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### RFP NO. 2023-134

# REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR CASE MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE FOR SHERIFF'S OFFICE INTERNAL AFFAIRS DIVISION

## PROPOSALS DUE JUNE 1, 2023 2:00 P.M. CST

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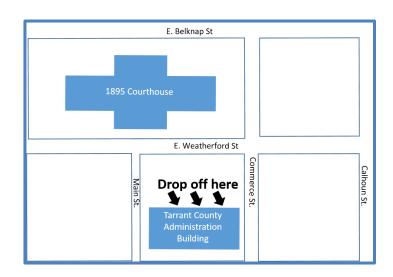
# TARRANT COUNTY SEALED BID/PROPOSAL/RESPONSE

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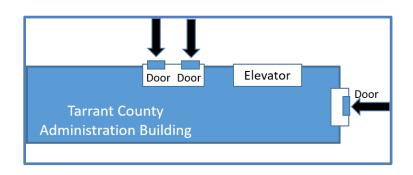
Due Date: JUNE 1, 2023 at 2:00 PM. CST

Tarrant County Administration Building
ATTN: Purchasing Department
100 E. Weatherford St., Third Floor, Suite 303
Fort Worth, Texas 76196-0104



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#### PRE-PROPOSAL CONFERENCE

All Respondents are encouraged to attend the Pre-Proposal Conference:

#### A Pre-Proposal GoToMeeting Video Conference will be held:

THURSDAY, MAY 4, 2023 AT 2:00 P.M., CST

RSVP: Vendors planning to attend the Pre-Proposal GoToMeeting Video Conference must RSVP to Brad Richards, Senior Buyer, via fax 817-884-2629 or, if unable to fax, email to <a href="mailto:BidQuestions-RSVP@tarrantcountytx.gov">BidQuestions-RSVP@tarrantcountytx.gov</a> by 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, May 3, 2023. Confirmed receipt by Tarrant County of this email is required.

A RSVP must be completed by each company representative wishing to participate in the GoToMeeting and an email address must be provided for each.

After the RSVP deadline, a GoToMeeting invitation will be sent to participants.

Questions from Respondents will be addressed at the pre-proposal conference. Any vendor who submits a proposal without attending the scheduled pre-proposal conference does so at his own risk. Such Respondent who submits a proposal and does not attend the scheduled pre-proposal conference waives any right to assert claims due to undiscovered conditions.

Tarrant County is soliciting proposals for its **ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR CASE MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE FOR SHERIFF'S OFFICE INTERNAL AFFAIRS DIVISION.** 

#### Original and Five (5) Copies

COMPLETED PROPOSALS

MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE

TARRANT COUNTY PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
AT 100 E. WEATHERFORD, SUITE 303

FORT WORTH, TEXAS 76196-0104

ON OR BEFORE JUNE 1, 2023 AT 2:00 P.M. CST

All proposals are due in the Tarrant County Purchasing Department by the due date in sealed envelopes or boxes. All proposals must be clearly marked with the Proposal Number, the name of the company submitting the proposal package, and date and time of opening on the outside of the envelope/box and/or Air Bill/Delivery Receipt. The original proposal must be clearly marked "ORIGINAL" and contain all original signatures. "No-Bid" response to be returned on the form included in the section under Forms.

Any proposal received after the date and hour set for Proposal opening will not be accepted. The Respondent will be notified and will advise Tarrant County Purchasing as to the disposition by either pick up, return at Respondent's expense, or destroyed with written authorization of the Respondent. If Proposals are sent by mail to the Tarrant County Purchasing Department, the Respondent shall be responsible for actual delivery of the Proposal package to the Tarrant County Purchasing Department before the date and hour set for Proposal opening. If mail is delayed either in the postal service or in the internal mail system of Tarrant County beyond the date and hour set for the Proposal opening, proposals thus delayed will not be considered and will be disposed of as authorized.

Proposals may be withdrawn at any time prior to the official opening. Alterations made before opening time must be initialed by Respondent guaranteeing authenticity. After the official opening, Proposals become the property of Tarrant County and may not be amended, altered or withdrawn without the recommendations of the Tarrant County Purchasing Agent and the approval of Tarrant County Commissioners Court.

Tarrant County is exempt from Federal Excise and State Sales Tax; therefore, tax must not be included in this proposal. Tarrant County is not exempt from Surplus Lines Tax or Texas Stamping Tax.

Tarrant County reserves the right to accept or reject in part or in whole any proposals submitted and to waive any technicalities for the best interest of Tarrant County.

No oral explanation or instructions will be given by Tarrant County officials or employees in regard to the meaning of the proposal specifications before the award of the contract unless authorized by the Tarrant County Purchasing Agent or their designee. Requests from interested bidders for additional information or interpretation of the information included in the specifications should be directed in writing, via fax or via email, to:

**BRAD RICHARDS, SENIOR BUYER** 

Fax: 817-884-2629 Email: <u>BidQuestions-RSVP@tarrantcountytx.gov</u>

All documents relating to this proposal including but not limited to, the proposal document, questions and their responses, addenda and special notices will be posted under the proposal number on the Tarrant County website and available for download by interested parties. No documents will be faxed or emailed after the initial Notice of Intent prior to award. <u>It is the Respondent's sole responsibility to review this site and retrieve all related documents prior to the Proposal due date</u>.

The deadline for receipt of all questions is 12:00 p.m., CST, Friday, May 5, 2023. After this deadline, all questions and responses will be posted on the website and available for download by interested parties.

All questions **must** be submitted in writing and directed to Brad Richards, Senior Buyer, via fax at **817-884-2629** or, if unable to fax, emailed to:

#### BidQuestions-RSVP@tarrantcountytx.gov

**Faxed Questions:** Faxed questions **must** reflect the RFP number **or** include the RFP cover page.

**Emailed Questions**: The email **must** include the RFP No. in its subject and confirmation of receipt by Tarrant County is **required**.

All Proposal Response Forms and questionnaires must be fully completed and included in your response. Detailed specifications have been provided, and any deviations or exceptions must be referenced on the designated response forms that have been provided. Unless deviations are specifically stated herein, benefits will be provided according to the specifications at no additional charge.

The Proposal is issued in compliance with the County Purchasing Act, Section 262.030. Negotiations may be conducted with responsible Respondent(s) who submit Proposals determined to be reasonably susceptible of being selected for award.

