REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
RFP-24-001
Armed Campus Security

Services Notice to Proposers

Compass Rose Education, Inc. doing business as Compass Rose Public Schools is soliciting proposals for Armed Campus Security Services to identify multiple vendors to provide safety and security of the Charter’s students, staff, and its facilities that are of the utmost importance to and is the primary objective of the charter. The Charter issues this RFP to solicit Proposals for a qualified security contractor to provide armed security guards and security response services to facilitate and achieve the charter’s objective. Through this RFP, the Charter seeks to identify single or multiple vendors that can provide security services to the Charter. The Charter includes 7 campuses and approximately 4,000 students and 450 staff.

Responses must detail design, engineering, construction, insurance, and project management costs for these services where applicable. Specifications must be included in the proposal response. All specifications are subject to review, consideration, and agreement by the Charter. The following are the campuses for which proposals are requested:

Your (vendor) signature attests to your proposal to provide the goods and/or services in this proposal according to the published provisions of the Request for Proposal unless modifications or alterations are clearly noted in your proposal submission.

Company Name: __________________________
Company Address: _______________________
Telephone Number: ________________ Fax Number: ________________
Printed Name: __________________________ Email: ___________________
Title: _______________________________ Signature: ___________________
Compass Rose Education, Inc., a Texas non-profit corporation and open-enrollment public charter District, organized and existing under the laws of the State of Texas, (“Compass Rose” and/or the “Charter”) is soliciting sealed proposals from interested and qualified proposers to provide Armed Campus Security Services as more fully set out in the scope of work of this Request for Proposals (“RFP”). A signed original and two electronic copies (USB DRIVE) of the proposal must be submitted in accordance with the instructions set out herein to:

Compass Rose Education  
RFP-24-001: Armed Campus Security Services  
Attn: Director of Purchasing  
522 Billy Mitchell Blvd.  
San Antonio, TX 78226

The original proposal must be labeled “ORIGINAL” and MUST contain original signatures.

Proposals will be received at the above address until September 12th, 2023, at 4:00 PM, CST. A more detailed timeline is set out below. Proposals will remain sealed until the due date and time to avoid disclosure to competing proposals. Contents of proposals will remain confidential during the negotiations period, if applicable. Only the proposal number and the identity of the Proposer(s) submitting the proposal will be made available to the public before award of the RFP.

Proposals received after the Proposal due date and time will not be considered. Faxed proposals will not be accepted. Proposals must be submitted in sufficient time to be received and time-stamped at the above location on or before the proposal due date and time. We will not be responsible for proposals delivered late by the United States Postal Service, or any other delivery or courier services. All proposals and pricing must remain valid for one hundred twenty (120) days from the proposal due date pending acceptance by Compass Rose Education’s Board of Directors.

The term of this award will be one (1) year from date of award by the Board of Directors, with the option to extend two (2) additional one (1) year terms with the same terms and conditions if agreeable to both the Charter and vendor(s). Renewal of Contract will be in accordance with Local Government Code 271.903 concerning non- appropriation of funds for multi-year contracts. The Board of Directors of Compass Rose Education, or its designee, reserve the right to rescind the Contract at the end of each fiscal year if it is determined that there are insufficient funds to extend the Contract.

The Charter will award this RFP to a single respondent, multi-supplier award, or line-item award based on which provides the best value to the Charter upon the evaluation of all proposals received. As is more fully explained in this RFP, an award, if made, will be made to the responsible and responsive proposer who provides the best solution to the described need, taking into consideration multiple evaluation factors as determined by the Compass Rose Education and defined herein. More details regarding evaluation of proposals are included in the Scope of Work and Specific Conditions section of this RFP.

Thank you for your interest in doing business with Compass Rose Education.

Brittany Forde  
Director of Purchasing
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
RFP 24-001
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LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Compass Rose Education, Inc. doing business as Compass Rose Public Schools ("Charter"), an open-enrollment charter holder and District, intends to accept proposals to provide Armed Campus Security Services for Compass Rose Public Schools campuses named herein. No offer of intent to enter into a contract with any party for Armed Campus Security Services for Compass Rose Education should be construed from this legal notice. The Charter will enter into a contract for services only if, in the sole opinion of the Charter, it is in the Charter’s best interest to do so.

All costs involved in submitting proposals to the Charter or alternatives to any Armed Campus Security Services for Compass Rose Education shall be borne in full by the interested party and should be included in the total price. The due date for all proposals is September 12th, 2023, at 4:00 PM, CST.

The term of this award will be one (1) year from the date of award by the Board of Directors, with the option to extend two (2) additional one (1) year terms with the same terms and conditions if agreeable to both the Charter and vendor(s). Renewal of Contract will be in accordance with Local Government Code 271.903 concerning non-appropriation of funds for multi-year contracts. The Board of Directors of Compass Rose Educations, or its designee, reserve the right to rescind the Contract at the end of each fiscal year if it is determined that there are insufficient funds to extend the Contract.

A copy of this Request for Proposal can be obtained by visiting the following web address:

https://compassrosepublicschools.org/family-resources/public-information/financial/purchasing/

PROPOSALS RECEIVED LATER THAN THE DATE AND TIME DESIGNATED ABOVE WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

The Charter reserves the right to accept any proposal or a part of any proposal that it deems most favorable to the interest of the Charter. The Charter further reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or any portion of any proposal submitted for any reason or no reason and/or that the Charter determines not to be in the best interest of the Charter.
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PROPOSAL FORMAT

A) Cover letter to include the name, address, telephone number, contact person, and title of the individual/firm representative authorized to respond on the individual’s/firm’s behalf.

B) A brief history of the individual/firm including the year founded and the number of years the individual/firm has been providing goods/services requested.

C) Provide proof that your firm currently has in force an insurance policy covering (a) errors and omissions liability, and (b) comprehensive general liability, and indicate the amount of such coverage.

D) Experience working with Texas school charters and/or districts in the last 10 years.

E) Individual’s/Firm’s ability and capacity to perform the work proposed. List the current workload and the availability to commence services immediately after being selected by the Charter.

F) A list of clients that are most comparable to Compass Rose Educations in size and complexity. Please include a general description of types of services performed, types and size of issues involved, and the number of years served for each.

G) Completed Bidders Certification

H) Request for Proposal Signature Page

I) Proposal

J) Sample vendor contract (for legal review)

K) Completed Reference Form

L) Completed forms:
   - Vendor Information Form
   - Anti-Collusion Statement
   - Affidavit of Non-Discriminatory Employment
   - Criminal History Review of Provider Employees (if background check/fingerprinting already done, all paperwork should be submitted in packet)
   - Debarment or Suspension Certificate
   - Contract Provisions (EDGAR Certifications)
   - Certificate of Interested Parties (Texas Ethics Commission Form 1295)
   - Conflict of Interest Questionnaire
   - Child Support Certification
   - Out of State Certification
   - Felony Conviction Disclosure Statement
   - W-9
INSTRUCTIONS TO VENDORS:

1. At any time prior to the specified time and date set for proposal opening as set forth above, a vendor (or a designated representative) may withdraw a submitted proposal by submitting a request in writing.

