

## REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

### **RFP/VARIOUS PAPER**

Project # 15-10-16

The Houston Independent School District ("HISD" and/or the "District") is soliciting proposals for the procurement of various paper set out in the Scope of Work and Specific Conditions and Specifications sections of this Request for Proposals ("RFP"). A signed original response, four (4) paper copy of the original response and three (1) soft copies in PDF Format on CD or USB travel drive must be submitted in accordance with the instructions set out herein to:

Houston Independent School District Board Services - Room 1C03 Attn: Christopher Vest RFP/ Various Paper Service 15-10-16 4400 West 18th Street Houston, TX 77092

Each set of the proposal must be submitted in a binder. The original proposal must be labeled "ORIGINAL" and contain original signatures. Any copies of the original must be labeled "COPY."

Each binder and any container for the binder(s) must be labeled on the outside with the Proposer's name, address, the RFP number and the RFP name.

Proposals will be received at the above address until November 20<sup>th</sup> 2015 @ 3:00p.m CST. A pre-proposal conference will be held in conjunction at 4400 West 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Houston TX 77092, Room 2NE32 on 11/11/2015 at 9 A.M CST. Submitting proposals prior to the pre-proposal conference is not recommended, and such proposals may be rejected by HISD. A more detailed timeline is set out in the Instructions, Submission Requirements and Procedures section of the RFP. Proposals will be reviewed as received in a manner that avoids disclosure to competing proposals. Contents of proposals will remain confidential during the negotiations period. Only the proposal number and the identity of the Proposer(s) submitting the proposal will be made available to the public before award of the RFP. Proposals received after the Proposal due date and time will not be considered.

<u>Faxed proposals will not be accepted.</u> Proposals must be submitted in sufficient time to be received and time-stamped at the above location on or before the proposal due date and time. HISD will not be responsible for proposals delivered late by the United States Postal Service, or any other delivery or courier services. All proposals must remain open for one hundred twenty (120) (insert different length of time as appropriate for award) days from the proposal due date pending acceptance by HISD.

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### I. INSTRUCTIONS, SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES

- **1.1 GENERAL INFORMATION:** The following instructions by the District are intended to afford Proposer(s) an equal opportunity to participate in the proposal process and provide a predetermined set of criteria representing the District's business and service requirements. This proposal is governed by Texas Education Code (TEC), other applicable Texas state statutes, and all local Board of Education (Board) policies.
- 1.1.1 CODE OF SILENCE AND CONFLICTS OF INTEREST: The Board of Education (Board) has adopted a "Code of Silence" policy (ref. Board Policy CAA (Local)) and a "Conflict of Interest Disclosures" policy (ref. Board Policy BBFA (Local)) to enforce its commitment to ethical contracting standards and improve accountability and public confidence. It is important to avoid both the appearance of conflicts and actual conflicts of interest.
- 1.1.2 The Code of Silence" shall mean a prohibition on any communication regarding any RFP, bid, or other competitive solicitation between:
  - Any person who seeks an award from the District or its affiliated entities (including, but not limited to, the HISD Foundation and the HISD Public Facility Corporation), including a potential vendor or vendor's representative, and
  - Board members, the Superintendent of Schools, senior staff members, principals, department heads, directors, managers, or other District representatives who have influence in the evaluation or selection process.

The "Code of Silence" time period shall begin when the Request for Proposal (RFP) is issued and ends upon the execution of the contract. During the "Code of Silence", campaign contributions, gifts, donations, loans, and any other items of value are prohibited between these parties, including candidates who have filed for election to the Board.

The "Conflicts of Interest Disclosures" requires a Board member to disclose and recuse himself or herself from voting on any contract, agreement, or any other District transaction involving an entity or related officer and/or key employee who has provided campaign contributions during the preceding 12 month period in excess of \$500.

Board Policy CAA (Local) pertaining to the "Code of Silence" and Board Policy BBFA (Local) pertaining to "Conflicts of Interest Disclosures" are attached by URL link above and incorporated by reference. Please review the policies carefully and ensure that the policies are followed in all respects. Proposer(s) agree and understand that non-compliance with the "Code of Silence" policy may result in disqualification. Furthermore, the failure of a Board member to disclose a conflict of interest may result in the debarment of a vendor for 24 months.

- 1.1.3 By submitting a proposal, the Proposer agrees to provide the goods/services in full accordance with the specifications and other contract documents notwithstanding existing material and labor markets conditions.
- 1.1.4 The designated project manager during the proposal process shall be Christopher Vest ("Project Manager"), Procurement Services, 4400 West 18<sup>th</sup> Street, Houston, Texas 77092, phone 713-556-6548, or, cvest@houstonisd.org. All communications pertaining to the RFP shall be addressed in writing to the Project Manager, as indicated in the next paragraph.
- 1.1.5 Questions concerning the RFP will be answered only if sent to the Procurement Services Department, in writing via email to the Project Manager on or before 3:00 P.M. Central Time November 13, 2015. All questions submitted in writing to the Project Manager prior to the deadline will be answered in the form of addenda. All addenda will be posted on the HISD Procurement website. It is the responsibility of the proposer to keep current with items posted on the website and to download current information as it is posted.

The Board of Education has approved a resolution establishing policy requiring Supplier(s) to have paid all assessed taxes and be free of any indebtedness to the District before a project is awarded.

Proposer(s) shall provide the District with a statement concerning any indebtedness, including personal and real property taxes, when submitting responses.

- 1.1.6 In an effort to encourage minority and women owned businesses to participate in HISD business and submit proposals based upon their capacity to perform and be successful, this project may be awarded to more than one Proposer if it is in the best interest of the District to do so. Interested Proposer(s) should obtain additional information concerning the District's location of schools and offices and consider submitting their proposal for any one or more schools and/or departments, or the entire District.
- 1.1.7 All costs related to the preparation and submission of this proposal shall be paid by the Proposer. Issuance of this RFP does not commit HISD, in any way, to pay any costs in the preparation and submission of the proposal. Nor does the issuance of the RFP obligate HISD to award, enter into an agreement, or purchase any goods and services stated in the RFP.

### **1.2 DEFINITIONS AND TERMS**: In this RFP, terms are used as follows:

- 1.2.1 "Agreement" is defined in Section II, General Terms and Conditions.
- 1.2.2 "HISD, owner, district, and/or government entity" refers to Houston Independent School District.
- 1.2.3 "Proposer" refers to the person/firm that submits the proposal to this RFP.
- 1.2.4 "Project" means the Scope of Work for furnishing goods and services.
- 1.2.5 "Proposal" refers to the document submitted by an entity that addresses the scope and requirements of this RFP.
  - 1.2.6 "RFP" refers to this Request for Proposal.
  - 1.2.7 "Scope of Work" is set forth in Section III. Scope of Work and Specific Conditions.
- 1.2.8 "Supplier" and/or "Vendor" refer to the person(s)/firm(s)/entity(ies) to whom a contract is awarded pursuant to this RFP.
  - 1.2.9 Singular terms shall include the plural and vice versa. A gender reference includes both genders.
- **1.3 SPECIFICATIONS**: Proposer(s) are expected to examine and be familiar with all requirements and obligations of this entire RFP. Failure to do so will be at the Proposer(s) risk. The evaluation criteria for the award of this RFP are set forth in the Scope of Work and Specific Conditions Section of this RFP at paragraph 3.5. All exceptions to the specifications and requirements of the RFP must be noted in detail in the Proposal Exception Form (Form E hereto) and included in the proposal.

### 1.4 PROPOSAL INFORMATION REQUIRED:

1.4.1 To achieve a uniform review process and obtain the maximum degree of comparability, it is required that proposals be organized in the manner specified.

The Proposal shall be submitted in binders with tabs as set forth below:

### **Title Page**

Show the RFP subject, the name of the Proposer's firm, address, telephone number, name of contact person, and date.

### • Tab 1 - Table of Contents

Clearly identify the materials by sections and page numbers.

### • Tab 2 – Proposal Submission Forms

Complete and return Forms A–G set forth in the last Section of this RFP. The set of forms submitted in the proposal marked "ORIGINAL" requires original manual signatures. Copies of the forms bearing original signatures should be included in each additional proposal.

The forms should be submitted in the following order:

- 1. FORM A: Company Information
- 2. FORM B: M/WBE Participation Report
- 3. FORM C: Addendum for Agreement Funded by U.S. Federal Grant (Non-Construction Contracts)
- 4. FORM D: Pricing and Service Affirmation
- 5. FORM E: Exception Form
- 6. FORM F: Price Schedule) (should be placed in tab 7)
- 7. FORM G: CHE (Local) Questionnaire

### • Tab 3 – Profile of the Proposer

- a. Indicate the number of people in your organization and their level of experience and qualifications and the percentage of their time that will be dedicated to this project.
- b. Provide a list of the Proposer's top five current and prior two years' clients indicating the type of goods and/or services your organization has provided and/or performed for each client. Please include a contact name and email address.
- c. Certification of Insurance (Acord form).

### Tab 4 – Scope Section

Clearly describe the scope of the goods and /or services to be provided based upon the information in the Scope of Work and Specific Conditions and Specification Sections stated in the RFP. Respond to each item listed.

#### Tab 5 – Questionnaire Response — [If questionnaires are supplied and a response is required.]

Respond to any questionnaires included in the RFP. If no questionnaires are submitted, this section should be left blank.

### • Tab 6 - Invoice Procedure

- a. Describe the firm's invoicing procedure.
- b. Include documentation identifying all of the Proposer's fees.
- c. Payment terms. The District's standard payment terms are 30 days after invoice is received. State any payment discounts that your company offers, i.e., 2% 10 days net 30; or 5% 7 days net 30.

#### Tab 7 – Price

Any and all pricing information, including any alternate pricing proposals that may be acceptable for some projects. Include a hard copy of Form F (Price Schedule) in this section, if applicable.

- Tab 8 Addenda
   Insert all addenda under this section.
- **1.5 SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS:** The Proposer(s) should propose his/her lowest and best price, (as applicable), on each good/service which is the subject of this RFP. Proposals shall be submitted in strict compliance with the instructions set out in this RFP.
- 1.5.1 All prices shall be entered on the proposal in ink or typewritten. All required signatures shall be original and in ink.
- 1.5.2 Proposed prices should be firm (fixed). If the Proposer(s), however, believes it necessary to include in his/her price an economic price adjustment, such a proposal may be considered, but only as an alternate proposal and should be noted in the Exception Form (FORM E). The economic price adjustment should give the maximum price increase or decrease (either % or \$) and the date and/or event at which the increase would be effective. Additionally, if a Proposer has reason to believe a better (more cost effective) method is practical, then the Proposer may offer that better pricing option as an alternative.
- 1.5.3 All costs associated with the project must be enumerated in the proposal. Any costs associated with the project not explicitly enumerated and discussed in the proposal will not be honored. Proposer(s) shall provide information on their standard fee arrangement for any goods and/or services proposed, and any discounts offered. Proposer(s) must include in the cost proposal all travel and accommodation expenses associated with travel to perform this project. Travel expenses associated with the project must conform to a "reasonableness" test for travel expenditures associated with governmental travel and must be pre-approved by the District before being incurred.
- 1.5.4 The District's standard freight terms are F.O.B., destination, prepaid and allowed. HISD may specify various and different locations within the District for "destination" during the term of the Agreement, or extension of the term, and prices should include allowances for such freight contingencies. No C.O.D. shipments will be accepted. If the goods are not shipped in accordance with HISD's directions and the instructions set out in the Agreement, the Supplier shall pay to HISD any excess cost incurred by District.
- 1.5.5 Proposer(s) are required to provide HISD with a menu of any optional services offered. Each service must be priced separately and independent of any other services offered or rendered.
  - 1.5.6 HISD is exempt from and will not be responsible for payment of any taxes.
  - 1.5.7 Failure to manually sign the required forms of this proposal may result in rejection of the proposal.
- 1.5.8 A signed submitted proposal constitutes an offer to perform the work and/or deliver the product(s) specified in this RFP.
- **1.6 FINANCIAL INFORMATION**: Proposer(s) may be required to submit a current audited financial statement. The Project Manger will determine the necessity of financial information. In the event the Proposer(s) does not have an audited statement, other information such as an unaudited statement or copies of the Proposer(s)' federal income tax returns, with all amendments, may be required.
- 1.7 DISCUSSIONS / NEGOTIATIONS: Discussions/negotiations may be conducted with Proposer(s) who are deemed to be within the final competitive range; however, HISD reserves the right to award a contract without discussions/negotiations. The competitive range will be determined by HISD and will include only those initial proposals that HISD determines have a reasonable chance of being awarded a contract. If discussions/negotiations are conducted, Proposer(s) may be required to submit a best and final offer. The best and final offer may be required as early as 24 hours after completion of negotiations/discussions.

