Office of the City Clerk no later than 2:00 p.m. Central Time, on **November 1, 2019** at the address below. Any proposal or modification received after this time shall not be considered, and will be returned, unopened to the respondent. Respondents should note that delivery to the P.O. Box address in a timely manner does not guarantee its receipt in the Office of the City Clerk by the deadline for submission. Therefore, respondents should strive for early submission to avoid the possibility of rejection for late arrival.

Mailing Address:

Office of the City Clerk

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San Antonio, Texas 78283-3966

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<u>Submission of Electronic Proposals.</u> Submit one **COMPLETE** proposal electronically by the due date provided on the Cover Page. All times stated herein are Central Time. Any proposal or modification received after the time and date stated on the Cover Page shall be rejected. All forms in this solicitation which require a signature must have a signature affixed thereto, either by manually signing the document, prior to scanning it and uploading it with your submission, or affixing it electronically.

Proposals sent to City by facsimile or email shall be rejected.

<u>Modified Proposals</u>. Proposals may be modified provided such modifications are received prior to the time and date set for submission of proposals, and submitted in the same manner as original proposals. For hard copy proposals, provide a cover letter with the proposal, indicating it is a modified proposal and that the original proposal is being withdrawn. For electronic proposals, a modified proposal will automatically replace a prior proposal submission. See below for information on submitting Alternate Proposals.

City shall not be responsible for lost or misdirected proposals or modifications.

Respondents must sign the Signature Page on hard copy proposals and return the RFCSP document to City. For electronic proposals, Respondent's electronic submission, with accompanying affirmations, constitutes a binding signature for all purposes. Respondents are cautioned that they are responsible for the security of their log on ID and password, since unauthorized use could result in Respondent's being held liable for the submission.

<u>Certified Vendor Registration Form.</u> If Respondent has not completed City's Certified Vendor Registration (CVR) Form, Respondent is required to do so prior to the due date for submission of proposals. The CVR form may be accessed at:

http://www.sanantonio.gov/purchasing/. Respondents must identify the correct name of the entity that will be providing the goods and/or services under the contract. No nicknames, abbreviations (unless part of the legal title), shortened or short-hand names will be accepted in place of the full, true and correct legal name of the entity.

Alternate Proposals. Alternate proposals may be allowed at the sole discretion of City.

<u>Hard Copy Alternate Proposals</u>. Alternate proposals must be submitted in separate sealed envelopes in the same manner as submission of other proposals. Alternate proposals must be marked consecutively on the envelope as Alternate Proposal No. 1, 2, etc. Failure to submit alternate proposals in separate envelopes may result in rejection of a proposal.

<u>Electronic Alternate Proposals</u>. All alternate proposals submitted electronically are recorded with original proposals when submitted electronically.

Catalog Pricing. (This section applies to proposals using catalog pricing.)

The proposal will be based on manufacturer's latest dated price list(s). Said price list(s) must denote the manufacturer, latest effective date and price schedule.

Respondents shall be responsible for providing one copy of the manufacturer's catalog for each manufacturer for which a proposal is submitted. Respondent shall provide said catalog at the time of submission of its proposal. Manufacturers' catalogs may be submitted in any of the following formats: paper copy or CD ROM for proposals submitted on paper, or PDF file for proposals submitted electronically.

Respondents may submit price lists other than the manufacturer's price list. Said price list(s) must denote the company name, effective date and price schedule. These price lists are subject to approval of City's Purchasing & General Services Department.

Specified items identified herein, if any, are for overall proposal evaluation and represent the commonly and most used items. Net prices entered for those specified items must reflect the actual price derived from quoted price list less all discounts offered.

Restrictions on Communication.

Respondents are prohibited from communicating with: 1) City officials, as defined by §2-62 of the City Code of the City of San Antonio, regarding the RFCSP or proposals from the time the RFCSP has been released until the contract is posted for consideration as a City Council agenda item during a meeting designated as an A session; and 2) City employees from the time the RFCSP has been released until the contract is awarded. These restrictions extend to "thank you" letters, phone calls, emails and any contact that results in the direct or indirect discussion of the RFCSP and/or proposal submitted by Respondent. Violation of this provision by Respondent and/or its agent may lead to disqualification of Respondent's proposal from consideration.

Exceptions to the restrictions on communication with City employees include:

Respondents may ask verbal questions concerning this RFCSP at the Pre-Submittal Conference.

Respondents may submit written questions concerning this RFCSP to the Staff Contact Person listed below until 10:00 a.m. Central Time, Monday, September 30, 2019. Questions received after the stated deadline will not be answered. All questions shall be sent by e-mail to:

Rebecca A. Garza, Procurement Specialist II
City of San Antonio, Finance Department – Purchasing Division
rebecca.garza@sanantonio.gov

Questions submitted and the City's responses will be posted with this solicitation.

Respondents and/or their agents are encouraged to contact the Small Business Office of the Economic Development Department for assistance or clarification with issues specifically related to the City's Small Business Economic Development Advocacy (SBEDA) Program policy and/or completion of the required SBEDA forms. The point of contact, Lucy Barbosa, may be reached by telephone at (210) 207-3910 or by e-mail at

<u>Lucy.Barbosa@sanantonio.gov</u>. There is no contact permitted to the Small Business Office regarding this solicitation, after the solicitation closing date.

Respondents may provide responses to questions asked of them by the Staff Contact Person after responses are received and opened. During interviews, if any, verbal questions and explanations will be permitted. If interviews are conducted, Respondents shall not bring lobbyists. The City reserves the right to exclude any persons from interviews as it deems in its best interests.

Respondents may contact the Vendor Support staff at (210) 207-0118 or by email at wendors@sanantonio.gov for assistance with vendor registration and submitting electronic bids.

Upon completion of the evaluation process, Respondents shall receive a notification letter indicating the recommended firm and anticipated City Council agenda date and a review of the solicitation process.

City reserves the right to contact any Respondent to negotiate if such is deemed desirable by City. Such negotiations, initiated by City staff persons, shall not be considered a violation by Respondent of this section.

Pre-Submittal Conference.

If a Pre-Submittal Conference is scheduled, it will be held at the time and place noted on the Cover Page. Respondents are encouraged to prepare and submit their questions in writing in advance of the Pre-Submittal Conference in order to expedite the proceedings. City's responses to questions received by this due date may be distributed at the Pre-Submittal Conference and posted with this solicitation. Attendance at the Pre-Submittal Conference is optional, but highly encouraged.

A call-in number has been set up for the Pre-Submittal Conference. If you choose to dial in, please refer to the contact information below for participation in the conference.

Local Access Dial-In Number: 210-207-9329 Toll Free Dial In-Number: 855-850-2672

WebEx Meeting number: 992 250 327

This meeting place is accessible to disabled persons. Call the Staff Contact Person for information on the location of the wheelchair accessible entrance, or to request an interpreter for the deaf. Interpreters for the deaf must be requested at least 48 hours prior to the meeting. For other assistance, call (210) 207-7245 Voice/TTY.

Any oral response given at the Pre-Submittal Conference that is not confirmed in writing and posted with this solicitation shall not be official or binding on the City.

Changes to RFCSP.

Changes to this RFCSP made prior to the due date for proposals shall be made directly to the original RFCSP. Changes are captured by creating a replacement version each time the RFCSP is changed. It is Respondent's responsibility to check for new versions until the proposal due date. City will assume that all proposals received are based on the final version of the RFCSP as it exists on the day proposals are due.

No oral statement of any person shall modify or otherwise change or affect the terms, conditions or specifications stated in the RFCSP.

Preparation of Proposals.

All information required by the RFCSP must be furnished or the proposal may be deemed non-responsive and rejected. Any ambiguity in the proposal as a result of omission, error, unintelligible or illegible wording shall be construed in the favor of City.

Proposal Format. Each proposal shall be typewritten, single spaced on 8 ½" x 11" white paper. If submitting a hard copy, place proposal inside a three ring binder or other securely bound fashion. The use of recycled paper and materials is encouraged. Unnecessarily elaborate brochures, artwork, bindings, visual aids, expensive paper or other materials beyond that sufficient to present a complete and effective submission are not required. Font size shall be no

less than 12-point type. All pages shall be numbered and printed two-sided. Margins shall be no less than 1" around the perimeter of each page. A proposal response to the RFCSP General Information Form may not exceed 10 pages in length. Websites or URLs shall not be submitted in lieu of the printed proposal or electronic submission through City's portal. **ORIGINAL and/or ELECTRONIC** proposals must include **ALL** the sections and attachments in the sequence listed in the RFCSP Instructions to Respondents Part B - Submission Requirements, and each section and attachment must be indexed and, for hard copy submission, **ONLY REQUIRED SECTIONS AND ATTACHMENTS listed by Asterisk in Section 003 Part B, Submission Requirements MUST** be divided by tabs and indexed in a Table of Contents page. For electronic submissions, whether through the portal, or on a CD, or USB drive each separate section should be attached as a separate file. Failure to meet the above conditions may result in disqualification of the submission or may negatively affect scoring.

<u>Modified Proposals.</u> Proposals may be modified provided such modifications are received prior to the time and date set for submission of proposals, and submitted in the same manner as original proposals. For hard copy proposals, provide a cover letter with the proposal, indicating it is a modified proposal and that the original proposal is being withdrawn.

City shall not be responsible for lost or misdirected proposals or modifications.

Correct Legal Name. Respondents who submit proposals to this RFCSP shall correctly state the true and correct name of the individual, proprietorship, corporation, and /or partnership (clearly identifying the responsible general partner and all other partners who would be associated with the contract, if any). No nicknames, abbreviations (unless part of the legal title), shortened or short-hand, or local "handles" will be accepted in lieu of the full, true and correct legal name of the entity. These names shall comport exactly with the corporate and franchise records of the Texas Secretary of State and Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts. Individuals and proprietorships, if operating under other than an individual name, shall match with exact Assumed Name filings. Corporate Respondents and limited liability company Respondents shall include the 11-digit Comptroller's Taxpayer Number on the General Information form found in this RFCSP as Attachment A, Part One.

If an entity is found to have incorrectly or incompletely stated its name or failed to fully reveal its identity on the General Information form, the Director of the Finance Department shall have the discretion, at any point in the contracting process, to suspend consideration of the proposal.

<u>Line Item Proposals</u>. Any proposal that is considered for award by each unit or line item must include a price for each unit or line item for which Respondent wishes to be considered. All proposals are awarded on the basis of low line item, low total line items, or in any other combination that serves the best interest of City, unless City designates this solicitation as an "all or none" proposal in the Supplemental Terms & Conditions.

<u>All or None Bid.</u> Any proposal that is considered for award on an "all or none" basis must include a price for all units or line items. In an "All or None" bid, a unit price left blank shall result in the proposal being deemed nonresponsive and disqualified from consideration. An "All or None" bid is one in which City will award the entire contract to one respondent only.

<u>Delivery Dates</u>. Proposed delivery dates must be shown in the proposal where required and shall include weekends and holidays, unless specified otherwise in this RFCSP. Proposed delivery times must be specific. Phrases such as "as required", "as soon as possible" or "prompt" may result in disqualification of the proposal. Special delivery instructions, if any, may be found in the Specifications / Scope of Services section of this document, or in the Purchase Order.

<u>Tax Exemption</u>. The City of San Antonio is exempt from payment of federal taxes, and State of Texas limited sales excise and use taxes. Respondents must not include such taxes in proposal prices. An exemption certificate will be signed by City where applicable upon request by Respondent after contract award.

Description of Supplies.

Any brand names, catalog or manufacturer's reference used in describing an item is merely descriptive, and not restrictive, unless otherwise noted, and is used only to indicate quality and capability desired.

Proposals submitted for comparable items must clearly identify the proposed product, model, and type, as applicable, and shall include manufacturer specification sheet(s) for each proposed item with proposal response. Product specifications shall be the most current available and be sufficiently detailed and descriptive so as to permit City to determine the item's suitability and compliance with proposal specifications. City shall be the sole judge of equality and suitability of comparable items.

Pro-rata adjustments to packaging and pricing may be allowed at the sole discretion of City.

<u>Samples</u>, <u>Demonstrations and Pre-award Testing</u>. If requested by City, Respondent shall provide product samples, demonstrations, and/or testing of items proposed to ensure compliance with specifications prior to award of the contract. Samples, demonstrations and/or testing must be provided within 7 calendar days of City's request. Failure to comply with City's request may result in rejection of a proposal. All samples (including return thereof), demonstrations, and/or testing shall be at Respondent's expense. Samples will be returned upon written request. Requests for return of samples must be made in writing at the time the samples are provided. Otherwise, samples will become property of City at no cost to City. Samples that are consumed or destroyed during demonstrations or testing will not be returned.

Estimated Quantities for Annual Contracts.

Designation as an "annual" contract is found in the contract's title on the Cover Page of this document. The quantities stated are estimates only and are in no way binding upon City. Estimated quantities are used for the purpose of evaluation. City may increase or decrease quantities as needed. Where a contract is awarded on a unit price basis, payment shall be based on the actual quantities supplied.

Respondents shall thoroughly examine the drawings, specifications, schedule(s), instructions and all other contract documents.

Respondents shall make all investigations necessary to thoroughly inform themselves regarding plant and facilities for delivery of material and equipment, or conditions and sites/locations for providing goods and services as required by this RFCSP. No plea of ignorance by Respondent will be accepted as a basis for varying the requirements of City or the compensation to Respondent.

<u>Confidential or Proprietary Information</u>. All proposals become the property of City upon receipt and will not be returned. Any information deemed to be confidential by Respondent should be clearly noted; however, City cannot guarantee that it will not be compelled to disclose all or part of any public record under the Texas Public Information Act, since information deemed to be confidential by Respondent may not be considered confidential under Texas law, or pursuant to a Court order.

Interlocal Participation.

City may engage in cooperative purchasing with other governmental entities or governmental cooperatives ("Entity" or "Entities") to enhance City's purchasing power. At City's sole discretion and option, City may inform other Entities that they may acquire items listed in this RFCSP. If this contract will be subject to cooperative purchasing, such fact will be indicated in the Supplemental Terms and Conditions portion of this RFCSP. Such acquisition(s) shall be at the prices stated in the proposal, and shall be subject to Respondent's acceptance. Entities desiring to acquire items listed in this RFCSP shall be listed on a rider attached hereto, if known at the time of issuance of the RFCSP. City may issue subsequent riders after contract award setting forth additional Entities desiring to utilize this proposal.

Respondent must sign and submit the rider, if attached to this RFCSP, with its proposal, indicating whether Respondent wishes to allow other Entities to use its proposal. Respondent shall sign and return any subsequently issued riders within ten calendar days of receipt. Respondent's decision on whether to allow other Entities to use the proposal shall not be a factor in awarding this RFCSP.

<u>Costs of Proposing</u>. Respondent shall bear any and all costs that are associated with the preparation of the Proposal, attendance at the Pre-Submittal conference, if any, or during any phase of the selection process.

Rejection of Proposals.

City may reject any and all proposals, in whole or in part, cancel the RFCSP and reissue the solicitation. City may reject a proposal if:

Respondent misstates or conceals any material fact in the proposal; or

The proposal does not strictly conform to law or the requirements of the solicitation;

The proposal is conditional; or

Any other reason that would lead City to believe that the proposal is non-responsive or Respondent is not responsible.

City, in its sole discretion, may also waive any minor informalities or irregularities in any proposal, such as failure to submit sufficient proposal copies, failure to submit literature or similar attachments, or business affiliation information.

<u>Variances and Exceptions to Proposal Terms</u>. In order to comply with State law, respondents must submit proposals on the same material terms and conditions. Proposals that contain material variances or exceptions to the terms and conditions, including additional terms and conditions, will be rejected.

<u>Changes to Proposal Form.</u> Proposals must be submitted on the forms furnished, where forms are provided. Proposals that change the format or content of City's RFCSP will be rejected.

<u>Withdrawal of Proposals</u>. Proposals may be withdrawn prior to the due date for submission. Written notice of withdrawal shall be provided to the City Clerk for proposals submitted in hard copy. Proposals submitted electronically may be withdrawn electronically.

<u>Proposal Opening.</u> Proposals will be opened publicly and the names of the respondents read aloud at 2:30 P.M. on the day the proposals are due. Proposal openings are held at Finance Department, Purchasing Division, Riverview Tower, 11th floor, 111 Soledad, Suite 1100, Hill Country Conference Room, San Antonio, Texas 78205. However, in accordance with state law, the contents will not be revealed until after the contract is awarded.

Evaluation and Award of Contract.