2. The company representative must sign the Request for Proposal Signature Page and return it in the proposal package.

3. All responsive proposals shall include the forms provided in this proposal invitation package. It is permissible to copy these forms if required.

4. Proposals are to arrive no later than 4:00 PM CST on September 12th, 2023. Late proposals will not be considered under any circumstances.

5. No proposal shall be altered, amended, or withdrawn after the specified time for opening proposals.

6. Periods of time, stated as number of days, are calendar days.

7. It is the responsibility of all vendors to examine the entire proposal package, seek clarification of any item or requirement that may not be clear to them, and check all information for accuracy before submitting a response.

8. Awards, if any, shall be made with reasonable promptness to the vendor(s) whose proposal(s) in accordance with the Criteria Evaluation Worksheet best conforms to the invitation and will be the most advantageous to the Charter. The award(s) may be made on the basis of factors other than the lowest price proposal.

9. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Request for Proposal (including all attached documents), the Charter expressly reserves the right to:
   1. Waive any insignificant defect or informality in any proposal procedure.
   2. Reject any or all proposals.

10. A proposal, in response to a Request for Proposal, is an offer to contract with Charter based upon the terms, conditions, and specifications of this proposal.

11. Each vendor shall guarantee to the Charter that the proposal submitted, and the price offered by the vendor shall remain firm for a period not less than 120 days from the deadline for proposals to be submitted.

12. BY SUBMITTING A PROPOSAL, THE PROPOSER / OFFEROR / VENDOR AGREES TO WAIVE ANY CLAIM IT HAS OR MAY HAVE AGAINST COMPASS ROSE EDUCATION, INC. DBA COMPASS ROSE PUBLIC SCHOOLS ITS DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, OR AGENTS ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH (1) THE ADMINISTRATION, EVALUATION, OR RECOMMENDATION OF ANY BID; (2) ANY REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE SOLICITATION, BID PACKAGE, OR RELATED DOCUMENTS; (3) THE REJECTION OF ANY BID OR ANY PART OF ANY BID; AND/OR (4) THE AWARD OF A CONTRACT, IF ANY.
Standard Terms and Conditions:

1. **BID/PROPOSAL SUBMISSION**: Bids/Proposals must be submitted utilizing this document only and must reach the Purchasing Department on or before the hour on the date specified. **Late submittals will not be accepted. Faxed or emailed proposals will not be accepted.**

2. **REJECTION/AWARD**: The Charter reserves the right to reject any and/or all submittals, to award contracts for individual items as may appear advantageous and to waive all formalities in bidding.

3. **SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION**: All supplemental information required by the proposal documents must be included with the response. Failure to provide complete and accurate information may disqualify vendor from consideration.

4. **PROPOSAL ERRORS**: Proposals will represent a true and correct statement and shall contain no cause for claim of omission or error. Request for withdrawal of proposal is allowed based on proof of mechanical error; however, vendor may be removed from approved vendor list.

5. **UNDUE INFLUENCE**: In order to ensure the integrity of the selection process, vendor’s officers, employees, agents or other representatives shall not lobby or attempt to influence a vote or recommendation related to the vendor’s response, directly or indirectly, through any contact with Charter board members or other Charter officials from the date this solicitation is released until the award of a contract by the Charter’s Board of Directors.

6. **CONTRACTUAL RELATIONSHIP**: Nothing herein shall be construed as creating the relationship of employer or employee between the Charter and the Contractor or between the Charter and the Contractor’s employees. The Charter shall not be subject to any obligations or liabilities of the Contractor or his employees, incurred in the performance of the contract unless otherwise herein authorized. Neither the Contractor nor his employees shall be entitled to any of the benefits established for Charter employees, nor be covered by the Charter’s Workers’ Compensation Program.

7. **INDEMNIFICATION**: Contractor shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless Compass Rose Education, Inc. its officers, agents and employees, from and against any and all loss, cost, damage, expense and claims, including attorney’s fees and liability of any kind for any acts or omission of Contractor, its officers, agents or employees, in performance of contract, so long as the sole negligence of the Charter is not the cause of the loss, claim, damage expense or cost.

8. **GRATUITIES**: The Charter may, by written notice to the Contractor, cancel this contract without liability to the Charter if it is determined by the Charter that gratuities, in the form of entertainment, gifts, or otherwise, were offered or given by the Contractor, or any agent or representative of the Contractor, to any officer or employee of the Charter with a view toward securing a contract or securing favorable treatment with respect to the awarding or amending, or the making of any determinations with respect to the performing of such a contract. In the event this contract is cancelled by the Charter pursuant to this provision, the Charter shall be entitled, in addition to any other rights and remedies, to recover or withhold the amount of the cost incurred by the Contractor in providing such gratuities.

9. **ASSIGNMENT-DELEGATION**: No right or interest in this contract shall be assigned or delegation of any obligation made by the Contractor without the written permission of the Charter. Any attempted assignment or delegation by the Contractor shall be wholly void and totally ineffective for all purposes unless made in conformity with this paragraph.

10. **WAIVER**: No claim or right arising out of a breach of this contract can be discharged in whole or in part by a waiver or renunciation of the claim or right unless the waiver or renunciation is supported by consideration and is in writing signed by the aggrieved party.
11. **MODIFICATIONS**: This contract may only be modified by a written agreement signed by both of the parties or their duly authorized agents.

12. **INTERPRETATION OF EVIDENCE**: This contract is intended by the parties as a final expression of their agreement and is intended also as a complete and exclusive statement of the terms of their contract. No course of prior dealings between the parties and no usage of the trade shall be relevant to supplement or explain any term used in this contract. Acceptance or acquiescence in a course of performance rendered under this contract shall not be relevant to determine the meaning of this contract even though the accepting or acquiescing party has knowledge of the performance and opportunity for objection. Whenever a term defined by the Uniform Commercial Code is used in this contract, the definition contained in the Code is to control.

13. **APPLICABLE LAW**: This contract shall be governed by the policies of the Charter’s Board of Directors, laws of the State of Texas and the Uniform Commercial Code. Wherever the term “Uniform Commercial Code” is used, it shall be construed as meaning the Uniform Commercial Code as adopted in the State of Texas as effective and in force on the date of this contract. The Charter’s Board Policies will be made available upon request.

14. **ADVERTISING**: Contractor shall not advertise or publish, without the prior consent of the Charter, the fact that the Charter has entered into this contract, except to the extent necessary to comply with proper requests for information from an authorized representative of the federal, state or local government.

15. **LEGAL VENUE**: Both parties agree that the venue for any litigation arising from this contract shall lie in Bexar County, Texas.

16. **SPECIAL TOOLS & TEST EQUIPMENT**: If the price stated on the face hereof includes the cost of any special tooling or special test equipment fabricated or required by Contractor for the purpose of filling this order, such special tooling equipment and any process sheets related thereto shall become the property of the Charter and to the extent feasible shall be identified by the Contractor as such.

