

# **Request for Proposal (RFP)**

#7-BTV-0224 Ohio Transportation Vehicle Vendors Closing Date: 2:00 PM CST Monday, January 29, 2024

IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. (herein referred to as IDEA or the organization) is seeking Proposals/Proposals from qualified and experienced firms to place on an "Approved Vendor List," for current & future vehicle orders. Respondents should be able to provide primarily Type A SPED, Type B SPED, Type C (seating capacity 71 + passenger) for Ohio according to the <u>Ohio Administrative Code</u> Rule 4501-5-02 School bus construction standards.

The qualified Respondent must be able to execute duties and provide services with the utmost diligence, cooperation, and ethical behavior in addition to being knowledgeable of industry standards as it relates to special education instructional & related services for public schools. The chosen Respondent should also demonstrate high levels of trust, competence, and integrity.

IDEA reserves the right to revise and amend the requirements prior to the date set for the receipt of the Proposals. Respondents are requested to clarify any ambiguity, conflict, discrepancy, omission or other error(s) in the RFP in writing. Revisions or amendments, if any, will be made by issuing an addendum. Every effort will be made to send addenda issued to the parties known to have been furnished a complete copy of the RFP. It is the responsibility of each respondent, prior to submitting the Proposals, to contact IDEA to determine if addenda were issued and, if so, to obtain such addenda for attachment to the Proposals.

The first order of 8 (eight) A/C equipped New or Semi-New Type "C" 71+ passenger school buses, and 2 (two) A/C equipped New or Semi-New Type "B" 23+ Passenger Special Education school buses Identified in "Attachment I-First Order Price Sheet" and the Deadline for vehicle delivery is July 1, 2024.

Please contact <u>solicitations@ideapublicschools.org</u> to submit questions or comments concerning this solicitation, or to determine if addenda were issued and, if so, to obtain applicable addenda. The e-mail subject line should read: **Questions - #7-BTV-0224 Ohio.** 

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# **PART I – GENERAL INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS**

### Scope of Services

**IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc.** is seeking Proposals from Respondents qualified and experienced in providing buses that meet <u>Ohio Administrative Code Rule 4501-5-02 School bus construction</u> <u>standards</u> in quality and safety for public schools. Vehicles requested will be primarily **Type A SPED, Type B SPED, and Type C (seating capacity 71 + passengers).** 

Qualified Respondent(s) will be placed on a list of qualified vendors available for campus/departmental use. Respondents should be able to meet and uphold the following standards and requirements as specified in this RFP.

- a) Vendor shall ensure buses quoted and delivered meet the basic requirements as specified in **Attachment G**.
- b) Camera systems must come with each bus Attachment G lists the basic requirements for buses to be quoted and delivered.
- c) <u>The factory name and location shall be submitted with the bid.</u> Any installation of equipment that is not to be performed at the vendor site/location shall be listed with location and vendor performing installation.
- d) The district intends to purchase the types and quantities of buses listed in this RFP. When official order is made, the actual number purchased of any size bus may be adjusted up or down according to the district's needs and funding.
- e) All engines shall have the most current EPA Emissions Standards at the time of bid for the buses.
- f) Periodic inspections by IDEA staff may be made to ensure the buses are in accordance with Federal, State, and IDEA standards and good manufacturing principles. The district will incur the costs of the inspections and may bring in outside inspectors such as Certified Welding Inspectors and Mechanics. There shall be one inspection of each bus prior to full delivery of all buses. IDEA shall inspect these buses at the vendor location. This is to help ensure a faster delivery and fewer problems with buses meeting IDEA specifications.
- g) Vehicles bid shall meet all FMVSS requirements and current Ohio requirements for school buses as published.
- h) The vendor shall supply one spare rim for each bus purchased.
- i) Floor diagrams must be included in the submittals.
- j) IDEA Public Schools shall have the right to perform warranty repairs at their location and be reimbursed at full vendor's rate for approved equal parts and labor. **Proposer shall state their reimbursement labor rate per hour in their response.**
- k) General warranties are to include but will not be limited to:

- a. Warranty shall be 3-Year/50,000 miles (starting form delivery date) of power train to include all internal engine parts, fuel system, computer software, hardware, programming, emissions controls/hardware and engine-driven accessories (excluding Air-Conditioning compressors), transmission, drive-line components, front & rear axle components (except consumable brake parts).
- b. Starter and alternator shall have a 1-year warranty.
- c. <u>Vehicle warranty information must be included in Request for Proposal</u> <u>submission.</u>
- The vendor must submit a contingency plan if vehicles cannot be delivered by the requested date of the RFP. An uncontrollable, unforeseen, out-of-normal operations event, such as an Act of God, would constitute a contingency plan.
- m) Respondents must also complete the Vendor Questionnaire in Attachment H of this RFP.