- **1.8 BEST AND FINAL OFFERS**: Best and final offers must be received by the date/time provided during discussions/negotiations, or the originally submitted proposal will be used for further evaluation and award recommendation.
- **1.9 MODIFICATION OR WITHDRAWAL OF PROPOSALS**: Proposals may be modified or withdrawn by written or electronic notice received by the Project Manager prior to the exact hour and date specified for receipt of proposals. A proposal may also be withdrawn in person by a Proposer's authorized representative prior to the Proposal Due Date and time, provided the Proposer's identity is confirmed and Proposer's representative signs a receipt for the proposal.
- **1.10 OPENING PROPOSALS**: All proposals may be opened as soon as received. A formal public "opening" will not be held. Trade secrets and confidential information contained in proposals shall not generally be open for public inspection, but HISD's records are subject to the State of Texas Public Information Act requirements.
- **1.11 SCHEDULE**: The following schedule and timelines apply to this RFP.
- 1.11.1 <u>Proposal Schedule</u>: HISD desires to complete the proposal process in accordance with the following timeline which is subject to change at the District's discretion:

	Timeline
Release RFP	October 31, 2015
Dro Droposal Conforma	4400 West 18th Street, Houston TX 77092
Pre-Proposal Conference	Room 2NE32 on 11/11/2015 at 9 A.M CST
Last date for questions:	November 13, 2015
RFP Due	November 20, 2015
Evaluation Period November 23, 2015 – Dec 17, 2015 (subject to change)	
Selected Proposal(s) Approved Next regularly scheduled Board meeting after evaluation	

1.11.2. Proposer(s) are strongly encouraged to attend the pre-proposal conference. The conference will start promptly at the stated time and be moderated by a Procurement Department member. General rules of business meeting protocol will be observed during the meeting. Admittance for individuals arriving late is at the discretion of the moderator. In the event that an individual is admitted late, questions already discussed will not be revisited during the remaining portion of the conference.

Individuals attending the pre-proposal conference will be required to sign an attendance roster. In addition to their name and company name, each person will be asked to supply an email address, telephone number and a fax number for facsimile transmissions, if needed. This attendance roster will be posted as an addendum on the District's website along with the RFP and other related documents.

- 1.11.3 At the District's discretion, one or more Proposer(s) may be invited to demonstrate their solution(s) and/or system(s) and interview, based on a District pre-defined agenda and time line. Said Proposer(s) will be notified by e-mail if the District determines that such demonstrations and interviews are needed. Proposer(s) shall demonstrate their competence, qualifications and/or ability to satisfy the District's RFP requirements.
- 1.11.4 Award of the Project to Proposer(s) will be confirmed by a fully executed Agreement, an Agreement Letter and/or confirming Purchase Order.
- 1.11.5 Timelines set forth herein may be strictly enforced by the District. The District, however, maintains sole discretion to adjust any deadline or timeline to suit the best interests of the District.

- 1.11.6 <u>Late Proposals:</u> Responses submitted after the due date and time noted in this RFP shall not be considered and shall be returned to the Proposer(s), unopened, by United States Mail. The District is not responsible for lateness of U.S. Mail, Commercial (Professional) Carrier, personal delivery, or any other delivery method. The time and date stamp clock in the Houston ISD's Board Services Department, Hattie Mae White Educational Support Center, 4400 West 18th Street, Houston, Texas 77092, shall be the official date and time of receipt. It shall be the sole responsibility of the Proposer(s) to ensure that his or her bid is received at the appropriate location by the specified deadline. There shall be no exceptions to these requirements.
- **1.12 RETENTION OF PROPOSAL DOCUMENTATION**: All proposal materials and supporting documentation that are submitted in response to this proposal becomes the permanent property of HISD.
- 1.13 RESERVATION OF RIGHTS: The District reserves the right to reject any and all proposals. The District reserves the right in its sole discretion to accept the proposal(s) it considers the best value for the District, and the right to waive any and all minor irregularities in the proposal(s). Additionally, the District reserves the right to waive any requirements of the RFP. The District further reserves the right to reject all proposals and seek new proposals when such action would be deemed in the best interests of the District.
- 1.14 APPEAL PROCESS: Any Proposer(s) that submitted a proposal may appeal the District's award, if the appeal is based on deviations from laws, rules, regulations, or Board of Education policies. Board of Education GF Local applies to Proposer(s) wishing to appeal a proposal and/or award of a contract: Proposer(s) shall submit appeals via U.S. mail or electronic-mail (e-mail), utilizing the District Dispute Resolution Form, to the General Manager Procurement Services, and appeals must be received no later than 4:00 P.M. on or before the fifteenth (15th) business day after Board Award. In the event that a Proposer is unsure about the Board Award, it is the Proposer's responsibility to contact Procurement Services on the next business day after the Board Award is announced, and verify the specifics concerning the Award. Proposers need to conduct whatever research is necessary to verify the Award, and, in the event that an appeal is filed, must meet the fifteenth business day rule stated in GF Local. The 15 days begins to run on the first business day after Board Award is announced.

#### II. GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

The following terms and conditions are incorporated into this RFP and incorporated into any letter agreement or formal written agreement between HISD and the successful Proposer(s).

### 2.1 AGREEMENT, INTEGRATION, TERM & TRANSITION, PURCHASE ORDER REQUIREMENTS:

2.1.1 The terms, conditions, specifications, stipulations and requirements stated in this RFP, and any and all Addenda issued by HISD shall become part of the Agreement entered into between the District and the Supplier, unless otherwise determined by the District per the Agreement provisions. The Supplier, as determined by the District, may be required to execute a written contract to furnish all goods and/or services and other deliverables required for successful completion of the proposed project. **No Supplier shall obtain any interest or rights in any award until the District has executed the Agreement.** The District reserves the right to require any modification, or modifications

to the Agreement terms if the modifications are deemed to be in the best interest of the District and do not substantially change the scope of the Board award.

- 2.1.2 The District does not sign Supplier contract forms. Supplier(s) should be familiar with the District's Agreement form, Agreement letter and/or purchase order and indicate in its proposal that this type of project documentation is acceptable. This information should be included in the transmittal letter. In the event that a project is awarded to a Supplier and the Supplier requests changes to the District standard Agreement form, the District reserves the right to cancel the award and re-award the project to an alternate Supplier(s).
- 2.1.3 In the event of a license agreement or other contract document requested by the Supplier for execution, the District reserves the right to review and amend such document at the District's discretion.
- 2.1.4 The Request for Proposals, with all Addenda, those provisions in the proposal that are satisfactory to the District, and the District's Agreement form(s), which may include, but are not limited to a written contract, agreement letter or purchase order constitute the Agreement between the Supplier and the District (collectively, the, "Agreement"). NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING TO THE CONTRARY IN ANY SUPPLIER FORM, PROPOSAL OR DOCUMENTATION, THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE AGREEMENT AS INTEGRATED ABOVE SHALL BE CONTROLLING IN ALL INSTANCES. To the extent there is any conflict between or among the documents composing the Agreement, the following hierarchy (from most to least authoritative) shall prevail: (i) District's Agreement forms (written contract, agreement letter or purchase order as applicable), and (ii) RFP as provided by the District all Addenda, and (iii) any Proposal provisions agreed to by the District.
- 2.1.5 Unless otherwise provided or required by the District, an agreement which results from this RFP shall end on date September 1, 2016. Alternately, the District may approve longer or shorter terms of agreement upon the mutual consent of the parties. At the District's option, there may be an additional 90-day transitional period added to the end of the initial term or any renewal term. The Agreement prices, terms and conditions are to remain in force during the transitional period.

Should the Agreement with the Supplier terminate during the initial or any renewal term for any reason, the District reserves the right to have the same transitional period, prices, terms and conditions as if the Agreement terminated at the expiration of that term.

- 2.1.6 At the discretion of the District, purchases may require the issuance of an official HISD purchase order from the District's Procurement Services Department. If so required, then all goods provided without a purchase order will be returned at Supplier's expense. All services provided without a purchase order may be considered a contribution to the District.
- 2.1.6.1 HISD reserves the right to make changes to a purchase order (e.g., increase/decrease quantities, change delivery date, delivery address). Any changes to a purchase order shall be communicated to the awarded supplier by the issuance of a formal change purchase order. Only an HISD procurement staff member may make a change to the purchase order by issuing and sending a formal change purchase order to the awarded supplier.
- 2.1.7 Once the performance of the Agreement has begun, any change orders or requests will be made in accordance with Texas Education Code Section 44.0411 and applicable HISD procedures and policies. If Supplier acts on the direction of a District employee that is not authorized to make changes, Supplier does so at his or her own risk or peril and risks termination of the Agreement for cause. Also, if a Supplier attempts, or receives, a modification/amendment from a District employee that is not authorized to make changes, the Supplier does this at his or her own risk or peril and risks termination of the Agreement for cause.
- **2.2 NON-ASSIGNMENT**: The Supplier may not assign, sell, or otherwise transfer its interest in the Agreement award or any part thereof, without prior written consent from the District. The Supplier shall have full responsibility for the completion and performance of all services and the delivery of all goods awarded to Supplier pursuant to this RFP.

- **2.3 USE OF DISTRICT NAME OR LOGO(S)**: Supplier may not use the District's official name or logo, or any phrase associated with the District, without the written permission from the Board of Education, the Superintendent of Schools, or their designee.
- **2.4 AUTHORIZATION / PERMITS:** The Supplier must have current licenses, permits, fees and similar authorizations required by the City of Houston, Harris Country, and the State of Texas to conduct business and provide awarded goods and/or services to the District and, upon the request of the District, must provide copies of all licenses, permits and fees as being paid and current that are required to do business by the city, county and State for the type of business they are seeking to provide to the District. Supplier will maintain all such licenses, permits, fees and similar authorizations current for the duration of the Agreement term.
- **2.5 SUPPLIER NATIONWIDE CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS:** Pursuant to Sections 22.085 and 22.0834 of the Texas Education Code, Supplier hereby certifies that all employees, subcontractors and volunteers of the Supplier who are hired by Supplier on or after January 1, 2008, and who have continuing duties related to the contracted services; and who have or will have direct contact with students have passed a national criminal history background record information review as required by those sections.

Supplier shall send or ensure that the employee or applicant sends to the Texas Department of Public Safety ("DPS") information that is required by the DPS for obtaining national criminal history record information, which may include fingerprints and photographs. DPS shall obtain the person's national criminal history record information and report the results through the criminal history clearinghouse as provided by Section 411.0845, Government Code.

Supplier must also obtain certifications from all subcontractors that their employees to whom Section 22.0834 applies have also passed a national criminal history background record information review.

Supplier must also provide assurances that all of its employees, subcontractors and volunteers, including those hired before January 1, 2008, who have contact with students have passed a criminal history background check current within the last year. If an employee, subcontractor or volunteer of the Supplier has a criminal conviction or has received deferred adjudication for a felony offense or a misdemeanor involving moral turpitude, the District may elect not to enter into this contract, or cancel the contract.

WARNING: Section 44.034 of the Texas Education Code requires that a person or business entity that enters into a contract with a school district must give advance notice to the district if the person or an owner or operator of the business entity has been convicted of a felony. The notice must include a general description of the conduct resulting in the conviction of a felony.

The district may terminate this contract if the district determines that the person or business entity failed to give notice as required by Section 44.034 (a) or misrepresented the conduct resulting in the conviction. The district will compensate the person or business entity for services performed before the termination of the contract.