17. **WARRANTY-PRICE**: The price to be paid by the Charter shall be that contained in the Contractor’s bid which the Contractor warrants to be no higher than Contractor’s current prices on orders by others for products of the kind and specification covered by this contract for similar quantities under similar or like conditions and methods of purchase. In the event Contractor breaches this warranty, the prices of the items shall be reduced to the Contractor’s current prices on orders by others, or in the alternative, the Charter may cancel this contract without liability to the Charter for breach at Contractor’s actual expense. The Contractor warrants that no person or selling agency has been employed or retained to solicit or secure this contract upon an agreement or understanding for commission, percentage, brokerage, or contingent fee excepting bona fide employees of bona fide established commercial or selling agencies maintained by the Contractor for the purpose of securing business. For breach or violation of this warranty, the Charter shall have the right in addition to any other right or rights to cancel this contract without liability and to deduct from the contract price, or otherwise recover the full amount of such commission, percentage, brokerage or contingent fee.

18. **WARRANTY-PRODUCT**: Contractor shall not limit or exclude any implied warranties and any attempt to do so shall render this contract voidable at the option of the Charter. Contractor warrants that the goods furnished will conform to the specifications, drawings and descriptions listed in the bid invitation, and to the sample(s) furnished by Contractor, if any. In the event of a conflict between the specifications, drawings and descriptions, the drawings and descriptions shall govern.

19. **WARRANTY-SAFETY**: Contractor warrants that the product sold to the Charter shall conform to the standards promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor under the Occupational Safety and
Health Act of 1970. In the event the product does not conform to OSHA standards, the Charter may return the product for correction or replacement at the Contractor’s expense. In the event the Contractor fails to make the appropriate correction within a reasonable time, corrections made by the Charter will be at the Contractor’s expense. Additionally, no asbestos in any form may be used in the manufacture or processing of any product purchased by the Charter. If any product called for by name in this specification should contain any asbestos material, the contractor must notify the following for the name of a suitable substitute asbestos-free product:

Compass Rose Education
Attn: Brittany Forde, Director of Purchasing
522 Billy Mitchell Blvd.
San Antonio, TX 78226

20. **WARRANTY-INFRINGEMENT**: As part of this contract for sale Contractor agrees to ascertain whether goods manufactured in accordance with the specifications attached to this contract will give rise to the rightful claim of any third person by way of infringement or the like. The Charter makes no warranty that the production of goods according to the specification will not give rise to such a claim and in no event shall the Charter be liable to the Contractor for indemnification in the event that Contractor is sued on the grounds of infringement or the like. If Contractor is of the opinion that an infringement or the like will result, he/she will notify the Charter to this effect in writing within two weeks after the signing of this contract. If the Contractor does not receive notice and is subsequently held liable for the infringement or the like, the Contractor will hold the Charter harmless (if the Contractor in good faith ascertains that production of goods in accordance with the specifications will result in infringement or the like, this contract shall be null and void except that the Charter will pay the Contractor the reasonable cost of his search as to infringements).

21. **RIGHT OF INSPECTION**: The Charter shall have the right to inspect the goods before accepting them.

22. **FUND AVAILABILITY**: Any purchase order resulting from this solicitation is contingent upon the continued availability of appropriations and is subject to cancellation, without penalty, either in whole or in part, if funds are not appropriated by the Charter’s Board of Directors or otherwise not made available to the Charter.

23. **RIGHT TO ADDITIONAL COMPETITION**: The Charter occasionally purchases very large quantities of specific items and expressly reserves the right to purchase these and other similar items via other competitive methods if deemed in the best interest of the Charter.

24. **TERMINATION**: The Charter reserves the right to terminate all or any part of the undelivered portion of any order resulting from this bid solicitation with thirty (30) days written notice; upon default by the vendor, for delay or nonperformance by the vendor or, if it is deemed in the best interest of the Charter, for convenience.

   A. In the event of a default of a breach of the Contract entered into pursuant to this proposal by either the Charter or the Vendor, the non-breaching party shall give the breaching party written notice specifying the default, and the breaching party shall have thirty (30) days within which to cure the default. If the default is not cured within that time, the non-breaching party shall have the right to terminate the Contract immediately by giving the breaching party written notice of its intention to terminate immediately.

25. **PENALTIES**: If the Vendor fails to perform and such failure to perform results in the Charter losing federal funds or having to reimburse funds already received, the Vendor shall owe to the Charter the amounts lost by the Charter due to such failure of performance.

26. **RECORD RETENTION**: The Contract will be kept on file in accordance with the requirements of the State record retention schedules and the Charter’s record retention policies and be available for review by the United States Department of Agriculture and the Texas Education Agency and other appropriate State and Federal agencies.
Specific Terms and Conditions:

I. Qualifications of Vendor: Each vendor must submit for consideration such records of work and further evidence as may be required by the Charter regarding experience, financial standing, and assurance that they have, or promptly will provide, suitable materials, labor, and equipment to satisfactorily provide the services specified. Failure to furnish such a record of work and evidence of capacity, or the inclusion of any false or misleading statements therein, shall be sufficient cause for the rejection of the proposal or termination of the contract if after award is made. The qualification data shall be submitted by each vendor along with the sealed proposal and shall include the information and format as follows:

A. Vendor must be incorporated or licensed to do business in the State of Texas. Vendor must be in good standing with the State of Texas.

B. The vendor must be familiar with and comply with all State, county, and city health and safety requirements.

C. A company representative must certify by signature acceptance of the basis for the criteria and the basis for the selection of the interested company stated in the Criteria Evaluation Worksheet.

D. The vendor shall execute an authorization to permit the Charter to obtain criminal history records on any employee, agent, representative, volunteer, applicant for employment, or other person associated with the vendor who will perform duties on Charter property or other location where Charter students are regularly present as needed. No employee, agent, representative, volunteer, applicant for employment, or other person associated with the vendor who has been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor involving moral turpitude shall be permitted to perform services for the Charter. The vendor shall certify that it will ensure that this requirement is met.

II. General Provisions.

A. The Contract shall be governed by, construed by, and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas, without regard to its choice of law provisions. Exclusive venue shall lie in a court of competent jurisdiction located in Bexar County, Texas.

B. If any provision of the Contract becomes or is held violative of any law or unenforceable, then the invalidity of that provision will not invalidate the remaining provisions.

C. The awarded Vendor must provide a certificate of insurance or appropriate documentation to Compass Rose Education certifying coverage levels meet Compass Rose’s vendor requirements that are specified in Vendor Application. Awarded Vendor must also list the Charter as a named insured upon request.

III. Insurance Requirements.

- **COMMERCIAL GENERAL OR PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY INSURANCE (if applicable)** Required of all vendors performing services on Compass Rose Education Properties whether sole proprietor or corporation. Coverage levels must meet or exceed $1,000,000 per occurrence, $2,000,000 aggregate.

- **COMMERCIAL AUTO INSURANCE (if applicable)** Required of all vendors performing services on Compass Rose Education Properties that involve commercial vehicles. Coverage levels must meet or exceed $1,000,000 combined single limit each occurrence.

