

Director of Business Development

1. Will the pricing of the proposals be read aloud at the opening?
 - a. Yes
2. Please provide the most recent contract, any addendums, pricing pages and any other contractual updates.
 - a. See Attachment
3. What was the total amount the District paid to the current contractor for transportation services from July 1, 2015 to June 30, 2016?
 - a. Richards Transportation - \$1,409,342.20
 - b. Schuck Bus Service - \$266,164.85
 - c. Red River Acquisitions - \$208,697.37
4. Please provide copies of detailed invoices and billing reports for three months – prefer May, July and October.
 - a. See Attachment
5. What is the District's transportation budget for 2016-17 school year?
 - a. \$4,240,660.00
6. What routing software is utilized by the incumbent? Are there any issues? All Routing is done by School District Employees.
 - a. EDULOG
7. Do all the current buses have GPS? If so, what GPS reports does the administration utilize?
 - a. The GPS system and all equipment is owned by the school district. We make use of any available reports as they are needed.
8. What is the current on-time performance?
 - a. We only track on-time performance when issues are identified. We have had few issues over this contract term, all were resolved quickly by the carrier.
9. Have there been any driver shortage or other driver issues? Can you please provide the current pay scale and number of drivers in each category?
 - a. Each contractor has identified driver shortage issues. However, all routes have been covered. We do not track driver pay rates for contractors.

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10. Does the incumbent have a labor union? (If so, which union? Is a copy of the labor agreement available?)

a. The contractors do not have a labor union.

11. What issues have arisen over the last 2 years?

a. One contractor had a driver strand a group of students while enroute home. The driver was dismissed by the carrier and the issue was resolved quickly by a combination of district staff and contractor supervision.

12. Other than cost, what will motivate the district to change contractors?

a. Our goal is to renegotiate the contract with current carriers.

13. Does the District have property or excess facilities which could be utilized as a bus facility?

a. No