# First Quote Request

# All vehicles must be received by July 1, 2024 (please provide pricing in "Attachment I"

IDEA is requesting the following buses for **Ohio**:

- Quantity of 8 (eight) A/C equipped New or Semi-New Type "C" 71+ passenger school buses
- Quantity of 2 (two) A/C equipped New or Semi-New Type "B" 23+ passenger Special Education bus
- All buses under contract shall not be more than five (5) years old and shall not have more than fifty-five thousand (55,000) odometer miles upon arrival to their final destination in Cincinnati, Ohio or their respective region.
- □ The age of the vehicles will be determined as of August 1, 2023.
- Buses must be received by July 1, 2024.
- □ New or semi-new buses will be considered for **Ohio**.

<u>Please note that vehicle warranty information, floor diagrams, total cost to include delivery (if applicable), factory name and location, and delivery date must be submitted with each qualification.</u> <u>Respondents must also complete the **Vendor Questionnaire** in **Attachment H** of this RFP.</u>

## **Proposal Submission Requirements**

Proposals should be prepared in such a way as to demonstrate a straightforward, concise delineation of capabilities that satisfy the requirements of the RFP. Emphasis should be concentrated on the vendor's ability to ensure IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc.'s compliance when conducting any special education instructional and/or related services.

To be considered, the Proposals must be prepared according to the following specifications:

a. Proposals should include the following information and content.

- I. Cover Letter
- II. Table of Contents
- III. Respondent(s)/Individual Profile
- IV. Vehicle warranty information & floor diagrams
- V. Price sheet & deliver date
- VI. References
- VII. Vendor Questionnaire
- VIII. Required Forms
- b. Proposals shall be submitted via mail to IDEA Public Schools Headquarters in C/O IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc., Attn: Purchasing Department, 2115 W Pike Blvd, Weslaco, TX 78596 or via <u>Public Purchase</u>.
- c. To be eligible for consideration Proposals should be received by mail to the IDEA Public Schools in Care of IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc.
- d. Headquarters no later than **2:00 PM CST on January 29, 2024,** along with the requisite signature pages and completed certification forms.

All Proposals <u>must</u> be received by the deadline. Proposals submitted after the opening time and date will <u>not</u> be accepted. Faxed or emailed Proposals will <u>not</u> be accepted.

- e. **Proposals Guarantee:** Proposals shall be honored for 120 days after due date or until an agreement is entered.
- f. All supplemental information required by the RFP must be included with the Proposals. Failure to provide complete and accurate information may disqualify the respondent from consideration.
- g. All costs incurred in the preparation and submission of the RFP response shall be borne solely by the Respondent. Where Respondents may be required to perform a presentation, give demonstrations, and provide samples and/or technical literature, or participate in any interview process as related to this RFP, all costs shall be borne by the Respondent.
- h. Any Proposals submitted in response to this RFP will be irrevocable upon the closing time and remain open for acceptance for 120 days from the closing date whether or not another RFP has been accepted.
- i. Submission of a Proposals shall be construed to mean that the Respondent agrees to carry out all conditions set forth in this document. Any proposed variation from the specifications, terms, and conditions shall be clearly identified. Please provide details of any noncompliance with stated conditions. If no changes are indicated, IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. shall expect to receive the service(s) exactly as specified.

- j. IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. reserves the right to select any offer it determines provides the best value, regardless of price.
- k. IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. may accept multiple offers for the same services. There may not be exclusivity with any selected Respondent.