- **WORKERS COMPENSATION INSURANCE (if applicable)** Required of all vendors performing
services on Compass Rose Education Properties. The minimum policy limits for Employer’s Liability are $100,000 bodily injury each accident, $500,000 bodily injury by disease policy limit and $100,000 bodily injury by disease each employee.

COMMERCIAL UMBRELLA/EXCESS LIABILITY INSURANCE (if applicable) Required of all vendors performing services on Compass Rose Education Properties. The minimum of $1,000,000 each occurrence for all other companies performing any service on a campus or charter facility. The minimum policy limits for Employer’s Liability are $10,000,000 each occurrence for all Bus and transportation companies; and $5,000,000 each occurrence for all security companies.

By reading and accepting this pre-qualification outline, the interested party acknowledges that the Charter has no obligation to contract unless in its sole opinion, it is in its own best interest to do so.
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Scope of Work

Summary: Compass Rose Education desires to identify a single or multiple vendors to provide campus security across our district. Compass Rose Education is geographically located throughout San Antonio and Austin regions. Our San Antonio campuses are located Northeast, Northwest, Southeast, and Southwest regions. Austin campuses are in Bastrop and Manor.

Term: The term of the contract will be a one (1) year contract with the option to renew for two (2) additional 1-year periods at the discretion of the Charter.

   Year 1: TBD 2023 to July 2024 (includes potential Summer School)
   Year 2: August 2024 to July 2025 (includes potential Summer School)
   Year 3: August 2025 to July 2026 (includes potential Summer School)

Services To Be Provided: The successful Vendor(s) for security services must provide all services to be identified in a future agreement for armed security guard and security response services and/or other contract documents mutually agreed to by Charter and the successful Vendor including, but not limited to the items listed below for security services.

Armed and/or Unarmed Guard Services: Vendor will provide armed security guard service as contracted to patrol and monitor Charter’s facilities before, during and after school and business hours, and during Charter events, such as sporting, fine arts, and other events. Armed and unarmed security guards will be required to patrol multiple campuses daily and may be required to patrol on foot. In connection with all services, Vendor shall provide its own vehicles and equipment including, for armed guards, their own weapon and firearm permit licenses. An armed guard may be part of a security force that includes city police, other qualified safety members, and police reserves.

Reporting: Vendor will investigate all intrusions and incidents; making telephone contact with Charter representatives; write or email brief, descriptive report for the designated school officials, such as law enforcement and Charter’s insurance carriers, depending on the intrusion or incident.

Personnel Requirements: The successful Vendor must provide all personnel necessary to perform the contracted services. All personnel should be direct employees of the contractor unless sub-contracting has been approved in writing by Compass Rose Education. Contractor’s personnel must be easily identified by identification badge. All personnel are to conduct themselves in a professional manner consistent with industry standards and Compass Rose Education’s policies. The Vendor is responsible to ensure that all personnel adequately maintain all certifications and continuing education requirements established by regulatory agencies at local, state, and federal levels.

Site Locations: Compass Rose operates schools in two separate regions of the state of Texas including locations in San Antonio and surrounding Austin areas. Travel to all these sites must be included in the pricing proposal. Additional costs will typically not be reimbursed.

Frequency & Scheduling: Each campus may facilitate frequency and scheduling based on the specific needs of the site. Schedules must be approved by VP of Operations.

Purchase Order Required: No services may be rendered without an authorized purchase order being issued. Any services provided without a purchase order are subject to non-payment.
Questions: All questions must be received prior to the cut-off date. All questions related to this RFP should be submitted via email to purchasing@compassroseschools.org. The deadline for questions is identified on page four of this document.

PROPOSAL EVALUATION

Evaluation of Proposals (see attached Evaluation Worksheet). A proposal will only be accepted if the Vendor has the ability to perform successfully under the terms and conditions of this Request for Proposal.

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PROPOSAL PRICING NOTES

Please note the following:

- Vendors are not required to provide services in all regions unless they already operate in all regions.
- The number and type of staff needed per site will be discussed after review and award of the RFP. All of which will be subject to change in either direction given the safety conditions within each of the communities where the campus is located and the conditions within each campus.
- The successful vendor will have to familiarize themselves with all the Emergency Operations Plans and protocols adopted by Compass Rose Education and make sure their staff on each site adhere to such plans and protocols. Compass Rose Education is reviewing all its plans and protocols related to School Safety and Security and modifying them as needed and/or required. Vendors agree to adhere to the modified versions as they are made available.
- Officer/security staff assignments need to be set at each campus and not revolving. The Charter reserves all rights to request changing an officer/security staff if performance expectations are not met.
  - The security officers are responsible for traffic management on the school grounds outside of the school’s instructional hours.
  - It’s the charter’s expectation that the security officers are always visible. This will require a lot of walking around the campus inside and outside all day. The use of golf carts is acceptable, but the charter will not provide any.
  - All staff assigned to campuses need to be trained specifically in School Safety and Security and the mode of operations with a school. Please reference SB1707, Compass Rose’s Emergency Operations Plan, TEC chapter 37 Subchapter C for guidance.
  - The start date for the services in year one will be as soon as feasibly possible. The start date for subsequent years will be one week before the first day of school. During this first week, the assigned staff to each campus will familiarize themselves with the campus perimeter, traffic routes, exterior doors, the administrative body, the location of special offices such as the nurse’s office, the principal’s office, classrooms, and so on.
  - Security officers must wear uniforms that define their role at the campus and have a badge or an ID that is visible at all times.
  - Once the security service hours are set with the Operations team from the charter office, no changes should be made without approval from the same Network Operations team. Campus administrators are not allowed to alter service hours. All requests for changes to hours, number of security officers on a campus, schedules, special events coverage must be communicated from the Network Operations team to the Vendors management team.
  - Security officers must participate in all drills conducted by the campus in a different capacity than school staff. Training on this will be provided by the Network Operations team during the week prior to the first day of school.
  - Vendors are responsible to supply all their staff with security gear such as firearms, ammunition, safety vests, traffic wands, uniforms, radios, body cams, etc.
  - The Operations team will supply the officers access cards, keys, and email accounts for communication purposes, Alert Apps.
PROPOSAL PRICING SHEET
Two guards in San Antonio Region to patrol five campuses.
One guard in Austin Region to patrol two campuses.