Per Section §252.043 of the Texas Local Government Code, the contract will be awarded to the responsible offeror whose proposal is determined to be the most advantageous to City, considering the relative importance of price and the other evaluation factors included in this RFCSP.

City reserves the right to make an award on the basis of low line item, low total line items, or in any other combination that serves the best interest of City, unless City designates this solicitation as an "all or none" proposal in the Supplemental Terms & Conditions.

A written award of acceptance (manifested by a City Ordinance) and Purchase Order furnished to Respondent results in a binding contract without further action by either party. Vendor must have the Purchase Order before making any delivery.

City reserves the right to utilize historical usage data as a basis for evaluation of proposals when future usages are unable to be determined.

City reserves the right to delete items prior to the awarding of the contract, and purchase said items by other means.

Inspection of Facilities/Equipment.

Depending on the nature of the RFCSP, Respondent's facilities and equipment may be a determining factor in making the proposal award. All respondents may be subject to inspection of their facilities and equipment.

Prospective respondents must prove beyond any doubt to the City Purchasing Administrator that they are qualified and capable of performing the contract's requirements.

Prompt Payment Discount.

Provided Respondent meets the requirements stated herein, City shall take Respondent's offered prompt payment discount into consideration. The evaluation will not be based on the discount percentage alone, but rather the net price as determined by applying the discount to the proposal price, either per line item or total proposal amount. However, City reserves the right to reject a discount if the percentage is too low to be of value to City, all things considered. City may also reject a discount if the percentage is so high as to create an overly large disparity between the price City would pay if it is able to take advantage of the discount and the price City would pay if it were unable to pay within the discount period. City may always reject the discount and pay within the 30 day period, at City's sole option.

City will not consider discounts that provide fewer than 10 days to pay in order to receive the discount.

For example, payment terms of 2% 5, Net 30 will NOT be considered in proposal evaluations or in the payment of invoices. However, payment terms of 2% 10, Net 30 will result in a two percent reduction in the proposal price during proposal evaluation, and City will take the 2% discount if the invoice is paid within the 10 day time period.

Prohibited Financial Interest.

The Charter of the City of San Antonio and the City of San Antonio Code of Ethics prohibit a City officer or employee, as those terms are defined in §2-52 of the Code of Ethics, from having a direct or indirect financial interest in any contract with City. An officer or employee has a "prohibited financial interest" in a contract with City or in the sale to City of land materials, supplies or service, if any of the following individual(s) or entities is a party to the contract or sale:

- A City officer or employee; his or her spouse, sibling, parent, child, or other family member within the first degree of consanguinity or affinity;
- An entity in which the officer or employee, or his or her parent, child or spouse directly or indirectly owns (i) 10% or more of the voting stock or shares of the entity, or 10% or more of the fair market value of the entity; or
- An entity in which any individual or entity listed above is (i) a subcontractor on a City contract, (ii) a partner or (iii) a parent or subsidiary entity.

By submitting a proposal, Bidder warrants and certifies, and a contract awarded pursuant to this solicitation is made in reliance thereon, that it, its officers, employees and agents are neither officers nor employees of the City.

<u>Unfair Advancement of Private Interests</u>. Pricing and discounts contained in this contract are for use by City departments conducting City business. City employees may not use their positions to obtain special treatment or prices that are not available to the general public.

State of Texas Conflict of Interest Questionnaire (Form CIQ). Chapter 176 of the Texas Local Government Code requires that persons, or their agents, who seek to contract for the sale or purchase of property, goods, or services with the City, shall file a completed Form CIQ with the City Clerk if those persons meet the requirements under 176.006(a) of the statute.

By law, this questionnaire must be filed with the City Clerk not later than the 7th business day after the date the vendor becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006(a-1), Local Government Code.

Form CIQ is available from the Texas Ethics Commission by accessing the following web address:

https://ethics.state.tx.us/forms/conflict/

In addition, please complete the **City's Addendum to Form CIQ (Form CIQ-A)** and submit it with Form CIQ to the Office of the City Clerk. The Form CIQ-A can be found at:

http://www.sanantonio.gov/atty/ethics/pdf/OCC-CIQ-Addendum.pdf.

When completed, the CIQ Form and the CIQ-A Form should be submitted together, either by mail or hand delivery, to the Office of the City Clerk, If mailing, mail to: Office of the City Clerk, P.O. Box 839966. San Antonio, TX 78283-3966.

If delivering by hand, deliver to: Office of the City Clerk, c/o Municipal Archives and Records Facility, 719 S. Santa Rosa Ave., San Antonio, TX 78204-3114.

Do not include these forms with your proposal. The Purchasing Division will not deliver the forms to the City Clerk for you.

PART B

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Respondent's Proposal shall include the following items in the following sequence, noted with the appropriate heading as indicated below. If Respondent is proposing as a team or joint venture, provide the same information for each member of the team or joint venture.

Submission of Hard Copy Proposals. Respondent shall submit one (1) COMPLETE original signed in ink, seven (7) hard copies WITH ONLY TABS and documents for General Information Form; Experience, Background and Qualifications; Proposed Plan, etc. (NO SBEDA, VOSB AND/OR PRICING TO BE INCLUDED in the 7 copies) and one copy of the proposal on compact disk (CD) or USB drive containing an Adobe PDF version of the entire proposal in a sealed package clearly marked with the project name, "ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM – PARKS, RFCSP 19-084, RFX 6100011689" on the front of the package. The name and address of Respondent, the due date for submission of proposals, RFCSP number and title of the solicitation shall be marked on the outside of the envelope(s). All times stated herein are Central Time. Any proposal or modification received after the time and date stated on the Cover Page shall be rejected.

If submitting electronically through City's portal, scan and upload these documents with your proposal. Each of the items listed below must be uploaded as a separate attachment, labeled with the heading indicated below.

- ATTACHMENT 1. TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (TDA) SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM
 INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB) AND CONTRACT FORMS. Complete and submit Summer Food Service
 Program (SFSP) Invitation for Bid Contract forms:
 - a. Section I Invitation for Bid (IFB) and Contract Face Page
 - b. <u>Section II</u> Certification of Independent Price Determination
 - c. Schedule D Unit Price Schedule
 - d. Schedule D-1- Summary Bid Sheet
 - e. <u>Schedule E</u> Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion for Covered Contracts.
 - f. Schedule F Anti Collusion Affidavit
 - g. Schedule G Certification Regarding Lobbying
 - h. Schedule H Disclosure Lobbying Activities
- 2. <u>STATE OR LOCAL HEALTH CERTIFICATION:</u> Submit a copy of the Bidder's current State or local Health certificate for the food preparation facilities.
- 3. <u>NUTRITION LABELS:</u> for each food item listed in Schedule B SFSB Master Cycle Menu, Bidders must submit a Child Nutrition (CN) label and/or manufacturer's product analysis, specifying the yield of each product's ingredients. The label must pertain to the specific brand names that the Bidder is proposing to provide.
- 4. <u>EXECUTIVE SUMMARY</u>. The summary shall include a statement of the work to be accomplished, how Respondent proposes to accomplish and perform each specific service and unique problems perceived by Respondent and their solutions.
- 5. GENERAL INFORMATION FORM. Use the Form found in this RFCSP as Attachment A. Part One.
- 6. <u>EXPERIENCE</u>, <u>BACKGROUND & QUALIFICATIONS</u>. Use the Form found in this RFCSP as Attachment A. Part Two.
- 7. PROPOSED PLAN. Use the Form found in this RFCSP as Attachment A. Part Three.
- 8. *TASTE TEST PRICE SCHEDULE. Use the Price Schedule that is found in this RFCSP as Attachment B.
- 9. <u>CONTRACTS DISCLOSURE FORM.</u> Complete and submit the Contract Disclosure Form, found using the link below as Attachment C. Respondent may download a copy at:

https://www.sanantonio.gov/Portals/0/Files/eforms/Atty/ContractsDisclosureForm.pdf

Instructions for completing the Contracts Disclosure form:

Download form and complete all fields. All fields must be completed prior to submitting the form.

Click on the "Print" button and place the copy in your proposal as indicated in the Proposal Checklist.

- 10. <u>LITIGATION DISCLOSURE FORM</u>. Complete and submit the Litigation Disclosure Form, found in this RFCSP as Attachment D. If Respondent is proposing as a team or joint venture, then all persons or entities who will be parties to the contract (if awarded) shall complete and return this form.
- 11. *SMALL BUSINESS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVOCACY (SBEDA) PROGRAM FORM(S). Complete, sign and submit any and all SBEDA form(s), found in this RFCSP as Attachment E.
- 12. *VETERAN-OWNED SMALL BUSINESS (VOSB) PROGRAM TRACKING FORM. Complete and return the VOSB Program Tracking Form found in this RFCSP as Attachment F.
- 13. <u>CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES FORM</u>. Respondent shall review information regarding Certificate of Interested Parties Form (Form 1295) provided in RFCSP Attachment G. and submit Form 1295 as directed.
- 14. Form 1295 must be completed online. In Box 3 of the form, provide the solicitation number shown on the cover page of this solicitation (e.g. IFB 6100001234, RFO 6100001234 or RFCSP 6100001234). The form is available from the Texas Ethics Commission by accessing the following web address:

https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/filinginfo/1295

Print and sign your completed Form 1295. Submit your signed Form 1295 with your response to this solicitation. Where requested to provide the name of the public entity with whom you are contracting, insert "City of San Antonio". Where requested to provide the contract number, provide the solicitation number shown on the cover page of this solicitation (e.g. IFB 6100001234, RFO 6100001234 or RFCSP 6100001234).

- 15. <u>PROOF OF INSURABILITY</u>. Submit a letter from insurance provider stating provider's commitment to insure the Respondent for the types of coverages and at the levels specified in this RFCSP if awarded a contract in response to this RFCSP. Respondent shall also submit a copy of their current insurance certificate.
- 16. <u>BID BOND</u>. Submit proposal bond in the amount of 5% of total contract price. For electronic submissions, Respondent must provide the original proposal bond to the City Clerk prior to proposal due date in accordance with the instructions for submission of hard copy proposals.
- 17. <u>FINANCIAL INFORMATION</u>. Submit a recent copy of a Dun and Bradstreet financial report, or other credit report, on Respondent and its partners, affiliates and subtenants, if any.
- 18. ADDENDA. Sign and submit addenda, if any.
- 19. <u>SIGNATURE PAGE</u>. If submitting a hard copy proposal, Respondent must complete, sign and submit the Signature Page found in this RFCSP Section 007. The Signature Page must be signed by a person, or persons, authorized to bind the entity, or entities, submitting the proposal. Proposals signed by a person other than an officer of a corporate respondent or partner of partnership respondent shall be accompanied by evidence of authority.
- 20. PROPOSAL CHECKLIST. Complete and submit the Proposal Checklist found in this RFCSP as Attachment H.

21. PRICE SCHEDULE. Use the Price Schedule that is found in this RFCSP as Attachment K.

Respondent is expected to examine this RFCSP carefully, understand the terms and conditions for providing the services listed herein and respond completely. FAILURE TO COMPLETE AND PROVIDE ANY OF THESE PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS MAY RESULT IN THE RESPONDENT'S PROPOSAL BEING DEEMED NON-RESPONSIVE AND THEREFORE DISQUALIFIED FROM CONSIDERATION.

EVALUATION CRITERIA

The City will conduct a comprehensive, fair and impartial evaluation of all submissions received in response to this RFCSP. City may appoint a selection committee to perform the evaluation. Each submission will be analyzed to determine overall responsiveness and qualifications under this RFCSP. Criteria to be evaluated will include the items listed below. The selection committee may select respondents who are judged to be reasonably qualified for interviews, depending on whether further information is needed. Interviews are not an opportunity to change a submission. If the City elects to conduct interviews, respondents may be interviewed and re-scored based upon the same criteria. City may also request information from respondents at any time prior to final approval of a selected respondent, or seek best and final offers from respondents deemed reasonably qualified for award. Final approval of a selected respondent is subject to the action of the San Antonio City Council.

Evaluation Criteria:

Experience, Background, Qualifications: (30 points)

Proposed Plan: (35 points)

Price: (20 points)

Small Business Economic Development Advocacy Program (SBEDA):

SBE Prime Contract Program – (5 points)

Certified SBE firms (see *Small Business Enterprise* definition) headquartered or having a Significant Business Presence within the San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area responding to this solicitation as Prime CONTRACTORs proposing at least 51% SBE participation (Prime and/or Subcontractor) will receive five **5** evaluation criteria points, **and**

M/WBE Prime Contract Program – (10 points)

Certified M/WBE firms (see *Minority/Women Business Enterprise* definition) headquartered or having a Significant Business Presence within the San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area responding to this solicitation as Prime CONTRACTORs proposing at least 51% M/WBE participation (Prime and/or Subcontractor) will receive ten **10** evaluation criteria points.

No evaluation criteria points will be awarded to non-SBE or non-M/WBE Prime CONTRACTORs through subcontracting to certified SBE or M/WBE firms.

Finalist Evaluations

- 1. On the basis of a preliminary evaluation using the scoring criteria set forth above, bidders may be short listed and invited for a finalist taste test & presentation.
- Finalists will be instructed to prepare, deliver and serve a minimum of 40 and a maximum of 90 prepackaged meals. Meals must match the menu listed in RFCSP ATTACHMENT B. – Taste Test Price Schedule, Menu I. Note: Meals must be prepared and provided in accordance with the Scope of Service requirements listed in the RFCSP as well as in Attachment 1, Texas Department of Agriculture- Summer Food Services Program, Invitation for Bid (IFB) and Contract.
- Bidders must provide the samples at the time, date and location to be determined and specified by the City. Finalists will be provided with not less than five (5) days notice of the date and time that sample meals must be served.
- 4. Finalists are to dress in non-identifying clothing on the day of their scheduled taste test & presentation.
- 5. <u>Payment</u>: Bidders that are selected as finalists and provide sample meals shall receive reimbursement by the City in the amount indicated on **Bidder's Taste Test Price Schedule**, up to \$3.65 per meal for sample meal(s) requested. Invoices for sample meals may be billed to the City of San Antonio with a net thirty (30) day payment term. The terms and conditions stated herein as they apply to the sample meals shall be controlling. Bidders shall not add other terms by invoice or other means. Any added terms shall be null and void.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

The following is a list of **projected dates/times** with respect to this RFCSP:

RFCSP Release Date Pre-Submittal Conference Final Questions Accepted Proposal Due Wednesday, September 11, 2019 Tuesday, September 24, 2019 @ 9:00 am, Central Time Monday, September 30, 2019 @ 10:00 am, Central Time Friday, November 1, 2019 @ 2:00 pm, Central Time

004 - SPECIFICATIONS / SCOPE OF SERVICES

4.0. BACKGROUND

The City of San Antonio Parks and Recreation Department is seeking qualified Bidders interested in furnishing and providing unitized meals to be served to children participating in the City's Summer Food Service Program (SFSP). Food services shall include daily preparation and delivery of hot/cold lunches and snacks to approximately 2,700 children at approximately 66 anticipated sites, which include community centers, churches, elementary and middle schools, swimming pools and various other independent organizations located within Bexar County, Texas. The City reserves the right to add future sites and increase or decrease meals to address program needs.

The intent of the SFSP is to ensure that during school summer vacation, children are able to receive the same high-quality meals, made available to them, through the National School Lunch Program. The SFSP is sponsored by the City of San Antonio, funded by the United States Department of Agriculture (USDA), administered by the Texas Department of Agriculture/Food and Nutrition Division (TDA/FND), authorized by Section 13 of the National School Lunch Act, and operated under 7 CFR Part 225 of the USDA regulations.

4.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- a. The Contractor shall be responsible for supplying all labor, materials and equipment necessary for the proper execution and completion of the work, and shall perform all services, as stated in the scope of services or reasonably implied there from and in accordance with contract documents.
- b. Contractor shall provide full time supervision and properly skilled staff to perform the work required under this bid invitation. Unless specified to the contrary, all materials used shall be new and of the best kind and grades specified and all workmanship shall be up to the best recognized standards known to the various trades
- c. The City reserves the right to cancel this contract if the Federal funding to support the SFSP is withdrawn. It is further understood that, in the event of cancellation of the contract, the City shall be responsible for meals that have already been assembled and delivered in accordance with the contract.

4.2 MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- a. To be qualified, providing and delivering meals must be a primary line of business for the Bidder. Additionally, qualified Bidders must have current meal preparation and delivery service experience similar to the Summer Food Service Program as described herein. City shall be the sole judge as to whether Bidder's experience is sufficiently similar to be responsive.
- b. Bidder must currently have a permanent place of business located within Bexar County, Texas.
- c. Bidder must have been in business for a minimum of three (3) years and employ qualified personnel to ensure vendor performance in accordance with all outlined requirements.
- d. Bidder must hold a current State or local health certificate for their food preparation facility/facilities.