RFP Issue Date:	January 10, 2024
Respondent Question Cut-Off Date:	January 15, 2024, at 2:00 PM (CST)
Addendum Issue Date:	January 23, 2024
Proposals Due Date & Time:	January 29, 2024, at 2:00 PM (CST)
Evaluation Period:	February 1 – February 6, 2024
Board Meeting:	February 23, 2024

# I. <u>Request For Proposal Tentative Timeline</u>

# **Required Forms (Certifications and Representations)**

Respondent shall execute the stated required forms included with this Request for Proposal.

# **RFP Clarification**

Questions regarding the requirements specified in this RFP must be submitted via email to the **IDEA Public Schools Solicitations Division at <u>solicitations@ideapublicschools.org</u> no later than January 15, <b>2024, at 2:00 PM CST**. The email subject line should read: Questions- **RFP 7-BTV-0224 Ohio**. Questions submitted by Respondents by the submission deadline and answers prepared by IDEA, along with any errata or addenda to this RFP, if applicable, will be posted on the IDEA website at: <u>https://ideapublicschools.org/our-story/finance-budget/pcs/bids-rfps/</u> and on <u>Public Purchase</u>. IDEA will not answer questions verbally and any informal oral answers provided by IDEA or its agents shall not be binding. No modification or amendment to this RFP shall be valid unless it is set forth in writing, via a signed addendum or amendment from IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc.

## **Proposer Responsibility**

IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. expects Respondents to be thoroughly familiar with all requirements of this RFP. Respondent's failure or omission to examine any relevant form, article, site, or document will not relieve Respondent from any obligation regarding this RFP. By submitting a Proposals, Respondent is presumed to concur with all terms, conditions, and specifications of this RFP. Any exception must be clearly defined and referenced to the proper paragraph in this RFP. Objections considered by IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. as excessive or affecting vital terms may reduce or eliminate respondent's prospects for award.

### **Completeness**

Proposals will represent a true and correct statement and shall contain no cause for claim of omission or error. Request for withdrawal of a Proposals is allowed based on proof of mechanical error; however, Respondent may be removed from approved Respondent list.

### False/Misleading Statements

Proposals which contain false or misleading statements, or which provide references which do not support an attribute or capability of the proposed system or service, may be rejected. If, in the opinion of IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc., such information was intended to mislead IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. in its evaluation of the Proposals and the attribute, condition, or capability as a requirement of the RFP, the Proposals shall be rejected.

### Proposals Signatures

The Proposals must be signed by an individual with proper authority to obligate the Respondent. The signature should indicate the title or position that the individual holds in the partner (if applicable).

### Selection of Respondent (s)

IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. may award this RFP to multiple Respondents or to the Respondent IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. determines, in its sole discretion, provides the best value to IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc., based upon the evaluation of Proposals. Thus, the result will be determined by the applicable criteria as listed under Evaluation Criteria referenced in this RFP. Once the Proposals is received the qualifications will be evaluated by IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. and then interviews will be conducted with selected respondents.

### Administrative Procedure for Bidder Complaints

Members of the public having complaints regarding the IDEA's purchasing procedures or operations may present their complaints or concerns to IDEA by writing to the following address:

IDEA Public Schools Headquarters in C/O IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. Attn: Director of Procurement 2115 West Pike Blvd Weslaco, TX 78596 956-377-8000

## **PART II – PROPOSALS RESPONSE**

Proposals may be submitted using the <u>Public Purchase</u> or by sending a hard copy to:

# IDEA Public Schools Headquarters in C/O IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc.

Attn. Purchasing Department 2115 West Pike Blvd Weslaco, TX 78596

Proposals must be in a sealed envelope <u>marked with the RFP Number and Title (#7-BTV-0224 Ohio)</u> and include:

- 1. One (1) clearly identified hard copy ORIGINAL of the Proposals response.
- 2. One (1) copies of the Proposals on FLASH DRIVE, marked with the Respondent's name.

# Note: Submissions via fax or email will not be accepted.

The respondent's Proposals itself shall be organized as identified in *Part One (1), Proposals Submission Requirements*.

# PART III – REFERENCES

The Proposer shall submit a <u>minimum of three (3) verifiable references</u>. It is desired that if the Proposer has performed this type of service(s) previously, those references be listed. It is recommended that the Proposer provide references that are similar or as closely related to this unique agreement, if possible. Each reference provided shall include:

- Reference's Name
- Contact Person
- Address, City, State, and Zip
- Contact Person Phone Number
- Brief Project Scope and Time Frame

\*Enter references in Attachment E

# **PART IV – REQUIREMENTS**

## A. **PROPOSALS OPENING**

Proposals Opening is scheduled for January 29, 2024, at 2:00 PM (CST). A formal "opening" will not be held. Trade secrets and confidential information contained in Proposals shall not generally be open for public inspection, but IDEA Greater Cincinnati's records are a matter of public record.