### 2.6 SUPPLIER DOCUMENT AUDIT AND INSPECTION/RECORD RETENTION/STUDENT INFORMATION:

2.6.1 The District reserves the right to audit various Supplier documents as requested by the District. From time to time, the District may desire to audit certain Supplier documents to ensure compliance with the Agreement and/or proposal response. Some audits may include but are not limited to: checking Supplier's invoices, authenticating the origin, Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS), shelf life of products and/or other similar types of documents. The Supplier agrees to furnish the District, in a reasonable time at a mutually agreeable place, documents requested by the District to perform any such reviews or audits.

- 2.6.2 HISD, or its authorized representative, shall be afforded unrestricted access to and permitted to inspect and copy all Supplier's records, which shall include but not be limited to accounting records (hard copy as well as computer readable data), correspondence, instructions, drawings, receipts, vouchers, memoranda and similar data relating to this project. Supplier shall preserve all such records for a period of five (5) fiscal years or for such longer period as may be required by law, after final payment relating to this project. If this project is funded from contract/grant funds provided by the U. S. Government or the State of Texas, all documentation, including books, and records shall be available for review and audit by the Comptroller General of the U. S. and/or the Inspector General of the federal sponsoring agency, or the State of Texas and its duly authorized representatives.
- 2.7 CONFIDENTIAL AND PROPRIETARY INFORMATION: The District and the Supplier may provide technical information, documentation and expertise to each other that is either (1) marked as being confidential or, (2) if delivered in oral form is summarized in writing within 10 working days and identified as being confidential ("Confidential Information"). The receiving party shall for a period of five (5) years from the date of disclosure (i) hold the disclosing party's Confidential Information in strict confidence, and (ii), except as previously authorized in writing by the disclosing party, not publish or disclose the disclosing party's Confidential Information to anyone other than the receiving party's employees on a need-to-know basis, and (iii) use the disclosing party's Confidential Information solely for performance of this project. The foregoing requirement shall not apply to any portion of a party's Confidential Information which (a) becomes publicly known through no wrongful act or omission on the part of the receiving party; (b) is already known to the receiving party at the time of the disclosure without similar nondisclosure obligations; (c) is rightfully received by the receiving party from a third party without similar nondisclosure obligations; (d) is approved for release by written authorization of the disclosing party; (e) is clearly demonstrated by the receiving party to have been independently developed by the receiving party without access to the disclosing party's Confidential Information; or (f) is required to be disclosed by order of a court or governmental body or by applicable law, provided that the party intending to make such required disclosure shall notify the other party of such intended disclosure in order to allow such party to seek a protective order or other remedy.
- **2.8 DATA AND PROPRIETARY INFORMATION:** All work, regarding this project, shall be deemed "Work Made For Hire" as defined by the United States Copyright Law, and HISD retains for itself sole ownership of all proprietary rights in and to all designs, engineering details and other data pertaining to any discoveries, inventions, patent rights, software, improvements and the like made by the Supplier's personnel in the course of performing the work.
- **2.9 TEXAS PUBLIC INFORMATION ACT (TPIA)**: Supplier acknowledges that the District is subject to the Texas Public Information Act (TPIA). As such, upon receipt of a request under the TPIA, the District is required to comply with the requirements of the TPIA. In the event that the request involves documentation that the Supplier has clearly marked as confidential and/or proprietary, the District will provide the Supplier with the notices under the TPIA. Supplier acknowledges that it has the responsibility to file exceptions with the Texas Attorney General's Office on why the documents identified as confidential and/or proprietary fall within an exception to public disclosure.
- **2.10 STUDENT CONFIDENTIALITY:** Supplier acknowledges that the District has a legal obligation to maintain the confidentiality and privacy of student records in accordance with applicable law and regulations, including, but not limited to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act ("FERPA"). Any student information provided to Supplier shall be provided in compliance with the requirements and exceptions outlined in FERPA. Supplier must comply with said law and regulations and safeguard student information. Supplier may not disclose student information to a third party without prior written consent from the parent or eligible student. Supplier must destroy any student information received from the District when no longer needed for the purposes of the Agreement.

#### 2.11 INSURANCE:

2.11.1 Unless otherwise agreed to by HISD, the Supplier shall carry insurance with responsible carriers acceptable to HISD rated A or better, by A.M. Best with minimum limits of liability coverage, as stated below, against claims for damages caused by bodily injury, including death, to employees and third parties, and claims for property damage. The Supplier shall furnish certificates of insurance (Acord Form) to HISD indicating compliance with this paragraph.

Type of Coverage Minimum Limits

1. Workers' Compensation Statutory

and Employer's Liability \$100,000 per accident

2. Automobile Liability:

Bodily Injury & Property Damage For all owned, non-owned vehicles and

hired vehicles.

\$1,000,000 Combined Single Limit

3. Commercial General Liability \$1,000,000 Per Occurrence

- 4. Professional Liability (errors and omissions) may be required at the discretion of the Project Manager.
- 2.11.2 The Supplier shall submit evidence with the proposal and again at the time of any execution of the contract/agreement that it has in full force and effect all insurance requirements listed above. The Supplier shall maintain such insurance in full force and effect throughout the duration of the Agreement. In the event that it is not commercially feasible to maintain insurance during the period required by the Agreement, Supplier shall supply HISD with equivalent assurance to the required insurance, acceptable to HISD.
- 2.11.3 HISD shall be named as an additional insured on the automobile and commercial general liability policy. HISD shall be named as an alternate employer on the workers' compensation policy. A waiver of subrogation shall be issued in favor of HISD in the workers' compensation, automobile and commercial general liability policies. The Supplier shall provide HISD with original certificates of insurance, acceptable to HISD. Insofar as allowed by law, such certificates shall indicate an agreement by each carrier not to cancel or significantly diminish coverage without a minimum of thirty (30) days prior written notice to HISD. In the event there is a deductible on any policy, the Supplier may be asked to provide evidence to the satisfaction of HISD that it is able to satisfy the deductible.
  - 2.11.4 Notice regarding insurance and **cancellation or changes** should be mailed to:

Project Manager as stated in Section 1.1.5 of this RFP Houston Independent School District Procurement Services 4400 West 18th Street Houston, Texas 77092

- 2.11.5 HISD reserves the right to require additional insurance coverage to be carried by the Supplier as deemed desirable by HISD, depending on the type of project.
- **2.12 TAXES**: HISD is exempt from local, state and federal taxes. In the event that taxes are imposed on the goods and/or services purchased, the District will not be responsible for payment of the taxes. The Supplier shall absorb the taxes entirely. The District will supply tax exemption information upon request.

#### 2.13 INVOICES/PAYMENT:

- 2.13.1 HISD standard payment terms are net 30 days after receipt of invoice. Supplier may offer the District a cash discount for payment of an invoice(s) with stated discount terms. Supplier's invoices should be sent to: Houston Independent School District, Controller's Office, Accounts Payable Department, 4400 West 18th Street, Houston, Texas 77092.
- 2.13.2 Invoices will be date and time stamped upon receipt in the Accounts Payable Department, and the cash discount, when applicable, will be calculated from the "receipt date" stamped on the invoice. Supplier's invoices **must** contain the appropriate HISD purchase order number on the face of the invoice. Each line item on the invoice should contain the corresponding line item number shown on the purchase order. Invoices submitted without the correct purchase order number shown may be returned to the Supplier for correction. Corrected invoices will be subject to the same payment provisions as original invoices.
- 2.13.3 Invoices should be provided to the District in a timely manner. Supplier is requested to invoice the District within 30 days of providing goods and/or services to the District.
- 2.13.4 In the event a Supplier presents the District with invoices, statements, reports, etc. that are incomplete, inaccurate or in need of substantial internal research, such action could result in delay of payment. The District will not be responsible for any interest charges and/or late fees as a result of delayed payment due to time delays caused by inadequate or incomplete information provided in invoices by Supplier.

### 2.14 QUANTITY:

- 2.14.1 There is no guaranteed amount of business, expressed or implied, to be purchased, or contracted for by HISD. However, the Supplier shall furnish all required goods and/or services to the District at the stated price, when and if required.
- 2.14.2 The District's agreement may be offered to other school districts or governmental entities. If applicable and at the discretion of the District, a forecast of planned usage will be issued as part of the project. This forecast is based upon the District's historical usage. If the District exceeds that forecast of usage and the Supplier experiences a higher volume of sales, the District may request a value consideration to compensate the District for said increased sales in the form of a volume usage rebate. Supplier should include, in their proposal, the method(s) they will use to calculate the usage rebate and discuss how the rebate will be calculated and paid.
- 2.14.3 The District expressly reserves the right to procure any goods or services from other sources or by other means.
- **2.15 BONDING**: At the District discretion, Performance and Payment Bonds may be required on certain projects valued in excess of designated amounts (\$100,000 for Performance Bond & \$25,000 for Payment Bond). The District will determine the necessity of Performance and Payment Bond on a project by project basis. The procurement Project Manager will advise potential Proposers if a particular project requires bonding. A sample of the Performance Bond and the Payment Bond can be found at the following web address:

http://www.houstonisd.org/cms/lib2/TX01001591/Centricity/Domain/8017/Performance Bond Form.docx

**2.16 GOVERNING LAW:** Any agreement resulting from this RFP shall be governed by, construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Texas without regard to the conflicts or choice of law principles thereof. The parties irrevocably consent to the jurisdiction of the State of Texas, and agree that any court of competent jurisdiction sitting in the County of Harris, State of Texas, shall be an appropriate and convenient place of venue, and shall be the sole and exclusive place of venue, to resolve any dispute with respect to the Agreement.

**2.17 RELATIONSHIP OF THE PARTIES**: It is understood and agreed that the Supplier is a separate legal entity from HISD and neither it nor any employees, volunteers, or agents contracted by it shall be deemed for any purposes to be employees or agents of HISD. The Supplier assumes full responsibility for the actions of its personnel and volunteers while performing any services incident to the Agreement, and shall remain solely responsible for their supervision, daily direction and control, payment of salary (including withholding of income taxes and social security), workers' compensation, disability benefits and like requirements and obligations.

**2.18 NO WAIVER OF IMMUNITY:** The District does not waive or relinquish any immunity or defense on behalf of itself and its trustees, officers, employees, and agents as a result of entering into any agreement or contract relating to this project or by performing any of the functions or obligations relating to the project. Nothing in any agreement shall be constructed as creating any personal liability on the part of any trustee, officer, employee, or representative of HISD. No waiver of a breach of any provision of the contract and/or agreement shall be construed to be a waiver of any breach of any other provision. No delay in acting with regard to any breach of any provision shall be construed to be a waiver of such breach.

2.19 INDEMNIFICATION: THE SUPPLIER SHALL INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD HARMLESS AND DEFEND HISD AND EACH OF IT'S RESPECTIVE PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE OFFICERS, TRUSTEES, AGENTS, AND EMPLOYEES IN THEIR INDIVIDUAL AND OFFICIAL CAPACITIES, FROM AND AGAINST ALL CLAIMS, LOSSES OR DAMAGES, INCLUDING ATTORNEY'S AND EXPERT'S FEES, COURT COSTS AND EXPENSES INCURRED BY HISD AND IT'S OFFICERS, TRUSTEES, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES, FOR INJURY, INCLUDING DEATH, TO PERSONS, OR DAMAGE TO OR DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY, AND LAWSUITS, DEMANDS OR CAUSES OF ACTION OF WHATSOEVER KIND OR NATURE BASED UPON, RESULTING FROM OR ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH ANY NEGLIGENT ACT, ERROR, OMISSION, MISREPRESENTATION, OR MISCONDUCT BY SUPPLIER AND ITS EMPLOYEES, OFFICERS, SUB-CONSULTANTS, OR AGENTS ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH SUPPLIER'S PERFORMANCE OF THE AGREEMENT.

All obligations as set forth in this paragraph shall survive the completion of or termination of the Agreement.

It is agreed with respect to any legal limitations now or hereafter in effect and affecting the validity or enforceability of the indemnification obligation, such legal limitations are made a part of the indemnification obligation to the minimum extent necessary to bring the provision into conformity with the requirements of such limitations, and as so modified, the indemnification obligations shall continue in full force and effect.

