

Scoreboards, Electronic Signs, Installation, Related Products, and Services Executive Summary

Lead Agency: Region 4 Education Service Center (ESC) Solicitation: 22-06

RFP Issued: December 1st, 2021 **Pre-Proposal Date:** PRE-PROPOSAL DATE

Response Due Date: January 11th, 2022 Proposals Received: 2

Awarded to:

Region 4 Education Service Center issued RFP 22-06 on December 1st, 2021, to establish a national cooperative contract for Scoreboards, Electronic Signs, Installation, Related Products, and Services.

The solicitation included cooperative purchasing language in Sections I. Scope of Work.

Region 4 ESC, as the Principal Procurement Agency, defined in Appendix D, Exhibit A, has partnered with OMNIA Partners, Public Sector ("OMNIA Partners") to make the resultant contract (also known as the "Master Agreement" in materials distributed by OMNIA Partners) from this solicitation available to other public agencies nationally, including state and local governmental entities, public and private primary, secondary and higher education entities, non-profit entities, and agencies for the public benefit ("Public Agencies"), through OMNIA Partners' cooperative purchasing program. Region 4 ESC is acting as the contracting agency for any other Public Agency that elects to utilize the resulting Master Agreement. Use of the Master Agreement by any Public Agency is preceded by their registration with OMNIA Partners (a "Participating Public Agency") and by using the Master Agreement, any such Participating Public Agency agrees that it is registered with OMNIA Partners, whether pursuant to the terms of a Master Intergovernmental Cooperative Purchasing Agreement, a form of which is attached hereto on Appendix D, or as otherwise agreed to. Appendix D contains additional information about OMNIA Partners and the cooperative purchasing program.

Notice of the solicitation was sent to potential offerors, as well as advertised in the following:

- Region 4 Education Service Center website
- OMNIA Partners website
- USA Today, nationwide
- Arizona Business Gazette, AZ
- San Bernardino Sun, CA
- Honolulu Star-Advertiser, HI
- The Advocate New Orleans, LA

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- New Jersey Herald, NJ
- Times Union, NY
- Daily Journal of Commerce, OR
- The State, SC
- South Carolina website/newsletter (get from Chris White)
- Houston Community Newspapers, Cy Creek Mirror, TX
- Deservet News, UT
- Richmond Times, VA
- Seattle Daily Journal of Commerce, WA
- Helena Independent Record, MT
- Kennebec ME Journal

On January 11th, 2022, proposals were received from the following offerors:

- Daktronics
- Electro-Mech

The proposals were evaluated by an evaluation committee. Using the evaluation criteria established in the RFP, the committee elected to enter into negotiations with Daktronics and proceeding with contract award upon successful completion of negotiations.

Geographic Preferences: No geographic preferences were included in the evaluation of the responses.

Region 4 Education Service Center, OMNIA Partners, and Daktronics successfully negotiated a contract, and the Region 4 Education Service Center executed the agreement with a contract effective date of May 1st, 2022.

Diversity Certification:

Contract includes:

 Supplier provided federal funds certifications which are available on the OMNIA Partners website for review.

Term:

Initial three (3) year agreement from May 1st, 2022, through April 30th, 2025, with the option to renew for two (2) additional one-year periods through April 30th, 2027.

Pricing/Discount:

- Pricing for standard services/installation.
- 10% discount on all standard catalog scoreboards, electronic signs, accessories, and audio products.