4.3 CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITIES

Contractor shall be responsible for the following requirements:

- a. Adhere to Attachment 1. TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (TDA) SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB) AND CONTRACT FORMS and all its attached provisions. Contractor is not required to be registered with the TDA/FND; however, Contractor must meet State and Local Health Department Inspections and licenses required to prepare and distribute/vend food to the public. All meals served will be a lunch and an afternoon/PM snack.
- b. Meals will be served Monday through Friday, at approximately 11:30 a.m. for lunch and 3:00 p.m. for snack. The quantity of meals served is estimated based on maximum daily lunches approved by TDA for 2019, SFSP servings and area/site research. Site confirmation will be announced upon receipt of approval by TDA/FND through grant application and City Council. The SFSP will begin June 18, 2020 and operate through August 14, 2020. The intent is to serve the same type of meal to all children each day.

4.4 PRICING

- a. All unit costs per meal/item must include all related costs, including but not limited to product, staff, delivery, equipment, supplies and storage. The maximum federal reimbursement rate for 2019 is \$3.65 for lunch and \$0.85 for snack.
- b. The City is reimbursed based upon each meal actually served and not the estimated number of meals to be served. For this reason, the Bidder's fixed price must be 8% or more below the annual federal reimbursement rate for each calendar year. Since the federal reimbursement rate is subject to change each year, rather than bid a fixed dollar amount, the City is soliciting bids based on a discount from the actual reimbursement rate established by the USDA and the TDA/FND for the calendar year in which the meal/snack is served.
- c. The City reserves the right to reject any bid where the cost per meal/item exceeds the maximum reimbursement rate per meal as established by the USDA and the TDA/FND. In addition, the City reserves the right to reject any bid where the cost per meal/item is not less than 8% below the annual federal reimbursement rate for each calendar year.

4.5 FOOD SPECIFICATIONS

- a. Component yield must meet the minimum requirement as per TDA/FND Required Meal Patterns, USDA Required Meal Patterns, Eleven Day Cycle Menu and this contract at time of meal service. The current Food Buying Guide for Child Nutrition Programs, published by USDA and TDA/FND, shall be the source of reference. Meal components must yield, edible portion, as approved reimbursable by TDA/FND, the minimum required weight, or as specified, so as to remain in compliance. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to be current on all amendments, changes, notices, updates, etc. to the TDA/FND Food Buying Guide for Children.
- b. All meals in the menu cycle must meet the food specifications and quality standards. All meat and meat products shall have been slaughtered, processed and manufactured in plants inspected under a USDA approved inspection program and bear the appropriate seal. All meat and meat products must be fresh, lean, free from gristle and peppercorns, sound, sanitary and free of objectionable odors or signs of deterioration upon delivery. Meat must not be discolored.
- c. Milk, white/chocolate is not to contain more than 1% fat or less and shall contain vitamins A and D at the levels specified by the Food and Drug Administration and consistent with State and local standards for such milk. Milk delivered hereunder shall conform to these specifications.
- d. All snacks, to include but not limited to, cookies, crackers and other than one slice of bread equivalents must refer to and meet the edible/reimbursable portion required as per the Food Buying Guide provided by the TDA/FND and USDA.
- e. All food components are required to be fresh, ripe, edible and within the date of expiration upon time of consumption. Bidders must possess and submit with their bid response, a Child Nutrition "CN" label and/or manufacturer's product analysis, specifying the yield of each product's ingredients.
- f. In the event that food or milk products are allowed to be shipped from outside of Bexar County from another incorporated City, the San Antonio Health Department will require written certification from the Texas Department of Health, under the terms set out in the "Rules of Food Service Sanitation".
- g. All menu items must also meet the guidelines of the San Antonio Metro Health Department ¡Por Vida! Nutritional Criteria, **RFCSP Exhibit 1A and 1B.** If amended, City shall provide Contractor with a copy and Contractor shall ensure continued compliance with any amended guidelines.

4.6 2019 SUMMER FEEDING PROGRAM NUTRITION REQUIREMENTS

All meals and snacks must meet the USDA Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) standards and must follow these additional recommendations*

Lunch

Fruits – A minimum of ½ cup offered per day

Vegetables - A minimum of 3/4 cup offered per day

Only 100% fruit juice served and not more than once per day

No fried foods

All grains must be 100% whole grain

All milk served must be more than 1%

Sodium Levels for meals (aligns with requirements under USDA NSLP)

Target 1: School Year 2019-2024

≤ 1230mg

The Summer feeding service in 2020 will comply with the USDA sodium targets for 2019-2024 and provide no more than 1230 mg per meal.

Note: Target School Years are staggered to allow for Manufacturers and Schools to phase in sodium levels.

Snacks (follows USDA's Smart Snacks in Schools)

200 calories or less per portion

≤ 35% of calories from total fat

≤ 10% of calories from saturated fat

Zero grams trans fat

≤ 200mg sodium per item

≤ 35% of weight from total sugars in foods

All grains 100% whole grain

Plain water available

4.7 PACKAGING

- a. Each meal/lunch must be individually unitized to ensure proper distribution to program participants.
- b. Snacks/Supplements must be single serving packages and delivered in amounts required.
- c. Individual meals delivered in unit packs must be delivered and stored in containers so as to maintain the required temperature until service time.
- d. Containers should be adequately sealed to prevent seating or leaking of any kind.
- e. Containers should be able to hold ice and contain any liquid caused by melting. Containers used where sweating and leaking occur are considered to be sub-standard and unacceptable.

Approved packaging for unitized meals will be:

- a. Individual meal unit with seal-able lids. Meal units may be heat sealed; however, heat sealing is not a requirement.
- b. Fiber or recyclable plastic containers wrapped and sealed to prevent crushing or leaking of food onto other food within the container (i.e. ice chest) or leakage within the individual food containers.
- c. Containers must maintain required temperature until serving time.
- d. Other packaging may be used, only upon written approval by the City and TDA/FND. (Approval is required prior to beginning of SFSP. Only the City may authorize a waiver for this requirement).
- e. The transport of all cold or hot products must be, at a minimum, in thermo-insulated containers (i.e. ice chests) which have proven to maintain the required temperature more efficiently as well as reduce sweating and leakage.

All hot meals must be in a sectioned container, with the other meal components, which can be sealed to ensure proper sanitation. All meal entrée components (lunch) must be packaged into one container (i.e. – entrée and vegetable(s)). Fresh fruit and bread may be packaged and served individually.

^{*}Metro Health will provide technical assistance as to all of the USDA nutrition standards

4.8 DELIVERY REQUIREMENTS

- a. Contractor must ensure that, during time of meal preparation, interim storage, transporting, delivering to site and immediately prior to meal service, the maximum, and minimum required temperatures are maintained as per local Health Department Regulations.
- b. Meal units must leave the Contractor site in containers that will hold the proper temperature for a four (4) hour window.
- c. The Contractor must maintain a log documenting the time of departure and meal temperature. There are no reheating capabilities for meals at the drop off sites.
- d. All meal and snack deliveries shall be made between:

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8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m. - Hot Meals;
12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. - Hot/Cold Meals (Pools)
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- e. Contractor must have proper transportation to support the time and delivery schedule.
- f. The Contractor's driver must remain at the delivery site(s) until meals have been inspected by designated City personnel.
- g. Upon food inspection of meals, if drinks do not meet temperature requirement, they will not be accepted and the City of San Antonio will not be charged.
- h. The Contractor is responsible for reimbursing the City for any meals City must procure to feed the children if due to Contractor's failure to perform as required.

4.9 ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS

In addition to the information listed above, Contractor must also adhere to the requirements listed within **ATTACHMENT 1**. TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (TDA) SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB) AND CONTRACT FORMS.

ATTACHMENT 1. TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (TDA) SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB) AND CONTRACT FORMS – Award of Contract, letter (d.) and Late Bids, Modification of Bids or Withdrawals of Bids, letter (a.) shall not be considered by the City. City's bidding requirements will prevail. Bids received after the deadline will not be accepted.

4.10 CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS

Contractor is responsible for assessing risk and maintaining effective background check policy and procedures for all employees, staff and subcontractors responsible for performing services under this contract.

Contractor shall retain all employee records, including criminal background checks, for the retention period stated in section 006-General Terms and Conditions.

005 - SUPPLEMENTAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

Original Contract Term.

This contract shall begin upon the effective date of the ordinance awarding the contract, or APRIL 1, 2020, whichever is later. This contract shall terminate on MARCH 31, 2021.

Renewals.

At City's option, this Contract may be renewed under the same terms and conditions for FOUR (4) additional ONE (1) year period(s). Renewals shall be in writing and signed by Director, without further action by the San Antonio City Council, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefore.

Temporary Short Term Extensions.

City shall have the right to extend this contract under the same terms and conditions beyond the original term or any renewal thereof, on a month to month basis, not to exceed three months. Said month to month extensions shall be in writing, signed by Director, and shall not require City Council approval, subject to and contingent upon appropriation of funding therefore.

Temporary Contract Pending Award of Contract by City Council:

Occasionally, the City has a need for goods or services prior to the date set for the San Antonio City Council to consider a contract for award. If such a situation arises with regard to this solicitation, and if City intends to recommend Vendor's bid to the City Council for award of a contract, City may require Vendor to provide goods or services prior to the date set for City Council to consider the bid for award of a contract. City shall provide Vendor advance written notice if such occasion arises.

In such event, City's written notice shall constitute acceptance of Vendor's bid and shall result in a temporary contract to provide goods and/or services until City Council considers and awards the contract contemplated in this solicitation. The total expenditure under the temporary contract shall not exceed \$50,000. The temporary contract shall begin on the date set forth in City's written notice and shall terminate when the total expenditure reaches \$50,000, or upon subsequent written notice from City, whichever shall occur sooner. Should City Council authorize award of a contract to Vendor pursuant to this solicitation, said award shall automatically terminate the temporary contract upon the effective date of the newly awarded contract.

During the term of the temporary contract, all goods or services shall be provided in accordance with the terms and conditions contained in this solicitation, with the exception of the Original Contract Term, which is modified as indicated above for the temporary contract.

Acceptance of Vendor's bid for the purposes of award of a temporary contract does not constitute award of the full contract with the Original Contract Term. Such a contract may only be awarded by the San Antonio City Council by passage of an ordinance. Neither does award of a temporary contract obligate City to recommend Vendor's bid for award to the City Council, or guarantee that the City Council will award the contract to Vendor.

Internal / External Catalog.

<u>San Antonio e-Procurement</u>. The City is using an "e-Procurement" system (SAePS) based on SAP's Supplier Relationship Management (SRM) software. SAePS is a secure, web browser-based system that gives City employees the ability to shop for items from online catalogs and brings the items back automatically into SAePS. Online catalogs include both a SAePS internal catalog and externally hosted catalogs on supplier websites.

<u>SAePS Electronic Catalog Options</u>. Vendor shall furnish an electronic catalog that contains only the items awarded by City and displays pricing bid under this contract. Vendor may choose either Option 1 or Option 2 below as the method for furnishing the catalog.

Option 1. Vendor shall host an online catalog (Punch Out Catalog) with Open Catalog Interface (OCI) compliant integration to the SAePS system. This Punch Out Catalog shall have e-commerce functions, including, but not

limited to, cataloging, searching and shopping cart functionality. Integration includes linking to the online catalog from SAePS, shopping, and electronically returning the data back to SAePS.

Option 2. Internal Catalog. Vendor shall provide a list of products and services awarded under this contract for uploading into the COSA e-Procurement system in an electronic format as specified by City. The electronic submission may be through email, unless it exceeds City's maximum allowable file size limit. In such case, Vendor shall provide the submission on a CD or other means approved by City.

<u>Paper Catalog</u>. If a Punch Out Catalog is not available and Vendor elects to provide an Internal Catalog, City, at its sole option, may require Vendor to provide its Internal Catalog in paper form in addition to the electronic form.

<u>Catalog Content</u>. All catalogs, regardless of the form in which they are provided, must include these elements, at a minimum.

- Your part number
- Short and long descriptions
- Units of measure
- Pricing, contract pricing, tiered pricing
- Classification of parts
- Manufacturer and Manufacturer part number
- Keywords, tags

<u>Time to Provide Catalog</u>. Catalogs required under this provision must be provided within 10 business days of request by City, and no later than 5 business days from the date of contract award.

Catalog Updates.

If this contract allows for increases in price, Vendor must provide timely updates to the City. For Punch Out catalogs, Vendor must update pricing on their website and provide City a notification and detailed explanation of the price updates. For Internal Catalogs, Vendor must provide an updated pricing file with details of the pricing updates. If paper catalogs have been requested, updated paper catalogs must be provided concurrently with Internal Catalog files, or as soon thereafter as printed catalogs become available.

Insurance.

Prior to the commencement of any work under this Agreement, Vendor shall furnish copies of all required endorsements and completed Certificate(s) of Insurance to the City's Parks and Recreation Department, which shall be clearly labeled "Parks - Summer Food Service Program (SFSP)" in the Description of Operations block of the Certificate. The Certificate(s) shall be completed by an agent and signed by a person authorized by that insurer to bind coverage on its behalf. City will not accept a Memorandum of Insurance or Binder as proof of insurance. The certificate(s) must have the agent's signature and phone number, and be mailed, with copies of all applicable endorsements, directly from the insurer's authorized representative to City. City shall have no duty to pay or perform under this Agreement until such certificate and endorsements have been received and approved by City's Parks and Recreation Department. No officer or employee, other than City's Risk Manager, shall have authority to waive this requirement.

City reserves the right to review the insurance requirements of this Article during the effective period of this Agreement and any extension or renewal hereof and to modify insurance coverages and their limits when deemed necessary and prudent by City's Risk Manager based upon changes in statutory law, court decisions, or circumstances surrounding this Agreement. In no instance will City allow modification whereby City may incur increased risk.

A Vendor's financial integrity is of interest to City; therefore, subject to Vendor's right to maintain reasonable deductibles in such amounts as are approved by City, Vendor shall obtain and maintain in full force and effect for the duration of this Agreement, and any extension here of, at Vendor's sole expense, insurance coverage written on an occurrence basis, unless otherwise indicated, by companies authorized to do business in the State of Texas and with an A.M Best's rating of no less than A- (VII), in the following types and for an amount not less than the amount listed below:

TYPE	AMOUNTS		AMOUNTS	
Workers' Compensation	Statutory			
2. Employers' Liability	\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000/\$1,000,000			

3. Broad form Commercial General Liability Insurance to include coverage for the following: a. Premises operations b. Independent Contractors c. Products/completed operations d. Personal Injury e. Contractual Liability f. Damage to property rented to you.	For Bodily Injury and Property Damage of \$1,000,000 per occurrence; \$2,000,000 General Aggregate, or its equivalent in Umbrella or Excess Liability Coverage
4. Business Automobile Liability a. Owned/leased vehicles b. Non-owned vehicles c. Hired Vehicles	Combined Single Limit for Bodily Injury and Property Damage of \$1,000,000 per occurrence

Vendor agrees to require, by written contract, that all subcontractors providing goods or services hereunder obtain the same insurance coverages required of Vendor herein, and provide a certificate of insurance and endorsement that names Vendor and City as additional insureds. Vendor shall provide City with said certificate and endorsement prior to the commencement of any work by the subcontractor. This provision may be modified by City's Risk Manager, without subsequent City Council approval, when deemed necessary and prudent, based upon changes in statutory law, court decisions, or circumstances surrounding this agreement. Such modification may be enacted by letter signed by City's Risk Manager, which shall become a part of the contract for all purposes.

As they apply to the limits required by City, City shall be entitled, upon request and without expense, to receive copies of the policies, declaration page, and all endorsements thereto and may require the deletion, revision, or modification of particular policy terms, conditions, limitations, or exclusions (except where policy provisions are established by law or regulation binding upon either of the parties hereto or the underwriter of any such policies). Vendor shall be required to comply with any such requests and shall submit a copy of the replacement certificate of insurance to City at the address provided below within 10 days of the requested change. Vendor shall pay any costs incurred resulting from said changes.

City of San Antonio Attn: Parks and Recreation Department P.O. Box 839966 San Antonio, Texas 78283-3966

Vendor agrees that with respect to the above required insurance, all insurance policies are to contain or be endorsed to contain the following provisions:

Name City, its officers, officials, employees, volunteers, and elected representatives as <u>additional insureds</u> by endorsement, as respects operations and activities of, or on behalf of, the named insured performed under contract with City, with the exception of the workers' compensation and professional liability policies;

Provide for an endorsement that the "other insurance" clause shall not apply to the City of San Antonio where City is an additional insured shown on the policy;

Workers' compensation, employers' liability, general liability and automobile liability policies will provide a waiver of subrogation in favor of City; and

Provide advance written notice directly to City of any suspension, cancellation, non-renewal or material change in coverage, and not less than ten (10) calendar days advance notice for nonpayment of premium.