**2.20 NOTICE**: Any notice required to be given relating to the Agreement shall be in writing and shall be duly served when hand-delivered to the addressees set forth below, or shall have been deposited, duly registered or certified, return receipt requested, via the United States Postal Service, addressed to the other party at the following addresses:

To: Supplier's Contact Name and Address as listed in Form A

To: Houston Independent School District

Attn: Superintendent of Schools

4400 West 18th Street Houston, Texas 77092

Copy To: Mr. Gilberto A. Carles, MBA

General Manager – Procurement Services

4400 West 18<sup>th</sup> Street Houston, Texas 77092

Any party may designate a different address by giving the other party ten (10) days prior written notice in the manner provided above.

- **2.21 SECTION HEADINGS**: The headings of sections and paragraphs contained in any document related to this project are for convenience only, and they shall not, expressly or by implication, limit, define, extend, or construe the terms or provisions relating to the project.
- **2.22 THIRD PARTY BENEFICIARIES**: Nothing relating to this project shall be deemed or construed to create any third party beneficiaries or otherwise give any third party any claim or right of action against HISD or the Supplier(s).
- **2.23 DISPUTE RESOLUTION**: At the option of the District, the Supplier and the District agree that prior to filing any suit, administrative proceeding, or other legal proceeding, related to this Agreement, each party shall submit any and all disputes to the alternative dispute resolution process of non-binding mediation. The Supplier and the District further agree to attend the mediation and to participate in settlement negotiations in a good faith effort to resolve any and all disputes through a written settlement agreement. The mediation shall take place in Harris County, Texas, and will be conducted by a mediator mutually selected by the parties. If the parties are unable to agree on a mediator, each party shall submit a list of up to three names as a mediator along with a curriculum vitae and costs associated with each name submitted. Each party will alternate in striking one name from the list until only one name remains. The remaining name will be the agreed upon mediator. HISD will have the first opportunity to strike a name from the list. All fees and costs of the mediator shall be shared equally between the parties. No formal record shall be made of the mediation.

### 2.24 **TERMINATION**:

- 2.24.1 The District reserves the right to terminate, without cause and for any reason, the Agreement resulting from this RFP upon thirty (30) calendar days prior written notice, or five (5) days prior written notice for cause.
- 2.24.2 HISD also has the right to terminate the Agreement for convenience, without penalty, for non-appropriation or non-availability of funds by delivery to the Supplier of a "Notice of Termination" specifying the extent to which performance hereunder is terminated and the date upon which such termination becomes effective.

### 2.25 DEFECTIVE / NON-CONFORMING WORK:

- 2.25.1 If, following seven (7) calendar days of a written notice to a Supplier identifying defective or nonconforming work, the Supplier or its subcontractors fail to correct such defective or nonconforming work, HISD may order the Supplier to stop further work, or any portion thereof, until the defect or nonconformance has been properly corrected by the Supplier or its subcontractors.
- 2.25.2 Should the Supplier not proceed with the correction of defective or non-conforming work within three (3) additional calendar days of HISD's order to stop further work, as set forth above, HISD may cause the removal, repair or correction of the defective or nonconforming work and may charge all associated costs of the same to the Supplier.
- **2.26 DEFAULT CONDITIONS:** If the Supplier: (i) breaches any provision of the Agreement; (ii), becomes insolvent, enters voluntary or involuntary bankruptcy, or receivership proceedings, or makes an assignment for the benefit of creditors; or (iii) is in violation of any state or federal law (collectively, "event(s) of default"), HISD will have the right (without limiting any other rights or remedies that it may have in the Agreement or by law) to terminate the Agreement with five (5) days prior written notice to the Supplier. HISD will then be relieved of all obligations, except to pay the reasonable value of the Supplier's prior performance, satisfactory to HISD (at a cost not exceeding the agreement rate and subject to any claims, costs and expenses incurred by HISD as a result of Supplier default). In the event of default, HISD is expressly authorized to obtain the goods or services that would have been provided by Supplier under this Agreement from an alternative source. The Supplier will be liable to HISD for all costs exceeding the Agreement price

that HISD incurs in completing or procuring the services and goods as provided for in the Agreement. HISD's right to require strict performance of any obligation in the Agreement will not be affected by any previous waiver, forbearance, or course of dealing.

- 2.27 WARRANTIES: SUPPLIER EXPRESSLY WARRANTS THAT ALL THE GOODS AND SERVICES COVERED BY THE AGREEMENT RESULTING FROM THIS RFP WILL BE IN EXACT ACCORDANCE WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE AWARD OF THE RFP AND RESULTING AGREEMENT AND FREE FROM DEFECTS IN MATERIALS AND/OR WORKMANSHIP. SUPPLIER EXPRESSLY WARRANTS MERCHANTABILITY FOR ALL GOODS PROVIDED PURSUANT TO THE RESULTING AGREEMENT. ALL WARRANTIES SHALL SURVIVE DELIVERY OF THE GOODS AND COMPLETION OF THE SERVICES, AND SHALL NOT BE DEEMED WAIVED EITHER BY REASON OF THE DISTRICT'S ACCEPTANCE OF SAID GOODS AND SERVICES OR BY PAYMENT FOR THEM. ANY DEVIATIONS FROM THE AGREEMENT, OR DESCRIPTIONS OR SPECIFICATIONS FURNISHED THEREUNDER, OR ANY OTHER EXCEPTIONS OR ALTERATIONS MUST BE APPROVED IN WRITING BY THE DISTRICT'S PROCUREMENT GENERAL MANAGER.
- **2.28 THIRD PARTIES**: Nothing in this RFP shall create a contractual relationship with or a cause of action in favor of a third party against either HISD or the Supplier.
- **2.29 UNENFORCEABLE SECTIONS**: If any portion of this RFP or any Agreement is deemed to be unenforceable, the remainder of the RFP and Agreement shall be construed as if such unenforceable provisions had never been contained therein.
- **2.30 MWBE PARTICIPATION GOAL**: The Supplier shall report their MWBE participation goal as a percent of the total compensation. This information shall be identified per firm, discipline and participation.
- **2.31 SUBCONTRACTING**: The Supplier shall not subcontract services provided in this RFP without prior written approval by HISD.
- **2.32 WORK STOPAGE**: In no event shall HISD be liable or responsible to the Supplier or any other person for our on account of, any stoppage or delay in work.
- **2.33 HAZARDOUS MATERIALS**: In the performance of the Supplier's services, the Supplier shall not cause any release of Hazardous Substances, including asbestos, or contamination of the environment, including the soil, the atmosphere or any water course or ground water. Supplier shall be liable for any claims or damages resulting from such release of or exposures to any such substances as a result of the Supplier's activities.
- **2.34 BUSINESS ETHICS**: During the course of the project awarded by this RFP, the Supplier will maintain business ethics standards aimed at avoiding real or apparent impropriety or conflicts of interest. No substantial gifts over \$50, entertainment, payments, loans, or other considerations beyond that which may be collectively categorized as incidental shall be made to any employees or officials of HISD, its authorized agents and representatives, or to family members of any of them. At any time the Supplier believe there may have been a violation of this obligation, the Supplier shall notify HISD of the possible violation. HISD is entitled to request a representation letter from the Supplier, its subcontractors or vendors at any time to disclose all things of value passing from the Supplier, its subcontractors or vendors to HISD's personnel or its authorized agents and representatives.
- **2.35 BUSINESS CERTIFICATES / HISD TAXES**: All individuals or entries entering into a contract with HISD must adhere to the following applicable Texas laws as they pertain to their individual type of ownership.

- <u>2.36.1 Corporations:</u> (domestic [formed under Texas law] or foreign [formed under laws of another state]) shall be properly registered with the Texas Secretary of State and the Comptroller of Public Accounts as required by TITLE 34, Part 1, Chapter 3, Subchapter V, Rule 3.546 of the Texas Administrative Code. A current "Certificate of Good Standing" from the Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts shall be made available upon request stating that the corporation charter is current and all Texas Franchise Reports and taxes are paid.
- 2.36.2 Partnerships and Joint Stock Companies, and Limited Liability Partnerships: (domestic [formed under Texas law] or foreign [formed under laws of another state]) shall be, properly registered with the Texas Secretary of State in accordance with TITLE 105 PARTNERSHIPS and JOINT STOCK COMPANIES, CHAPTER ONE- PARTNERSHIPS, LIMITED PARTNERSHIPS, TEXAS REVISED PARTNERSHIP ACT, Article 6132a-1, "Texas Revised Limited Partnership Act. All partners in a partnership must file a "Certificated of Limited Partnership" with the secretary of state, which shall be made available for inspection upon request.
- 2.36.3 Entities whether, Corporate, Partnership, or Sole Owner must be current on HISD Property Taxes: If commercial personal property is located within HISD's jurisdiction, current renditions of these properties must be filed with the Chief Appraiser, as required by Chapter 22k Section 22.01 of the Texas "PROPERTY TAX CODE".
- **2.36 ATTORNEY FEES**: In connection with HISD's defense of any suit against it and/or HISD's prosecution of any claim, counterclaim or action to enforce any of its rights and/or claims related to this RFP or any agreement, in which HISD prevails as to all or any portion of its defense(s), claims, counterclaims or actions, HISD shall be entitled to recover its actual attorney's fee and expenses incurred in defending such suit and/or in prosecuting such claim or action.

### III. SCOPE OF WORK AND SPECIFIC CONDITIONS

3.1 INTRODUCTION: The Houston Independent School district is the largest school district in Texas and the 7<sup>th</sup> largest in the nation. HISD has over three hundred (300) facilities in the greater Houston area. Each school and department has a separate budget and makes individual budgetary decisions regarding their paper needs. HISD also has departments that are revenue generating entities such as the Print Shop.

Paper/paper products are delivered to and stocked in the central warehouse located at 228 McCarty Dr., Houston, TX 77029 for distribution within the District. Non inventory items ordered from awarded supplier/suppliers may be delivered directly to other locations within the District.

HISD purchases several million dollars' worth of paper supplies during a single fiscal year. Suppliers should not interpret this as a minimum or maximum guarantee. Purchases resulting from this solicitation will be dependent upon the needs of the schools and departments

**3.2 SCOPE OF WORK:** At minimum, the District is seeking the following goods and/or services to be provided by the Consultant:

### **General Terms and Conditions**

- Proposal prices shall remain firm during the initial term of the contract and for any extension thereof. Contractor
  may request a price increase, if there is a price increase from manufacturer. The request shall be submitted in
  writing at least thirty (30) days prior to the proposed effective date of the increase and shall be fully documented.
  HISD shall determine whether the request is reasonable and either grant the request, purchase services from
  another source, or re-bid the contract.
- Lacey Act (1900, revised May 2008) The suppliers shall be aware of the Lacey Act and shall maintain due diligence
  with the laws governing said act and shall protect HISD from illegally harvested plants as defined by the act as
  practical.
- All prices quoted shall be on the basis of F.O.B. Houston Independent School District central warehouse dock.
   HISD shall not pay freight or handling charges associated with delivery.
- Quantities given in the attached specifications are based on last year's usage amounts and may be increased or decreased. Additionally, it is the intention of the warehouse to turn the inventory over approximately 10 times during the school year. The actual number of turns will depend on usage. No minimum quantities will be required of HISD by suppliers when placing an order.
- It is the responsibility of each successful bidder to make certain that the product meets or exceeds these specifications. If a product is received at our warehouse which does not meet these specifications, the product will be refused and returned to the shipper at his expense. SUPPLIER MUST QUOTE THE UNIT OF MEASURE SPECIFIED, or your proposal may not be considered.
- The Houston Independent School District reserves the right to conduct any test necessary to guarantee that each item meets specifications.
- When bidding other than specified brands, samples must be submitted if requested to Amanda Garcia, 228 McCarty, Houston, Texas, no later than November 13, 2012 close of business, central warehouse. RFPs with alternates will not be considered unless this sample is received. Be sure that each sample is properly identified with your company name the item number and the project number 12-10-07.
- Each bidder must indicate brand name of each item being bid.

