

Request for Proposals No. 2025-08

Amendment 01

This document is posted to capture an amendment to RFP No. 2025-08, issued September 26, 2024.

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Section D.1. EVALUATION PROCEDURE shall be amended to read as follows:

Responsive proposals will be evaluated strictly in accordance with the requirements stated in this RFP and any addenda issued. The evaluation of proposals shall be accomplished by an evaluation team, to be designated by OSPI, which will determine the ranking of the proposals.

For responsive bids, OSPI will determine whether the bidder is a “responsible bidder.” Accordingly, OSPI may make reasonable inquiry to determine bidder responsibility on a pass/fail basis. In determining bidder responsibility, OSPI may consider the following statutory elements:

- Bidder’s ability, capacity, and skill to perform the contract or provide the service required;
- Bidder’s character, integrity, reputation, judgment, experience, and efficiency;
- Bidder’s ability to perform the contract within the time specified;
- Bidder’s performance quality pertaining to previous contracts or services;
- Bidder’s compliance with laws relating to the contract or services;
- Whether, within the three-year period immediately preceding the date of the Competitive Solicitation, bidder has been determined by a final and binding citation and notice of assessment issued by the Washington State Department of Labor and Industries or through a civil judgment entered by a court of limited or general jurisdiction to have willfully violated, as defined in RCW 49.48.082, any provision of chapter 49.46, 49.48, or 49.52 RCW; and
- Such other information as may be secured having a bearing on the decision to award the Contract.

In accordance with RCW 39.26.160(2)(a)–(g), OSPI may request financial statements, credit ratings, references, record of past performance, clarification of bidder’s bid, on-site inspection of bidder’s or subcontractor’s facilities, or other information as necessary to determine bidder’s



capacity to perform and the enforceability of bidder's contractual commitments. Failure to respond to these requests may result in a bid being rejected as non-responsive.

Proposals will be reviewed holistically based on all evaluation criteria. If multiple proposals receive similar scores, priority will be given to those that address gaps in the current supplemental inclusive instructional materials on the Washington OER Hub or the broader OER Commons resource library. Additionally, efforts will be made to avoid awarding contracts for the same community representation and/or grade band as other selected proposals.

Exhibit D, General Terms and Conditions, provision #24 regarding Copyright shall be amended to read as follows:

14. Copyright Provisions. Unless otherwise provided, all Materials produced under this Contract shall be considered "works for hire" as defined by the U.S. Copyright Act and copyright shall be owned by the Superintendent. The Superintendent shall be considered the author of such Materials. If Materials are not considered "works for hire", Contractor hereby irrevocably assigns all right, title, and interest in Materials, including all intellectual property rights, to the Superintendent effective from the moment of creation of such Materials.

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The Contractor shall exert all reasonable effort to advise the Superintendent, at the time of delivery of data furnished under this Contract, of all known or potential invasions of privacy contained therein and of any portion of such document which was not produced in the performance of this Contract. The Superintendent shall receive prompt written notice of each notice or claim of infringement received by the Contractor with respect to any data delivered under this Contract. The Superintendent shall have the right to modify or remove any restrictive markings placed upon the data by the Contractor.

Inclusion of any materials developed under this contract on the Washington OER Hub will be at the discretion of OSPI, based on the results of its evaluation process.