

**AMENDMENT #1
FOR
RFP NUMBER 0A1173**

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The State of Ohio, through the Department of Administrative Services for the Human Resources Division is requesting proposals for:

Integrated Decision Support System Project

**INQUIRY PERIOD BEGINS: September 27, 2016
INQUIRY PERIOD ENDS: October 31, 2016
OPENING DATE: November 7, 2016
OPENING TIME: 1:00 P.M.
OPENING LOCATION: Department of Administrative Services
I.T. Procurement Services
Bid Room
4200 Surface Road
Columbus, Ohio 43228**

This RFP consists of five parts and eleven (11) attachments, totaling 72 consecutively numbered pages. Two supplements also are attached to this RFP with a beginning header page and an ending trailer page. Please verify that you have a complete copy.

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Cost Summary (must be separately sealed)

Supplier Information Form. The offeror must submit a signed and completed Vendor Information Form (OBM5657). The form is available at: <http://ohiosharedservices.ohio.gov/Suppliers.aspx>.

Subcontractor Letters. For each proposed subcontractor, the offeror must attach a letter from the subcontractor, signed by someone authorized to legally bind the subcontractor, with the following included in the letter:

1. The subcontractor's legal status, federal tax identification number, D-U-N-S number, and principal place of business address;
2. The name, phone number, fax number, email address, and mailing address of a person who is authorized to legally bind the subcontractor to contractual obligations;
3. A description of the work the subcontractor will do;
4. A commitment to do the work if the offeror is selected; and
5. A statement that the subcontractor has read and understood the RFP and will comply with the requirements of the RFP.

Offeror Certifications. The offeror must complete Attachment 6, Offeror Certification Form.

Offeror Profile Summary Form. This RFP includes an Offeror Profile Summary Form as an attachment. The offeror must use this form and fill it out completely to provide the required information.

The Offeror Profile Summary Form contained in this document has been customized for the applicable offeror requirements. (Refer to Attachment Seven.) Each page of the form may contain minor variations. If an offeror elects to duplicate the form electronically, the offeror must carefully review each page of the form to ensure that it has been copied accurately. Failure to duplicate the form exactly may lead to the rejection of the offeror's Proposal.

Each offeror must meet all the mandatory requirements in the RFP. If an offeror does not meet all the mandatory requirements, the State may reject the offeror's Proposal as non-responsive.

The various sections of the Offeror Profile Summary Forms are described below:

Mandatory Experience and Qualifications. The offeror must complete this section to demonstrate that it has the experience needed to meet the RFP's mandatory requirements. (Refer to Attachment Seven.) For each reference, the offeror must provide the following information:

Contact Information. The offeror must provide a client contact name, title, phone number, email address, company name, and mailing address. The offeror also must include the same information for an alternate client contact, in case the State cannot reach the primary contact. Failure to provide this information or providing information that is inaccurate or out of date may

***Acceptance of Supplement 3 – State Architecture and Computing Standards, Security and Privacy, IT Computing Policy and Data Handling Requirements.** Offerors must include the entire content of Supplement 3 as a single section in their proposal. The offerors must include a statement at the beginning of the section indicating that the offeror has read, understands and agrees to the Requirements contained in Supplement 3.

Support Requirements. The offeror must describe the support it wants from the State other than what the State has offered in this RFP. Specifically, the offeror must address the following:

Nature and extent of State support required in terms of staff roles, percentage of time available, and so on;
Assistance from State staff and the experience and qualification levels required; and Other support requirements.

The State may not be able or willing to provide the additional support the offeror lists in this part of its Proposal. The offeror therefore must indicate whether its request for additional support is a requirement for its performance. If any part of the list is a requirement, the State may reject the offeror's Proposal, if the State is unable or unwilling to meet the requirements.

Proof of Insurance. The offeror must provide the certificate of insurance required by Attachment Four. The policy may be written on an occurrence or claims made basis.

Payment Address. The offeror must give the address to which the State should send payments under the Contract.

Legal Notice Address. The offeror must give the name, title, and address to which the State should send legal notices under the Contract.

W-9 Form. The offeror must complete a W-9 form in its entirety. The offeror must submit at least one originally signed W-9. All other copies of a Proposal may contain copies of the W-9. The offeror must indicate on the outside of the binder which Proposal contains the originally signed W-9. A current version of the Internal Revenue's W-9 form is available at <http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf> .

Independent Contractor Acknowledgement Form. Unless the offeror is a "business entity" as that term is defined in ORC. 145.037 ("an entity with five or more employees that is a corporation, association, firm, limited liability company, partnership, sole proprietorship, or other entity engaged in business"), the offeror must complete and submit an originally signed Independent Contractor Acknowledgement form in its entirety. All other copies of a Proposal may contain copies of the Independent Contractor Acknowledgement form. The offeror must indicate on the outside of the binder which Proposal contains the originally signed Independent Contractor Acknowledgement form. A current version of the Independent Contractor Acknowledgement form is available at:

<https://www.opers.org/forms-archive/PEDACKN.pdf>

Standard Affirmation and Disclosure Form (EO 2011-12K). The offeror must complete and sign the Affirmation and Disclosure Form (Attachment) as part of its Proposal. Executive Order 2011-12K is available at:

<http://www.governor.ohio.gov/Portals/0/pdf/executiveOrders/EO%202011-12K.pdf>

Affirmative Action. Before a contract can be awarded or renewed, an Affirmative Action Program Verification Form must be completed using: <http://das.ohio.gov/Divisions/EqualOpportunity/AffirmativeActionProgramVerification.aspx>

Approved Affirmative Action Plans can be found by going to the Equal Opportunity Department's Web site: <http://eodreporting.oit.ohio.gov/searchAffirmativeAction.aspx> .