### B. WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO RESPOND

Respondents who can meet the requirements for quality and other terms of this RFP package, and who are not debarred and/or suspended from conducting business with IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. , federal and state-funded agencies are invited to respond. A prospective respondent, by submitting a Proposals, represents to IDEA Greater Cincinnati, inc. that it meets the following requirements:

- > Possess or is able to obtain adequate financial resources as required to perform under this RFP
- > Is able to comply with the required scope of the RFP
- > Have a satisfactory record of integrity to ethics
- > Be otherwise qualified and eligible to receive an award
- > Be in service standing with the applicable national or state associations

# **PART V – EVALUATION**

IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. will evaluate each Respondent's Proposals(s) in the areas listed in this solicitation. The committee evaluating the Proposals submitted in response to this RFP may conduct interviews in order to allow Respondents to clarify or elaborate on their Proposals. Upon completion of interviews or discussions, Respondents may be requested to revise any or all portions of their Proposals.

35 Points	Total Cost
25 Points	Vendor's ability to deliver buses by the designated deadline specified within this RFP
15 Point	Vendor's ability to provide quality buses that meet the required specifications as outlined in this RFP
15 Points	Vendor's ability to provide excellent customer service including resolving issues with goods delivered and repairs
10 Points	Vendor's reputation as verified with three (3) verifiable references
100 Points	Total Possible Score

# **PART VI – REQUIRED ATTACHMENTS**

The attachments listed below are required and should be included with the Proposals, along with any other forms included in this RFP. <u>All forms requiring signature must be signed as indicated.</u>

- 1. Attachment A Title Page
- 2. Attachment B Respondent Certification

- 3. Attachment C Certification Regarding Lobbying
- 4. Attachment D Debarment or Suspension Certification
- 5. Attachment E References
- 6. Attachment F Proof of Insurance or Bonding
- 7. Attachment G Delivery Locations
- 8. Attachment H First Order Vendor Questionnaire
- 9. Attachment I First Order Price Sheet (needed by July 1, 2024)
- 10. Attachment J Camera Specifications
- 11. Attachment K General Price Sheet

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### Attachment A – Title Page

A Proposals Submitted in Response to:

IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc.

Request for Proposals

## #7-BTV-0224 Transportation Vehicle Vendors

Submitted By:

(Full Legal Name of Respondent)

On:

(Date of Submission)

### Attachment B – Respondent Certification

I, the undersigned, submit this Proposals and have read the specifications, which are a part of this RFP. My signature also certifies that I am authorized to submit this Proposals, sign as a representative for Vendor, and carry out services solicited in this RFP.

Signature of Authorized Agent:
Printed Name and Title of Agent:
Respondent Name:
Tespondent Hume.
Address:
Telephone Number:
Fax Number:
Contact Person:
Email Address (if applicable):
Web Site Address (if applicable):

#### Attachment C – Certification Regarding Lobbying

Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction and is imposed by section 1352, Title 31, U.S. Code. This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Any person who fails to file the required certifications shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

The undersigned certifies, to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, that:

No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an office or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, or an officer or employee of Congress, an employee of a Member of Congress, or any Board Member, officer, or employee of IDEA Greater Cincinnati, inc. connection with the awarding of Federal contract, the making of a Federal Loan, the entering into a cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of a Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, an employee of a Member of Congress, or any Board Member, officer, or employee of IDEA in connection with this Federal grant or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form –LLL, "Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying", in accordance with its instructions.

The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the awarded documents for all covered sub-awards exceeding \$100,000 in Federal funds at all appropriate tiers and that all subrecipients shall certify and disclose accordingly.

Respondent Name

Signature of Authorized Respondent

Date

Printed Name and Title of Authorized Representative

### Attachment D – Debarment or Suspension Certificate

IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. is prohibited from contracting with or making sub-awards under covered transaction to parties that are suspended or debarred or whose owners/members/principals and certain employees are suspended or debarred. Respondent must certify that it and its owners/members/principals are not suspended or debarred under federal law and rule.