- Any damaged merchandise will be returned at the owner's expense, within thirty (30) days.
- It is HISD intent to purchase certified "green" paper based on needs and pricing. HISD prefers certifications from Sustainable Forestry Initiative (SFI), or Forest Stewardship Council (FSC).
- Please provide with your bid the chain of custody for those items that meet SFI or FSC.
- HISD reserves the right to re quote and re award when it is in the best interest to the district, specifically for price
  increases, quality issues, delivery or any other factor that may come to the attention of the district. Only those
  suppliers who initially bid that item will be contacted.
- Suppliers providing any paper and or products outside the Unites States or Canada must be able to provide an
  alternative source in the United States or Canada at no additional cost to the district. The supply of any paper or
  products shall not be interrupted and may lead to removal from the bid.

### **Specifications**

### **Index Paper**

- Mill brands considered for bid must be comparable to Springhill Index, Springhill #90 Index White, Scott Index, Simpson Index, and Exact Index and must be listed in the Competitive Grade Finder Book.
- Paper must be reamed wrapped, (250/ream).
- No Dutch cut will be acceptable. All index sheets must be long grain.
- Supplier must furnish samples of paper upon request by HISD.

### Roll/Offset 94 Brightness/Index Paper

- Mill Brands considered for the bid on color paper are to be comparable to Springhill Offset, Nekoosa Offset, Cougar Offset, Glacier Offset.
- Mill Brands considered for the bid on color index paper are to be comparable to Springhill Index, Scott Index, Exact Index.
- No end rolls.
- Paper must be single or double wrapped.
- Paper must be stacked on skids only, 4 rolls per skid, maximum.
- Paper will be shipped to: 228 McCarty Drive, Building #2.
- Successful bidder agrees to provide additional quantities at the prevailing market price or the original bid price, whichever is less.
- Supplier shall provide exactly how many rolls must be ordered in order to place order with mill.
- Item # 26223, 26224, 26225, 26226, and 26228 will be awarded to one overall lowest responsible bidder.
- Coated Book and Cover
- The paper must be a bright-white paper that has excellent opacity, ample strength for better folding and long life.
   Moreover, it must easily reproduce fine halftones and accept dull, semi-gloss, glossy, metallic ink and varnishing.
- #1 Gloss finish along with #1 Matte Finish offset
- Approved paper brands are Futura / Centura or approved equal.
- Supplier must furnish Certificate of Guarantee that paper is 85-87 whiteness.
- Finish: Matte/Gloss

- Alkaline
- Paper cannot be sheeted from a web sheet.

### 20 lb. Paper Specifications

- Paper must be reamed wrapped.
- Mill must furnish Certificate of Guarantee that paper is 92 brightness or higher.
- Paper will be shipped truck loads only.
- Selected suppliers will provide a sample case. (do not send the paper unless procurement notifies you)
- HISD intends to purchase SFI or FSC certified paper with proper chain of custody
- <u>3.3 COST:</u> Supplier shall provide a 30-day written notice of any price changes during the term of the Agreement and provide supporting manufacturer and/or distributor documentation to support such price adjustments.
- 3.4 EVALUATION FACTORS: The Board will conduct a comprehensive, fair and impartial evaluation of all proposals received in response to this RFP. Each proposal received will be analyzed to determine overall responsiveness and completeness as defined in the scope section and in the instructions on submitting a proposal. Failure to comply with the instructions or to submit a complete proposal may deem a proposal non-responsive and may at the discretion of the Board, result in a proposal being eliminated from further evaluation.

If the Board has reasonable grounds to believe that the proposer with the highest ranking score is unable to perform the required services to the satisfaction of HISD, HISD reserves the right to make an award to another proposer who in the opinion of the evaluation committee would offer HISD the best value. Some indicators (but not a complete list) of probable supplier/proposer performance concerns are: past performance; the proposer's financial resources and ability to perform; the proposer's experience or demonstrated capability and responsibility; and the proposer's ability to provide a reliable on-going business relationship and the maintenance of on-going agreements and support.

Criterion #	Criterion Description	Weighted Value
1	The purchase price	30%
2	The reputation of the Proposer and of the Proposer's goods or services	
3	The quality of the Proposer's goods or services	15%
4	The extent to which the goods or services meet the District's needs	15%
5	The Proposer's past relationship with the District	
The impact on the ability of the District to comply with laws and rules relating to historically underutilized businesses  The total long-term cost to the District		10%
		5%
For a contract for goods and services, other than goods and services related to telecommunications and information services, building construction and maintenance, or instructional materials, whether the vendor or the vendor's ultimate parent company or majority owner: (A) has its principal place of business in this state; or (B) employs at least 500 persons in this state		5%
9	Any other relevant factor specifically listed in the request for bids or proposals	N/A

### IV. PRICING SHEETS INCLUDING ELECTRONIC SUBMITTAL REQUIREMENTS

### **4.1 PRICING SUBMITTAL TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS:**

The District uses SAP Supplier Relationship management (SRM) for schools and departments to procure goods. If applicable, attached to this section is an Excel spreadsheet (Price Schedule), also referred to as the "electronic catalog," that is required for SAP and this project. The following items should be observed:

- 4.1.1 A printed hard copy of the electronic catalog should be included with each proposal (see Form F):
  - a. If your proposal is based on line-item pricing, you are required to submit three printed copies of the electronic catalog, unless specified differently in the proposal.
  - b. If your proposal is based on catalog discount, you are required to submit one printed copy of the electronic catalog, unless specified differently in the proposal.
- 4.1.2 Proposer(s) must submit information for this section in both printed and electronic form; handwritten proposals will not be accepted. Proposers must include a USB flash drive, CD or DVD, properly labeled with company's name and project number, that contains the requested electronic catalog in item 4.1.1 (electronic media supplied will not be returned and becomes property of the District).
- 4.1.3 The electronic catalog submitted on USB flash drive, CD or DVD must be in Microsoft Excel (.xls or .xlsx) format.
- 4.1.4 If the Excel spreadsheet contains a "List Price" column it must be completed.
- 4.1.5 Proposers are to prepare their offering with the most cost effective pack size in addition to the required unit of measure. This is to be included in the "Unit of Measure" column in the electronic catalog.
- 4.1.6 If Proposer is offering multiple options, please insert a separate line directly under the first one and add the same line item number.
- 4.1.7 The District's preference is to have the top number of items that are currently being utilized within the scope of the proposal. However, the electronic catalog should not exceed 2,000 rows. The spirit of this requirement is to have a manageable number of items that the District currently uses in the SAP system, yet makes up the majority of the District purchases.

# V. FORM A - COMPANY INFORMATION:

# Notice

This form requires a manual signature after each subsection, a manual signature on the final page and a notary attestation at the conclusion of the form, and must be included with the proposal in tab 2 of the Proposal.

	OF	<i>\$\omega\$</i>	AFFIDAVIT OF OWNERSHIP, CONTROL AND CORPORATE INFORMATION	
	BEFORE ME, THE UND	ERSIGNED AUTHORIT	TY, ON THIS DAY PERSONALLY APPEARED	
			[FULL NAME]	
(HEREAF	AFTER "AFFIANT"),			[STATE
TITLE/C	CAPACITY WITH PROPOSAL] OF (PI	ROPOSAL'S CORPOR	ATE/LEGAL NAME), WHO BEING BY ME DULY SWORN C	ON OATH
STATED	D AS FOLLOWS:			
1.	AFFIANT IS AUTHORIZED TO GIVE	THIS AFFIDAVIT AND	HAS PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE OF THE FACTS AND M	IATTERS
	HEREIN STATED;			
2.	PROPOSER(S) SEEKS TO DO BUSIN	IESS WITH THE DISTF	RICT IN CONNECTION WITH	
		[DESCRIBI	E PROJECT OR MATTER] WHICH IS EXPECTED TO BE	IN THE
	AMOUNT THAT EXCEEDS \$10,000.			
3.	THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS	S SUBMITTED IN CO	ONNECTION WITH THE PROPOSAL, SUBMISSION OR	BID OF
	PROPOSER IN CONNECTION WITH 1	ΓΗΕ ABOVE DESCRIBI	ED PROJECT OR MATTER.	

# 5.1 SUBSECTION I - COMPANY INFORMATION:

COMPANY NAME					
DATA UNIVERSAL NUMBERING SYSTEM (DUNS) NUMBER					
HOME OFFICELOCAL OFFICE					
ADDRESS_					
CITY					
STATEZIP					
TELEPHONEFAXFAX	_				
CONTACT PERSON'S NAME	_				
CONTACT PERSON'S TELEPHONE NUMBER FAX NUMBER	_				
CONTACT PERSON'S E-MAIL ADDRESS	-				
NUMBER OF YEARS YOUR ORGANIZATION HAS BEEN IN CONTINUOUS OPERATION					
NUMBER OF YEARS YOUR ORGANIZATION HAS BEEN IN BUSINESS UNDER ITS PRESENT BUSINESS NAME					
DOES YOUR COMPANY PAY TAXES TO THE HOUSTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT?					
4. ARE YOUR TAX PAYMENTS TO HISD CURRENT?					

5.	DOES ANY OFFICER, PARTNER, OWNER, SALES REPRESENTATIVE AND/OR SPOUSE WOF	RK FOR THE	
	HOUSTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT	☐ YES	$\square$ NO
6.	TYPE OF BUSINESS ENTITY:   PUBLICLY TRADED CORPORATION   PRIVATE CORPORATION   PARTNERSHIP   SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP   NOT FOLE		
7.	IF CORPORATION, ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS:		
	DATE OF INCORPORATION		
	STATE OF INCORPORATION		
	CHARTER NUMBER		
	PRESIDENT		
	VICE PRESIDENT		
	CORPORATE SECRETARY		
	TREASURER		
8.	IF PARTNERSHIP OR CORPORATION , DATE OF ORGANIZATION CREATION		
9.	IF SOLE PROPRIETOR, NUMBER OF YEARS IN BUSINESS	_	
10.	NUMBER OF YEARS DOING BUSINESS WITH HISD		
11.	Do you have experience with other school districts?yes	NO	
12.	IF YES, PLEASE LIST NAMES OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS		
			_

13.	IS YOUR COMPANY CAPABLE OF PROVIDING A DEDICATED WEBSITE WITH YOUR CATALOG WITH HISD'S PRICING?  YES;NO. IF YES, CAN YOUR WEBSITE INTERFACE WITH SAP PUBLIC SECTION 7.0 / ECC 6.0 OPEN CATALOG INTERFACE (OCI) COMPLIANT? YESNO.
14.	CAN YOUR COMPANY PROVIDE HISD WITH PERIODIC PREFORMATTED FLAT FILE UPDATES OF YOUR CATALOG? YES;NO.
15.	NAME AND COMPLETE ADDRESS OF ALL PARTNERS LISTED ON A SEPARATE SHEET AND ATTACHED.
16.	IF OTHER THAN CORPORATION OR PARTNERSHIP, DESCRIBE ORGANIZATION AND NAME OF PRINCIPALS:
17.	MINORITY OWNERSHIP:
	IS YOUR FIRM A MINORITY AND/OR WOMAN OWNED FIRM? ☐ YES ☐ NO
	PERCENTAGE OF OWNERSHIP THAT IS MINORITY OR WOMAN OWNED
	MARK ALL THAT ARE APPROPRIATE:  ANGLO AFRICAN AMERICAN HISPANIC AMERICAN INDIAN ASIAN/PACIFIC ISLANDER  MALE FEMALE  LOCATION: HOUSTON TEXAS OUT OF STATE OUT OF STATE WITH LOCAL OFFICE
	MARK ALL ORGANIZATIONS THAT HAVE ISSUED YOUR MINORITY STATUS:  THE HOUSTON BUSINESS COUNCIL SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION CITY OF HOUSTON
18.	CHECK ONE OF THE FOLLOWING:  PROPOSER WILL PROVIDE GOODS AND SERVICES WITH OWN WORK FORCE PROPOSER WILL PURCHASE GOODS DIRECTLY FROM THE MANUFACTURER OR OTHER SUPPLIER

