



INVITATION TO BID

Arlington Public Schools Procurement Office

June 24, 2019

Information Item No. 1

ITB No.: 19FY19
Title: Provision of Pest Control Services
Due Date: Wednesday, July 10, 2019, prior to 12:30 PM, Local Prevailing Time

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Question: Would it be possible to partner with a Landscaping Company to Bid on Part C, Right of Way Manintenance?

Answer: No. Section 4.6 of the Scope of Services does not permit Subcontractors.

Question: Who is your current Pest Provider?

Answer: All American Pest Control Inc.

Question: Can you provide us with a copy of the last bid tabulation sheet or supply us with current pricing?

Answer: Yes. Attachment 1 contains the Bid Tab from the last Bid.

Question:What is the total amount paid for pest control in the last 12 months. ?

Answer: In FY18 APS spent \$48,385.00 under the current Contract. Purchase Orders issued during FY19 total \$56,880.00 which includes the scheduled inspections for June.

Question: Are bed bugs included in this bid?

Answer: Yes. Per Section 1.5.9.5 of the ITB, Ant, Bed Bug or Termite treatment will be performed only at the request of Plant Operations Staff. This action will be authorized through a separate Purchase Order at the Contractor hourly rates for Part A. Materials for this service will be reimbursed at the Contractors actual invoiced cost.

Question: Of the total paid, how much was for bed bug treatment?

Answer: Inspecting for bed bugs is included in the monthly inspection cost. APS had no bed bug issues so no money was spent on treatments.

Question: Of the total paid, how much was for termite treatment?

Answer: Inspecting for termites is included in the monthly inspection cost. APS had no termite issues so no money was spent on treatments.

Question: How many exterior bait stations are currently on site?

Answer: Approximately seventy-five (75) at five (5) locations.

Question: Do you own the exterior bait stations or will the awarded vendor need to replace them?

Answer: APS owns the bait stations currently on site. If the number of sites is expanded, a separate Purchase Order will be issued to the awarded Contractor to cover the material cost.

Question: Has APS had any issues with invasive plants?

Answer: Yes. APS typically deals with poison ivy and bamboo.

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