Within five (5) calendar days of a suspension, cancellation or non-renewal of coverage, Vendor shall provide a replacement Certificate of Insurance and applicable endorsements to City. City shall have the option to suspend Vendor's performance should there be a lapse in coverage at any time during this contract. Failure to provide and to maintain the required insurance shall constitute a material breach of this Agreement.

In addition to any other remedies City may have upon Vendor's failure to provide and maintain any insurance or policy endorsements to the extent and within the time herein required, City shall have the right to order Vendor to stop work

hereunder, and/ or withhold any payment(s) which become due to Vendor hereunder until Vendor demonstrates compliance with the requirements hereof.

Nothing herein contained shall be construed as limiting in any way the extent to which Vendor may be held responsible for payment of damages to persons or property resulting from Vendor's or its subcontractors' performance of the work covered under this Agreement.

It is agreed that Vendor's insurance shall be deemed primary and non-contributory with respect to any insurance or self insurance carried by City for liability arising out of operations under this Agreement.

It is understood and agreed that the insurance required is in addition to and separate from any other obligation contained in this Agreement and that no claim or action by or on behalf of City shall be limited to insurance coverage provided.

Vendor and any subcontractors are responsible for all damage to their own equipment and/or property.

Bid Bonds.

Contractor must submit a bid bond, in a form acceptable to City, made payable to the City of San Antonio, executed by a corporate surety acceptable to City who is licensed pursuant to the Texas Insurance Code and listed on the United States Department of the Treasury's Listing of Approved Sureties (Dept Circular 570) in the amount of 5%. The Bid Bond shall be valid for 180 days following the deadline for submission of bids. The Bid Bond must be accompanied by an original signed and notarized Power-of-Attorney bearing the seal of the issuing surety company and reflecting that the signatory to the bond is a designated Attorney-in-Fact. If Bidder is not selected, City will not collect on the bond, but will keep the original document pursuant to the Local Government Records Act and applicable retention schedule. Any bids received without a Bid Bond will be disqualified.

For hard copy bids, the bid bond must accompany the bid. For electronic submissions, Bidder must provide the original bid bond to the City Clerk prior to bid opening in accordance with the instructions for hard copy submissions.

Performance Bond.

Contractor shall provide a performance bond made payable to the City of San Antonio, executed by a corporate surety acceptable to City who is licensed pursuant to the Texas Insurance Code and listed on the United States Department of the Treasury's Listing of Approved Sureties (Dept. Circular 570) in the amount of 10% of the amount bid. Said bond must be in a form acceptable to City. Said bond shall further provide that the surety shall indemnify the obligee for all damages or losses resulting from the principal's default. Said bond shall further guarantee the principal's performance of all terms and obligations under this contract. Said bond must have attached thereto a Power of Attorney as evidence of the authority of the person executing the bond to bind the surety. This bond must be furnished in compliance with the statutory requirements of the Texas Government Code, chapter 2253. This bond must be executed and delivered to City prior to commencement of work under this contract.

Procurement Of Recovered Materials Contract Clause.

Contractor and its subcontractors shall comply with section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, including, but not limited to, the regulatory provisions of 40 CFR Part 247, and Executive Order 12873, as they apply to the procurement of the items designated in Subpart B of 40 CFR Part 247.

Clean Air Act & Federal Water Pollution Control Act Contract Clause.

Clean Air Act & Federal Water Pollution Control Act - (1) Contractor agrees to comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. §§7401-7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act (33 U.S.C. §§1251-1387), as amended. Contractor agrees to report each violation to the City and understands that the City will, in turn, report each violation as required to the federal agency providing funds for this contract and the appropriate EPA Regional Office. (2) Contractor agrees to include these requirements in each subcontract to this contract exceeding \$150,000 financed in whole or in part with federal funds.

Suspension and Debarment Contract Clause.

This contract is a covered transaction for purposes of 2 CFR Part 400. As such, the contractor is required to verify that neither the contractor, nor its principals, as defined at 2 CFR 180.995, are excluded or disqualified as defined at 2 CFR 180.940 and 2 CFR 180.935, respectively.

By signing and submitting its bid or proposal, Contractor certifies that:

- Neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended for debarment, declared ineligible or voluntarily excluded from participation in any State or Federal Program;
- Contractor shall provide immediate written notice to City if, at any time during the term of this contract, including
 any renewals hereof, Contractor learns that its certification was erroneous when made or has become erroneous
 by reason of changed circumstances.

The certification in this clause is a material representation of fact relied upon by City and the U.S. Department of Agriculture. If it is later determined that the bidder or proposer knowingly rendered an erroneous certification, in addition to remedies available to City, the Federal Government may pursue available remedies, including but not limited to suspension and/or debarment. The bidder or proposer agrees to comply with the requirements of 2 CFR 400 while this offer is valid and throughout the period of any contract that may arise from this offer. The bidder or proposer further agrees to include a provision requiring such compliance in its lower tier covered transactions.

Incorporation of Attachments.

Each of the attachments and exhibits listed below is an essential part of this contract, which governs the rights and duties of the parties, incorporated herein by reference, and shall be interpreted in the order of priority as appears below, with this document taking priority over all attachments:

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RFCSP Exhibit 1 – Small Business Economic Development Advocacy (SBEDA) Program
RFCSP Exhibit 1A- Por Vida Children's Menu
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       Pattern for Children (SFSP) Meal Pattern Requirements
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       Suspension, Ineligibility, and Voluntary Exclusion for Covered Contracts
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RFCSP Attachment F - Veteran-Owned Small Business Program (VOSBP) Tracking Form
RFCSP Attachment G – Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)
RFCSP Attachment H - Proposal Checklist
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RFCSP Attachment I - Pre-Submittal Conference Sign-In Sheets
RFCSP Attachment J – Small Business Office Pre-Submittal Conference Presentation
RFCSP Attachment K – Price Schedule

006 - GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS

<u>Electronic Proposal Equals Original</u>. If Vendor is submitting an electronic proposal, City and Vendor each agree that this transaction may be conducted by electronic means, as authorized by Chapter 322, Texas Business & Commerce Code, known as the Electronic Transactions Act.

Delivery of Goods/Services.

<u>Destination Contract.</u> Vendor shall deliver all goods and materials F.O.B., City of San Antonio's designated facility, inside delivery, freight prepaid, to the address provided in this RFCSP or, if different, in the Purchase Order. Vendor shall bear the risk of loss until delivery. Freight charges will be paid only when expedited delivery is requested and approved in writing by the City. Vendor shall be responsible for furnishing necessary personnel or equipment and/or making necessary arrangements to off load at City of San Antonio facility, unless otherwise noted herein.

<u>Failure to Deliver</u>. When delivery is not met as provided for in the contract, the City may make the purchase on the open market, with any cost in excess of the contract price paid by Vendor, in addition to any other direct, indirect, consequential or incidental damages incurred by the City as a result thereof. In addition, Vendor may be removed from the City's list of eligible bidders.

<u>Purchase Orders</u>. Each time a City department wishes to place an order against this contract, it will issue Vendor a purchase order. Vendor must have the purchase order before making any delivery.

Acceptance by City. City shall have a reasonable time (but not less than 30 days) after receipt to inspect the goods and services tendered by Vendor. City at its option may reject all or any portion of such goods or services which do not, in City's sole discretion, comply in every respect with all terms and conditions of the contract. City may elect to reject the entire goods and services tendered even if only a portion thereof is nonconforming. If the City elects to accept nonconforming goods and services, the City, in addition to its other remedies, shall be entitled to deduct a reasonable amount from the price thereof to compensate the City for the nonconformity. Any acceptance by the City, even if nonconditional, shall not be deemed a waiver or settlement of any defect in such goods and services.

<u>Testing</u>. After award of contract, City may, at its sole option, test the product delivered to ensure it meets specifications. Initial testing shall be at City's expense. However, if the product does not to meet specifications, Vendor shall reimburse City for the costs of testing. City may withhold the cost of testing from any amounts owed to Vendor under this or any other contract, or invoice Vendor for same. If invoiced, Vendor shall pay City within 30 calendar days' of the invoice.

<u>Warranty</u>. A minimum of 90-days product guarantee or the manufacturer's standard commercial warranty, whichever is greater, shall apply to all products and/or services purchased under this RFCSP, unless otherwise specified in the Specifications/Scope of Services section of this RFCSP. This warranty shall provide for replacement of defective merchandise, parts, and labor, and shall include pick-up of the defective merchandise from City and delivery of the replacement(s) to the same location. The warranty shall be effective from the date of acceptance of the merchandise, or completion of the service, as applicable.

REJECTION OF DISCLAIMERS OF WARRANTIES & LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY. ANY TERM OR CONDITION IN ANY DOCUMENT FURNISHED BY VENDOR, DISCLAIMING THE IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR OF FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, OR ATTEMPTING TO LIMIT VENDOR'S LIABILITY SHALL BE OF NO FORCE OR EFFECT, AND SHALL BE STRICKEN FROM THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AS IF NEVER CONTAINED THEREIN.

Invoicing and Payment.

Address for Invoices. All original invoices must be sent to: City of San Antonio, Attn: Accounts Payable, P.O. Box 839976, San Antonio, Texas 78283-3976.

Information Required On Invoice.

All invoices must be in a form and content approved by the City. City may require modification of invoices if necessary in order to satisfy City that all billing is proper and pursuant to the terms of the contract. Invoices are required to show each City Purchase Order Number. Invoices must be legible. Items billed on invoices must be specific as to applicable stock, manufacturer, catalog or part number (if any). All invoices must show unit prices for each item being billed, the quantity of items being billed and the total for each item, as well as the total for all items on the invoice. If prices are based on list prices basis, then the list prices, the percentage discount or percentage surcharge, net unit prices, extensions and net total prices must be shown. Prompt payment discounts offered shall be shown separately on the invoice.

Payment by City.

In accordance with the Texas Prompt Payment Act, City shall have not less than 30 days to pay for goods or services. Time for payment, including payment under discount terms, will be computed from the later of: (1) the date the City receives conforming goods under the contract; (2) the date performance of the service under the contract is completed; or (3) the date the City receives a correct and valid invoice for the goods or services. Payment is deemed to be made on the date of mailing of the check. Payment is made in US dollars only.

This provision shall not apply where there is a bona fide dispute between the City and Vendor about the goods delivered or the service performed that causes the payment to be late, or where the invoice is not mailed to the address provided herein.

The payment amount due on invoices may not be manually altered by City personnel. Once disputed items are reconciled, Vendor must submit a corrected invoice or a credit memorandum for the disputed amount. City will not make partial payments on an invoice where there is a dispute.

NECESSITY OF TIMELY INVOICE / WAIVER OF PAYMENT. NOTWITHSTANDING THE FORGOING, THE CITY CANNOT PAY FOR ANY GOODS OR SERVICES WITHOUT AN INVOICE. VENDOR MUST INVOICE CITY NO LATER THAN 90 CALENDAR DAYS FROM THE DATE GOODS ARE DELIVERED OR SERVICES RENDERED. FAILURE TO SUBMIT AN INVOICE WITHIN SAID 90 DAY SHALL NEGATE ANY LIABILITY ON THE PART OF CITY AND CONSTITUTE A WAIVER BY VENDOR OF ANY AND ALL RIGHT OR CLAIMS TO COLLECT MONEYS THAT VENDOR MAY RIGHTFULLY BE OTHERWISE ENTITLED TO FOR GOODS OR SERVICES PERFORMED.

The total price for all goods and/or services is shown on the Price Schedule. No additional fees or expenses of Vendor shall be charged by Vendor nor be payable by City. The parties hereby agree that all compensable expenses of Vendor are shown on the Price Schedule. If there is a discrepancy on the Price Schedule between the unit price for an item, and the extended price, the unit price shall govern.

<u>Change Orders</u>. In order to comply with Texas law governing purchases made by municipalities, the following rules shall govern all change orders made under this contract.

Any change orders that become necessary during the term of this contract as a result of changes in plans, specifications, quantity of work to be performed, materials, equipment or supplies to be furnished must be in writing and conform to the requirements of City Ordinance 2011-12-08-1014, as hereafter amended.

Any other change will require approval of the City Council, City of San Antonio.

Changes that do not involve an increase in contract price may be made by the Director.

No oral statement of any person shall modify or otherwise change, or affect the terms, conditions or specifications stated herein.

Termination.

<u>Termination-Breach</u>. Should Vendor fail to fulfill in a timely and proper manner, as determined solely by the Director, its material obligations under this contract, or violate any of the material terms of this contract, the City shall have the right to immediately terminate the contract in whole or in part. Notice of termination shall be provided in writing to Vendor, effective upon the date set forth in the notice. City may, in City's sole discretion, provide an opportunity for Vendor to cure the default. If City elects to offer an opportunity to cure, City shall provide notice to Vendor specifying the matters in default and the cure period. If Vendor fails to cure the default within the cure period, City shall have the right, without further notice, to terminate the contract in whole or in part. Such termination shall not relieve Vendor of any liability to the City for damages sustained by virtue of any breach by Vendor.

<u>Termination-Notice</u>. City may terminate this contract, in whole or in part, without cause. City shall be required to give Vendor notice ten days prior to the date of termination of the contract without cause.

<u>Termination-Funding</u>. City retains the right to terminate this contract at the expiration of each of City's budget periods. This contract is conditioned on a best efforts attempt by City to obtain and appropriate funds for payment of any debt due by City herein.

City shall pay Vendor for conforming goods delivered and services provided prior to the date of termination, offset by any amounts due and owing from Vendor to City.

Termination by City may be effected by Director, without further action by the San Antonio City Council.

<u>Independent Contractor</u>. Vendor covenants and agrees that it is an independent contractor and not an officer, agent, servant or employee of City. City shall not be liable for any claims which may be asserted by any third party occurring in connection with the services to be performed by Vendor under this contract and that Vendor has no authority to bind City. The doctrine of respondent superior shall not apply as between City and Vendor.

INDEMNIFICATION.

VENDOR covenants and agrees to FULLY INDEMNIFY, DEFEND and HOLD HARMLESS, CITY and the elected officials, employees, officers, directors, volunteers and representatives of CITY, individually and collectively, from and against any and all costs, claims, liens, damages, losses, expenses, fees, fines, penalties, proceedings, actions, demands, causes of action, liability and suits of any kind and nature, including but not limited to, personal or bodily injury, death and property damage, made upon the CITY directly or indirectly arising out of, resulting from or related to VENDOR'S activities under this Agreement, including any acts or omissions of VENDOR, any agent, officer, director, representative, employee, consultant or subcontractor of VENDOR, and their respective officers, agents employees, directors and representatives while in the exercise of the rights or performance of the duties under this Agreement. The indemnity provided for in this paragraph shall not apply to any liability resulting from the negligence of CITY, its officers or employees, in instances where such negligence causes personal injury, death, or property damage. IN THE EVENT VENDOR AND CITY ARE FOUND JOINTLY LIABLE BY A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION. LIABILITY SHALL BE APPORTIONED COMPARATIVELY IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS, WITHOUT, HOWEVER, WAIVING ANY GOVERNMENTAL IMMUNITY AVAILABLE TO THE CITY UNDER TEXAS LAW AND WITHOUT WAIVING ANY DEFENSES OF THE PARTIES UNDER TEXAS LAW. In addition, Vendor agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold the City harmless from any claim involving patent infringement, trademarks, trade secrets, and copyrights on goods supplied.

The provisions of this INDEMNITY are solely for the benefit of the parties hereto and not intended to create or grant any rights, contractual or otherwise, to any other person or entity. VENDOR shall advise CITY in writing within 24 hours of any claim or demand against CITY or VENDOR known to VENDOR related to or arising out of VENDOR's activities under this AGREEMENT and shall see to the investigation and defense of such claim or demand at VENDOR's cost. CITY shall have the right, at its option and at its own expense, to participate in such defense without relieving VENDOR of any of its obligations under this paragraph.

Assignment. Except as otherwise stated herein, Vendor may not sell, assign, pledge, transfer or convey any interest in this contract, nor delegate the performance of any duties hereunder, by transfer, by subcontracting or any other means, without the consent of Director. As a condition of such consent, if such consent is granted, Vendor shall remain liable for completion of the services and provision of goods outlined in this contract in the event of default by the successor vendor, assignee, transferee or subcontractor. Any attempt to transfer, pledge or otherwise assign this Contract without said written approval, shall be void ab initio and shall confer no rights upon any third person.