19. NAME OF STATE WHERE YOUR HOME OFFICE/HE IF NOT TEXAS, DOES THE STATE HAVE PREFEREN IF YES, WHAT PERCENTAGE:	NTIAL TREATMENT ON BIDS - YES	□ No
20. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER INFORMATION		
THE HOUSTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTR	RICT CAN ONLY DO BUSINESS WITH	EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYERS.
CURRENT TOTAL NUMBER OF EMPLOYEES_	NUMBER OF MALES	NUMBER OF FEMALES
OF THE TOTAL NUMBER OF PERSONS CURRE	ENTLY EMPLOYED, PROVIDE THE FC	DLLOWING INFORMATION:
NUMBER OF ANGLO	NUMBER OF	F AFRICAN AMERICAN
NUMBER OF HISPANIC	NUMBER OF	F OTHER MINORITIES
DO YOU ADVERTISE AS AN "EQUAL OPPORTU	JNITY EMPLOYER"?	☐ YES ☐ NO
DO YOU HAVE A WRITTEN NON-DISCRIMINAT	ORY POLICY OF EMPLOYMENT?	☐ YES ☐ NO
HAS THIS POLICY BEEN CIRCULATED THROU	GHOUT YOUR ORGANIZATION?	☐ YES ☐ NO
NAME AND TITLE OF PERSON TO CONTACT F	REGARDING EQUAL OPPORTUNI	TY INFORMATION ISSUES:
NAME	TITI	LE
21. LIST YOUR BANKING REFERENCE:		
BANK NAME	OFFICER'S NAME	
BANK ADDRESS	CITY STATE ZIP	
OFFICER'S TELEPHONE NUMBER	OFFICER'S FAX	( NUMBER
I attest that I have answered the questions regarding	ing company information truthfull	y and to the best of my knowledge.
	CORPORATE OFFICER'S SIGNA	TURE
	PRINTED NAME	
	TITLE	

### 5.2 SUBSECTION II - CERTIFICATION AND DISCLOSURE STATEMENT:

A person or business entity entering into a contract and/or agreement with HISD is required by Texas Law to disclose, in advance of the contract and/or agreement award, if the person or an owner or operator of the business entity has been convicted of a felony. The disclosure should include a general description of the conduct resulting in the conviction of a felony as provided in section 44.034 of the <u>Texas Education Code</u>. The requested information is being collected in accordance with applicable law. <u>This requirement does not apply to a publicly held corporation</u>.

If an individually owned Company:		
Has the owner(s) ever been convicted of a feld	ony?	□ Yes □ No
If a Corporation, Partnership, Limited Partnership,	etc:	
Has any owner, or partner, of your business en	ntity been convicted of a felony?	□ Yes □ No
Has any manager or director of your entity been co	□ Yes □ No	
Has any employee of your entity been convicted of	□ Yes □ No	
If Yes, give details:		
f you answered yes to any of the above questions, peonviction of the felony, including the Case Number occurred, and the sentence. (Attached additional parattest that I have answered the questions concerning	, the applicable dates, the State and Coges, if necessary.)	ounty where the conviction
	CORPORATE OFFICER'S SIGNATURE	
	PRINTED NAME	
	TITLE	

### 5.3 SUBSECTION III - FREE OF INDEBTEDNESS STATEMENT:

The Texas Education Code (Section 44.044) provides that school districts, by resolution of the Board of Trustees, may establish regulations requiring that persons or entities entering into a contract and/or agreement or transaction with the District not be indebted to the District. The Board of Education has approved a resolution establishing policy that requires that the awarded, or selected, suppliers be free of any indebtedness to the District. The following information must be completed by individual and/or business entities.

List all the tax account numbers for all property taxe	es due the Houston Independent School District:
Are all City, County, and Houston Independent Scho property owned by individual and/or business entity	ol District property taxes, both real and personal, assessed against paid?
□ Yes □ No	
If you answer "no" to this question, provide detail of indebtedness.	f the amounts due the District and your current plan to satisfy this
I attest that I have answered the questions regardin the best of my knowledge.	g indebtedness to the Houston Independent School District truthfully and to
	CORPORATE OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
	PRINTED NAME
	TITLE

### 5.4 SUBSECTION IV - CERTIFICATION REGARDING DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION:

The undersigned certifies on behalf of the company and its key employees that neither the company nor its key employees have been proposed for debarment, debarred or suspended by any Federal Agency.

The undersigned agrees to notify the District in the event that the company or any of its key employees are proposed for debarment, debarred or suspended by any Federal Agency or by any State of Texas agency. Notification shall take place within five (5) business days after the company or employee is notified of either debarment or suspension or possible debarment or suspension. Notification shall be sent to Mr. Gilberto Carles, MBA; General Manager – Procurement Services; Houston Independent School District; 4400 West 18th Street; Houston, Texas 77092.

I attest that I have answered the questions regarding debarment and suspension truthfully and to the best of my knowledge.

CORPORATE OFFICER'S SIGNATURE	
PRINTED NAME	
TITI F	

### 5.5 SUBSECTION V - STATEMENT OF NON-COLLUSION:

The undersigned Proposer does hereby certify:

a)

- b) That such proposal was not made in the interest of or on behalf of any undisclosed person, partnership, company, association, organization or corporation.
- c) That such proposal is genuine and not collusive or sham.

That all statements of fact in such proposal are true.

- d) That Proposer(s) has not, directly or indirectly by agreement, communication or conference with anyone, attempted to induce action prejudicial to the interest of the District or of any other bidder or anyone else interested in the proposed procurement.
- e) That Proposer(s) did not, directly or indirectly, collude, conspire, connive or agree with anyone else that said bidder or anyone else would submit a false or sham bid or proposal, or that anyone should refrain from bidding or withdraw his bid or proposal.
- f) That Proposer(s) did not, in any manner, directly or indirectly seek by agreement, communication or conference with anyone to raise or fix the bid or proposal price of said bidder or of anyone else, or to raise or fix any overhead, profit or cost element of his bid or proposal price, or that of anyone else.
- g) That Proposer(s) did not, directly or indirectly, submit his bid or proposal price or any breakdown thereof, or the contents thereof, or divulge information on data relative thereto, to any corporation, partnership, company, association, organization, bid depository, or to any member or agent thereof, or to any individual or group of individuals, except to the District, or to any person or persons who have a partnership or other financial interest with said Proposer in his business.
- h) That Proposer(s) did not provide, directly or indirectly to any officer or employee of the District any gratuity, entertainment, meals, or anything of value, whatsoever, which could be construed as intending to invoke any form of reciprocation or favorable treatment.

- i) That no officer or principal of the undersigned firm is related to any officer or employee of the District by blood or marriage within the third degree or is employed, either full or part time, by the District either currently or within the last two (2) years.
- j) That no officer or principal of the undersigned firm nor any subcontractor to be engaged by the principal has been convicted by a court of competent jurisdiction of any charge of fraud, bribery, collusion, conspiracy or any other act in violation of any state or federal anti-trust law in connection with the bidding, award of, or performance of any public work contract and/or agreement with any public entity.

I attest that I have answered the questions regarding non-collusion truthfully and to the best of my knowledge.

CORPORATE OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
PRINTED NAME
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### 5.6 SUBSECTION VI - SUBSECTION VI ANTITRUST CERTIFICATION STATEMENT:

(Texas Government Code §2155.005)

I affirm under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of Texas that:

- 1. I am duly authorized to execute this agreement/contract/proposal on my own behalf or on behalf of the company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual (Company) listed below;
- 2. In connection with this proposal, neither I nor any representative of the Company have violated any provision of the Texas Free Enterprise and Antitrust Act, Tex. Bus & Comm. Code Chapter 15;
- 3. In connection with this bid, neither I nor any representative of the Company have violated any federal antitrust law; and
- 4. Neither I nor any representative of the Company have directly or indirectly communicated any of the contents of this proposal to a competitor of the Company or any other company, corporation, firm, partnership or individual engaged in the same line of business as the Company.

Company Name	
Company Address	
City, State, Zip Code	-
Phone	-
Facsimile	
Proposer Signature	-
Proposer Printed Name	-
Position with Company	
(IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE)	
Official Authorizing Proposal	
Corporate Officer's Signature	
Printed Name	
Position with Company	

# 5.7 SUBSECTION VII - CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE FORM:

CONFLICT OF INTEREST QUESTIONNAIRE For vendor or other person doing business with local governmental entity	FORM CIQ
This questionnaire reflects changes made to the law by H.B. 1491, 80th Leg., Regular Session.	OFFICE USE ONLY
This questionnaire is being filed in accordance with Chapter 176, Local Government Code by a person who has a business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a) with a local governmental entity and the person meets requirements under Section 176.006(a).  By law this questionnaire must be filed with the records administrator of the local governmental entity not later than the 7th business day after the date the person becomes aware of facts that require the statement to be filed. See Section 176.006, Local Government Code.  A person commits an offense if the person knowingly violates Section 176.006, Local Government Code. An offense under this section is a Class C misdemeanor.	Date Received
Check this box if you are filing an update to a previously filed questionnaire.  (The law requires that you file an updated completed questionnaire with the applicater than the 7th business day after the date the originally filed questionnaire become Name of local government officer with whom filer has employment or business relationship	es incomplete or inaccurate.)
Name of Officer	
This section (item 3 including subparts A, B, C & D) must be completed for each officer employment or other business relationship as defined by Section 176.001(1-a). Local Govern pages to this Form CIQ as necessary.  A. Is the local government officer named in this section receiving or likely to receive taxable in income, from the filer of the questionnaire?	ment Code. Attach additional
B. Is the filer of the questionnaire receiving or likely to receive taxable income, other than invedirection of the local government officer named in this section AND the taxable income is governmental entity?	
Yes No	
C. Is the filer of this questionnaire employed by a corporation or other business entity wire government officer serves as an officer or director, or holds an ownership of 10 percent or more continuous.	
Yes No	350
D. Describe each employment or business relationship with the local government officer name	ned in this section.
4	
Signature of person doing business with the governmental entity	Date

Adopted 06/29/2007

	COMPANY NAME
	CORPORATE OFFICER'S SIGNATURE
	PRINTED NAME
	TITLE
s associated with the Proposal in the capacity no	ubmit the above information on behalf of the Proposer, that Affiant of the accuracy of the accuracy of the tion provided herein is true and correct to the best of Affiant's
	Affiant
SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this	day of, 20
seal)	
,	Notary Public

### VI. FORM B - M/WBE INSTRUCTIONS:

Please refer to At	tachment B-MWBE	Participation Repo	ort that is located o	n HISD's Procureme	ent Web Site.
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VII. FORM C

(NOT USED)

#### VIII. FORM D - PRICING AND SERVICE AFFIRMATION

Proposer will provide the product/services to the Houston Independent School District ("HISD") and possibly other governmental agencies (through Interlocal-agreements). Additionally, the focus is on identifying all costs associated with the product/services. HISD is looking to quantify all fees and work towards solutions that minimize costs, while maintaining or improving current service levels. Please see Price Schedule (Form F) to this RFP.

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

Having carefully examined all the specifications and requirements of this RFP and any attachments thereto, the undersigned proposes to furnish the products/services required pursuant to the above- referenced RFP upon the terms quoted below.

#### .1 Price and Products/Services Quotation

The prices quoted shall be HISD's pricing for the product or service. There shall be no separate or additional charges, fees, handling or other incidental costs associated in the acquisition of the product/services not disclosed herein. Proposer understands that HISD makes no guarantee as to the volume, amount or type of product/services that may be purchased under any Agreement.

Proposer certifies and agrees that all prices and any promotion or rebates quoted in the proposal have been reviewed and are the final proposed price and product/service offering for this initial RFP response.

#### .2 Price Assurance

Proposer agrees that, if Proposer is awarded a contract, equal and identical pricing may be extended to another governmental agency (see section 2.15.2 and 2.29 of this RFP).

