

**THE TOLEDO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT  
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL  
FOOTBALL FIELD MAINTENANCE  
2017/2018**

The issuing office of this Request for Proposal is:

The Toledo Public School District  
Business Services  
1609 N. Superior St.  
Toledo, Ohio 43604

This Request for Proposals ("RFP") contains instructions for football field maintenance to four District fields.

Any questions concerning this RFP should be directed in writing to [mettlerd@tps.org](mailto:mettlerd@tps.org). Please enter **RFP-2017/18 Football Field Maintenance** in the Subject line. Please note that all questions and subsequent answers will be posted on the TPS Website @ [tps.org](http://tps.org). Follow the link to District Programs, then Business Division.

A Vendor submitting a proposal in response to this RFP understands that there are certain prerequisites and minimum conditions, and such Vendor acknowledges its acceptance of and agreement to these prerequisites and conditions by the act of submitting a proposal.

Sealed proposals must be received in the Treasurer's Office, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, no later than 10:00 a.m. on **Thursday, April 6, 2017** unless the District extends this deadline. Two (2) copies of the proposal sent to this office should be clearly marked **RFP 2017/18 Football Field Maintenance**.

## **PROPOSALS**

Written proposals for football field maintenance services should be submitted to the District in accordance to this RFP. Any assumptions made by the Vendor shall be clearly expressed in their proposal.

## **CRITERIA**

An award shall be made, if any, to the responsible Vendor whose proposal is deemed, in the exclusive judgment of the District, to be most advantageous to the District, with benefits and other factors considered.

The District does not obligate itself to accept the lowest cost proposal, the greatest benefit proposal, or any other proposal. The District reserves the right to reject any and all proposals and shall have no liability whatsoever to any company whose proposal is not accepted.

The services shall be performed as specified in Exhibit A, attached to the Request for Proposal.

Vendor is required to include:

1. Certificate of Liability Insurance
2. Bureau of Workers Compensation Certificate
3. Proof of 2 years of experience
4. Complete list of services provided by Vendor
5. Cost to TPS for your complete services on an hourly as needed basis
6. Current e-mail address for contact person

The contract will run through the end of the fiscal year, June 30, 2018. Renewal option of up to three (3) additional one (1) year terms upon written agreement by both parties.

## **COMPLIANCE WITH DISTRICT'S POLICIES**

Proposals submitted by Vendors, and any contract/Master Service Agreement entered between the District and the successful Vendor, must conform to and will be subject to the District's policies. The District's Master Service Agreement is posted on the TPS website @ [tps.org](http://tps.org). Follow the link to Departments, then Business Division.

## **COMPLIANCE WITH STATE AND FEDERAL LAW**

The District will only do business with a Vendor that complies with all local, state and federal requirements regarding non-discriminatory hiring, fair employment practices and wage and hour standards. Moreover, the Vendor must comply with all local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations applicable to the subject matter of this contract, and any contract proposed by a Vendor must in all respects comply with such laws, rules and regulations.

Any contract entered between the District and the successful Vendor is subject to all local, state and federal laws, rules and regulations now in effect or hereinafter enacted, and if any of these at any time require the termination of the contract, the contract shall terminate and each party shall be left in the position it then occupies, retaining any benefit it has received prior to the time of such termination. The District shall not be required by any contract to engage in any conduct which is prohibited by, contrary to, inconsistent with or pursuant to, any federal or state law, rule, or regulation.

## **MODIFICATION**

The District reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to modify the procedure and required terms of any agreement until any such agreement is executed.

Acceptance of a proposal shall not constitute an agreement between the Vendor and the District and shall not be binding on the District unless and until an agreement containing all terms and conditions has been reduced to writing and executed by both the Vendor and the District.

The District reserves the right to reject any or all proposals. Vendors whose proposals are not accepted will be notified after a binding contract exists between the District and a Vendor or if the District rejects all proposals.

The District reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to ask any Vendor to clarify, modify, or supplement its proposal, including through direct contact with the Vendor prior to and/or after the selection of the successful Vendor.