Ownership of Documents. Pursuant to Texas Local Government Code Chapter 201, any and all Records produced by Vendor pursuant to the provisions of this contract are the exclusive property of City; and no such Record shall be the subject of any copyright or proprietary claim by Vendor. The term "Record" as used herein shall mean any document, paper, letter, book, map, photograph, sound or video recording, microfilm, magnetic tape, electronic medium, or other information recording medium, regardless of physical form or characteristic.

Vendor understands and acknowledges that as the exclusive owner of any and all such Records, City has the right to use all such Records as City desires, without restriction.

Records Retention.

Vendor and its subcontractors, if any, shall properly, accurately and completely maintain all documents, papers, and records, and other evidence pertaining to the services rendered hereunder ("Documents"), and shall make such Documents available to the City at their respective offices, at all reasonable times and as often as City may deem necessary during the contract period, including any extension or renewal hereof, and the record retention period established herein, for purposes of audit, inspection, examination, and making excerpts or copies of same by City and any of its authorized representatives.

Vendor shall retain any and all Documents produced as a result of services provided hereunder for a period of four years ("Retention Period") from the date of termination of the contract. If, at the end of the Retention Period, there is litigation or other questions arising from, involving or concerning these Documents or the services provided hereunder, Vendor shall retain the records until the resolution of such litigation or other such questions. Vendor acknowledges and agrees that City shall have access to any and all such Documents at any and all times, as deemed necessary by City, during said Retention Period. City may, at its election, require Vendor to return the documents to City at Vendor's expense prior to or at the conclusion of the Retention Period. In such event, Vendor may retain a copy of the documents.

Vendor shall notify City, immediately, in the event Vendor receives any requests for information from a third party, which pertain to the Documents referenced herein. Vendor understands and agrees that City will process and handle all such requests.

<u>Severability</u>. If any clause or provision of this contract is held invalid, illegal or unenforceable under present or future federal, state or local laws, including but not limited to the City Charter, City Code, or ordinances of the City of San Antonio, Texas, then and in that event it is the intention of the parties hereto that such invalidity, illegality or unenforceability shall not affect any other clause or provision hereof and that the remainder of this contract shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal or unenforceable clause or provision was never contained herein. It is also the intention of the parties hereto that in lieu of each clause or provision of this contract that is invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, there be added as a part of the contract a clause or provision as similar in terms to such invalid, illegal or unenforceable clause or provision as may be possible, legal, valid and enforceable.

<u>Compliance with Law</u>. Vendor shall provide and perform all services required under this Agreement in compliance with all applicable federal, state and local laws, rules and regulations.

<u>Certifications</u>. Vendor warrants and certifies that Vendor and any other person designated to provide services hereunder has the requisite training, license and/or certification to provide said services, and meets all competence standards promulgated by all other authoritative bodies, as applicable to the services provided herein.

Non-waiver of Performance. Unless otherwise specifically provided for in this Agreement, a waiver by either Party of a breach of any of the terms, conditions, covenants or guarantees of this Agreement shall not be construed or held to be a waiver of any succeeding or preceding breach of the same or any other term, condition, covenant or guarantee herein contained. Further, any failure of either Party to insist in any one or more cases upon the strict performance of any of the covenants of this Agreement, or to exercise any option herein contained, shall in no event be construed as a waiver or relinquishment for the future of such covenant or option. In fact, no waiver, change, modification or discharge by either party hereto of any provision of this Agreement shall be deemed to have been made or shall be effective unless expressed in writing and signed by the party to be charged. No act or omission by a Party shall in any manner impair or prejudice any right, power, privilege, or remedy available to that Party hereunder or by law or in equity, such rights, powers, privileges, or remedies to be always specifically preserved hereby.

<u>Venue</u>. Unless this contract provides otherwise, all claims, counterclaims, disputes and other matters in question between City and Vendor arising out of or relating to this agreement or its breach will be decided in a court of competent jurisdiction. Venue of any court action brought directly or indirectly by reason of this contract shall be in Bexar County, Texas. This contract is made and is to be performed in Bexar County, Texas, and is governed by the laws of the State of Texas.

<u>Non-discrimination</u>. As a condition of entering into this agreement, Vendor represents and warrants that it will comply with the City's Commercial Nondiscrimination Policy, as described under Section III.C.1 of the SBEDA Ordinance. As part of such compliance, Vendor shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, ancestry or national origin, sex, age, marital status, sexual orientation, or on the basis of disability or other unlawful forms of discrimination in the solicitation, selection, hiring or commercial treatment of subcontractors, vendors, suppliers, or commercial customers, nor shall

Vendor retaliate against any person for reporting instances of such discrimination. Vendor shall provide equal opportunity for subcontractors, vendors and suppliers to participate in all of its public sector and private sector subcontracting and supply opportunities, provided that nothing contained in this clause shall prohibit or limit otherwise lawful efforts to remedy the effects of marketplace discrimination that have occurred or are occurring in the City's Relevant Marketplace. Vendor understands and agrees that a material violation of this clause shall be considered a material breach of this agreement and may result in termination of this agreement, disqualification of Vendor from participating in City contracts, or other sanctions. This clause is not enforceable by or for the benefit of, and creates no obligation to, any third party. Vendor shall include this nondiscrimination clause in all subcontracts for the performance of this contract.

As a party to this contract, Vendor understands and agrees to comply with the *Non-Discrimination Policy* of the City of San Antonio contained in Chapter 2, Article X of the City Code and further, shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, veteran status, age or disability, unless exempted by state or federal law, or as otherwise established herein.

Attorney's Fees. The Parties hereto expressly agree that, in the event of litigation, each party hereby waives its right to payment of attorneys' fees.

<u>Prohibition on Contracts with Companies Boycotting Israel.</u> Texas Government Code §2270.002 provides that a governmental entity may not enter into a contract with a company for goods or services, unless the contract contains a written verification from the company that it:

- (1) does not boycott Israel; and
- (2) will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract.

This section only applies to a contract that:

- (1) is between a governmental entity and a company with 10 or more full-time employees; and
- (2) has a value of \$100,000 or more that is to be paid wholly or partly from public funds of the governmental entity.

"Boycott Israel" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes.

"Company" means a for-profit organization, association, corporation, partnership, joint venture, limited partnership, limited liability partnership, or limited liability company, including a wholly owned subsidiary, majority-owned subsidiary, parent company, or affiliate of those entities or business associations that exists to make a profit. This term does not include a sole proprietorship.

By submitting an offer to or executing contract documents with the City of San Antonio, Company hereby verifies that it does not boycott Israel, and will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract. City hereby relies on Company's verification. If found to be false, City may terminate the contract for material breach.

Contracts with Companies Engaged in Business with Iran, Sudan, or Foreign Terrorist Organization Prohibited. Texas Government Code §2252.152 provides that a governmental entity may not enter into a governmental contract with a company that is identified on a list prepared and maintained under Texas Government Code §§2270.0201 or 2252.153. Vendor hereby certifies that it is not identified on such a list and that it will notify City should it be placed on such a list while under contract with City. City hereby relies on Vendor's certification. If found to be false, or if Vendor is identified on such list during the course of its contract with City, City may terminate the Contract for material breach.

<u>Delinquent Taxes</u>. In the event that Vendor is or subsequently becomes delinquent in the payment of taxes owed to the City of San Antonio, the City reserves the right to deduct any delinquent taxes from payments that the City may owe to the delinquent Vendor as a result of this contract.

<u>Binding Contract</u>. This contract shall be binding on and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, and successors and assigns, except as otherwise expressly provided for herein.

<u>Entire Agreement.</u> This contract, including City's final electronically posted online version together with its authorizing ordinance and its price schedule(s), attachments, addendums, purchase orders, and exhibits, if any, and Respondent's proposal, constitutes the final and entire agreement between the parties hereto and contains all of the terms and conditions agreed upon. City's solicitation documents shall control over Respondent's proposal in the event of a conflict.

No other agreements, oral or otherwise, regarding the subject matter of this contract shall be deemed to exist or to bind the parties hereto, unless same be in writing, dated subsequent to the date hereof, and be duly executed by the parties, in accordance with the Change Order provision herein. Parties agree that City's final electronically posted online version of this solicitation contains the agreed upon specifications, scope of services, and terms and conditions of this contract, and shall control in the event of a conflict with any printed version signed and submitted by Vendor.

007 - SIGNATURE PAGE

By submitting a proposal, whether electronically or by paper, Respondent represents that:

- (s)he is authorized to bind Respondent to fully comply with the terms and conditions of City's Request for Competitive Sealed Proposals for the prices stated therein;
- (s)he has read the entire document, including the final version issued by City, and agreed to the terms therein;

Respondent is in good standing with the Texas State Comptroller's Office; and

to the best of his/her knowledge, all information is true and correct.

If submitting your proposal by paper, complete the following and sign on the signature line below. Failure to sign and submit this Signature Page will result in rejection of your proposal.

Respondent Information	
Please Print or Type	
Vendor ID No.	
Signer's Name	
Name of Business	
Street Address	
City, State, Zip Code	
Email Address	
Telephone No.	
Fax No.	
City's Solicitation No.	
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Signature of Person Authorized to Sign Proposal

008 - STANDARD DEFINITION

Whenever a term defined by the Uniform Commercial Code ("UCC"), as enacted by the State of Texas, is used in the Contract, the UCC definition shall control, unless otherwise defined in the Contract.

<u>All-or-None Bid</u> – a request for competitive sealed proposal in which the City will award the entire contract to one respondent only.

<u>Alternate Proposal</u> - two or more proposals with substantive variations in the item or service offered from the same respondent in response to a solicitation.

Assignment - a transfer of claims, rights or interests in goods, services or property.

<u>Change Order</u> - a change to the plans or specifications of the contract, or an increase or decrease in the quantity of work to be performed or of materials, equipment, or supplies to be furnished, issued by the Director after the proposal has been accepted by the City.

City - the City of San Antonio, a Texas home-rule municipal corporation.

Contract - the binding legal agreement between the City and Vendor.

<u>Contractor</u> - the respondent whose proposal is accepted by the City and is, therefore, the person, firm or entity providing goods or services to the City under a contract.

Director – the Director of City's Purchasing & General Services Department, or Director's designee.

<u>Equal or Equivalent</u> - terms to indicate that similar products or other brands may be acceptable for purchase if specifications and functional requirements are met.

<u>Line Item</u> - a listing of items in a proposal for which a respondent is expected to provide separate pricing.

Non-Responsive Proposal - a proposal or offer that does not comply with the terms and conditions, or specifications and/or requirements of the RFCSP.

Offer - a complete, signed response to an RFCSP that, if accepted, would bind Respondent to perform the resultant contract. The term "offer" is synonymous with the terms "bid" and "proposal".

<u>Payment Bond</u> - a particular form of security provided by the contractor to protect the City against loss due to the contractor's failure to pay suppliers and subcontractors.

<u>Performance Bond</u> - a particular form of security provided by the contractor to protect the City against loss due to the contractor's inability or unwillingness to complete the contract as agreed.

<u>Performance Deposit</u> - security provided by the contractor to protect City against loss due to the contractor's inability or unwillingness to complete the contract as agreed.

<u>Pre-Submittal Conference</u> - a meeting conducted by the City, held in order to allow respondents to ask questions about the proposed contract and particularly, the contract specifications.

<u>Proposal</u> - a complete, signed response to a solicitation. The term "proposal" is synonymous with the terms "offer" and "bid".

<u>Proposal Bond or Proposal Guarantee</u> - security to ensure that Respondent (a) will not withdraw the proposal within the period specified for acceptance, and (b) will furnish any required bonds or performance guarantees, and any necessary insurance within the time specified in the solicitation.

<u>Proposal Opening</u> - a public meeting during which proposal responses are opened and the names of respondents are read aloud.

<u>Purchase Order</u> - a validly issued order placed by an authorized City department for the purchase of goods or services, written on the City's standard purchase order form, and which is Vendor's authority to deliver to and invoice the City for the goods or services specified in a RFCSP for the price stated in Vendor's proposal.

Request for Competitive sealed Proposal (RFCSP) – a solicitation for a specified good or a service, evaluated on the basis of price and other factors.

<u>Respondent</u> - a person, firm or entity that submits a proposal in response to a solicitation. The respondent whose proposal is accepted by City may also be referred to herein as Contractor, Vendor or Supplier. The term "respondent" is synonymous with the term "bidder".

<u>Responsible Offeror</u> - a respondent who is known to have the necessary competence and qualifications to perform and provide all requirements of an intended contract.

Responsive Offeror - a respondent who tenders a proposal which meets all requirements of the RFCSP and is a responsible offeror.

<u>Sealed Proposal</u> - a proposal submitted as a sealed document, whether hard copy or electronic, by a prescribed time to the location indicated in the RFCSP. The contents of the proposal will not be made public prior to the award of the contract.

<u>Specifications</u> - a description of what the City requires and what the respondent must offer; a description of the physical or functional characteristics of a product or material, or the nature of a service or construction item.

<u>Subcontractor</u> - a person, firm or entity providing goods or services to a vendor to be used in the performance of the Vendor's obligations under the contract with City.

<u>Supplier</u> - the respondent whose proposal is accepted by the City and is, therefore, the person, firm or entity providing goods or services to the City under a contract.

<u>Vendor</u> - the respondent whose proposal is accepted by the City and is, therefore, the person, firm or entity providing goods or services to the City under a contract.

Waiver of Irregularity - noting, but disregarding an immaterial variance within a proposal.

009 - EXHIBITS / ATTACHMENTS

RFCSP EXHIBIT 1

SMALL BUSINESS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVOCACY (SBEDA) PROGRAM

ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR SUMMER FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM

A. SBEDA Program

The CITY has adopted a Small Business Economic Development Advocacy Ordinance (Ordinance No. 2016-05-19-0367 and as amended, also referred to as "SBEDA" or "the SBEDA Program"), which is posted on the City's Economic Development Department (EDD) website page and is also available in hard copy format upon request to the CITY. The SBEDA Ordinance Compliance Provisions contained in this section of the Agreement are governed by the terms of the SBEDA Ordinance, as well as by the terms of the SBEDA Ordinance Policy & Procedure Manual established by the CITY pursuant to this Ordinance, and any subsequent amendments to this referenced SBEDA Ordinance and SBEDA Policy & Procedure Manual that are effective as of the date of the execution of this Agreement. Unless defined in a contrary manner herein, terms used in this section of the Agreement shall be subject to the same expanded definitions and meanings as given those terms in the SBEDA Ordinance and as further interpreted in the SBEDA Policy & Procedure Manual.

B. SBEDA Program Compliance - Affirmative Procurement Initiatives

The CITY has applied the following contract-specific Affirmative Procurement Initiatives (API) to this contract. CONTRACTOR hereby acknowledges and agrees that the selected API requirement shall also be extended to any change order or subsequent contract modification and, absent SBO's granting of a waiver, that its full compliance with the following API terms and conditions are necessary to attain satisfactory performance under this Agreement:

<u>Please note</u> that failure to meet the subcontracting API requirements (when applicable) will deem the response non-responsive. To be SBEDA eligible a Prime or Subcontractor must be certified as a Small Business Enterprise (SBE) through the South Central Texas Regional Certification Agency AND must be headquartered or have a significant business presence in the San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area. The guidelines and steps to be certified by SCTRCA are available at: https://sctrca.org/get-certified/.

SBE Prime Contract Program. In accordance with the SBEDA Ordinance, Section III. D. 7. (a), this contract is being awarded pursuant to the SBE Prime Contract Program, and as such, RESPONDENT affirms that if it is presently certified as an SBE (see *Small Business Enterprise* definition), RESPONDENT agrees not to subcontract more than 49% of the contract value to a non-SBE firm.

M/WBE Prime Contract Program. In accordance with the SBEDA Ordinance, Section III. D. 8. (b), this contract is being awarded pursuant to the M/WBE Prime Contract Program and as such, RESPONDENT affirms that if it is presently certified as an M/WBE (see *Minority/Women Business Enterprise* definition), RESPONDENT agrees not to subcontract more than 49% of the contract value to a non-M/WBE firm.

M/WBE Subcontracting Program. In accordance with SBEDA Ordinance Section III. D. 8. (f), this contract is being awarded pursuant to the M/WBE Subcontracting Program. CONTRACTOR agrees to subcontract or self-perform at least **fifteen percent (15%)** of its prime contract value to certified M/WBE firms headquartered or having a Significant Business Presence within the San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area (SAMSA). If the Prime CONTRACTOR is a certified M/WBE firm, then the CONTRACTOR is allowed to self-perform up to the entire M/WBE subcontracting goal amount with its own forces. To the extent that the certified M/WBE Prime CONTRACTOR does not self-perform a portion of the M/WBE subcontracting goal, it shall be responsible for complying with all other requirements of this API for that portion of work that is subcontracted.