It is the Respondent's sole responsibility to print and review all pages of the Proposal document, attachments, questions and responses, addenda and special notices. The Signature Form must be signed and returned. Failure to provide a signature on this form renders the Proposal non-responsive. Failure to complete and submit all required forms, including but not limited to References, Compliance with Federal and State Laws Form, Questionnaires (when applicable), Addenda (including revised forms), and any other specified forms or documents will be grounds for rejection of entire Proposal.

<u>CONFIDENTIALITY</u>: Any material that is to be considered confidential in nature must be clearly marked as such and may be treated as confidential to the extent allowable in the Texas Public Information Act. <u>Pricing information is not considered confidential</u>. Trade secrets or confidential information <u>MUST</u> be placed in a separate envelope marked "<u>CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION</u>" and <u>EACH PAGE</u> must be marked "<u>CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION</u>." Tarrant County will make every effort to protect these papers from public disclosure as outlined in Texas Local Government Code, Section 262.030(c).

The Texas Public Information Act gives the public the right to request access to government information, subject to certain narrow exceptions. Tarrant County is an entity subject to this Act. Therefore, please be advised that your company's declaration that certain information submitted in response to a Proposal is "confidential" will not be treated as such if Tarrant County receives a request for a copy of the Proposal. Tarrant County will, of course, make every effort to inform your company of such a request and to provide you with an opportunity to object to the release of any proprietary information per the procedure outlined in Texas Government Code Section 552.305. Notice to your company under Section 552.305 may be sent via either certified mail or e-mail using the contact information provided by you on the signature form. Please be advised that Tarrant County cannot and will not make an agreement to withhold information from the public contrary to Tarrant County's responsibilities under the Act.

Additionally, to the extent your proposal is incorporated into the contract, the proposal will become an official record available for public inspection.

Proposals shall be opened to avoid disclosure of contents to competing Respondents and kept secret during the process of negotiation. All Proposals that have been submitted shall be open for public inspection after the contract is awarded, except for trade secrets and confidential information contained in the proposals and identified as such.

All proposals shall specify terms and conditions of payment, which will be considered as part of, but not control, the award of the proposal. Tarrant County review, inspection, and processing procedures ordinarily require thirty (30) days after receipt of invoice, materials, or service. Proposals which call for payment before thirty (30) days from receipt of invoice, or cash discounts given on such payment, will be considered only if, in the opinion of the Tarrant County Purchasing Agent, the review, inspection, and processing procedures can be completed as specified.

<u>Invoices</u> shall be sent directly to the Tarrant County Auditor's Office, Attention: Accounts Payable, 100 East Weatherford, Room 506, Fort Worth, Texas 76196, or email to <u>SAP-invoices@tarrantcountytx.gov</u>. In accordance with the Prompt Payment Act, it is the intention of Tarrant County to make payment on completed orders within thirty (30) days after receipt of invoice or items; whichever is later, unless unusual circumstances arise. **Invoices** must be fully documented as to labor, materials, and equipment provided and must reference the Tarrant County Purchase Order Number in order to be processed. No payments shall be made on invoices not listing a Purchase Order Number.

<u>Continuing non-performance</u> of the Vendor in terms of specifications shall be a basis for the termination of the contract by Tarrant County. Tarrant County shall not pay for work, equipment, or supplies which are unsatisfactory. The Vendor will be given a reasonable opportunity before termination to correct deficiencies. This, however, shall in no way be construed as negating the basis for termination for nonperformance.

The <u>contract may be terminated</u> by either party upon written thirty (30) day notice prior to cancellation.

Proposals will be considered non-responsive if they show any omissions, alteration of form, additions or conditions not called for, or inconsistency of any kind. However, Tarrant County reserves the right to waive any inconsistencies and to make an award in the best interest of Tarrant County.

Proposals may be deemed non-responsive, among other reasons, for any of the following specific reasons:

- 1. Proposals containing any inconsistencies.
- 2. Unbalanced value of any items.

Respondents may be disqualified and their proposals not considered, among other reasons, for any of the following specific reasons:

- 1. Reason for believing collusion exists among the Respondents.
- 2. Reasonable grounds for believing that any Respondent is interested in more than one proposal for the work contemplated.
- 3. The Respondent being interested in any litigation against Tarrant County.
- 4. The Respondent being in arrears on any existing contract or having defaulted on a previous contract.
- 5. Lack of competency as revealed by a financial statement, experience and equipment, questionnaires, etc.
- 6. Uncompleted work that in the judgment of Tarrant County will prevent or hinder the prompt completion of additional work, if awarded.
- 7. Respondents shall not owe delinquent property tax in Tarrant County.
- 8. Respondent's past performance record with Tarrant County.
- 9. Limited competition.

Due care and diligence have been used in the preparation of this information, and it is believed to be substantially correct. However, the responsibility for determining the full extent of the exposure and the verification of all information presented herein shall rest solely with the Respondent. Tarrant County and its representatives will not be responsible for any errors or omissions in these specifications, nor for the failure on the part of the Respondent to determine the full extent of the exposures.

The successful Vendor may not assign their rights and duties under an award without the written consent of the Tarrant County Purchasing Agent. Such consent shall not relieve the assignor of liability in the event of default by the assignee.

Audit Clause: The Vendor must agree that Tarrant County will, until the expiration of twelve (12) months after final payment under this agreement, have access to and the right to examine at reasonable times any directly pertinent books, documents, papers and records (hard copy, as well as computer generated data) of the Vendor involving transactions related to this solicitation. This right to audit also extends to any obligations assigned to any subcontracts or agreements formed between the Vendor and any subcontractors to the extent that those subcontracts or agreements relate to fulfillment of the Vendor's obligations to Tarrant County under this solicitation. The vendor must agree that Tarrant County will have access during normal working hours to all necessary facilities, staff and workspace in order to conduct audits. Tarrant County will provide the Vendor with reasonable advance notice of intended audits. The Vendor must provide records within ten (10) business days or a mutually agreed upon timeline.

TO THE EXTENT PERMITTED BY LAW, RESPONDENT AGREES TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD TARRANT COUNTY, ITS OFFICIALS, AGENTS, SERVANTS, AND EMPLOYEES, HARMLESS AGAINST ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, LAWSUITS, ACTIONS, COSTS AND EXPENSES OF ANY KIND, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THOSE FOR PROPERTY DAMAGE OR LOSS (INCLUDING ALLEGED DAMAGE OR LOSS TO OWNER'S BUSINESS AND ANY RESULTING LOST PROFITS), EMPLOYMENT MATTERS, AND/OR PERSONAL INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, THAT MAY RELATE TO OR ARISE OUT OF OR BE OCCASIONED BY (I) RESPONDENT'S BREACH OF ANY OF THE TERMS OF PROVISIONS OF THIS AGREEMENT OR (II) ANY NEGLIGENT ACT OR OMISSION OR INTENTIONAL MISCONDUCT OF RESPONDENT, ITS OFFICERS, AGENTS, ASSOCIATES, EMPLOYEES, CONTRACTORS OR SUBCONTRACTORS, RELATED TO THE PERFORMANCE OF THIS AGREEMENT.