### .3 HISD Payment Terms

HISD's standard payment terms for services are "net 30 days" from receipt of the invoice. Indicate below the prompt payment discount that Proposer will provide to HISD:

Proposer agrees to the General Terms and Conditions and all other Terms and Conditions of this

### .4 General Terms and Conditions

RFP unless exceptions are identified in the Exception Form (Form E).			
Prompt Payment Discount% _	days / net 30 days.		
	Respectfully submitted:		
	Company Name:		

Printed Name:

By: \_\_\_\_\_(Corporate Officer's Signature )

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### IX. FORM E - EXCEPTION FORM

All deviations and exceptions to this RFP must be expressly stated in this Exception Form (additional pages to this form may be added if necessary). In the absence of any entry on this Exception Form, the Proposer(s) assures HISD of their full agreement and compliance with all specifications, terms and conditions, requirements and obligations of the RFP. THIS EXCEPTION FORM MUST BE SIGNED BY EACH PROPOSER(S) WHETHER THERE ARE EXCEPTIONS LISTED OR NOT, AND SUBMITTED WITH THE PROPOSAL.

**EXCEPTION** 

SUBSECTION #) AND PAGE	
	Company Name
	Corporate Officer's Signature
	Printed Name
	Date

**SECTION #.** 

### X. FORM F - (PRICE SCHEDULE)

#### **CORRECTIVE ACTION FOR INCORRECT PRICING**

If during the term of the agreement a supplier continues to incorrectly bill items, the following corrective action will take place.

1st offense HISD procurement will call a meeting; then a letter will be given to the supplier explaining

their first infraction. They will sign this letter at the meeting. They will then be given one

week to comply.

2<sup>nd</sup> offense HISD procurement will call a meeting; Final warning level; explaining the infraction and

what will happen again if it occurs again. They will sign the letter and be given a week to

comply.

3<sup>rd</sup> offense The supplier may be removed from the agreement and a registered letter will be sent

summarizing all the infractions and the districts intentions to possibly terminate the

agreement within 30 days. The supplier may be blocked at this time.

Material	Material Description	EST. 12 MO. USAGE QTY	Suppliers Price USD	UofM
1996	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28, 6 PLY, ASSORTED 25	349	\$	PKG
	BOARD, POSTER, 22"X28", 6 PLY, ASSORTED COLORS, 25/PK. PACON 5488-1; COMET #1-0651			
1997	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28, 6 PLY,WHITE 25/PK	309	\$	PKG
	BOARD, POSTER, 22"X28", 6PLY, WHITE, 25/PK, LONG GRAIN, WHITE BOTH SIDES, ONE SIDE CLAY COATED TO FORM A SMOOTH SURFACE. PACON #104159-1; COMET 0635; OFFICE MAX - 104159			
2002	BOOK, 3/8" RLD,36 SHT,SPIRAL 48/BOX	4,750	\$	EA
	BOOK, SPIRAL, 3/8 RULED, 36 SHT, SPIRAL 3 HOLE PUNCHED, NOT PRIMARY RULING-NO DASHED LINES. ROARING SPRING #10030; MEAD #05-002; ST. REGIS #524007; SCHOOL SMART 85140; EDUCATIONAL PRODUCTS - RS10030 BLUE R.S.			
2003	BOOK, COMPOSITION,1/2" RLD,36 SHT,SPIRAL	2480	\$	EA
	BOOK, COMPOSITION, 1/2 RULED, 36 SHT, SPIRAL, NOT PRIMARY RULING-NO DASHED LINES. COMET #6340			
2009	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', BLUE 6/CTN	1264	\$	RO
	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', BLUE. 6/CTN - PACON #0037174;			
2010	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', BROWN 6/CTN	878	\$	RO

	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', BROWN. 6/CTN - PACON #0037024;		
2011	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', CANARY 6/CTN	1328	\$ RO
	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', CANARY. 6/CTN - PACON #0037084;		
2012	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', GREEN NILE 6/CTN	1256	\$ RO
	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', GREEN NILE. 6/CTN - PACON #0037124;		
2013	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', ORANGE 6/CTN	1056	\$ RO
	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', ORANGE. 6/CTN - PACON #0037104		
2014	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', PINK 6/CTN	840	\$ RO
	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', PINK. 6/CTN - PACON #0037264;		
2015	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', RED FLAME 6/CTN	1242	\$ RO
	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', RED FLAME. 6/CTN - PACON #0037034;		
2016	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', WHITE 6/CTN	1350	\$ RO
	BORDETTE, COLORED 2-1/4"X50', WHITE 6/CTN - PACON #0037014;		
2125	ENVELOPE, WHITE,#10,W/HISD RETURN ADDRES	111	\$ вх
	ENVELOPE, WHITE, #10, W/HISD RETURN ADDRESS, 500 PER BOX. PRINT MASTER #28439; OFFICE DEPOT # 63400		
2128	ENVELOPE, WHITE,#10,W/WINDOW,HISD RETURN	15	\$ ВХ
	ENVELOPE, WHITE, #10, SULFITE, W/WINDOW, WITH HISD RETURN ADDRESS. PRINT MASTER #28461; OFFICE DEPOT #63400		
2191	BOOK, COMPOSITION,1/2RULE,GR1-2,RED BASE	3692	\$ EA
	BOOK, COMPOSITION, 1/2" RULED, GR.1-3,RED BASELINE WITH DOTTED MIDLINE, 36 SHEET. EPI #25361 - 72/CASE THE CLASSROOM LINE -RS 75160-72/CASE		
2274	PAPER, ELECTRIC YELLOW, DP, 8-1/2X11, 20/50	1358	\$ RM
	PAPER, ELECTRIC YELLOW, DP, 8-1/2 X11, 20/50#, DUAL PURPOSE - MULTI-PURPOSE. WASSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER EXACT BRIGHTS TEXT BRIGHT YELLOW 50# - #26701; KALEIDOSCOPE "HYPER YELLOW"; RIVERSIDE #2200		
2275	PAPER, ELECTRIC GREEN, DP,8-1/2X11,20/50	1308	\$ RM

2276	PAPER, ELECTRIC GREEN, DP, 8-1/2 X11, 20/50#, DUAL PURPOSE - MULT-IPURPOSE. WAUSAU PAPERS/NEENAH PAPER EXACT BRIGHTS TEXT BRIGHT GREEN 50# - #26791; RIVERSIDE KALEIDOSCOPE "HYPER LIME" #2224  PAPER, ELECTRIC PINK, DP, 8-1/2 X11, 20/50  PAPER ,ELECTRIC PINK, DP, 8-1/2 X11, 20/50#, ACCEPTABLE VARIATIONS OF BRIGHT PINK, FUSCHIA DUAL PURPOSE - MULTI-PURPOSE. WAUSAU PAPERS/NEENAH PAPER EXACT BRIGHTS TEXT BRIGHT PINK 50# - #26741; RIVERSIDE	1307	\$	RM
	KALEIDOSCOPE"HYPER PINK"#02206; DOMTAR HOTS - PINK #95129800			
2279	PAPER, HIGH SPEED XEROGRAPHIC, 8-1/2 X 11  PAPER,HIGH SPEED XEROGRAPHIC, 8-1/2 X 11, 20#, FOR HIGH SPEED COPIER/DUPLICATORS, BEGINNING 2009 THIS PAPER WILL BE GREEN CERTIFIED. SUSTAINABLE OREST INITIATIVE CERTIFIED SFI. SUZANO FASCOPY 96 BRIGHT MULTI-PURPOSE #FWH11 PAPER ONE; GEORGIA PACIFIC SPECTRUM DP; UNISOUCE ECONO- SOURCE	88627	<b>\$</b>	CAS
2280	PAPER, HIGH SPEED XEROGRAPHIC,8-1/2 X 14	2900	\$	RM
	PAPER, HIGH SPEED XEROGRAPHIC, 8-1/2 X 14, 20#, FOR HIGH SPEED COPIER/DUPLICATORS. GEORGIA PACIFIC SPRCTRUM #999706; UNISOURCE ECONO-SOURCE #U50214			
2285	PAPER, CONSTRUCT.,ASST.COLOR,9X12,50/PK	1992	\$	PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, ASSORTED COLOR, 9X12, 50/PKG. GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103637(3031);			
2286	PAPER, CONSTRUCT.,ASST.COLOR,12X18,50/PK	1314	\$	PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, ASSORTED COLOR, 12X18, 50/PKG. GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103638(00R);			
2288	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, BLACK, 12X18, 50/PK	1344	\$	PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, BLACK, 12X18, 50/PKG. GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103631(24R);			
2289	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, BLUE, 12X18, 50/PK	1273	\$	PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, BLUE, 12X18, 50/PKG., GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103624(14R), NO SUB.			

2290	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION,LT.BLUE,12X18,50/PK	753	\$ PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, LIGHT BLUE, 12X18, 50/PKG., GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103623(13R), NO SUB;		
2291	PAPER, CONSTRUCT., WARM BROWN, 12X18, 50/PK	1002	\$ PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, WARM BROWN, 12X18, 50/PKG., GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103629(22R);		
2292	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, GREEN, 12X18, 50/PK	1227	\$ PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, GREEN, 12X18, 50/PKG., GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103620(10R);		
2293	PAPER, CONSTRUCT., LT. GREEN,12X18,50/PK	825	\$ PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, LIGHT GREEN, 12X18, 50/PKG. GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103619(9R);		
2294	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, ORANGE, 12X18,50/PK	1140	\$ PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, ORANGE, 12X18, 50/PKG. GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103618(7R);		
2295	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, PINK, 12X18, 50/PK	1099	\$ PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, PINK, 12X18, 50/PKG. GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103615(3R);		
2296	PAPER, CONSTRUCT., HOL. RED, 12X18,50/PK	1592	\$ PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, HOLIDAY RED, 12X18, 50/PKG. GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103443(4R);		
2297	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, VIOLET, 12X18,50/PK	905	\$ PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, VIOLET, 12X18, 50/PKG. GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103627(19R);		
2298	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, WHITE, 12X18, 50/PK	2648	\$ PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, WHITE, 12X18, 50/PKG. PACON RIVERSIDE #103613(1R);		
2299	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, YELLOW, 12X18,50/PK	1642	\$ PKG
	PAPER, CONSTRUCTION, YELLOW, 12X18, 50/PKG. GROUNDWOOD #76 PACON RIVERSIDE #103616(5R);		
2309	PAPER, BOND, BLUE, 8-1/2X11, 20#, 500/RM	3480	\$ RM

	PAPER, BOND, BLUE, 8-1/2X11, 20#, 500/RM. BOISE FIREWORX "BOTTLE ROCKET BLUE (BE)" - MP-2201-BE 20/50#;		
2310	PAPER, BOND, CANARY, 8-1/2X11,20#,500/RM	3526	\$ RM
	PAPER, BOND, CANARY, 8-1/2X11, 20#, 500/RM. BOISE FIREWORX "CRACKLING CANARY (CY)" - MP- 2201-CY 20/50#;		
2311	PAPER, BOND, GREEN, 8-1/2X11, 500/RM	3165	\$ RM
	PAPER, BOND, GREEN, 8-1/2X11, 20#, 500/RM. BOISE FIREWORX "POPPER-MINT GREEN (GN)" - MP-2201-GN 20/50#;		
2312	PAPER, BOND, PINK, 8-1/2X11, 20#, 500/RM	2789	\$ RM
	PAPER, BOND, PINK, 8-1/2X11, 20#, 500/RM. BOISE FIREWORX "POWDER PINK" (PK) - MP-2201- PK 20/50#;		
2316	PAPER, INDEX, BLUE, 22.5X28.5, 500/CS	10	\$ CAS
	PAPER, INDEX, BLUE, 22.5 X 28.5, 500/CS, 110#, ACCEPTABLE: 20.5X24.75. ACCEPTABLE BRANDS: SPRINGHILL, WAUSAU, SCOTT. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER EXACT INDEX SMOOTH FINISH #49525; Office Depot #593224		
2317	PAPER, INDEX, BUFF, 22.5 X 28.5, 500/CS	6	\$ CAS
	PAPER, INDEX, BUFF 22.5 X 28.5, 500/CS, 110#, ACCEPTABLE: 20.5X24.75. ACCEPTABLE BRANDS: SPRINGHILL, WAUSAU, SCOTT. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER EXACT INDEX SMOOTH FINISH #49535; OFFICE DEPOT #1381492		
2318	PAPER, INDEX, CANARY, 22.5X28.5, 500/CS	26	\$ CAS
	PAPER, INDEX, CANARY, 22.5 X 28.5, 500/CS, 110#, ACCEPTABLE: 20.5X24.75. ACCEPTABLE BRANDS: SPRINGHILL, WAUSAU, SCOTT. WAUSA/NEENAH PAPER EXACT INDEX SMOOTH FINISH #49545; OFFICE DEPOT #593251		
2320	PAPER, INDEX, GREEN, 22.5X28.5, 500/CS	10	\$ CAS
	PAPER, INDEX, GREEN,22-1/2 X 28-1/2, 500/CS, 110#, ACCEPTABLE: 20.5X24.75. ACCEPTABLE BRANDS: SPRINGHILL WAUSAU, SCOTT. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER EXACT INDEX SMOOTH FINISH #49565; OFFICE DEPORT 160267		
2321	PAPER, INDEX, SALMON, 22.5X28.5, 500/CS	24	\$ CAS