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Additional information:

- For special events outside of the normal school day coverage:
  Minimum number of hours per event: _________________ Hourly rate if not overtime: ____________
COMPASS ROSE EDUCATION

RFP-24-001: Armed Campus Security Services

DATE: __________________________

Bidder’s Certification:

The undersigned authorized representative of the proposing organization indicated below hereby acknowledges:

1. That he/she is authorized to enter into contractual relationships on behalf of the proposing organization indicated below, and

2. That he/she has carefully examined this Bid/Proposal Invitation, the accompanying Bid/Proposal Forms, and all Terms and Conditions associated with this Bid/Proposal Invitation, criteria evaluation worksheet, responsibilities of bidders, product specifications, and

3. That he/she proposes to supply any products or services submitted under this Proposal Invitation at the prices quoted and in strict compliance with the Terms and Conditions associated with this Bid/Proposal Invitation, unless any exceptions are noted in writing with this Proposal response, and

4. That if any part of this Bid/Proposal is accepted, he/she will furnish all products or services awarded under this Proposal at the prices quoted and in strict compliance with all Terms and Conditions associated with this Bid/Proposal Invitation, unless any exceptions are noted in writing with this Proposal response, and

5. That the individual, firm and/or any principal of the firm on whose behalf this proposal is submitted is not listed on the Federal Government’s “List of Parties Excluded from Federal Procurement and Non-procurement Programs” published by the U. S. General Services Administration (GSA) effective and compliance with the FCC “Red Light Rule” as of the date of opening of this proposal, and agrees to notify the Charter of any debarment inquiries or proceedings by any federal, state or local governmental entity that exist or may arise between the date of this submission and such time as an award has been made under this procurement action.

6. That the proposing organization in compliance with all federal, state, and local environmental codes, laws, and statutes

[SIGNATURE PAGE FOLLOWS]
COMPLETED & SIGNED FORM MUST BE RETURNED WITH PROPOSAL
VENDOR INFORMATION

This questionnaire is required.

LEGAL NAME OF VENDOR:

DATA UNIVERSAL NUMBERING SYSTEM (DUNS) NUMBER:

TYPE OF BUSINESS/DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCTS AND/OR SERVICES PROVIDED:

VENDOR MAILING ADDRESS:

CITY: _____________________ STATE: _________ ZIP CODE: ________________

VENDOR STREET ADDRESS:

CITY: _____________________ STATE: _________ ZIP CODE: ________________

TELEPHONE: ___________________ FAX: ___________________

CONTACT PERSON’S NAME:

CONTACT PERSON’S TELEPHONE NUMBER: ___________________ FAX: ___________________

CONTACT PERSON’S E-MAIL ADDRESS: ________________________________

1. TYPE OF BUSINESS ENTITY:
   - ☐ PUBLICLY TRADED CORPORATION
   - ☐ PRIVATE CORPORATION
   - ☐ LIMITED PARTNERSHIP
   - ☐ PARTNERSHIP
   - ☐ SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP
   - ☐ NOT FOR PROFIT ENTITY

2. NUMBER OF FULL TIME EMPLOYEES: _______________ NUMBER OF PART TIME EMPLOYEES: _______________

3. IS VENDOR IS A RESIDENT BIDDER? ☐ YES ☐ NO
   A RESIDENT BIDDER REFERS TO A PERSON WHOSE PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF TEXAS,
   INCLUDING A VENDOR WHOSE ULTIMATE PARENT COMPANY OR MAJORITY OWNER HAS ITS PRINCIPAL PLACE OF
   BUSINESS IN THIS STATE.

   CITY AND STATE OF VENDOR’S PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS:
   _______________________________
   IF NOT TEXAS, DOES THE STATE HAVE PREFERENTIAL TREATMENT ON BIDS? ☐ YES ☐ NO
   IF YES, WHAT PERCENTAGE: ____________%

4. NUMBER OF YEARS VENDOR HAS BEEN IN CONTINUOUS OPERATION:

5. NUMBER OF YEARS VENDOR HAS BEEN IN BUSINESS UNDER ITS PRESENT BUSINESS NAME:

6. HAS VENDOR CONDUCTED BUSINESS WITH THE DISTRICT UNDER ANOTHER NAME? ☐ YES ☐ NO
   IF YES, PROVIDE OTHER NAME(S): ______________________________

7. NUMBER OF YEARS DOING BUSINESS WITH COMPASS ROSE: ______________________________
8. **DOES VENDOR HAVE A PARENT COMPANY OR SUBSIDIARY THAT CURRENTLY CONDUCTS OR THAT HAS PREVIOUSLY CONDUCTED BUSINESS WITH THE CHARTER?**

☐ YES  ☐ NO

If YES, NAME OF PARENT COMPANY AND/OR SUBSIDIARY: _____________________________________________________

9. **DO YOU HAVE EXPERIENCE WITH OTHER CHARTERS/DISTRICTS?**

☐ YES  ☐ NO

If YES, NAMES OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS ________________________________________________________________

10. **DOES VENDOR HAVE ANY OWNERS, PRINCIPAL SHAREHOLDERS OR STOCKHOLDERS, OFFICERS, AGENTS, SALESPERSONS OR KEY EMPLOYEES WHO HAVE BEEN MEMBERS OF COMPASS ROSE’S BOARD OF TRUSTEES DURING THE LAST 5 YEARS?**

☐ YES  ☐ NO

If YES, NAME(S) AND TITLE(S): _______________________________________________________________________

11. **DOES ANY OFFICER, PARTNER, OWNER, SALESPERSON AND/OR SPOUSE WORK FOR CRPS?**

☐ YES  ☐ NO

12. **DOES VENDOR HAVE ANY OWNERS, PRINCIPAL SHAREHOLDERS OR STOCKHOLDERS, OFFICERS, AGENTS, SALESPERSONS OR KEY EMPLOYEES WHO ARE DISTRICT EMPLOYEES OR WHO ARE MEMBERS OF A DISTRICT EMPLOYEE’S IMMEDIATE FAMILY WHO EITHER WORK OR WHO MAY POTENTIAL WORK ON THIS CONTRACT WITH THE CHARTER?**

☐ YES  ☐ NO

If YES, NAME(S) AND TITLE(S): _______________________________________________________________________

13. **NAMES OF AUTHORIZED AGENTS, INCLUDING ANY PERSON OR ENTITY AUTHORIZED TO ‘ACT WITH’ OR ‘ACT ON YOUR BEHALF,’ SUCH AS CONSULTANTS, SUB-CONTRACTORS, RE-SELLERS, LOBBYISTS, CONFIDANTS, ETC., WHETHER COMPENSATED OR NOT COMPENSATED:**

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14. **DOES VENDOR HAVE A RELATIONSHIP(S) WITH ANY POLITICAL ACTION COMMITTEES?**

☐ YES  ☐ NO

If YES, NAME(S) OF PAC(S)_______________________________________________________________________

15. **HAS VENDOR (INCLUDING ANY OWNER, PRINCIPAL SHAREHOLDER OR STOCKHOLDER, OFFICER, AGENT, SALESPERSON, OR EMPLOYEE) BEEN INVOLVED IN PAST, PENDING, OR PRESENT LITIGATION INVOLVING THE CHARTER?**

☐ YES  ☐ NO

If YES, PLEASE PROVIDE THE STYLE AND STATUS OF THE CASE AS WELL AS THE TYPE OF LITIGATION: ____________________

______________________________________________________________________________________________

16. **FINANCIAL AND BUSINESS REFERENCES, INCLUDING BANK WITH WHICH VENDOR CONDUCTS BUSINESS:**

**NAME OF BANK WITH WHICH VENDOR CONDUCTS BUSINESS:** _____________________________________________

BANK OFFICER: ___________________________ OFFICER’S PHONE NUMBER: ____________________________

**NAME OF OTHER BANKING/FINANCIAL INSTITUTION(S):** _____________________________________________
17. NAME OF INSURANCE COMPANIES:

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18. COMPASS ROSE ENCOURAGES THE PARTICIPATION OF MINORITY, VETERAN, AND WOMEN OWNED BUSINESSES. IS VENDOR A MINORITY, VETERAN, AND/OR WOMAN OWNED COMPANY? ☐ YES ☐ NO
If YES, what percentage of ownership is minority or woman owned _____________%?

19. CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:
   i. ☐ VENDOR WILL PROVIDE GOODS AND SERVICES WITH OWN WORK FORCE
   ii. ☐ VENDOR WILL PURCHASE GOODS DIRECTLY FROM THE MANUFACTURER OR OTHER SUPPLIER

20. COMPASS ROSE CAN ONLY DO BUSINESS WITH EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYERS.
   i. DO YOU ADVERTISE AS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER? ☐ YES ☐ NO
   ii. DO YOU HAVE A WRITTEN NON-DISCRIMINATORY POLICY OF EMPLOYMENT? ☐ YES ☐ NO
   iii. HAS THIS POLICY BEEN CIRCULATED THROUGHOUT YOUR ORGANIZATION? ☐ YES ☐ NO
   iv. PERSON TO CONTACT REGARDING EQUAL OPPORTUNITY INFORMATION ISSUES:

   NAME: __________________________________________ TITLE: __________________________________________

   __________________________________________
   OFFICER’S SIGNATURE

   __________________________________________
   PRINTED NAME

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REFERENCE FORM

List at least three (3) companies or governmental entities (preferably public or charter districts) where the same or similar services as contained in this specification package were recently provided by Vendor.

Company Name: ____________________________________________________________
Contact Person: ___________________________ Title: ___________________________
Address: __________________________________________ City: _____________
State/Zip Code: ___________________________ E-mail ___________________________
Telephone Number: ______________________ Fax Number: ______________________

Company Name: ____________________________________________________________
Contact Person: ___________________________ Title: ___________________________
Address: __________________________________________ City: _____________
State/Zip Code: ___________________________ E-mail ___________________________
Telephone Number: ______________________ Fax Number: ______________________

Company Name: ____________________________________________________________
Contact Person: ___________________________ Title: ___________________________
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State/Zip Code: ___________________________ E-mail ___________________________
Telephone Number: ______________________ Fax Number: ______________________

Company Name: ____________________________________________________________
Contact Person: ___________________________ Title: ___________________________
Address: __________________________________________ City: _____________
State/Zip Code: ___________________________ E-mail ___________________________
Telephone Number: ______________________ Fax Number: ______________________
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL SIGNATURE PAGE

Proposals will be received until 4:00 PM CST on September 12th, 2023.

Proposals, subject to all the Instructions to Vendors, Standard Terms & Conditions, Specific Terms & Conditions, Specifications, exhibits, and charts attached hereto, will be received in the office of the Charter, and shall be marked on the envelope:

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In accepting proposals, the Charter reserves the right to reject any and all proposals in order to take the action that it deems to be in the best interest of the Charter.

Contracts entered into on a basis of submitted proposals are revocable if contrary to law. The Instructions to Vendors, Standard Terms & Conditions, Specific Terms & Conditions, Specifications, exhibits and charts attached hereto and incorporated by reference for all purposes.

We, as an interested party, agree to the above criteria and the Instructions to Vendors, Standard Terms & Conditions, Specific Terms & Conditions, Specifications, exhibits and charts attached hereto and have submitted our proposal. I/we understand that if selected and a contract is awarded, the Instructions to Vendors, Standard Terms & Conditions, Specific Terms & Conditions, Specifications, exhibits and charts attached hereto will become a part of the contract between the vendor and Compass Rose Education.

(Note: Failure to sign will disqualify bid.)

COMPANY________________________________________________________

ADDRESS________________________________________________________

CITY, STATE, ZIP________________________________________________

SIGNATURE________________________________________________________

TITLE____________________________________________________________

TELEPHONE_____________ DATE________________________
ANTI-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF )
COUNTY OF )

__________________________, of lawful age, being first sworn on oath say, that he/she is the agent authorized by the bidder to submit the attached bid. Affiant further states that the bidder has not been a party to any collusion among bidders in restraint of freedom of competition by agreement to bid at a fixed price or to refrain from bidding; or with any state official of employees to quantity, quality, or price in the prospective contract, or any other terms of said prospective official concerning exchange of money or other thing of value for special consideration in the letting of contract; that the bidder/contractor had not paid, given or donated, or agreed to pay, give or donate to any officer or employee either directly or indirectly in the procuring of the award of a contact pursuant to this bid.

________________________
Signed

Subscribed and sworn before me this ___ day of _____________________________.

________________________
Notary Public (or Clerk or Judge)

My commission expires ________________
Statement of Nondiscrimination

COMPASS ROSE EDUCATION (Charter) does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, disability or relationship or association with an individual with a disability in providing educational services, activities, and programs, including vocational and career technology programs, in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972, as amended; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Affidavit Of Non-Discriminatory Employment

This company, Contractor, or Subcontractor agrees to refrain from discrimination in terms and conditions of employment on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, or national origin, and agrees to take affirmative action as required by Federal Statutes and rules and regulations issued pursuant thereto in order to maintain and insure non-discriminatory employment practices.

______________________________ Signature

______________________________ Printed Name & Title
Criminal History Review of Provider Employees

Texas Education Code § 22.0834 requires entities that contract with District or Charter Districts to provide services to obtain named based criminal history and/or fingerprinting record information regarding “covered employees.”

Definitions:
“Covered Employees”: Any employee of a contractor or subcontractor who (1) has or will have continuing duties related to the contracted services and (2) has or will have direct contact with students. Compass Rose Public Schools (the “Charter”) retains the discretion to determine what constitutes direct contact with students.

“Disqualifying Criminal History”: Any conviction or other criminal information designated by the Charter, including one or more of the following offenses:

1. A felony or misdemeanor offense that would prevent a person from obtaining certification as an educator under Texas Education Code § 21.060, including:
   a. Crimes involving moral turpitude;
   b. Crimes involving any form of sexual or physical abuse or neglect of a student or minor or other illegal conduct with a student or minor;
   c. Crimes involving felony possession or conspiracy to possess, or any misdemeanor or felony transfer, sale, distribution, or conspiracy to transfer, sell, or distribute any controlled substance defined in Chapter 481, Texas Health and Safety Code;
   d. Crimes involving Charter property or funds;
   e. Crimes involving any attempt by fraudulent or unauthorized means to obtain or alter any certificate or permit that would entitle any person to hold or obtain a position as an educator;
   f. Crimes occurring wholly or in part on Charter property or at a Charter-sponsored activity; and
   g. Felonies involving driving while intoxicated.
2. A felony offense under Title 5, Penal Code.
3. An offense on conviction of which a defendant is required to register as a sex offender.
4. An offense under the laws of another state or federal law that is equivalent to an offense under items (2) and (3) above where, at the time the offense occurred, the victim of the offense was under 18 years of age or was enrolled in a public Charter.
5. Any other offense that the Charter believes might compromise the safety of students, staff, or property.