THE SUCCESSFUL RESPONDENT(S) WILL COMPLY WITH ALL STATE, FEDERAL, AND LOCAL LAWS INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, TITLE VII OF THE CIVIL RIGHTS OF 1964, AGE DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT ACT, CIVIL RIGHTS ACT OF 1991, FEDERAL INSURANCE CONTRIBUTIONS ACT (FICA), FAIR LABOR STANDARDS ACT, EQUAL PAY ACT OF 1963 AND THE AFFORDABLE HEALTH CARE ACT, AS TO TREATMENT AND COMPENSATION OF ITS EMPLOYEES.

RESPONDENT(S) WILL PREPARE PAYROLL CHECKS, MAKE ALL NECESSARY DEDUCTIONS AND PAY ALL TAXES AND MAINTAIN INSURANCE REQUIRED BY FEDERAL, STATE, AND LOCAL LAWS. RESPONDENT ACCEPTS FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE PAYMENT OF WAGES, COMPENSATION, OVERTIME AND BENEFITS TO PERSONNEL. RESPONDENT ACCEPTS RESPONSIBILITY FOR PAYMENT OF ALL TAXES, ASSESSMENTS, FEES, AND FINES THAT MAY BE DUE AND OWING TO ANY LOCAL, STATE OR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES.

#### SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT

- 1. <u>CONTRACT TERMS</u>: Vendor(s) will be awarded a twelve (12) month contract, effective from date of award or notice to proceed as determined by Tarrant County Purchasing. At Tarrant County's option and approval by the Vendor, the contract may be renewed for two (2) additional twelve (12) month periods, as further explained in Renewal Options. **Prices must remain firm for the entire contract.**
- 2. RENEWAL OPTION: Tarrant County reserves the right to exercise an option to renew the contract of the Respondent for two (2) additional twelve (12) month periods, provided such option is stipulated in the Special Conditions and agreed upon by both parties. If Tarrant County exercises the right in writing, the Vendor must update and submit any documents required during the initial solicitation by no later than thirty (30) calendar days prior to the commencement of the option period. These required documents must be in force for the full period of the option. If the updated documents are not submitted by the Vendor in complete form within the time specified, Tarrant County may rescind its option and seek a new solicitation.

#### 3. MINIMUM INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS:

- A. Vendor shall take out, pay for and maintain at all times during the prosecution of the work under the contract, the following forms of insurance, in carriers acceptable to and approved by Tarrant County.
  - 1) Workers' Compensation/Employer's Liability
    - a. Worker's Compensation statutory
    - b. Employer's Liability \$500,000
  - 2) Commercial General Liability:
    - a. Bodily Injury/Personal Injury/Property Damage
      - \$1,000,000 per occurrence/\$2,000,000 aggregate
  - 3) Auto Liability:
    - a. Combined Single Limit (CSL) \$500,000 per occurrence
- B. Tarrant County reserves the right to review the insurance requirements of this section during the effective period of the contract and to require adjustment of insurance coverage and their limits when deemed necessary and prudent by Tarrant County based upon changes in statutory law, court decisions, or the claims history of the industry as well as the Vendor.

#### SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT

#### C. Required Provisions:

- 1) Proof of Carriage of Insurance All Certificates of Insurance will be required in duplicate and filed with the Tarrant County Purchasing Agent and the Budget and Risk Management Department at 100 East Weatherford Street, Suite 305, Fort Worth, Texas 76196 prior to work commencing.
- 2) All Certificates shall provide Tarrant County with an unconditional thirty (30) day written notice in case of cancellation or any major change.
- 3) As to all applicable coverage, policies shall name Tarrant County and its officers, employees, and elected representatives as an additional insured.
- 4) All copies of the Certificates of Insurance shall reference the project name and Proposal number for which the insurance is being supplied.
- 5) The Respondent agrees to waive subrogation against Tarrant County, its officers, employees, and elected representatives for injuries, including death, property damage, or any other loss to the extent the loss, if any, is covered by the proceeds of insurance.
- The Respondent is responsible for making sure any subcontractor(s) performing work under this agreement has the required insurance coverage(s) and supplies Tarrant County with the proper documents verifying the coverage.

#### 4. CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECK:

- A. If this contract requires that Vendor personnel access Tarrant County Data (either on-site or remotely) or access secure areas of Tarrant County Facilities, then Vendor personnel may be required to undergo a fingerprint-based Criminal Justice Information Services (CJIS) Background Check, a Human Resources Criminal Background Check, or a Sheriff's Criminal Background Check. Criminal Background Checks will be paid for by Tarrant County.
  - 1. The Vendor must provide information, including, but not limited to, employee name, date of birth, a clear copy of employee's driver's license, and a copy of employee's social security card for each individual required to pass a Criminal Background Check.
  - 2. Award of a contract could be affected by the Vendor's refusal to agree to these terms.
  - Failure of the Vendor to supply personnel who pass a Criminal Background Check could affect the award of the contract or could result in the termination of the contract.
  - 4. The Criminal Background Check applies to the individual and not the Company.
  - 5. Passing status must be maintained by Vendor personnel for the duration of the contract.

#### SPECIAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE CONTRACT

#### 5. INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY HOSTED OR CLOUD SOLUTION:

A. The following is only applicable when the Vendor is providing Information Technology hosted or cloud solution:

#### 1. Confidentiality, Integrity, Availability (CIA)

Vendor shall protect the Confidentiality, Integrity, and Availability (CIA) of all Tarrant County Data ensuring extra levels of security. All Tarrant County information must remain private and permit redaction of protected information before publication. Audit trails cannot be altered.

#### 2. Breach Notification

Vendor agrees that upon discovery of unauthorized access to Tarrant County Data, Vendor shall notify Tarrant County both orally and in writing. In no event shall the notification be made more than forty-eight (48) hours after Vendor knows or reasonably suspect unauthorized access has or may have occurred. In the event of a suspected unauthorized Access, Vendor agrees to reasonably coordinate with Tarrant County to investigate the occurrence.

