



## 211001 Addendum 1 Hill & Cox Corporation Hill & Cox Corporation Supplier Response

### Event Information

Number: 211001 Addendum 1

Title: Job Order Contracting

Type: Request for Proposal

Issue Date: 10/7/2021

Deadline: 11/22/2021 03:00 PM (CT)

Notes: Dear potential TIPS Vendor,

As you review the solicitation information, you are probably looking for detailed job specifications and a scope of work for which to submit a proposal. Because of the way TIPS and most other purchasing cooperatives procure contracts, there is no specific project to award. TIPS awards an IDIQ contract, where IDIQ is an abbreviation of the term "Indefinite Delivery/Indefinite Quantity". This is a type of contract that provides for an indefinite quantity of supplies or services during a fixed period of time or life of the awarded agreement. This RCSP/solicitation was issued as a prospective award for a pricing agreement to be used when a TIPS member entity needs the goods or services offered under the agreement in the different categories of solicitations. If you have any additional questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to us here at TIPS!

## Contact Information

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**Required Confidential Information Status Form**

Hill & Cox Corporation

Name of company

Robert A. Cox, Vice President

Printed Name and Title of authorized company officer declaring below the confidential status of material

1820 Higdon Ferry Road, Ste A Hot Springs AR 71901 501-529-6273

Address City State ZIP Phone

**ALL VENDORS MUST COMPLETE THE ABOVE SECTION**

CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION SUBMITTED IN RESPONSE TO COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT REQUESTS OF EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER REGION 8 AND TIPS (ESC8) IS GOVERNED BY TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE, CHAPTER 552

If you consider any portion of your proposal to be confidential information and not subject to public disclosure pursuant to Chapter 552 Texas Gov't Code or other law(s), you must attach a copy of all claimed confidential materials within your proposal and put this COMPLETED form as a cover sheet to said materials then scan, name "CONFIDENTIAL" and upload with your proposal submission. (You must include all the confidential information in the submitted proposal. The copy uploaded is to indicate which material in your proposal, if any, you deem confidential in the event the receives a Public Information Request.) ESC8 and TIPS will follow procedures of controlling statute(s) regarding any claim of confidentiality and shall not be liable for any release of information required by law. Upon your claim and your defense to the Office of Texas Attorney General is required to make the final determination whether the information submitted by you and held by ESC8 and TIPS is confidential and exempt from public disclosure.

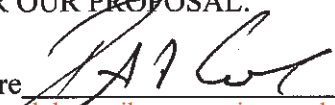
**ALL VENDORS MUST COMPLETE ONE OF THE TWO OPTIONS BELOW.**

**OPTION 1:**

I **DO CLAIM** parts of my proposal to be confidential and **DO NOT** desire to expressly waive a claim of confidentiality of all information contained within our response to the solicitation. The attached contains material from our proposal that I classify and deem confidential under Texas Gov't Code Sec. 552 or other law(s) and I invoke my statutory rights to confidential treatment of the enclosed materials.

IF CLAIMING PARTS OF YOUR PROPOSAL CONFIDENTIAL, YOU MUST ATTACH THE SHEETS TO THIS FORM AND LIST THE NUMBER OT TOTAL PAGES THAT ARE CONFIDENTIAL.

**ATTACHED** ARE COPIES OF 31 PAGES OF CLAIMED CONFIDENTIAL MATERIAL FROM OUR PROPOSAL THAT WE DEEM TO BE NOT PUBLIC INFORMATION AND WILL DEFEND THAT CLAIM TO THE TEXAS ATTORNEY GENERAL IF REQUESTED WHEN A PUBLIC INFORMATION REQUEST IS MADE FOR OUR PROPOSAL.

Signature 

Date 11/12/2021

TIPS has removed the attribute questions and answers electronically submitted along with all submitted sheets. The vendor requested the information be confidential to the extent it is publicly posted. TIPS makes all proposal and award information available to registered TIPS member entities upon request. RP 1-26-2022

**OR**

**OPTION 2:**

I **DO NOT CLAIM** any of my proposal to be confidential, complete the section below.

**Express Waiver:** I desire to expressly waive any claim of confidentiality as to any and all information contained within our response to the competitive procurement process (e.g. RFP, CSP, Bid, RFQ, etc.) by completing the following and submitting this sheet with our response to Education Service Center Region 8 and TIPS.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_