Any contractor interested in participating in the Charter’s Contractor Bid and Vendor Services Process must comply with the requirements of Texas Education Code § 22.0834 by working with the Texas Department of Public Safety to conduct fingerprint checks on employees prior to being awarded a contract. Contractors who fail to follow the fingerprint process will not be allowed to compete for Charter contracts.
CRIMINAL HISTORY REVIEW OF PROVIDER EMPLOYEES

Please complete the information below:

I, the undersigned agent for ____________________________ (“Provider”), certify that [check one]:

[ ] None of the employees of Provider and any subcontractors are “covered employees” as defined above. If this box is checked, I further certify that Provider has taken precautions or imposed conditions to ensure that the employees of Provider and any subcontractor will not become covered employees. Provider will maintain these precautions or conditions throughout the time the contracted services are provided.

or

[ ] Some or all of the employees of Provider and any subcontractor are “covered employees.” If this box is checked, I further certify that:

1. Provider has obtained all required criminal history and/or fingerprinting record information regarding its covered employees through the Texas Department of Public Safety as required by law.
2. If Provider receives information that a covered employee subsequently has a reported criminal history, Provider will immediately remove the covered employee from contract duties and notify the Charter in writing within three business days.
3. Upon request, Provider will provide the Charter with the name and any other requested information regarding covered employees so that the Charter may obtain criminal history record information on the covered employees.
4. If the Charter objects to the assignment of a covered employee on the basis of the covered employee’s criminal history record information, Provider agrees to discontinue using that covered employee to provide services to the Charter.
5. All covered employees hired after January 1, 2008, have completed the required background check process prior to performing any duties related to the Charter or having any direct contact with students.
6. Background and fingerprint documentation for all “covered employees” are attached to this packet.

I understand that non-compliance with this certification by Provider may be grounds for contract termination and/or barring disqualified persons from performing the work.

________________________________________________________  ______________
Signature of Provider Official                                Date
Debarment or Suspension Certificate

Compass Rose Education is prohibited from contracting with or making sub-awards under covered transaction to parties that are suspended or debarred or whose owners/members/principals and certain employees are suspended or debarred. Provider must certify that it and its owners/members/principals are not suspended or debarred under federal law and rule.

By submitting signing contract and this certificate, Provider certifies that no suspension or debarment is in place, which would otherwise preclude Provider or its Owner/Members/Principals or employees from receiving a federally funded contract under applicable federal regulations and federal OMB Circulars.

___________________________________________________________________________  __________________
Authorized Signature                                           Date

___________________________________________________________________________
Printed Name, Title

___________________________________________________________________________
Company Name
Contract Provisions (EDGAR Certifications)

With respect to the use of federal funds for the procurement of goods and services, 2 CFR 200.326 and Appendix II to 2 CFR 200 require the inclusion of the following contract provisions.

1. **Vendor Violation or Breach of Contract Terms.** Contracts for more than the simplified acquisition threshold currently set at $150,000, which is the inflation adjusted amount determined by the Civilian Agency Acquisition Council the Defense Acquisition Regulations Council as authorized by 41 USC 1908, must address administrative, contractual, or legal remedies in instances where contractors violate or breach contract terms, and provide for such sanctions and penalties as appropriate. Except as otherwise provided for in these Terms and Conditions, either party may terminate the contract in whole or in part in the event of the other party’s substantial failure to fulfill its obligations under this contract through no fault of the terminating party; provided, however, that the defaulting party is given at least ten (10) business days prior written notice of the default and intent to terminate (delivered by certified mail, return receipt requested, or other method that similarly documents receipt), and a ten (10) business day opportunity to remedy the default to the satisfaction of the terminating party. Compass Rose Public Schools will not be liable to the vendor for any damages (including but not limited to, loss of profits or loss of business, or any special, consequential, exemplary, or incidental damages) resulting from termination based on the vendor’s default or breach of contract. If any delay or failure of performance is caused by Force Majeure, Compass Rose Public Schools may, in its sole discretion, terminate the contract in whole or in part, provided such termination complies with the procedures set out above. Any contract termination resulting from any cause other than a Force Majeure event will be deemed valid reason for not considering any future proposals from the defaulting vendor. Force Majeure includes, but is not limited to, governmental restraints or decrees, provided they affect all companies in vendor’s industry equally and are not actions taken solely against vendor; acts of God (except natural phenomena, such as rain, wind, or flood, which are normally expected in the locale in which performance is to take place); work stoppages due to labor disputes or strikes; fires’ explosions’ epidemics; riots; war; rebellion; or sabotage. The remedies under the contract are in addition to any other remedies that may be available under law or in equity. By smutting a proposal, you agree to the vendor violation and breach of contract terms.

Does the vendor agree? Yes________ No______ (initial in appropriate block)

2. **Termination for Cause and Convenience.** All contracts in excess of $10,000 must address termination for cause and for convenience by Compass Rose Public Schools including the manner by which it will be effected and the basis for settlement. With this paragraph, Compass Rose Public Schools shall only be required to pay the vendor for goods or services delivered to the Charter prior to the termination and not otherwise returned in accordance with the vendor’s return policy. If Compass Rose Public Schools has paid vendor for goods or services not yet provided as of the date of termination, vendor shall immediately refund such payment(s). If an alternate provision for termination of a Compass Rose Public Schools purchase for cause and convenience, including the manner by which it will be effected as the basis for settlement, is included in Compass Rose Public Schools purchase order, or construction contract agreed to by the vendor, this provision shall prevail.

Does the vendor agree? Yes________ No______ (initial in appropriate block)


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4. **Davis-Bacon Act.** When required by Federal program legislation, all prime construction contracts in excess of $2,000 awarded by Compass Rose Public Schools must include a provision for compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 3141–3144, and 3146–3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR 5, “Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction”). In accordance with the statute, contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in a wage determination made by the Secretary of Labor. In addition, contractors must be required to pay wages not less than once a week. Compass Rose must place a copy of the current prevailing wage determination issued by the Department of Labor in each solicitation. The decision to award a contract or subcontract must be conditioned upon the acceptance of the wage determination. Compass Rose Public Schools must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency. The contracts must also include a provision for compliance with the Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. Compass Rose Public Schools must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency.

Does the vendor agree? Yes____ No____ (initial in appropriate block)

5. **Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act.** Where applicable, all contracts awarded by Compass Rose in excess of $100,000 that involve the employment of mechanics or laborers must include a provision for compliance with 40 U.S.C. 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR 5). Under 40 U.S.C. 3702 of the Act, each contractor must be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. 3704 are applicable to construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence.