The **Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Plan** which CONTRACTOR submitted to City with its response for this contract and that contains the names of the certified M/WBE Subcontractors to be used by CONTRACTOR on this contract, the respective percentages of the total prime contract dollar value to be awarded and performed by each M/WBE Subcontractor, and documentation including a description of each M/WBE Subcontractor's scope of work and confirmation of each M/WBE Subcontractor's commitment to perform such scope of work for an agreed upon dollar amount is hereby attached and incorporated by reference into the material terms of this Agreement.

In the absence of a waiver granted by the SBO, failure of a Prime CONTRACTOR to attain this M/WBE subcontracting goal as required in the solicitation shall render its response non-Responsive. Also, in the absence of a waiver granted by the SBO, failure of a Prime CONTRACTOR to attain a subcontracting goal for M/WBE participation in the performance of its contract or otherwise comply with the provisions of this API shall be considered a material breach of contract, grounds for termination of that contract with the City and shall be subject to any penalties and sanctions available under the terms of the SBEDA Ordinance, its contract with the City or by law.

Subcontractor Diversity: The City of San Antonio strongly encourages each bidder to be as inclusive as possible, and to reach out to all segments of the M/WBE community in its efforts to exercise good faith in achieving the M/WBE subcontracting goal of 15% that has been established for this contract. While the relative availability of ready, willing, and able firms within various ethnic and gender categories will vary significantly from contract to contract based upon the particular trades that are involved, overall in the San Antonio **Other Services** industry, as reflected in the City's Centralized Vendor Registration system for the month of June 2019, African-American owned firms represent approximately 9.13%, Asian-American firms represent approximately 9.13%, Native American firms represent approximately 0.18%, and Womenowned firms represent approximately 3.94% of available **Other Services** subcontractors.

C. Solicitation Response and Contract Requirements and Commitment

Respondent understands and agrees that the following provisions shall be requirements of this solicitation and the resulting contract, if awarded, and by submitting its Response, Respondent commits to comply with these requirements.

Waiver Request - A Respondent may request, for good cause, a full or partial Waiver of a **specified subcontracting goal** included in this solicitation by submitting the *Subcontracting Goal- Waiver Request* form (available at http://www.sanantonio.gov/SBO/Forms.aspx) with its solicitation response. The Respondent's Waiver request must fully document Subcontractor unavailability despite the Respondent's good faith efforts to comply with the goal. Such documentation shall include all good faith efforts made by Respondent including, but not limited to, which Subcontractors were contacted (with phone numbers, e-mail addresses and mailing addresses, as applicable) and the method of contact. **Late Waiver requests will not be considered. M**ore information on the good faith effort criteria is available within the Subcontracting Goal – Waiver Request Evaluation Criteria at http://www.sanantonio.gov/SBO/Forms.aspx.

Exception Request - A Respondent may, for good cause, request an Exception to the application of the SBEDA Program if the Respondent submits the *Exception to SBEDA Program Requirements Request* form (available at http://www.sanantonio.gov/SBO/Forms.aspx) with its solicitation response. The Respondent's Exception request must fully document why: (1) the value of the contract is below the \$50,000 threshold for application of the SBEDA Program; or (2) no commercially-useful subcontracting opportunities exist within the contract scope of work; or (3) the type of contract is outside of the scope of the SBEDA Ordinance. **Late Exception Requests will not be considered.**

D. SBEDA Program Compliance – General Provisions

As CONTRACTOR acknowledges that the terms of the CITY's SBEDA Ordinance, as amended, together with all requirements, guidelines, and procedures set forth in the CITY's SBEDA Policy & Procedure Manual are in furtherance of the CITY's efforts at economic inclusion and, moreover, that such terms are part of CONTRACTOR's scope of work as referenced in the CITY's formal solicitation that formed the basis for contract award and subsequent execution of this Agreement, these SBEDA Ordinance requirements, guidelines and procedures are hereby incorporated by reference into this Agreement, and are considered by the Parties to this Agreement to be material terms. CONTRACTOR voluntarily agrees to fully comply with these SBEDA program terms as a condition for being awarded this contract by the CITY. Without limitation, CONTRACTOR further agrees to the following terms as part of its contract compliance responsibilities under the SBEDA Program:

- 1. CONTRACTOR shall cooperate fully with the Small Business Office and other CITY departments in their data collection and monitoring efforts regarding CONTRACTOR's utilization and payment of Subcontractors, S/M/WBE firms, and HUB Zone firms, as applicable, for their performance of Commercially Useful Functions on this contract including, but not limited to, the timely submission of completed forms and/or documentation promulgated by SBO, through the Originating Department, pursuant to the SBEDA Policy & Procedure Manual, timely entry of data into monitoring systems, and ensuring the timely compliance of its subcontractors with this term;
- 2. CONTRACTOR shall cooperate fully with any CITY or SBO investigation (and shall also respond truthfully and promptly to any CITY or SBO inquiry) regarding possible non-compliance with SBEDA requirements on the part of CONTRACTOR or its subcontractors or suppliers;

- 3. CONTRACTOR shall permit the SBO, upon reasonable notice, to undertake inspections as necessary including, but not limited to, contract-related correspondence, records, documents, payroll records, daily logs, invoices, bills, cancelled checks, and work product, and to interview Subcontractors and workers to determine whether there has been a violation of the terms of this Agreement;
- 4. CONTRACTOR shall notify the SBO, in writing on the Change to Utilization Plan form, through the Originating Department, of any proposed changes to CONTRACTOR's Subcontractor / Supplier Utilization Plan for this contract, with an explanation of the necessity for such proposed changes, including documentation of Good Faith Efforts made by CONTRACTOR to replace the Subcontractor / Supplier in accordance with the applicable Affirmative Procurement Initiative. All proposed changes to the Subcontractor / Supplier Utilization Plan including, but not limited to, proposed self-performance of work by CONTRACTOR of work previously designated for performance by Subcontractor or supplier, substitutions of new Subcontractors, terminations of previously designated Subcontractors, or reductions in the scope of work and value of work awarded to Subcontractors or suppliers, shall be subject to advanced written approval by the Originating Department and the SBO.
- 5. CONTRACTOR shall immediately notify the Originating Department and SBO of any transfer or assignment of its contract with the CITY, as well as any transfer or change in its ownership or business structure.
- 6. CONTRACTOR shall retain all records of its Subcontractor payments for this contract for a minimum of four years or as required by state law, following the conclusion of this contract or, in the event of litigation concerning this contract, for a minimum 7of four years or as required by state law following the final determination of litigation, whichever is later.
- 7. In instances wherein the SBO determines that a Commercially Useful Function is not actually being performed by the applicable S/M/WBE or HUB Zone firms listed in a CONTRACTOR's Subcontractor / Supplier Utilization Plan, the CONTRACTOR shall not be given credit for the participation of its S/M/WBE or HUB Zone Subcontractor(s) or joint venture partner(s) toward attainment of S/M/WBE or HUB Zone firm utilization goals, and the CONTRACTOR and its listed S/M/WBE firms or HUB Zone firms may be subject to sanctions and penalties in accordance with the SBEDA Ordinance.
- 8. CONTRACTOR acknowledges that the CITY will not execute a contract or issue a Notice to proceed for this project until the CONTRACTOR for this project have registered and/or maintained active status in the CITY's Centralized Vendor Registration System (CVR), and CONTRACTOR has represented to CITY which primary commodity codes each Subcontractor will be performing under for this contract. CITY recommends all Subcontractors to be registered in the CVR.

For more information please see link: http://www.sanantonio.gov/SBO/Compliance

E. Violations, Sanctions and Penalties

In addition to the above terms, CONTRACTOR acknowledges and agrees that it is a violation of the SBEDA Ordinance and a material breach of this Agreement to:

- 1. Fraudulently obtain, retain, or attempt to obtain, or aid another in fraudulently obtaining, retaining, or attempting to obtain or retain Certification status as an SBE, MBE, WBE, M/WBE, HUB Zone firm, Emerging M/WBE, or ESBE for purposes of benefitting from the SBEDA Ordinance;
- 2. Willfully falsify, conceal or cover up by a trick, scheme or device, a material fact or make any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations, or make use of any false writing or document, knowing the same to contain any false, fictitious or fraudulent statement or entry pursuant to the terms of the SBEDA Ordinance;
- 3. Willfully obstruct, impede or attempt to obstruct or impede any authorized official or employee who is investigating the qualifications of a business entity which has requested Certification as an S/M/WBE or HUB Zone firm:
- 4. Fraudulently obtain, attempt to obtain or aid another person fraudulently obtaining or attempting to obtain public monies to which the person is not entitled under the terms of the SBEDA Ordinance; and
- 5. Make false statements to any entity that any other entity is, or is not, certified as an S/M/WBE for purposes of the SBEDA Ordinance.

Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be subject to the provisions of Section III. E. 13. of the SBEDA Ordinance and any other penalties, sanctions and remedies available under law including, but not limited to:

- 1. Suspension of contract;
- 2. Withholding of funds;
- 3. Rescission of contract based upon a material breach of contract pertaining to S/M/WBE Program compliance;
- 4. Refusal to accept a response or proposal; and
- 5. Disqualification of CONTRACTOR or other business firm from eligibility for providing goods or services to the City for a period not to exceed two years (upon City Council approval).

F. Commercial Nondiscrimination Policy Compliance

As a condition of entering into this Agreement, the CONTRACTOR represents and warrants that it has complied with throughout the course of this solicitation and contract award process, and will continue to comply with, the CITY's Commercial Nondiscrimination Policy, as described under Section III. C. 1. of the SBEDA Ordinance. As part of such compliance, CONTRACTOR shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, ancestry or national origin, sex, age, marital status, sexual orientation or, on the basis of disability or other unlawful forms of discrimination in the solicitation, selection, hiring or commercial treatment of Subcontractors, vendors, suppliers, or commercial customers, nor shall the company retaliate against any person for reporting instances of such discrimination. The company shall provide equal opportunity for Subcontractors, vendors and suppliers to participate in all of its public sector and private sector subcontracting and supply opportunities, provided that nothing contained in this clause shall prohibit or limit otherwise lawful efforts to remedy the effects of marketplace discrimination that have occurred or are occurring in the CITY's Relevant Marketplace. The company understands and agrees that a material violation of this clause shall be considered a material breach of this Agreement and may result in termination of this Agreement, disgualification of the company from participating in CITY contracts, or other sanctions. This clause is not enforceable by or for the benefit of, and creates no obligation to, any third party. CONTRACTOR's certification of its compliance with this Commercial Nondiscrimination Policy as submitted to the CITY pursuant to the solicitation for this contract is hereby incorporated into the material terms of this Agreement. CONTRACTOR shall incorporate this clause into each of its Subcontractor and supplier agreements entered into pursuant to CITY contracts.

G. Prompt Payment

Upon execution of this contract by CONTRACTOR, CONTRACTOR shall be required to submit to CITY accurate progress payment information with each invoice regarding each of its Subcontractors, including HUB Zone Subcontractors, to ensure that the CONTRACTOR's reported subcontract participation is accurate. CONTRACTOR shall pay its Subcontractors in compliance with Chapter 2251, Texas Government Code (the "Prompt Payment Act") within ten days of receipt of payment from CITY. In the event of CONTRACTOR's noncompliance with these prompt payment provisions, no final retainage on the Prime Contract shall be released to CONTRACTOR, and no new CITY contracts shall be issued to the CONTRACTOR until the CITY's audit of previous subcontract payments is complete and payments are verified to be in accordance with the specifications of the contract.

H. Definitions

Affirmative Procurement Initiatives (API) – Refers to various S/M/WBE Program tools and Solicitation Incentives that are used to encourage greater prime and subcontract participation by S/M/WBE firms, including bonding assistance, evaluation preferences, subcontracting goals and joint venture incentives. (For full descriptions of these and other S/M/WBE Program tools, see Section III.D of Attachment A to the SBEDA Ordinance). To be eligible for the benefits of race- and gender-conscious APIs as provided in the SBEDA Ordinance, M/WBE firms must also satisfy the size standards for being a Small Business Enterprise or SBE as defined herein.

Annual Aspirational Goal – a non-mandatory annual aspirational percentage goal for overall M/WBE Prime and subcontract participation in City of San Antonio contracts is established each year for Construction, Architectural & Engineering, Professional Services, Other Services, and Goods & Supplies contract Industry Categories. This Annual Aspirational Goal is to be set (and thereafter adjusted) by the Goal Setting Committee (GSC) based upon the M/WBE availability by industry in accordance with the City's 2015 Disparity Study findings, along with relative M/WBE availability data to be collected by the City through its CVR system, and the utilization of M/WBEs. Any adjusted Annual Aspirational Goals for a given industry should not exceed the Expected Availability for award dollar weights as found in the 2015 Disparity Study. Annual Aspirational Goals are not to be routinely applied to individual contracts, but are intended to serve as a benchmark against which to measure the overall effectiveness of the S/M/WBE Program on an annual basis, and to gauge the need for future adjustments to the degree of aggressiveness of remedies being applied under the Program. Percentage Goals for S/M/WBE participation may be established by the GSC on a contract-by-contract basis based upon similar data and analysis for the particular goods and services being purchased in a given contract.

Award – the final selection of a Respondent for a specified Prime Contract or subcontract dollar amount. Contract awards are made by the City to Prime Contractors or vendors and by Prime Contractors or vendors to Subcontractor or subvendors, usually pursuat to a solicitation process. (Contract awards are distinguished from contract payments, the first, only reflect the anticipated dollar amounts the second, reflect actual dollar amounts that are paid to a contractor under an awarded contract).

Best Value Contracting – a purchasing solicitation process through which the Originating Department may evaluate factors other than price. Evaluation criteria for selection may include a Respondent's previous experience and quality of product or services procured, and other factors identified in the applicable statute.

Centralized Vendor Registration System (CVR) – a mandatory electronic system of hardware and software programs by which the City recommends all prospective Respondents and Subcontractors that are ready, willing and able to sell goods or services to the City to register. All businesses awarded a City contract shall be required to register in the CVR. The CVR system assigns a unique identifier to each registrant that is then required for the purpose of submitting solicitation responses and invoices, and for receiving payments from the City. The CVR-assigned identifiers are also used by the Goal Setting Committee for measuring relative availability and tracking utilization of SBE and M/WBE firms by Industry or commodity codes, and for establishing Annual Aspirational Goals and Contract-by-Contract Subcontracting Goals.

Certification – the process by which the Small Business Office (SBO) staff determines a firm to be a bona-fide small, minority-, women-owned, or emerging small business enterprise. Emerging Small Business Enterprises (ESBEs) are automatically eligible for Certification as SBEs. Any firm may apply for multiple Certifications that cover each and every status category (e.g., SBE, ESBE, MBE, or WBE) for which it is able to satisfy eligibility standards. The SBO staff may contract these certification services to a regional Certification agency or other entity. For purposes of Certification, the City may accept any firm that is certified by local government entities and other organizations identified herein that have adopted Certification standards and procedures similar to those followed by the SBO, provided the prospective firm satisfies the eligibility requirements set forth in the Ordinance No. 2016-05-19-0367 Section III.E.6.

City - refers to the City of San Antonio, Texas.

Commercially Useful Function – an S/M/WBE firm performs a Commercially Useful Function when it is responsible for execution of the work of the contract and is carrying out its responsibilities by actually performing, staffing, managing and supervising the work involved. To perform a Commercially Useful Function, the S/M/WBE firm must also be responsible, with respect to materials and supplies used on the contract, for negotiating price, determining quantity and quality, ordering the material, and installing (where applicable) and paying for the material itself. To determine whether an S/M/WBE firm is performing a Commercially Useful Function, an evaluation must be performed of the amount of work subcontracted, normal industry practices, whether the amount the S/M/WBE firm is to be paid under the contract is commensurate with the work it is actually performing and the S/M/WBE credit claimed for its performance of the work, and other relevant factors. Specifically, an S/M/WBE firm does not perform a Commercially Useful Function if its role is limited to that of an extra participant in a transaction, contract or project through which funds are passed in order to obtain the appearance of meaningful and useful S/M/WBE participation, when in similar transactions in which S/M/WBE firms do not participate, there is no such role performed.

Control – the authority of a person or business owner to sign responses to solicitations and contracts, make price negotiation decisions, sell or liquidate the business and have the primary authority to direct the day-to-day management and operation of a business enterprise without interference from others.