#### Data

All Tarrant County data will remain in the 48 contiguous United States at all times.

#### 4. Right to Audit

Tarrant County reserves the right to audit Vendor datacenters which house Tarrant County Data or receive SSAE 16 SOC Type II audits from a reputable security advisory service firm (e.g. EY, Deloitte, KPMG, PWC, Coalfire, etc.).

#### STATEMENT OF WORK

#### I. PURPOSE:

A. The Tarrant County Sheriff's Office Internal Affairs Division (IAD) has identified the need for a case management software system to assist in the management of all IAD cases, the generation and management of complaints, and provide for the electronic submission of forms (use of force forms, pursuits, firearm discharges, etc.). It should provide for the ability to produce reports (statistical and otherwise), forms, and charts based on user specified criteria, and have an extensive search capability into all areas of the system. In addition, the system should be able to provide early intervention notices on officers based on user specified criteria. The software system should also allow for the tracking of case deadlines and supervisory approval of investigations, and contain robust user access controls to prevent unauthorized access to areas of the system by nonauthorized personnel. The Internal Affairs Division manages and conducts investigations into complaints of officer misconduct, to include managing low level complaints and conducting high level investigations resulting in the termination of employees.

#### II. CURRENT ENVIRONMENT:

- A. The Tarrant County Sheriff's Office currently uses a Records Management System (RMS) database developed in 2004. This database is antiquated, has no automated functionality, can only record limited data, and it cannot track cases through the investigative progress. Tracking of all investigative cases is performed by Excel spreadsheets outside of RMS, and there is no means of electronic supervisory approval. Its data search and report capabilities are very limited. It has no means of producing early intervention notifications, tracking individual cases, tracking types of incidents or complaints, or producing statistical reports or charts. Use of force data is manually entered into the system after a paper report has been completed by the field officer. Pursuits reports are on paper and have no means to be entered at all.
- B. Currently, reports, statements, photos, video, and other evidence is contained within the individual cases. Digital media files are kept on discs or flash drives, and all other documents are printed on paper. All paper documents are scanned into a PDF and uploaded into the RMS database at the time the case is closed. Hard copies of the documents and digital media is then stored long term in filing cabinets.
- C. Conducting periodic supervisory review is not possible via RMS. The only means of supervisory review is conducted by manually reviewing the hardcopy case file or by a MS Word document being emailed to the supervisor. There is no means of electronic supervisory approval within the current RMS.
- D. There is currently no means for field supervision to electronically initiate complaints, have early intervention notices on their personnel, or document incidents that do not rise to the level of a formal disciplinary complaint.

E. There is currently no means for field personnel to electronically create and submit for supervisory approval use of force reports, pursuits, etc.

#### III. OVERVIEW:

A. The Tarrant County Sheriff's Office needs a software designed to help facilitate the generation of reports, complaints, and compliments as it involves Department employees and their behavior, manage the Internal Affairs investigations against those employees, and the retrieval of necessary documentation when required. This software will assist the Department in collating reports concerning uses of force, pursuits, or firearm discharges as they occur. The system will be able to provide early warnings on certain issues regarding employee behavior so that intervention steps can be taken to prevent further similar behavior from occurring or major incidents from happening. Finally, it will be able to provide a robust search function to locate information needed by Department supervision, legal reasons, or open records requests.

#### IV. SCOPE OF WORK:

A. The following features need to be present in the base program or have the ability to be added or expanded on through available expansions to the program:

#### **IA Personnel**

- 1. Case Management Detailed management abilities to include:
  - a. Summary screen for all IA cases currently open, and the ability to ascertain information for individual cases as needed.
  - b. Assignment, review, and approval of cases being worked by investigators.
  - c. The ability to monitor cases that are assigned to non-IA personnel.
  - d. Have the ability to enter specific date information as it relates to the case such as:
    - i. Date the case was opened
    - Date the complaint was served to the employee
    - iii. Date information on any case extensions
    - Date the case was closed
  - e. Give warning notices on time critical deadlines for cases, and the ability to send those warnings to the needed personnel.
  - f. Support for use of force, pursuit, or other critical incidents is needed.
  - g. Support for available evidence (photos, videos, BWC, etc.) is needed.
  - h. The ability to notate an officer into the system that has possible or confirmed Brady relevant behaviors.

- i. The ability to notate an officer that has known or possible criminal charges due to their alleged behavior.
- 2. Reports/Charts Have the ability to create configurable reports and charts concerning user defined criteria. This could include use of force, individual officer, actions based on Division, job assignment, racial complaints, driving concerns, pursuits, and other definable areas of concern. Must also have the ability to produce a report concerning the IA history of a specific current or former employee for a definable time span.
- Attachment of documentation for cases to include:
  - a. Reports generated from within the IA system
  - b. Non system generated reports or documents from other sources
  - c. Scanned documents
  - d. Emails
  - e. Photos
  - f. Videos
  - g. Other documents as needed
- 4. Templates Have the ability for IA personnel to upload templates (such as a .docx or PDF file) of certain documents for use by other Department personnel as needed.
- 5. Records Retention Purge notifications
  - a. The ability to set definable record retention guidelines for cases based on specific criteria. This would include:
    - i. Disposition of case
    - ii. The employee's current employment status
    - iii. Years since no longer employed
    - iv. Years since the case has been closed
  - b. Notifications to IA personnel when cases meet the set criteria and are possibly able to be purged

#### Search Functions

- 1. Records finder Have an extensive search function to assist in finding:
  - a. Reports or required information for open records requests
  - b. Officers that have possible or confirmed Brady relevant behaviors
  - c. Officers that have known or possible criminal charges based on their behavior.

- d. Specific uses of force incidents by officer or type of force (such as CED deployments by all officers) for a define time period, area, Division, job assignment, or facility (such as different jail facilities).
- e. A user definable search engine through all areas of the system to include:
  - i. Individual employees
  - ii. Specific policy violations
  - iii. Keyword search
  - iv. Case number
  - v. Possible or confirmed Brady or criminal issues
  - vi. Additional searches as needed

#### Field Personnel

- 1. Front line personnel access to include:
  - a. Provide for the means for front line personnel to enter detailed use of force reports, pursuit reports, or firearm discharges.
  - b. Use of force reports should include the ability to enter areas the body was struck, by what means (weapon, hands, CED, etc.), and document injuries after the incident is over.
  - c. Provide for the entry of data from CED devices.
  - d. Provide for supervisory notifications and approvals on all reports entered from front line personnel at each step of the process.
  - e. Provide for the ability to enter complaints or compliments on Department employees by field supervisors or rank and file personnel.
  - f. Provide for the ability for front line supervisors to document and handle less serious complaints that do not rise to the level of a formal complaint.
  - g. Provide a simple to use interface to reduce confusion by all front line personnel.
  - h. Provide for error notification to the entering officer to ensure reports are entered correctly and contain the minimum information required. (These minimum criteria should be configurable by the Department.)

