

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION



STATE OF ALASKA
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION & EARLY DEVELOPMENT
DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
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THIS IS NOT AN ORDER

DATE ISSUED: Friday, June 28, 2013
RFP NO.: 2014-0500-1923
RFP DEADLINE: 4:00 PM AST, Friday June 7, 2013

TITLE: Special Education Administrative Coach Request for Proposals

PROCUREMENT OFFICER: Robert Roys

SIGNATURE: _____

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "R. Roys", written over a horizontal line.

This is notice of the State's cancellation of the solicitation identified above. A bidder or offeror who wishes to protest this cancellation must file the protest within ten calendar days following the date this notice is issued. If the tenth day falls on a weekend or holiday, the last day of the protest period is the first working day following the tenth day.

EXPLANATION:

Evaluation of responses to RFP 2014-0500-1923 has revealed ambiguous or otherwise inadequate specifications in the RFP and that the RFP does not provide consideration of all factors of significance to the state.

Item 1 is in the cost requirements in RFP 2014-0500-1923. The intent of the RFP was to competitively solicit cost proposals based upon cost proposals from prospective vendors. In the costs evaluation section of the RFP, it is stated that offers will be evaluated on a cost amount that is equal. This defeats the purposed of competitive pricing of proposals and is an error.

Item 2 is in the experience requirements. The intent of the RFP was to receive proposals from Alaska educators, either teachers or administrators. The experience requirement is for three years of "classroom experience." This requirement could be interpreted to mean any type of classroom experience-even that of a student.

Per 2 AAC 12.860 all proposals are rejected and RFP 2014-0500-1923 cancelled. A new RFP will be issued under the number 2014-0500-2035. All offerors to the cancelled RFP will be notified of the new RFP.

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