By submitting signing contract and this certificate, Respondent certifies that no suspension or debarment is in place, which would otherwise preclude Respondent or its Owner/Members/Principals or employees from receiving a federally funded contract under applicable federal regulations and federal OMB Circulars.

Respondent Name

Signature of Authorized Representative

Date

Printed Name and Title of Authorized Representative

### **Attachment E – Reference Sheet**

Please list a <u>minimum of three (3) references</u> of agencies (governments, chartered nonpublic schools, community schools or school districts) that have used your products. We would prefer some of the references to be new customers in the last year, and Ohio agencies are preferred:

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STREET ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	Z
CONTACT PERSON		TELEPHONE NUMBER	
PRODUCTS/SERVICES USED			
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# Attachment F – Proof of Insurance or Bonding

<u>Please provide proof of insurance or bonding for each individual state included in this RFP as applicable.</u> IDEA Greater Cincinnati, Inc. requires the minimum insurance coverage & limits as stated below:

MINIMUM INSURANCE COVERAGE & LIMITS FOR VENDORS AND PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDERS							
Type of Contractor	Required Coverage	Required Coverage Limits	Other				
Vendor General Insurance Requirements	Commercial General Liability	Each Occurrence: \$1,000,000 General Aggregate: \$2,000,000 Personal and Advertising Injury: \$500,000	Additional Insured Endorsement				
	Automobile Liability Including: Owned Vehicles Non-Owned Vehicles Hired Vehicles (Required for vehicles driven on school property)	Combined Single Limit: \$1,000,000					
	Workers' Compensation* Employers' Liability	Limit: State- Statutory Each Occurrence \$500,000	Waiver of Subrogation Endorsement				

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Attachment G lists the delivery location(s) and basic requirements for transportation vehicles and the <u>First</u> <u>Order Price Sheet- Attachment I</u> for new or semi-new Type "C" 72 to 78 passenger school buses and new or semi-new Type "B" 10 to 12-passenger special education school buses.

## \*PLEASE NOTE THAT IDEA GREATER CINCINNATI, INC. WOULD LIKE TO LEAVE DELIVERY AS AN <u>OPTION</u> and will be considered based on pricing\*

Region	Campus	Address	Delivery Date
Ohio	Price Hill	2700 Glenway Ave.	July 1, 2024
		Cincinnati, OH 45204	

#### **Delivery Locations**

### Attachment H – First Order Vendor Questionnaire

#### All questions <u>must</u> be answered with the submission of proposals.

- 1. Is your company part of a cooperative contract? If so, please advise on the name of the cooperative, contract number, and expiration date of contract.
- 2. For the first order, can your company meet the required delivery date of July 1, 2024? If not, please explain.

- 3. Has your company ever failed to meet a delivery deadline? If yes, please explain.
- 4. For the first order, what are some possible reasons that may arise that may **prevent** your company from meeting the delivery deadline of July 1, 2024, for all vehicles specified in this RFP? What is the contingency plan(s) if the delivery deadline of July 1, 2024, **cannot** be met?

### Attachment I – First Order Price Sheet

All school buses operated in **Ohio** must meet federal standards and <u>Ohio Administrative Code Rule</u> <u>4501-5-02 School bus construction standards.</u> School buses must comply with the standards that are in effect as of the date of manufacture. The most recent set of standards were adopted on January 1, 2019. 30, 20 and any newer updates can be located at <u>https://codes.ohio.gov/ohio-</u> <u>administrative-code/rule-4501-5-02</u>.

## ALL BUSES MUST BE RECEIVED BY JULY 1, 2024.

## \*PLEASE NOTE THAT IDEA GREATER CINCINNATI, INC. WOULD LIKE TO LEAVE DELIVERY AS AN <u>OPTION</u> and will be considered based on pricing\*