#### **Early Warning**

- 1. Early warning and intervention notifications Provide a configurable early warning system based on specified criteria:
  - a. Employee
  - b. Use of force by force type (hands, CED, OC, baton, etc.) if needed.
  - c. Driving concerns.
  - d. Racial criteria both complaints against and actions taken against other people.
  - e. Job assignment.
  - f. Definable areas of concerns.
  - g. Configurable range gates for alerts.
- 2. Notifications should be made available to selectable personnel such as:
  - a. IA personnel
  - b. Command staff members
  - c. Local supervisors
- 3. Be fully configurable as to what notifications are sent out and to whom.
- Notifications should include information on the employee in question and provide information on the events or complaints that caused the notification to be generated.
- Local supervision should be able to see personnel assigned under them and view how many incidents each employee has been involved in, the nature of the events, and other areas of concern.
- 6. Have robust access controls to prevent supervisory personnel from going to areas that are not under their area of control.
- 7. Have audit capability to inspect who has been accessing what and when.

#### **Mapping Functions**

- 1. The ability to geolocate incident locations. This should include:
  - Geolocating addresses of incidents through an internal program system, or ideally through integration into the Department's CAD system.
  - b. Be able to view events on a map.
  - c. The map should have selectable layers as needed (such as specific use of force incidents, pursuits, officer complaints, service/incident numbers, Division districts, etc.).
  - d. Selectable time periods should be available as part of the search function.

#### **Public Access**

- 1. Public Portal Provide for a means for the public to make both complaints against and compliments on Department employees. Have a means for the complainant to be kept advised of the status of their complaint, and what the final outcome is.
- 2. Must ensure that public access is secure and there is no way for an outside individual to access areas of the system or network at any time.
- 3. Once a complaint or compliment is received, notifications should be sent to IA personnel for further action as needed. Further action could include:
  - a. Generation of a formal complaint
  - b. Forwarding of the initial informal or formal complaint to local supervision as needed.
  - c. Integration into the main IA system.

#### General System Requirements

- The entire system should be configurable to allow access to certain areas
  of the system to certain personnel only. Additionally, any access by the
  public should be able to be turned off if desired.
- Integration into our current or any future RMS system to ensure accurate information is obtained (such as employee information, employment status, job assignment, etc.)
- 3. Ability to import case data and information from our old RMS system into the new IA system.
- 4. Support to ensure the IA program retains its ability to interface with the RMS regardless of future updates to RMS.
- 5. Onsite training available of key personnel and train-the-trainer training so that additional training can be conducted as needed for non-IA personnel as needed.
- 6. Comprehensive documentation, user videos, and other assistance be made available for Department personnel.
- 7. Direct call support from company personnel as needed for Department inquiries concerning end user questions or IT questions.
- 8. Comprehensive security systems in place to ensure no unauthorized access is obtained and all record retention is secure.
- 9. The system must be CJIS and HIPPA compliant.
- 10. The capability and capacity to store records for as long as needed until they are allowed to be purged by record retention guidelines and state law (50 years minimum).

- 11. Have the ability to run audits on who has accessed the system and what areas have been accessed.
- 12. If access is through a web based portal, functionality must be ensured on all major web browsers (Chrome, Firefox, Edge, etc.) to include future updates and versions.
- 13. If software based, it must be manageable by IT personnel across all computers and network.
- 14. Due to the continuing changing size of the Department, cost of the system is preferred to be based on a one time purchase fee for an unlimited license, not based on the number of employees. Reasonable annual program maintenance and support fees are understandable and expected after the initial purchase.

#### V. PROPOSAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Include Proposal outlining background information and history of your company, including experience with past projects of similar scope.
- B. Include an outline/description of how each of the features/requirements in the Scope of Work are met.
- C. References: List three (3) references. At least one (1) reference should be from a public-sector customer.
- D. Include proposed pricing to include a grand total for implementation as described in the Price Proposal Form, including itemized pricing, other breakdowns/itemizations.
- E. Required Documents:
  - 1. Signed Proposal Signature Page.
  - 2. Signed Compliance with Federal and State Laws Form.
  - 3. Deficiencies and Deviations Form.
  - 4. Form for Disadvantaged Business Enterprises, if applicable.
  - 5. Addenda, if applicable.

#### VI. PROPOSAL EVALUATION AND AWARD

#### A. Approach:

- Tarrant County Purchasing Department will guide the evaluation of the responses received. An Evaluation Committee will be established to evaluate and score the submitted Proposals. The Evaluation Committee may consist of representatives from various Departments.
- 2. The County reserves the right at its sole determination to include additional Department(s), Employee(s), or Contractor(s) in the evaluation of proposals, as the County deems necessary.
- The County reserves the right at its sole discretion to determine the process for proposal evaluation and may elect to accelerate the evaluation process by combining or eliminating evaluation phases, if it is deemed in the public interest to do so.
- B. Evaluation Criteria (Round 1):

  - 2. Product Technical Specifications/Requirements ......350 Points

TOTAL......500 Points

#### C. Evaluation Criteria (Round 2):

- Select vendors will be asked to demo their solution, products and/or services. Vendors must be prepared to give virtual presentations (demos) as an alternative to in-person (live) presentations (demos). Tarrant County reserves the right to select whether presentations will be in-person (live) or virtual. All costs associated with demonstrations are the sole burden of the Respondent.
- The respondent must receive a minimum score of 250 out of 500 Points in Round 1 of the evaluation to be considered for the vendor presentation and demonstration phase of the evaluation.
- 3. Invited Respondents will receive additional direction with the invitations.
- 4. Evaluation Scores of the Presentation and Demonstration will override the original scores. Scores for this round will be based on the following criteria.

#### D. Evaluation of Price Proposal:

1. Price evaluation will be based on the total overall extension dollar amount. Price Proposal will be scored using the following formula:

(Lowest Price Proposal / Vendor Price Proposal) x 500 Maximum Price Proposal Points: 500 points.