Economic Inclusion – efforts to promote and maximize commercial transactions within, between and among all segments of the business population, regardless of race or gender, within the Relevant Marketplace.

Emerging SBE (ESBE) – a certified SBE corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship or other legal entity for the purpose of making a profit, which is independently owned and operated by Individuals legally residing in, or that are citizens of, the United States or its territories whose annual revenues and number of employees are no greater than 25% of the small business size standards for its industry as established by the U.S. Small Business Administration, and meets the Significant Business Presence requirements as defined herein.

Emerging M/WBE – a certified M/WBE firm whose annual revenues and number of employees are no greater than 25% of the small business size standards for its industry as established by the U.S. Small Business Administration, and meets the Significant Business Presence requirements as defined herein.

Evaluation Preference – an API that may be applied by the Goal Setting Committee to Construction, Architectural & Engineering, Professional Services, Other Services, and Goods and Supplies contracts that are to be awarded on a basis that includes factors other than lowest price, and wherein responses that are submitted to the City by S/M/WBE firms may be awarded additional Points in the evaluation process in the scoring and ranking of their proposals against those submitted by other prime Respondents.

Formal Solicitation – an invitation for bids, request for proposals, request for qualifications or other solicitation document issued by a City department for a contract that requires City Council approval, in accordance with the procurement rules adopted by the City Manager or designee through a memorandum issued by the City Manager or designee, an Administrative Directive or a procurement manual issued under the authority of the City Manager or designee, and/or pursuant to statutory requirements.

Goal Setting Committee (GSC) – a committee, or series of committees, appointed and chaired by the City Manager or designee from the Executive Team that includes, at a minimum, the EDD Director or designee, and the Director of Finance or Director of Transportation and Capital Improvements (TCI) or their designees, the Director or designee of the Originating Department (if the Originating Department is neither Finance nor TCI,) all without duplication of designees and two citizens appointed by City Council who are eligible to vote during the goal setting committee on contracts valued at \$3,000,000 and above. The City Manager or designee may also appoint two ex-officio members of the Small Business Advocacy Committee to serve on any GSC purely in an advisory and non-voting capacity. The GSC establishes S/M/WBE Program Goals for the City of San Antonio (e.g., Annual Aspirational Goals, Contract-by-Contract Subcontracting Goals, and determining which M/WBE segments are eligible for Segmented Subcontracting Goals annually) based upon Industry Categories, vendor availability, project-specific characteristics, and M/WBE utilization. The GSC also makes determinations about which Affirmative Procurement Initiatives (APIs) are to be applied to specific contracts based upon various criteria.

Good Faith Efforts – documentation of the Respondent's intent to comply with S/M/WBE Program Goals and procedures including, but not limited to, the following: (1) documentation as stated in the solicitation reflecting the Respondent's commitment to comply with SBE or M/WBE Program Goals as established by the GSC for a particular contract; or (2) documentation of efforts made toward achieving the SBE or M/WBE Program Goals (e.g., solicitations of bids/proposals/qualification statements from all qualified SBE or M/WBE firms listed in the Small Business Office's directory of certified SBE or M/WBE firms; correspondence from qualified SBE or M/WBE firms documenting their unavailability to perform SBE or M/WBE contracts; documentation of efforts to subdivide work into smaller quantities for subcontracting purposes to enhance opportunities for SBE or M/WBE firms; documentation of a Prime Contractor's posting of a bond covering the work of SBE or M/WBE Subcontractors; documentation of efforts to assist SBE or M/WBE firms with obtaining financing, bonding or insurance required by the Respondent; and documentation of consultations with trade associations and CONTRACTORs that represent the interests of SBE and/or M/WBEs in order to identify qualified and available SBE or M/WBE Subcontractors.)

HUBZone Firm – a business that has been certified by U.S. Small Business Administration for participation in the federal HUBZone Program, as established under the 1997 Small Business Reauthorization Act. To qualify as a HUBZone firm, a small business must meet the following criteria: (1) it must be owned and Controlled by U.S. citizens; (2) at least 35 percent of its employees must reside in a HUBZone; and (3) its Principal Place of Business must be located in a HUBZone within the San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area. [See 13 C.F.R. 126.200 (1999).]

Independently Owned and Operated – ownership of an SBE firm must be direct, independent and by Individuals only. Ownership of an M/WBE firm may be by Individuals and/or by other businesses provided the ownership interests in the M/WBE firm can satisfy the M/WBE eligibility requirements for ownership and Control as specified herein in Section III.E.6. The M/WBE firm must also be Independently Owned and Operated in the sense that it cannot be the subsidiary of another firm that does not itself (and in combination with the certified M/WBE firm) satisfy the eligibility requirements for M/WBE Certification.

Individual – an adult person that is of legal majority age.

Industry Categories – procurement groupings for the City of San Antonio inclusive of Construction, Architectural & Engineering, Professional Services, Other Services, and Goods & Supplies (i.e., manufacturing, wholesale and retail distribution of commodities). This term may sometimes be referred to as "business categories."

Joint Venture Incentives – an API that provides inducements for non-SBE and non-M/WBE firms to collaborate with SBE or M/WBE partners in responses to solicitations and performing a Prime Contract to supply goods to, or to perform on behalf of, the City. Joint ventures are manifested by written agreements between two or more Independently Owned and Controlled business firms to form a third business entity solely for purposes of undertaking distinct roles and

responsibilities in the completion of a given contract. Under this business arrangement, each joint venture partner shares in the management of the joint venture and also shares in the profits or losses of the joint venture enterprise commensurately with its contribution to the venture. Incentives under this API may include Evaluation Preferences that are tied to the percentage of SBE or M/WBE participation in the joint venture, expedited issuance of building permits and extra contract option years in certain Other Services and Goods & Supplies contracts.

Minority/Women Business Enterprise (M/WBE) – firm that is certified as either a Minority Business Enterprise or as a Women Business Enterprise, and which is at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned, managed and Controlled by one or more Minority Group Members and/or women, and that is ready, willing and able to sell goods or services that are purchased by the City of San Antonio.

M/WBE Directory – a listing of M/WBEs that have been certified for participation in the City's M/WBE Program APIs.

M/WBE Subcontracting Program – an API in which Prime Contractors or vendors are required to make Good Faith Efforts to subcontract a specified percentage of the value of prime contract dollars to certified M/WBE firms. Such subcontracting goals may be set and applied by the GSC on a contract-by-contract basis to those types of contracts that provide subcontract opportunities for performing Commercially Useful Functions wherein:

- (1) There have been ongoing disparities in the utilization of available M/WBE Subcontractors; or
- (2) Race-Neutral efforts have failed to eliminate persistent and significant disparities in the award of prime contracts to M/WBEs in a particular Industry Category or industry segment (e.g., Construction contracts, Professional Services contracts, and Architectural and Engineering contracts), and subcontract opportunities are limited outside of City contracts.

When specified by the GSC, the M/WBE Subcontracting Program may also be required to reflect Good Faith Efforts that a Prime Contractor or vendor has taken (or commits to taking in the case of solicitations that do not include a detailed scope of work or those in which price cannot be considered a factor in evaluation), toward attainment of subcontracting goals for M/WBE firms.

M/WBE Evaluation Preference – an API that the City may apply to requests for proposals or qualifications (RFPs or RFQs) on City Construction, Architectural & Engineering, Professional Services, Other Services, and Goods & Supplies contracts that are issued pursuant to a Best Value Contracting method or other methods of procurement wherein criteria other than lowest price are factored into the selection process. M/WBEs that submit responses for these kinds of solicitations are awarded additional Points in the scoring of their responses when evaluating and ranking their responses against those submitted by non-minority firms. Where specified in contract specifications as approved by the Goal Setting Committee, the M/WBE Evaluation Preference may be limited to Emerging M/WBE firms.

Minority Business Enterprise (MBE) – any legal entity, except a joint venture, that is organized to engage in for-profit transactions, which is certified as being at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned, managed and Controlled by one or more Minority Group Members, and that is ready, willing and able to sell goods or services that are purchased by the City. To qualify as an MBE, the enterprise shall meet the Significant Business Presence requirement as defined herein. Unless otherwise stated, the term "MBE" as used in the SBEDA Ordinance is not inclusive of women-owned business enterprises (WBEs).

Minority Group Members – African-Americans, Hispanic Americans, Asian Americans and Native Americans legally residing in, or that are citizens of, the United States or its territories, as defined below:

African-Americans: Persons with origins in any of the black racial groups of Africa.

Hispanic-Americans: Persons of Mexican, Puerto Rican, Cuban, Spanish or Central and South American origin.

Asian-Americans: Persons having origins in any of the original peoples of the Far East, Southeast Asia, the Indian subcontinent or the Pacific Islands.

Native Americans: Persons having no less than 1/16th percentage origin in any of the Native American Tribes, as recognized by the U.S. Department of the Interior, Bureau of Indian Affairs and as demonstrated by possession of personal tribal role documents.

Originating Department – the City department or authorized representative of the City which issues solicitations or for which a solicitation is issued.

Payment – dollars actually paid to Prime Contractors and/or Subcontractors and vendors for City contracted goods and/or services.

Points – the quantitative assignment of value for specific evaluation criteria in the vendor selection process used in some Construction, Architectural & Engineering, Professional Services, Other Services, and Goods & Supplies contracts (e.g., up to 20 points out of a total of 100 points assigned for S/M/WBE participation as stated in response to a Request for Proposals).

Prime Contractor – the vendor or contractor to whom a purchase order or contract is issued by the City of San Antonio for purposes of providing goods or services for the City.

Race-Conscious – any business classification or API wherein the race or gender of business owners is taken into consideration (e.g., references to M/WBE programs and APIs that are listed herein under the heading of "Race-Conscious"). To be eligible for the benefits of race- and gender-conscious APIs as provided in this Ordinance, M/WBE firms must also satisfy the size standards for being a Small Business Enterprise or SBE as defined herein.

Race-Neutral – any business classification or API wherein the race or gender of business owners is not taken into consideration (e.g., references to SBE programs and APIs that are listed herein under the heading of "Race-Neutral").

Relevant Marketplace – the geographic market area affecting the S/M/WBE Program as determined for purposes of collecting data for the 2015 Disparity Study, and for determining eligibility for participation under various programs established by the SBEDA Ordinance, is defined as the San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area (SAMSA), currently including the counties of Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Comal, Guadalupe, Kendall, Medina and Wilson.

Respondent – a vendor submitting a bid, statement of qualifications, or proposal in response to a solicitation issued by the City.

Responsible – a firm which is capable in all respects to fully perform the contract requirements and has the integrity and reliability which will assure good faith performance of contract specifications.

Responsive – a firm's submittal (bid, response or proposal) conforms in all material respects to the solicitation (Invitation for Bid, Request for Qualifications, or Request for Proposal) and shall include compliance with S/M/WBE Program requirements.

San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area (SAMSA) – also known as the Relevant Marketplace, the geographic market area from which the City's 2015 Disparity Study analyzed contract utilization and availability data for disparity (currently including the counties of Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Comal, Guadalupe, Kendall, Medina and Wilson).

Segmented M/WBE Goals – the application of multiple goals for M/WBE participation within Annual Aspirational Goals or for M/WBE Subcontracting Goals on an individual City contract wherein an overall combined M/WBE goal is accompanied by subsets of one or more smaller goals. Such segmented goals specifically target the participation of a particular segment of business enterprises owned and Controlled by WBEs or certain Minority Group Members (e.g., African-Americans or Hispanic-Americans) based upon relative availability and significantly greater patterns of underutilization and disparity within an industry as compared to other gender and Minority Group Member categories of M/WBEs. The application of Segmented M/WBE Goals is intended to ensure that those segments of M/WBEs that have been most significantly and persistently underutilized receive a fair measure of remedial assistance.

SBE Directory – a listing of small businesses that have been certified for participation in the City's SBE Program APIs.

Significant Business Presence – to qualify for this Program, a S/M/WBE must be headquartered or have a *significant business presence* for at least one year within the Relevant Marketplace, defined as: an established place of business in one or more of the eight counties that make up the San Antonio Metropolitan Statistical Area (SAMSA), from which 20% of its full-time, part-time and contract employees are regularly based, and from which a substantial role in the S/M/WBE's performance of a Commercially Useful Function is conducted. A location utilized solely as a post office box, mail drop or telephone message center or any combination thereof, with no other substantial work function, shall not be construed to constitute a significant business presence.

Small Business Enterprise (SBE) – a corporation, partnership, sole proprietorship or other legal entity for the purpose of making a profit, which is Independently Owned and Operated by Individuals legally residing in, or that are citizens of, the United States or its territories, and which meets the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) size standard for a small business in its particular industry(ies) and meets the Significant Business Presence requirements as defined herein.

Small Business Office (SBO) – the office within the Economic Development Department (EDD) of the City that is primarily responsible for general oversight and administration of the SBEDA Program.

Small Minority Women Business Enterprise Program (S/M/WBE Program) – the combination of SBE Program and M/WBE Program features contained in this Ordinance.

Solicitation Incentives – additional inducements or enhancements in the solicitation process that are designed to increase the chances for the selection of S/M/WBE firms in competition with other firms. Such inducements and enhancements may include such terms as additional contract option years, increased quantities in supply contracts, and evaluation preferences, where not prohibited by law. These solicitation incentives may be applied as appropriate to solicitations, contracts, and letter agreements for Construction, Architecture and Engineering services, Professional Services, Other Services, and Goods & Supplies contracts, including change orders and amendments.

Subcontractor – any vendor or contractor that is providing goods or services to a Prime Contractor in furtherance of the Prime Contractor's performance under a contract or purchase order with the City. A copy of the binding agreement between the Prime Contractor and the Subcontractor shall be submitted prior to the City's issuance of a notice to proceed.

Suspension – the temporary stoppage of an SBE or M/WBE firm's beneficial participation in the City's S/M/WBE Program for a finite period of time due to cumulative contract payments the S/M/WBE firm received during a fiscal year that exceed a certain dollar threshold as set forth in Section III.E.7, or pursuant to the Penalties and Sanctions set forth in Section III.E.13.

Subcontractor/Supplier Utilization Plan – a binding part of this contract agreement which states the CONTRACTOR's commitment for the use of Joint Venture Partners and / or Subcontractors/Suppliers in the performance of this contract agreement, and states the name, scope of work, and dollar value of work to be performed by each of CONTRACTOR's Joint Venture partners and Subcontractors/Suppliers in the course of the performance of this contract, specifying the S/M/WBE Certification category for each Joint Venture partner and Subcontractor/Supplier, as approved by the SBO Manager. Additions, deletions or modifications of the Joint Venture partner or Subcontractor/Supplier names, scopes of work, of dollar values of work to be performed requires an amendment to this agreement to be approved by the EDD Director or designee.

Women Business Enterprises (WBEs) - any legal entity, except a joint venture, that is organized to engage in for-profit transactions, that is certified for purposes of the SBEDA Ordinance as being at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned, managed and Controlled by one or more non-minority women Individuals that are lawfully residing in, or are citizens of, the United States or its territories, that is ready, willing and able to sell goods or services that are purchased by the City and that meets the Significant Business Presence requirements as defined herein. Unless otherwise stated, the term "WBE" as used in this Ordinance is not inclusive of MBEs.

RFCSP EXHIBIT 1A POR VIDA CHILDREN'S MENU

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RFCSP EXHIBIT 1B POR VIDA REQUIREMENTS

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RFCSP ATTACHMENT 1

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (TDA) INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) AND CONTRACT Posted as a Separate Document.