Does the vendor agree? Yes____ No____ (initial in appropriate block)

6. **Rights to Inventions Made Under a Contract or Agreement.** If the Federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 CFR 401.2 (a) and the recipient or subrecipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance of experimental, developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or subrecipient must comply with the requirements of 37 CFR 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firms Under Government Grants, Contracts and Cooperative Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency.

Does the vendor agree? Yes____ No____ (initial in appropriate block)

7. **Certification of Compliance with Buy America Provisions.** If Compass Rose Public Schools federal award meets the definition of “funding agreement” under 37 CFR 401.2(a) and the recipient or sub
recipient wishes to enter into a contract with a small business firm or nonprofit organization regarding the substitution of parties, assignment or performance or experimental, developmental, or research work under that “funding agreement,” the recipient or sub recipient must comply with the requirements of 37 CFR Part 401, “Rights to Inventions Made by Nonprofit Organizations and Small Business Firm under Government Grants, Contracts and Charter Agreements,” and any implementing regulations issued by the awarding agency.

Does the vendor agree? Yes___________ No_______ (initial in appropriate block)

8. **Clean Air Act and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act.** Contracts and subgrants of amounts in excess of $150,000 must contain a provision that requires the contractor to agree 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 as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251–1387). Violations must be reported to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Does the vendor agree? Yes___________ No_______ (initial in appropriate block)

9. **Debarment and Suspension.** A contract award (see 2 CFR 180.220) must not be made to parties listed on the governmentwide Excluded Parties List System in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 CFR180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 CFR Part 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 CFR Part 1989 Comp., p. 235), “Debarment and Suspension.” The Excluded Parties List System in SAM contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared ineligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549.

Does the vendor agree? Yes___________ No_______ (initial in appropriate block)

10. **Byrd Anti-Lobbying.** Contractors that apply or bid for an award of $100,000 or more must file the required certification. Each tier certifies to the tier above that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. Each tier must also disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures are forwarded from tier to tier.

Does the vendor agree? Yes___________ No_______ (initial in appropriate block)

11. **Procurement of Recovered Materials.** Compass Rose Public Schools and its contractors must comply with section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 CFR 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds $10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired by the preceding fiscal year exceeded $10,000 procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.
12. **Profit as a Separate Element of Price.** For purchases with federal funds in excess of $150,000, a District or open enrollment charter District may be required to negotiate profit as a separate element of the price. See 2 CFR 200.323(b). When required by the Charter, vendor agrees to provide information and negotiate with the Charter regarding profit as a separate element of the price for a particular purchase. However, vendor agrees that the total price, including profit, charged by the vendor to the Charter shall not exceed the awarded pricing, including any applicable discount, under vendor’s Charter Contract.

Does the vendor agree? Yes_________No_______ (initial in appropriate block)

13. **Record Retention Requirements For Contracts Paid With Federal Funds.** When federal funds are expended by Compass Rose Public Schools for any contract resulting from this procurement process, the vendor certifies that the vendor will be in compliance with mandatory requirements detailed in 2 CFR 200.333. The vendor further certifies that vendor will retain all records required by 2 CFR 200.333 for a period of three years after grantees or subgrantees submit final expenditure reports or quarterly or annual financial reports, as applicable, and all pending matter are closed.

Does the vendor agree? Yes_________No_______ (initial in appropriate block)

14. **Energy Efficiency Standards and Policies.** When federal funds are expended by Compass Rose Public Schools for any contract resulting from this procurement process, the vendor certifies that it will be in compliance with mandatory standards and policies relating to energy efficiency which are contained in the state energy conservation plan issued in compliance with the Energy Policy and Conservation Act (42 U.S.C. 6201).

Does the vendor agree? Yes_________No_______ (initial in appropriate block)

15. **General Compliance and Cooperation with Charter.** In addition to the foregoing specific requirements, vendor agrees in accepting any purchase order from the Charter, it shall make a good faith effort to work with the Charter to provide such information and to satisfy such requirements as may apply to a particular Charter purchase or purchases including, but not limited to, applicable recordkeeping and record retention requirements.

Does the vendor agree? Yes_________No_______ (initial in appropriate block)
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Certificate of Interested Parties Form 1295

A person or business entity entering into a contract and/or agreement with Compass Rose Education is required by the New Government Code Statute §2252.908, to complete Form 1295 “Certificate of Interested Parties”. This form must be submitted online at: https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/data/forms/1295/1295.pdf

Once the online submission has been processed and a claim number has been issued, the form must be printed with the claim number, notarized and then submitted along with the bid/quote/proposal document(s).

If Form 1295 is not submitted along with your bid/quote/proposal response, your response may be considered “non-responsive” and may be disqualified.

Form CIQ

Please complete the form located at the following link: https://www.ethics.state.tx.us/data/forms/conflict/CIQ.pdf

Child Support Certification

Please complete the form located at the following link: https://www.hhs.texas.gov/sites/default/files/documents/laws-regulations/forms/1903/1903.pdf

Form W-9 Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Please complete the form located at the following link: https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf

RETURN THESE COMPLETED DOCUMENTS IN SUBMITTAL PACKET
Out of State Certification

As defined by Texas House Bill 602, a “nonresident Proposer” means a Proposer whose principal place of business is not in Texas, but excludes a contractor whose ultimate parent company or majority owner has its principal place of business in Texas.

☐ I certify that my company is a “Resident Proposer”:

Company Name (Please Print)

☐ I certify that my company qualifies as a “Nonresident Proposer”

(NOTE: You must furnish the following information)

Indicate the following information for your “Resident State”: (The state your principal place of business)

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| City          | State   | Zip Code |

A. Does your “resident state” require Proposers whose principal place of business is in Texas to give preference to Proposers whose resident state is the same as yours by a prescribed amount or percentage to receive a comparable contract? (“Resident State” means the state in which the principal place of business is located.)

Yes

No

B. What is the prescribed amount or percentage? $ ________ or ________ %

Certification: I certify that the information provided above is correct.

Signature of Authorized Representative

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Felony Conviction Disclosure Statement

State of Texas Legislative Senate Bill No. 1, Section 44.034, Notification of Criminal History, Subsection (1), states “a person or business entity that enters into a contract with a Charter must give advance notice to Charter if the person or an owner or operator has been convicted of a felony. A notice must include a general description of the conduct resulting in the conviction of a felony.

Subsection (b) states “a Charter may terminate a contract with a person or business entity if the Charter determines that the person or business entity failed to give notice as required by Subsection (a) or misrepresented the conduct resulting in the conviction. The Charter must compensate the person or business entity for services performed before the termination of the contract.

I, the undersigned agent for the firm named below, certify that the information concerning notification of felony conviction has been reviewed by me and the following information furnished is true to the best of my knowledge.

Vendors Name:__________________________

Signature of Authorized Company Official:__________________________

☐ My firm is a publicly held corporation; therefore, this reporting requirement is not applicable.

☐ My firm is not owned or operated by anyone who has been convicted of a felony.

☐ My firm is owned or operated by the following individual(s) who has/have been convicted of a felony.