#### E. Contract Negotiation:

- 1. The Tarrant County Purchasing Department may conduct Contract Negotiations along with representatives from the District Attorney, Sheriff's Office, and Information Technology Departments.
- 2. The County reserves the right at its sole discretion to determine if a pursuing Contract Negotiation is in the best interest of the County. The County is under no obligation to pursue Contract Negotiation.

#### F. Prohibited Communication:

 Any communication regarding this RFP with any Tarrant County elected official or judiciary; any member of the evaluation committee; any member of Information Technology; is strictly prohibited. Only communication method approved in this RFP, including the pre-proposal conference and faxed questions will be allowed.



#### TARRANT COUNTY

## HISTORICALLY UNDERUTILIZED BUSINESSES (HUB) POLICY

#### I. POLICY STATEMENT

The Tarrant County Commissioners Court, being the policy development and budgetary control unit of county government, will strive to ensure that all businesses, regardless of size, economic, social or ethnic status have an equal opportunity to participate in the County's procurement processes. The County is committed to promote full and equal business opportunity for all businesses to supply the goods and services needed to support the mission and operations of county government, and seeks to encourage the use of certified historically underutilized businesses (HUBs) through the use of race, ethnic and gender neutral means. It is the policy of Tarrant County to involve certified HUBs to the greatest extent feasible in the County's procurement of goods, equipment, services and construction projects while maintaining competition and quality of work standards. The County affirms the good faith efforts of firms who recognize and practice similar business standards.

#### II. DEFINITIONS

<u>Historically underutilized businesses (HUBs)</u>, also known as a disadvantaged business enterprise (DBE), are generally business enterprises at least 51% of which is owned and the management and daily business operations are controlled by one or more persons who is/are socially and economically disadvantaged because of his or her identification as a member of certain groups, including women, Black Americans, Mexican Americans and other Americans of Hispanic origin, Asian Americans and American Indians.

<u>Certified HUBs</u> includes business enterprises that meet the definition of a HUB and who meet the certification requirements of certification agencies recognized by Tarrant County.

<u>Businesses</u> include firms, corporations, sole proprietorships, vendors, suppliers, contractors, subcontractors, professionals and other similar references when referring to a business that provides goods and/or services regardless of the commodity category.

<u>Statutory bid limit</u> refers to the Texas Local Government Code provision that requires competitive bidding for many items valued at greater than \$50,000.

#### III. POLICY GUIDELINES

- A. Tarrant County, its contractors, their subcontractors and suppliers, as well as all vendors of goods, equipment and services, shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, gender, age, religion, national origin, citizenship, mental or physical disability, veteran's status or political affiliation in the award and/or performance of contracts. All entities doing business or anticipating doing business with the County shall support, encourage and implement affirmative steps toward a common goal of establishing equal opportunity for all citizens and businesses of the county.
- B. Tarrant County will use and recognize the State of Texas certification process in conjunction with the implementation of this policy. The County does recognize other agencies' certifications. Tarrant County reserves the right to review the certification status of any vendor applying to do business with the County. This review will be accomplished to determine the validity and authenticity of the vendor's certification as a HUB.
- C. The Commissioners Court may establish HUB target goals. Through a systematic approach of soliciting quotes, bids and proposals from certified HUBs and in compliance with applicable state and federal law this policy will strive to meet those goals.
  - 1. Target goals should consider:
    - the availability of HUB firms within the specific category of goods or services to be procured; and
    - the diversity of the county's population.
  - 2. The goals should be reviewed and amended periodically.
  - 3. The program may apply to all County procurements including construction and professional services.
  - 4. Particular attention will be given to HUB participation on purchases in excess of the statutory bid limit.
  - 5. The Commissioners Court herein establishes a 20% good faith target goal for Tarrant County.

- D. Tarrant County will actively seek and encourage HUBs to participate in all facets of the procurement process by:
  - Continuing to increase and monitor a database of certified HUB vendors, professionals and contractors. The database will be expanded to include products, areas of expertise and capabilities of each HUB firm.
  - 2. Continuing to seek new communication links with HUB vendors, professionals and contactors to involve them in the procurement process.
  - Continuing to advertise bids on the County's website and in newspapers including newspapers that target socially and economically disadvantaged communities.
  - 4. Continuing to provide bid notifications to minority Chambers of Commerce.
- E. As prescribed by law, the purchase of one or more items costing in excess of the statutory bid limit must comply with the competitive bid process. Where possible, those bids will be structured to include and encourage the participation of HUB firms in the procurement process by:
  - Division of proposed requisitions into reasonable lots in keeping with industry standards and competitive bid requirements.
  - 2. Where feasible, assessment of bond and insurance requirements and the designing of such requirements to reasonably permit more than one business to perform the work.
  - 3. Specification of reasonable, realistic delivery schedules consistent with the County's actual requirements.
  - 4. Specifications, terms and conditions reflecting the County's actual requirements are clearly stated, and do not impose unreasonable or unnecessary contract requirements.
- F. A HUB Policy statement shall be included in all specifications. The County will consider the bidder's responsiveness to the HUB Policy in the evaluation of bids and proposals. Failure to demonstrate a good faith effort to comply with the County's HUB policy may result in a bid or proposal being considered non-responsive to specifications.
- G. The Tarrant County Purchasing Department will actively seek the participation of HUB firms in the quotation process for purchases under the statutory bid limit. HUB firms will be identified on the computerized database and linked to the commodities they represent. Buyers will be encouraged to use available internal and external databases of certified HUB firms.

H. Nothing in this policy shall be construed to require the County to award a contract other than to the lowest responsive bidder meeting specifications as required by law. This policy is narrowly tailored in accordance with applicable law.

#### IV. ADMINISTRATIVE GUIDELINES

- A. The Tarrant County Purchasing Department shall serve as the County's HUB Office with responsibility for the implementation, monitoring and general operations of the HUB policy. The Purchasing Agent shall serve as the County HUB Officer.
  - The HUB Officer will establish procedures to implement this policy across the full spectrum of the procurement process. The County HUB Office will periodically review with department head and elected officials regarding procurement opportunities.
  - 2. Managing the policy and training buyers and other County personnel in order to meet County goals will be the responsibility of the HUB Office.
  - The HUB Office will cooperate with other local government entities to increase HUB participation throughout the county and region. The HUB Office is encouraged to participate in educational and other outreach programs to assist HUB firms.
  - 4. The HUB Officer will receive and review complaints and recommendations regarding the implementation of the HUB Policy and the good faith efforts of bidders. Further, the HUB Office will audit for compliance to the HUB Policy on eligible projects after award, during the performance of the contract and after completion, while also making any recommendations to Commissioners Court regarding any irregularities or misrepresentation of facts as they relate to compliance with the policy. The HUB Office will review documentation submitted by HUB firms in compliance with this policy.
  - 5. An annual report along with recommendations shall be provided to the Commissioners Court and Purchasing Board. The annual report will provide statistical data and efforts reflected in the number of purchase orders, value of goods and services purchased, percentages to HUB firms, and outreach and marketing efforts. Other statistics may be required or requested by the Commissioners Court or Purchasing Board.

