

Questions Received for RFP 200219 - thru 01/22/2020

BUDGET

- Q. Our firm noticed this RFP on the APA website, and we would like to know if the <u>maximum</u> approximate budget for this plan update is available for public knowledge.
- Q. We recently saw this RFP and I am writing with a question What is the approximate budget amount expected to be available for this project?

A. JEDCO allocated funds for plan development in our 2020 budget. However, we have some flexibility with this amount should the winning proposal be higher than what is currently allocated. We are not disclosing specifics at this time.

REQUIRED AFFIDAVITS

Q. I did not find Affidavits included as Addendum II to the RFP for Five Year Update to Jefferson EDGE Economic Development Strategic Plan. Could those Affidavits be made available on JEDCO's website? Could you tell me if the notarized affidavits must be original (raised seal) for any subconsultants we will use?

A. The RFP on JEDCO's website has been updated to include the required affidavits within Adden dum II. Any affidavit submitted (whether for prime consultant or subconsultant) must be the ori ginal, signed and notarized affidavits.

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS - COST PROPOSAL

Q. Should the documentation provided within the envelope also include a statement of category rates by position/person assigned to the project for the prime and subconsultant?

A. Within the RFP, a statement of hourly rate by position/person assigned to the project is not required. However, the Cost Proposal should break down the scope of work into tasks, estimate the direct labor hours per task, and identify the total cost by task as well as a final total for all services.

Questions Received for RFP 200219 – thru 01/28/2020 SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS – PROPOSER

Q. Will the Parish look at vendors for individual components or are you looking for one vendor? A. JEDCO is seeking to enter into contract with a single firm who must detail a plan of work that it believes will best accomplish the desired comprehensive economic development strategic plan. The proposer may engage the services of one or more subcontractors to meet the goals, objective and strategies for the deliverables. Subcontractors used by the proposer must be identified within the proposal.



Q. If the County is looking for a single vendor, are you able to provide me with information on the registered bidders so I may contact them directly about subcontracting?

A. No, as firms were not required to register or pre-qualify.