## **REQUEST FOR SERVICES**

The Rivers East Workforce Investment Consortium is seeking a qualified individual/organization to review the Request for Proposals (RFPs) received for providing program services for the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) Adult and Dislocated Worker programs and One Stop Operations (Title I, Public Law 113-128) for July 1, 2022 - June 30, 2024.

Request for Proposals (RFPs) were released for the Adult and Dislocated Worker programs and One Stop Operations on April 1, 2022. Proposals are due April 30, 2022. The Workforce Development Board will meet to review the recommendations provided and vote on the new service provider on May 11, 2022.

The number of proposals we will receive to provide services in one or more counties in the five county service area of Beaufort, Bertie, Hertford, Martin and Pitt will not be known until the due date. A copy of the original Request for Proposal will be made available including established evaluation criteria and proposal scoring sheet. Past monitoring results and corrective action performance will also be provided, if applicable. Bidding individual/organizations will be expected to complete a proposal scoring sheet and a reasonable profit worksheet on each proposal, if applicable.

All responses must be received by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 25, 2022. Responses should be submitted to Lou Stout, Compliance Manager, at <a href="mailto:lstout@mideastcom.org">lstout@mideastcom.org</a>. The award will be made on Wednesday, April 27, 2022 and all bidders will be notified by 5pm the same day.

The awarded individual/organization must complete the review of all proposals and submit recommendations along with the scoring sheets and reasonable profit worksheets to Lou Stout, Compliance Manager, at <a href="Istout@mideastcom.org">Istout@mideastcom.org</a> in writing no later than by 5:00 p.m. on Friday, May 6, 2022. The awarded individual/organization will present the results to the NCWorks Committee and the Workforce Development Board at their meetings on May 11, 2022. We have a virtual option, in-person attendance is not required.

Mid-East Commission serves as the Administrative Entity and Grant Recipient for the Rivers East Workforce Investment Consortium and administers funds received through WIOA via an agreement with the North Carolina Department of Commerce Division of Workforce Solutions.

Rivers East Workforce Investment Consortium Mid-East Commission 1502 N. Market Street Washington, NC 27889 Attn: Lou Stout

lstout@mideastcom.org

Rivers East Workforce Investment Consortium is an Equal Opportunity Employer/Program Auxiliary aids and services are available upon request for individuals with disabilities

This Notice of Solicitation to operate WIOA Adult, Dislocated Worker, and One-Stop Operations is 100 percent federally funded through an award from the US Department of Labor/ETA in the amount of \$1,114,175.

## Please complete and submit the following by 5:00 p.m. on Monday, April 25, 2022:

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Provide a brief history (type of organization, date established, major line or lines of work and general background) of the proposing individual/entity and its experience in workforce development and performing related activities and services.

Indicate the timeframes and strategy for effectively reviewing the proposals and submitting the recommendations by the established deadline of <u>5:00 p.m. on Friday, July 9, 2021</u>.

CERTIFICATION: I certify that the information contained in this proposal, fairly represents this entity and its operating plans and budget necessary to conduct the proposed activities described herein. I acknowledge that I have read and understand the requirements of the Request For Services and that this entity is prepared to implement the proposed activities as described herein. I further certify that I am authorized to sign this proposal and any contractual agreement emanating therefrom on behalf of the entity submitting the proposal. This PROPOSAL or OFFER is firm for a period of at least ninety (90) days from the closing date for submission, which is April 25, 2022 at 5:00 p.m.

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