#### 510 Historically Underutilized Businesses Policy

Adopted: Court Order 64788 (December 17, 1990) Amended: Court Order 69958 (December 7, 1993) Amended: Court Order 99651 (December 28, 2006) Amended: Court Order 127875 (June 19, 2018)

#### FOR DISADVANTAGED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES ONLY

<u>Disadvantaged Business Enterprises (DBE)</u> are encouraged to participate in Tarrant County's Proposal process. The Tarrant County Purchasing Department will provide additional clarification of specifications, assistance with Forms, and further explanation of procedures to those DBEs who request it.

Representatives from DBE companies should identify themselves as such and submit a copy of the Certification.

Tarrant County recognizes the certifications of both the State of Texas General Services Commission HUB Program and the North Central Texas Regional Certification Agency. All companies seeking information concerning DBE certification are urged to contact.

Texas Procurement and Support Services
Statewide HUB Program
1711 Jacinto Blvd.
PO Box 13047 OR
Austin, Texas 78711-3047
(512) 463-5872

North Central Texas Regional Certification Agency 624 Six Flags Drive, Suite 100 Arlington, Texas 76011 (817) 640-0606

IF YOUR COMPANY IS CERTIFIED, ATTACH A COPY OF THE CERTIFICATION TO THIS FORM AND RETURN WITH PROPOSAL.

COMPANY NAME:	
REPRESENTATIVE:_	
ADDRESS:	
CITY, STATE, ZIP:	
TELEPHONE NO	FAX NO
Indicate all that apply — — —	y:Minority-Owned Business EnterpriseWomen-Owned Business EnterpriseDisadvantaged Business Enterprise
NOTE: WITHOUT A \ A HUB/DBE.	VALID CERTIFICATION ON FILE, YOU WILL NOT BE EVALUATED AS
	NOT APPLY TO YOUR COMPANY, PLEASE CHECK THIS BOX AND

#### **REFERENCES**

Please list three (3) references, **other than past or present employees of Tarrant County**, who can verify your performance as a Vendor. Performance includes but is not limited to, sales and/or service, delivery, invoicing, and other items as may be required for Tarrant County to determine Respondent's ability to provide the intended goods or service of this Proposal. Tarrant County **PREFERS** references to be from Government customers. References must be able to verify the quality of service Respondent's company provides and that the Respondent has completed a project of similar size and scope of work in this solicitation. Inaccurate, obsolete or negative responses from the listed references could result in rejection of your Proposal.

Failure to supply the required references <u>will</u> deem Respondent as non-responsive and will not be considered for the award.

Respondent involvement with reference checks is not permitted. Only Tarrant County or its designee will conduct reference checks. Any deviation to this will result in rejection of your response.

	REFERENCE ONE
GOVERNMENT/COMPANY NAME:	
CONTACT PERSON AND TITLE:	
E-MAIL ADDRESS:	
SCOPE OF WORK:	
	REFERENCE TWO
GOVERNMENT/COMPANY NAME:	
ADDRESS:	
ADDRESS:CONTACT PERSON AND TITLE:	
ADDRESS:CONTACT PERSON AND TITLE:TELEPHONE NUMBER:	
ADDRESS:CONTACT PERSON AND TITLE:	

REFERENCES MUST BE RETURNED WITH PROPOSAL!

#### **REFERENCES**

REFERENCE THREE
OVERNMENT/COMPANY NAME:
DDRESS:
ONTACT PERSON AND TITLE:
ELEPHONE NUMBER:
-MAIL ADDRESS:
COPE OF WORK:
ONTRACT PERIOD:

REFERENCES MUST BE RETURNED WITH PROPOSAL!

## SIGNATURE FORM

The undersigned, on behalf of and as the authorized representative of Respondent, agrees this Proposal becomes the property of Tarrant County after the official opening.

The undersigned affirms the Respondent has familiarized itself with the local conditions under which the work is to be performed; satisfied itself of the conditions of delivery, handling and storage of equipment and all other matters that may be incidental to the work, before submitting a Proposal.

The undersigned agrees, on behalf of Respondent, that if this Proposal is accepted, to furnish all materials and services upon which price(s) are offered, at the price(s) and upon the terms and conditions contained in the Specifications. The period for acceptance of this Proposal will be ninety (90) calendar days.

The undersigned affirms that they are duly authorized to execute this contract, that this Proposal has not been prepared in collusion with any other Respondent, nor any employee of Tarrant County, and that the contents of this Proposal have not been communicated to any other Respondent or to any employee of Tarrant County prior to the official opening of this Proposal.

Respondent hereby assigns to Tarrant County all claims for overcharges associated with this contract which arise under the antitrust laws of the United States, 15 USCA Section 1 et seq., and which arise under the antitrust laws of the State of Texas, Tex. Bus. & Com. Code, Section 15.01, et seq.

The undersigned affirms that they have read and do understand the specifications and any attachments contained in this solicitation. *Failure to sign and return this form will result in the rejection of the entire Proposal.* 

Signature	<b>&gt;</b>	
Authorized Representative		
Legal Name of Company	Date	
Street Address	Printed Name of Authorized Representative	
City, State and Zip	Title of Authorized Representative	
Telephone Number	Fax Number	
E-Mail Address		
AFTER HOURS EMERGENCY CONTACT:	Name:	
	Tel. No.	

THIS FORM MUST BE SIGNED.

THE ORIGINAL WITH ORIGINAL SIGNATURE AND FIVE (5) COPIES MUST BE RETURNED WITH PROPOSAL!

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Did you sign and submit all required forms?

If not, your Proposal will be rejected!

COMPANY IS:
Business included in a Corporate Income Tax Return?YESNO
Corporation organized & existing under the laws of the State of
Partnership consisting of
Individual trading as
Principal offices are in the city of
Unique Entity Identifier (UEI) Number:
CAGE Code:

#### COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL AND STATE LAWS

#### **CERTIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY**

By submitting a Bid in response to this solicitation, the Bidder certifies that at the time of submission, they are not on the Federal Government's list of suspended, ineligible, or debarred entities.