Bus Type	Description	escription QTY Reviewed I Specs		Lead Time	Unit Price (\$ USD –	Total Cost	
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	71+ Passenger	8					
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<ul> <li>Buses should have a 24+3 seating arrangement or closest accommodation.</li> </ul>							
• All engines shall have the most current EPA Emissions Standards at the time of bid							
for the buses.							
• The	<ul> <li>The vendor shall supply one spare rim for each bus purchased.</li> </ul>						
General warranties are to include but will not be limited to:							
• Warranty shall be 3-Year/50,000 miles (starting from delivery date) of power train							
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- Air-Conditioning compressors), transmission, drive-line components, front & rear axle components (except consumable
- brake parts).
- Starter and alternator shall have a 1-year warranty.
- Seat belt assemblies shall conform to FMVSS No. 209, Seat Belt Assemblies.
- Deadline for vehicle delivery is July 1, 2024

# Indicate "NO BID" for items you would not like to quote

TOTAL COST Delivery/Shipping	\$				
TOTAL COST	\$				
Warranty shall be included in the unit price of each Bus Specified.					
Floor diagrams must be included in the submittals.					

## \*PLEASE NOTE THAT IDEA GREATER CINCINNATI, INC WOULD LIKE TO LEAVE DELIVERY AS AN <u>OPTION</u> and will be considered based on pricing\*

### **Attachment J- Camera Specifications**

Cameras and other monitoring devices may be installed inside the bus as long as they do not intrude into the head impact zone. For "Type C and D" buses, cameras may be installed in the ceiling as long as they are above the window ling. Cameras mounted on the sidewall cannot protrude more than three inches. All camera mounting shall meet FMVSS 571.222.

## Attachment K– General Price Sheet

All school buses operated in **Ohio** must meet federal standards and <u>Ohio Administrative Code Rule</u> <u>4501-5-02 School bus construction standards.</u> School buses must comply with the standards that are in effect as of the date of manufacture. The most recent set of standards were adopted on January 1, 2019. 30, 20 and any newer updates can be located at <u>https://codes.ohio.gov/ohioadministrative-code/rule-4501-5-02</u>.

## \*PLEASE NOTE THAT IDEA GREATER CINCINNATI, INC WOULD LIKE TO LEAVE DELIVERY AS AN <u>OPTION</u> and will be considered based on pricing\*

Bus Type	Description	QTY	Reviewed Specs	Lead Time	Unit Price (\$ USD – Each)	Delivery /Shipping Cost
Type "C" 71+ Passenger School Buses		1				
Camera systems must come with each bus - Specs are provided at the end of the document						

- All engines shall have the most current EPA Emissions Standards at the time of bid for the buses.
- The vendor shall supply one spare rim for each bus purchased.
- General warranties are to include but will not be limited to:
- Warranty shall be 3-Year/50,000 miles (starting from delivery date) of power train to include all internal engine parts, fuel system,
- computer software, hardware, programming, emissions controls/hardware, and engine-driven accessories (excluding Air-
- Conditioning compressors), transmission, drive-line components, front & rear axle components (except consumable brake
- parts).
- The starter and alternator shall have a 1-year warranty.
- Seat belt assemblies shall conform to FMVSS No. 209, Seat Belt Assemblies.

Bus Type	Description	QTY	Reviewed Specs	Lead Time	Unit Price (\$ USD – Each)
Type "B" 23+ Passenger Special Education Buses	1				

- Camera systems must come with each bus Specs are provided at the end of the document
- Buses should have a 24+3 seating arrangement or closest accommodation.
- All engines shall have the most current EPA Emissions Standards at the time of bid for the buses.
- The vendor shall supply one spare rim for each bus purchased.
- General warranties are to include but will not be limited to:
- Warranty shall be 3-Year/50,000 miles (starting from delivery date) of power train to include all internal engine parts, fuel system,
- computer software, hardware, programming, emissions controls/hardware, and engine-driven accessories (excluding

- Air-Conditioning compressors), transmission, drive-line components, front & rear axle components (except consumable
- brake parts).
- Starter and alternator shall have a 1-year warranty.
- Seat belt assemblies shall conform to FMVSS No. 209, Seat Belt Assemblies.

Bus Type	Description	QTY	Reviewed Specs	Lead Time	Unit Price (\$ USD - Each)
Special Education Vans OR Type "A" buses with 10-12 passenger seats	1				
(please specify if you are quoting the vans OR the Type "A" buses)					

# Indicate "NO BID" for items you would not like to quote.

Warranty shall be included in the unit price of each Vehicle specified. Floor diagrams must be included in the submittals.

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