

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
YOUTH SERVICES REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL
BIDDERS CONFERENCE

October 29, 2024

Question 1: How do we recruit participants

Answer: It depends upon your proposal design. If you are planning to work with Out-of-School youth, you could develop relationships with Adult Education or Housing Authority in your area. Additional resources can be found at local community-based organizations. Flyers can be created as well as social media postings.

Question 2: What is the address to request Q&A?

Answer: The request must be made in writing to Terri Morgan at tmorgan@nwgrc.org.

Question 3: May bidders utilize the affiliate One-Stop Centers?

Answer: It is recommended that bidders initiate relationships with the Comprehensive and Affiliate One-Stop Center staff.

Question 4: How can bidders find out if their organizations have previously provided WIOA services?

Answer: Bidders can ask their organizations and estimate dates that WIOA services were provided.

Question 5: For the amount requested, is that per participant or total?

Answer: Both need to be provided.

Question 6: Is an editable version available?

Answer: Yes, a PDF and Word version of the proposal are on the website and can be emailed upon written request (to tmorgan@nwgrc.org).

Questions 7: Are benchmarks only for “for profit” proposals?

Answer: Yes.

Question 8: For the participant payment (work experience), should bidders use \$7.25 per hour or \$7.81 per hour?

Answer: \$7.25 per hour.

Question 9: What is the estimated start date?

Answer: June 30, 2025.

Question 10: Must all the eligibility criteria be met to determine eligibility?

Answer: Only one criteria is needed to determine a participant eligible.

Question 11: Is there a list of successful bidders and the amounts received?

Answer: No, a list is not available.

Question 12: May prospective Bidders receive a copy of a previous successful proposal?

Answer: Yes. The request must be made in writing to Terri Morgan at tmorgan@nwgrc.org.

Question 13: Is the support amount capped at \$15 for one child or can participants received \$12 per child, up to two children?

Answer: Support for child care is \$15 for one child only.

Corrections:

Page 3, paragraph five, correct dates are as follows, "6/30/2025-6/30/2026."

Page 23, paragraph four, correct day is, "Tuesday."