In the event of placement on the list between the time of Bid submission and time of award, the Bidder will notify the Tarrant County Purchasing Agent. Failure to do so may result in terminating this contract for default.

# RELATING TO STATE CONTRACTS WITH AND INVESTMENTS IN COMPANIES THAT BOYCOTT ISRAEL AND INVESTMENTS IN COMPANIES THAT DO BUSINESS WITH IRAN, SUDAN, OR ANY KNOWN FOREIGN TERRORIST ORGANIZATIONS.

Bidder verifies that they do not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel in accordance with Texas Government Code Section 2270.001(2) during the term of this contract. Bidder further verifies pursuant to Texas Local Government Code Section 2252.152 that they are not engaged in business with Iran, Sudan, or any foreign terrorist organization. The term "foreign terrorist organization" means an organization designated as a foreign terrorist organization by the United States Secretary of State as authorized by 8 U.S.C. Section 1189.

#### **DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTED PARTIES**

The law states that a governmental entity may not enter into certain contracts with a nonexempt business entity unless the business entity submits a disclosure of interested parties to the governmental entity. By submitting a Bid in response to this solicitation, the Bidder agrees to comply with HB 1295, Government Code 2252.908. Bidder agrees to provide Tarrant County Purchasing Agent, and/or requesting department, the "Certificate of Interested Parties," Form 1295 as required, within **ten (10)** business days from notification of pending award, renewal, amended or extended contract.

## VENDOR IS <u>EXEMPT</u> FROM CERTIFICATION REGARDING ENERGY COMPANIES AND FIREARM ENTITIES OR FIREARM TRADE ASSOCIATIONS:

Vendor is a sole proprietorship OR is a non-profit entity OR Vendor is a company that does NOT have 10 or more full-time employees AND/OR this contract does NOT have a value of \$100,000.00 or more that is to be paid wholly or partly paid from public funds of the governmental entity.

#### If the Vendor Cannot Certify that it is EXEMPT as Above, Vendor Must Certify as Follows:

#### **Vendor is NOT EXEMPT and Certifies as follows:**

Boycott of Energy Companies Prohibited. In compliance with Section 2274.002 of the Texas Government Code (added by 87th Legislature S. B. 13), Vendor verifies that it does not boycott energy companies and will not boycott energy companies during the term of the above-described contract. "Boycott energy company" is defined in Section 809.001(1) (added by 87th Legislature, S. B. 13) and means, without an ordinary business purpose, refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations with a company because the company: (A) engages in the exploration, production, utilization, transportation, sale, or manufacturing of fossil fuel-based energy and does not commit or pledge to meet environmental standards beyond applicable federal and state law; or (B) does business with a company described by subsection (A).

#### COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL AND STATE LAWS

<u>Discrimination against Firearm Entities or Firearm Trade Associations Prohibited.</u> In compliance with Section 2274.002 of the Texas Governmental Code (added by 87th Legislature, S. B. 19), Vendor verifies that it does not have a practice, policy, guidance, or directive that discriminates against a firearm entity or firearm trade association; and will not discriminate during the term of the above-described contract] against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association" is defined in Section 2274.001(3) (added by 87<sup>th</sup> Legislature, S. B. 19) and means, with respect to the entity or association, to (i) refuse to engage in the trade of any goods or services with the entity or association based solely on its status as a firearm entity or firearm trade association; (ii) refrain from continuing an existing business relationship with the entity or association based solely on its status as a firearm entity or firearm trade association; or (iii) terminate an existing business relationship with the entity or association based solely on its status as a firearm entity or firearm trade association; the term does not include: (i) the established policies of a merchant, retail seller, or platform that restrict or prohibit the listing or selling of ammunition, firearms, or firearm accessories; and (ii) a company's refusal to engage in the trade of any goods or services, decision to refrain from continuing an existing business relationship, or decision to terminate an existing business relationship; (aa) to comply with federal, state, or local law, policy, or regulations or a directive by a regulatory agency; or (bb) for any traditional business reason that is specific to the customer or potential customer and not based solely on an entity's or association's status as a firearm entity or firearm trade association.

Vendor He	ereby Certifies (Mark Applicable Certification):
	Vendor is EXEMPT from Certification as set out above.
	Vendor is NOT EXEMPT from Certification as set out above, and Vendor Certifies that it does not and will not Boycott Energy Companies and that it does not and will not engage in prohibited Discrimination against Firearm Entities or Firearm Trade Associations.
Sign	atureX

This Form must be <u>SIGNED</u>.

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#### **DEFICIENCIES AND DEVIATIONS FORM**

Following is a listing of ALL deficiencies and deviations from the requirements as outlined in thi Proposal. Unless specifically listed, your response will be considered to be in FULL complianc with this Proposal. Respondent assumes the responsibility of identifying all deficiencies an deviations and if not identified, all requirements of this Proposal stipulated must be fulfilled at n additional expense to Tarrant County.

THE ORIGINAL AND FIVE (5) COPIES OF THIS FORM SHOULD BE RETURNED WITH PROPOSAL!

## **NO-BID RESPONSE**

In the event that your organization chooses not to submit a bid/proposal for this solicitation, the Tarrant County Purchasing Department is interested in the reasons why vendors have chosen not to submit bids/proposals in order to better serve the taxpayers of Tarrant County. Please indicate your reason(s) by checking all applicable items below and return this form to the address shown below.

	Could not meet specifications.	
	Items or materials requested not manufactured by us or not available to our company.	
	Insurance requirements too restricting.	
	Bond requirements too restricting.	
	The scope of services not clearly understood or applicable (too vague, too rigid, etc.)	
	The project not suited to our organization.	
	Quantities too small.	
	Insufficient time allowed for preparation of bid/proposal.	
	Other (please specify).	
Vendo	or Name:	
Conta	ct Person:	
Telepl	hone:	
Email:	·	
Please	e send your response to:	

Tarrant County Purchasing Department 100 E. Weatherford, Suite 303 Fort Worth, TX 76196-0104

#### PRICE PROPOSAL FORM

Enter an all-inclusive grand total to include software licensing or subscription, discovery, implementation, initial configurations, setup, training, technical support, maintenance, and anything else required for a complete turn-key solution. This price must include any and all travel expenses, other fees, etc...

You may itemize pricing that consists of the grand total in your proposal, or on the form below. The grand total price will be used for the evaluation.

GRAND TOTAL:	\$
Itemized Pricing for:	
A	
B	
C	
D	
E	

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