SCHEDULE A

PROPOSED SFSP SITE LIST 2020

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SCHEDULE B

SFSP MASTER CYCLE MENU

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RFCSP ATTACHMENT A, PART ONE

GENERAL INFORMATION AND REFERENCES

1. Respondent Information: Provide the following information regarding the Respondent. (NOTE: Co-Respondents are two or more entities proposing as a team or joint venture with each signing the contract, if awarded. Sub-contractors are not Co-Respondents and should not be identified here. If this proposal includes Co-Respondents, provide the required information in this Item #1 for each Co-Respondent by copying and inserting an additional block(s) before Item #2.) Respondent Name: (NOTE: Give exact legal name as it will appear on the contract, if awarded.) Principal Address: _____ State: Zip Code: Telephone No._____ Fax No:_____ Website address: Year established: Provide the number of years in business under present name: Social Security Number or Federal Employer Identification Number: Texas Comptroller's Taxpaver Number, if applicable: (NOTE: This 11-digit number is sometimes referred to as the Comptroller's TIN or TID.) DUNS NUMBER: Business Structure: Check the box that indicates the business structure of the Respondent. Individual or Sole Proprietorship If checked, list Assumed Name, if any: ___ Partnership Corporation If checked, check one: Nonprofit Also, check one: Domestic ___Foreign ___Other If checked, list business structure: ___ Printed Name of Contract Signatory: _____ Job Title: (NOTE: This RFCSP solicits proposals to provide services under a contract which has been identified as "High Profile". Therefore, Respondent must provide the name of person that will sign the contract for the Respondent, if awarded.) Provide any other names under which Respondent has operated within the last 10 years and length of time under for each: Provide address of office from which this project would be managed: City: ______Zip Code: _____ Telephone No. _____ Fax No: _____

Annual Revenue: \$

Total Number of Employees:

Total Number of Current Clients/Customers: _____

	Briefly describe other lines of business that the company is directly or indirectly affiliated with:
	List Related Companies:
2.	Contact Information: List the one person who the City may contact concerning your proposal or setting dates for
۷.	meetings.
	Name: Title:
	Address:
	City:State:Zip Code:
	Telephone No Fax No:
	Email:
3.	Does Respondent anticipate any mergers, transfer of organization ownership, management reorganization, or departure of key personnel within the next twelve (12) months?
	Yes No
4.	Is Respondent registered with the Texas Secretary of State?
	Yes No If "Yes", provide your registered filing number associated with your registration. The filin number is the unique 10-digit number assigned by the Secretary of State (SOS) to each business organization, name registration, or name reservation filed with the SOS.
5.	Where is the Respondent's corporate headquarters located(City, State, and Physical Address)?
6.	Local/County Operation: Does the Respondent have an office located in San Antonio, Texas?
	Yes No If "Yes", respond to a and b below:
	a. How long has the Respondent conducted business from its San Antonio office?
	Years Months
	b. State the number of full-time employees at the San Antonio office.
	If "No", indicate if Respondent has an office located within Bexar County, Texas:
	Yes No If "Yes", respond to c and d below:
	c. How long has the Respondent conducted business from its Bexar County office?
	Years Months

	u.	State the number of full-time employees at the Bexar County office.				
7.		Debarment/Suspension Information : Has the Respondent or any of its principals been debarred or suspended from contracting with any public entity?				
	rep circ	If "Yes", identify the public entity and the name and current phone number of a presentative of the public entity familiar with the debarment or suspension, and state the reason for occumstances surrounding the debarment or suspension, including but not limited to the period of time for such coarment or suspension.				
8.	Su	rety Information: Has the Respondent ever had a bond or surety canceled or forfeited?				
		S No If "Yes", state the name of the bonding company, date, amount of bond and reason for such ncellation or forfeiture.				
9.		nkruptcy Information: Has the Respondent ever been declared bankrupt or filed for protection from creditors der state or federal proceedings?				
		s No If "Yes", state the date, court, jurisdiction, cause number, amount of liabilities and amount of sets.				
10.	fror	sciplinary Action: Has the Respondent ever received any disciplinary action, or any pending disciplinary action many regulatory bodies or professional organizations? If "Yes", state the name of the regulatory body of sessional organization, date and reason for disciplinary or impending disciplinary action.				
11.	Pre	evious Contracts:				
	a.	Has the Respondent ever failed to complete any contract awarded?				
		Yes No If "Yes", state the name of the organization contracted with, services contracted, date, contract amount and reason for failing to complete the contract.				
	b.	Has any officer or partner proposed for this assignment ever been an officer or partner of some other organization				
		that failed to complete a contract? Yes No If "Yes", state the name of the individual, organization contracted with, services contracted, date, contract amount and reason for failing to complete the contract.				

C.	c. Has any officer or partner pown name?	proposed for this assignment ever failed to complete a contract handled in his or her
		If "Yes", state the name of the individual, organization contracted with, services mount and reason for failing to complete the contract.

REFERENCES

Provide three (3) reference letters from three (3) separate organizations/companies/firms, that the Respondent has provided services to within the past three (3) years. The contact person named on the reference letter should be familiar with the day-to-day management of the contract and would be able to provide type, level, and quality of services performed. In addition, please provide the contact information below of the references you have submitted.

Contact Name:	Ti	tle:
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Telephone No	Fax No	D:
Date and Type of Service(s) Pro	ovided:	
ference No. 2: (Prior Year Con Firm/Company Name		
Contact Name:	Ti	tle:
Address:		
City:	State:	Zip Code:
Telephone No	Fax No):
Date and Type of Service(s) Pro	ovided:	
ference No. 3: (Prior Year Con Firm/Company Name		
Contact Name:	Tir	tle:
Address:		
City.	State:	Zip Code:
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RFCSP ATTACHMENT A, PART TWO

EXPERIENCE, BACKGROUND, QUALIFICATIONS

Prepare and submit narrative responses to address the following items. If Respondent is proposing as a team or joint venture, provide the same information for each member of the team or joint venture.

- 1. Describe Respondent's experience relevant to the Scope of Services requested by this RFCSP. List and describe relevant contracts/projects of similar size and scope performed over the past five (5) years. Identify associated results or impacts of the project/work performed.
- 2. Describe Respondent's specific experience with public entities clients, especially large municipalities. If Respondent has provided services for the City in the past, identify the name of the project and the department for which Respondent provided those services.
- 3. List other resources, including total number of employees, number and location of offices, number and types of equipment available to support this contract.
- 4. If Respondent is proposing as a team or joint venture or has included sub-contractors, describe the rationale for selecting the team and the extent to which the team, joint ventures and/or sub-contractors have worked together in the past.
- 5. Identify the number and professional qualifications (to include licenses, certifications, associations) of staff to be assigned to the project and relevant experience on projects of similar size and scope.
- 6. State the primary work assignment and the percentage of time key personnel will devote to the project if awarded the contract. Note any other current contracts that staff is assigned to and their capacity to meet the Scope of Services requested by this RFCSP.
- 7. Additional Information. Identify any additional skills, experiences, qualifications, and/or other relevant information about the Respondent's qualifications.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT A, PART THREE

PROPOSED PLAN

Prepare and submit the following items.

<u>PART B - PROPOSED OPERATING PLAN - Prepare</u> and submit narrative responses to address the following items. If Bidder is proposing as a team or joint venture, provide the same information for each member of the team or joint venture.

- Operating Plan Describe the proposed plan to conduct operations, specific tasks, staff assigned and schedule
 of events.
- 2. Staffing Plan Describe Bidder's Staffing Plan on providing food services. Staffing plans, organizational charts, job descriptions, hiring timelines, charts, diagrams and other descriptive materials should be used to expand or clarify. Indicate which, if any, positions, Bidder is planning to fill with current, experienced employees from other locations to perform work. Include work hours and number of employees scheduled during the work hours, and problem resolution with staff scheduling.
- 3. **Delivery Plan** Describe Respondent's Delivery Plan on providing meals simultaneously to all locations.
- 4. Quality Assurance Plan Describe Bidder's Quality Assurance Plan for (1) ensuring that quality food items are served and (2) keeping food at required temperature during transport, packaging of food to prevent leakage, re-delivery of missing or poor quality meals/food items. Please outline procedures that you currently have in place for quality assurance as well as additional procedures that you may propose specific to this contract. Provide quality assurance plan for test meal at each location and respondent's plan if meals fail test or do not meet requirements on delivery.
- 5. Site Plan Describe current operating kitchen facility and related equipment. Describe current capacity of the following items that you will need as a result of this contract: size of kitchen in square feet, number of delivery vehicles, capacity of sealing prepackaged meals (number that can be sealed per hour), number of stove top burners, number of ovens, cubic foot capacity of freezers, cubic foot capacity of refrigerators, number of food transportation containers (San Antonio Metro Health has approved igloo containers) and any other equipment that may apply.
- 6. **Security** Describe process for background checks as per specification <u>I. Criminal Background Checks</u> for employees to ensure they meet all federal and state requirements.
- 7. Reporting Describe in detail how the meals and snacks provided will comply with the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) requirements and Por Vida guidelines. Include information regarding commodities and the sources of food used, sample menus, sample production records, sample standardized recipes (preferably in US Department of Agriculture's format), nutrition information including Child Nutrition (CN) labels, ordering schedule, menu planning systems and systems in place to respond to federal and Texas Department of Agriculture compliance audits. Provide respondent's plan on how your firm meets the requirements and preferably, how your firm will exceed the requirements. Be descriptive and provide examples that illustrate exceeding these requirements.
- 8. **Timeline to implement services** Describe the timeline of events required to begin food service at the start of program on June 18, 2020.
- 9. Sample Menu Three week sample menu for hot lunches and hot/cold menu for pool.
- 10. **Additional Information** Provide any additional plans and/or relevant information about Respondent's approach to preparing food services.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT B

TASTE TEST PRICE SCHEDULE

Test Testing:

- For the purpose of evaluation, Finalists will be required to prepare, deliver and serve up to 90 pre-packaged meals matching the menu listed below.
- Requested meals must be provided on the specified date/time and location.
 Note: Finalists will be provided notice and pertinent details concerning the location and time for their meal presentation. Notification will be provided with not less than five (5) days of the date and time that sample meals must be served. Failure to provide samples shall eliminate Bidders from further award consideration.
- Finalists are to dress in non-identifying clothing on the day of their scheduled taste test & presentation.
- The City shall reimburse Bidders the amount indicated up to \$3.65 per meal for sample meals. Invoices may be submitted to the City with a net thirty (30) day payment term.

The number of meals to be provided for the samples is subject to change. Therefore, unit price shall govern. Bidders shall provide a unit price as indicated below:

Sample Meals, Up to 90	\$ per meal
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Sample Taste Test Menu:

Below is a possible menu for the sample meals. Please submit a bid price per meal based upon Menu 1 listed below:

Menu 1

2 oz. Cooked Ground Turkey ½ cup Whole Wheat Spaghetti ½ cup Tomato Sauce ½ cup Peas ½ pint 1% Milk

Finalist must also supply party packs (prepackaged eating utensils including napkin) with each sample meal.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT C

CONTRACTS DISCLOSURE FORM

Contracts Disclosure Form may be downloaded at

https://www.sanantonio.gov/Portals/0/Files/eforms/Atty/ContractsDisclosureForm.pdf

Instructions for completing the Contracts Disclosure form are listed below:

- 1. Download form and complete all fields. Note: All fields must be completed prior to submitting the form.
- 2. Click on the "Print" button and place the copy in proposal response as indicated in the Proposal Checklist.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT D

LITIGATION DISCLOSURE FORM

Respond to each of the questions below by checking the appropriate box. Failure to fully and truthfully disclose the information required by this Litigation Disclosure form may result in the disqualification of your proposal from consideration or termination of the contract, once awarded.

Have you or any member of your Firm or Team to be assigned to this engagement ever been indicted or convicted of a felony or misdemeanor greater than a Class C in the last five (5) years?
Yes No
Have you or any member of your Firm or Team to be assigned to this engagement been terminated (for cause or otherwise) from any work being performed for the City of San Antonio or any other Federal, State or Local Government, or Private Entity?
Yes No
Have you or any member of your Firm or Team to be assigned to this engagement been involved in any claim or litigation with the City of San Antonio or any other Federal, State or Local Government, or Private Entity during the last ten (10) years?
Yes No
If you have answered "Ves" to any of the above questions, please indicate the name(s) of the person(s), the

If you have answered "Yes" to any of the above questions, please indicate the name(s) of the person(s), the nature, and the status and/or outcome of the information, indictment, conviction, termination, claim or litigation, as applicable. Any such information should be provided on a separate page, attached to this form and submitted with your proposal.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT E

SMALL BUSINESS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ADVOCACY (SBEDA) PROGRAM FORMS Posted as a Separate Document.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT F

Veteran-Owned Small Business Program (VOSBP) Tracking Form

Veteran-Owned Small Business Preference Program (VOSBPP) Ordinance Pursuant to Ordinance No. 2013-12-05-0864, effective for solicitations issued after January 15, 2014, all solicitations issued by the City are subject to tracking of Veteran Owned Small Business (VOSB) participation.

For more information on the program, refer to the Veteran-Owned Small Business Program Tracking Form attached to this solicitation.

Respondent must complete and return the attached Veteran-Owned Small Business Program Tracking Form.

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RFCSP ATTACHMENT G

CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES (Form 1295)

The Texas Government Code §2252.908, and the rules issued by the Texas Ethics Commission found in Title 1, Sections 46.1, 46.3 and 46.5 of the Texas Administrative Code, require a business entity to submit a completed Form 1295 to the City before the City may enter into a contract with that business entity.

Form 1295 must be completed online. It is available from the Texas Ethics Commission by accessing the following web address:

www.ethics.state.tx.us/filinginfo/1295

Print and sign your completed Form 1295. Submit your signed Form 1295 with your response to this solicitation. Where requested to provide the name of the public entity with whom you are contracting, insert "City of San Antonio". Where requested to provide the contract number, provide the solicitation number shown on the cover page of this solicitation (e.g. IFB 6100001234, RFO 6100001234 or RFCSP 6100001234).

The following definitions found in the statute and Texas Ethics Commission rules may be helpful in completing Form 1295.

"Business entity" includes an entity through which business is conducted with a governmental entity or state agency, regardless of whether the entity is a for-profit or nonprofit entity. The term does not include a governmental entity or state agency. (NOTE: The City of San Antonio should never be listed as the "Business entity".)

"Controlling interest" means: (1) an ownership interest or participating interest in a business entity by virtue of units, percentage, shares, stock, or otherwise that exceeds 10 percent; (2) membership on the board of directors or other governing body of a business entity of which the board or other governing body is composed of not more than 10 members; or (3) service as an officer of a business entity that has four or fewer officers, or service as one of the four officers most highly compensated by a business entity that has more than four officers. Subsection (3) of this section does not apply to an officer of a publicly held business entity or its wholly owned subsidiaries.

"Interested party" means: (1) a person who has a controlling interest in a business entity with whom a governmental entity or state agency contracts; or (2) an intermediary.

"Intermediary," for purposes of this rule, means a person who actively participates in the facilitation of the contract or negotiating the contract, including a broker, adviser, attorney, or representative of or agent for the business entity who:

- (1) receives compensation from the business entity for the person's participation:
- (2) communicates directly with the governmental entity or state agency on behalf of the business entity regarding the contract; and
- (3) is not an employee of the business entity or of an entity with a controlling interest in the business entity.

Publicly traded business entities, including their wholly owned subsidiaries, are exempt from this requirement and are not required to submit Form 1295.

RFCSP ATTACHMENT H PROPOSAL CHECKLIST

Use this checklist to ensure that all required documents have been included in the proposal and appear in the correct order.

	Initial to Indicate
	Document is
Document	Attached to Proposal
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Executive Summary	
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Attachment 1. TDA Form SCHEDULE D-1	
* Certification Regarding Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility, and	
Voluntary Exclusion for Covered Contracts Attachment 1. TDA	
Form SCHEDULE E.	
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AU	
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* SBEDA Form	
RFCSP Attachment E; and	
Associated Certificates, if applicable	
* Veteran-Owned Small Business Program (VOSBP) Tracking	
Form	
RFCSP Attachment F.	
*Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)	
RFCSP Attachment G.	
Proposal Bond and Associated Power-of-Attorney	
Financial Information	
Proof of Insurability	
Insurance Provider's Letter	
Copy of Current Certificate of Insurance	
* Signature Page (only required for a hard copy submission)	
RFCSP Section 007.	
RFCSP Attachment H	
Proposal Checklist	
RFCSP Attachment K	
Price Schedule	
One COMPLETE (1), seven (7) hard copies WITH ONLY TABS	

and documents for General Information Form; Experience,	
Background and Qualifications; Proposed Plan, etc. (NO	
SBEDA, VOSB, AND/OR PRICING TO BE INCLUDED) in the 7	
copies) and one (1) CD or USB drive of entire proposal in PDF	
format if submitting in hard copy.	
+Signed Addendums, if applicable.	

^{*}Documents marked with an asterisk on this checklist require a signature. Be sure they are signed prior to submittal of proposal.

ATTACHMENT K PRICE SCHEDULE

The City is reimbursed based upon each meal actually served and not the estimated number of meals to be served. For this reason, the Bidder's price must be 8% or more below the annual federal reimbursement rate for each calendar year. Since the federal reimbursement rate is subject to change each year, rather than bid a fixed dollar amount, the City is soliciting bids based on a discount from the actual reimbursement rate established by the USDA and the TDA/FND for the calendar year in which the meal/snack is served.

Item 1. Discount Rate for Lunch and Snack
% Discount Off of Federal Reimbursement Rate per year for lunch and snack.