	PAPER,INDEX, SALMON, 22.5X28.5, 500/CS, 110#, ACCEPTABLE: 20.5X24.75. ACCEPTABLE BRANDS: SPRINGHILL, WAUSAU, SCOTT. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER EXACT INDEX SMOOTH FINISH #49575; OFFICE DEPOT #478123		
2322	PAPER, INDEX, WHITE, 20.5X24.75, 500/CS	94	\$ CAS
	PAPER, INDEX, WHITE, 20.5X24.75, 500/CS, 110#, ACCEPTABLE: 22.5X28.5. ACCEPTABLE BRANDS: SPRINGHILL, WAUSAU, SCOTT. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER EXACT INDEX SMOOTH FINISH #40416; OK #7199.158911		
2345	PAPER, NOTEBOOK,8X10-1/2,3/8 RULE100-200	1668	\$ PKG
	PAPER, NOTEBOOK, 8X10-1/2, 3/8 RULE, 100-200 SHTS/PKG., ACCEPTABLE: 3 HOLE AND 5 HOLE. PACON 3201 (100 SHT/PK); PACON MMK09202 (200 SHT/PK); SCHOOL SMART #085285; AMPAD 26-025; MEAD 15200; TOP FLIGHT 200P; OFFICE DEPOT 589-483 - 200/PKG.		
2346	PAPER, NOTEBOOK,8X10-1/2,WIDE RULE,500PK	1799	\$ PKG
	PAPER, NOTEBOOK, 8X10-1/2, WIDE RULE, 500 SHTS/PKG., ACCEPTABLE: 3 HOLE AND 5 HOLE. PACON COMPOSITION PAPER 3/8" RULE, RED MARGIN - #2441; OFFICE DEPOT #323-708; SCHOOL SMART #085283		
2350	PAPER, POSTER,36"X1000', BLK, 100 PCT.	214	\$ RO
	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', BLACK 100 PCT., MUST BE INDIVIDUALLY PACKED IN CARTON. PACON SPECTRA ARTKRAFT DUO-FINISH #0067301;		
2351	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', BLUE, 100 PCT. PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', ROYAL BLUE, 100 PCT., MUST BE INDIVIDUALLY PACKED IN CARTON. PACON SPECTRA ARTKRAFT DUO-FINISH #0067201;	286	\$ RO
2352	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', BROWN,100 PCT.	184	\$ RO
	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', BROWN, 100 PCT., MUST BE INDIVIDUALLY PACKED IN CARTON. PACON SPECTRA ARTKRAFT DUO-FINISH #0067021;		
2353	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', GREEN,100 PCT.	225	\$ RO
	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', GREEN, 100 PCT., MUST BE INDIVIDUALLY PACKED IN CARTON. PACON SPECTRA ARTKRAFT DUO-FINISH		

	#0067131; RIVERSIDE 0583/00742; RIVERSIDE #7SP (DECOROL)		
2354	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', ORANGE, 100PCT PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', ORANGE, 100 PCT., MUST BE INDIVIDUALLY PACKED IN CARTON. PACON SPECTRA ARTKRAFT DUO-FINISH #0067101;	191	\$ RO
2355	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', RED, 100 PCT.	248	\$ RO
	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', RED, 100 PCT., MUST BE INDIVIDUALLY PACKED IN CARTON. PACON SPECTRA ARTKRAFT DUO-FINISH #0067031;		
2356	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', WHITE, 100 PCT PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', WHITE, 100 PCT., MUST BE INDIVIDUALLY PACKED IN CARTON. PACON SPRECTRA ARTKRAFT DUO-FINISH #0067001;	273	\$ RO
2357	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', YELLOW, 100PCT	244	\$ RO
	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', YELLOW, 100 PCT., MUST BE INDIVIDUALLY PACKED IN CARTON. PACON SPECTRA ARTKRAFT DUO-FINISH #0067081;		
2358	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', PINK, 100 PCT.	112	\$ RO
	PAPER, POSTER, 36"X1000', PINK, 100 PCT., MUST BE INDIVIDUALLY PACKED IN CARTON. PACON SPECTRA ARTKRAFT DUO-FINSH #0067261;		
2366	PAPER, WRITING, 8"x10-1/2" 3/4x3/8x3/8	397	\$ RM
	PAPER, WRITING, 8"x10-1/2", 3/4x3/8x3/8, RULED BOTH SIDES. PACON X2648AA; ZANER-BLOSER #0858339; AMERICAN PAPER		
2367	PAPER, WRITING, 8"x10-1/2" 1/2x1/4x1/4	480	\$ RM
	PAPER, WRITING, 8"x10-1/2", 1/2x1/4x1/4, RULED BOTH SIDES, RED BASELINE-BROKEN MIDLINE. 500 SHEETS/PKG; 10/CTN. PACON ZP2612; McDOUGAL LITTELL #9854; UNION CAMP 532412; SCHOOL SPEC #1387810; ZANER-BLOSER 140143 - 8" (L) x 10-1/2" (W); AMERICAN PAPER		
2615	STRIP, SENTENCE, 3"X24", ASSTORTED,100PK	923	\$ PKG
	STRIP, SENTENCE, 3"X24", ASSORTED COLORS, 100/PKG. 24/CTN. 1-1/2" RULE, DOTTED MIDLINE, 100 SHTS/PKG./24PKGS/CS. PACON #5165; SCHOOL SMART #006465;		

2617	TABLET, CHART,24"X32",1" RULE,25 SHT	1225	\$ EA
	TABLET, CHART, 24"X32", 1" RULE, 25 SHT. 12/ CTN. PACON #0074610(9707); COMET #0025; BEMIS JASON #7461-0		
2618	TABLET, CHART,24"X32",1-1/2" RULE,25 SHT	2504	\$ EA
	TABLET, CHART, 24"X32", 1-1/2" RULE, 25 SHT. 10/CTN. PACON #0074710(9706); BEMIS JASON #7471-0; COMET #0021		
2620	STRIP, SENTENCE, 3"X24", MANILA, 100/PKG	1041	\$ PKG
	STRIP, SENTENCE, 3"X24", MANILA, 100/PKG., 1-1/2X3/4 RULED, 100 SHTS./PKG./24 PKGS./CS. SCHOOL SMART #006468; PACON #5157; COSMOS #0040; B & J #MTR243		
2622	TAGBOARD, MANILA, 9 X 12, LIGHTWT,100/PK	472	\$ PKG
	TAGBOARD, MANILA, 9 X 12, LIGHT WEIGHT, 100/PKG./20 PKGS./CS. PACON #5131; SCHOOL SPECIALTY #085501		
2695	PAPER, CARBONLESS, 8-1/2"X11", 3 PART	260	\$ CAS
	PAPER, CARBONLESS, (NCR), 8-1/2"X11", 3 PART, COLLATED, SEQUENCE: PINK, CANARY, WHITE, 20 LB., BLACK PRINT, 1670 SETS. APPVION #5900; MEAD "EXCEL"#45382 (Mat.#16602)		
2697	PAPER, CARBONLESS, 8-1/2"X11", 4 PART	70	\$ CAS
	PAPER, CARBONLESS, (NCR), 8-1/2"X11", 4 PART, COLLATED, SEQUENCE: GOLDENROD, PINK, CANARY, WHITE, 20 LB., BLACK PRINT, 1,250 SETS. OK #0470.005915  APPVION #5915; MEAD 'EXCEL" #45383 (Mat.#16603)		
2699	PAPER, HIGH SPEED XERO, 11X17, WHITE,20#	1212	\$ RM
	PAPER, HIGH SPEED XEROGRAPHIC, 11X17, WHITE, 20#, 5 REAMS/CS. UNISOURCE ECONO-SOURCE #U50220; VANDERBILT MULTI-PURPOSE; GEORGIA PACIFIC SPECTRUM DP		
2700	PAPER, NOVELTY, WHITE-OFFSET, 8-1/2"X11"	25,400	\$ SH
	PAPER, NOVELTY, WHITE-OFFSET, 8-1/2"X11", E/Z STRIP, 1000 SHTS/CASE. SPINNAKER COATING STRIP TAC PREMIUM PRESSURE SENSITIVE, 60#, 1- 1/4" SCORES, #9598;		
22235	PAPER, BOND, LAVENDAR,8-1/2X11,20#,500RM	2583	\$ RM

	PAPER, BOND, LAVENDAR, 8-1/2X11, 20#, 500/RM, ACCEPTABLE: ORCHID. INTERNATIONAL PAPER HAMERMILL COLORS #103770; GESTETNER #2471815		
26182	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28, 14 PLY, WHITE 50PK	2	\$ PKG
	BOARD, POSTER, 22"X28", 14 PLY, WHITE, COLOR BOTH SIDES, 50/PACKAGE. BEVERIDGE PAPER #0080; PACON 5464-1.		
26183	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28, 6 PLY, BLACK 25/PK	35	\$ PKG
	BOARD, POSTER, 22"X28",6 PLY, BLACK, 25/PK, COLOR BOTH SIDES. PACON 5482-1; SCHOOL SMART #1485744		
26184	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28, 6 PLY, ORANGE25/PK	26	\$ PKG
	BOARD, POSTER, 22"X28", 6 PLY, ORANGE, 25/PK, COLOR BOTH SIDES. PACON 5479-1; SCHOOL SMART #1485747		
26185	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28, 6 PLY, RED 25/PK	18	\$ PKG
	BOARD, POSTER, 22"X28", 6 PLY, RED, 25/PK, COLOR BOTH SIDES. SCHOOL SMART #1485745; PACON 5476-1		
26187	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28,6 PLY,LT GREEN25/PK	23	\$ PKG
	BOARD,POSTER, 22"X28",6 PLY, LIGHT GREEN, 25/PK, COLOR BOTH SIDES. PACON 5456-1; SCHOOL SMART #1485746		
26189	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28,6 PLY,LT BLUE 25/PK	21	\$ PKG
	BOARD, POSTER, 22"X 28", 6 PLY, LIGHT BLUE 25/PKG. COLOR BOTH SIDES. PACON 5485-1; SCHOOL SMART #1485750		
26190	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28, 6 PLY, LEMON YLW25	27	\$ PKG
	BOARD, POSTER, 22"X28, 6 PLY, LEMON YELLOW, 25/PKG. COLOR BOTH SIDES. PACON 5473-1; SCHOOL SMART #1485743		
26191	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28, 6 PLY, DK BLUE 25	13	\$ PKG
	BOARD, POSTER, 22"X28", 6 PLY, DARK BLUE, 25/PK, COLOR BOTH SIDES. PACON 5462; SCHOOL SMART #1485749		
26192	BOARD, POSTER, 22X28, 6 PLY, HOL.GREEN25	15	\$ PKG
	BOARD, POSTER, 22"X28", 6 PLY, HOLIDAY GREEN, 25/PK, COLOR BOTH SIDE. PACON 5494-1		
26194	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, LEMON, 24/60#	925	\$ RM

	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, LEMON, 24/60#, 500 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS TEXT #21011; XEROX 3R11648; UNISOURCE #10444270		
26195	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, PLAN. PURPLE,24/60#	471	\$ RM
	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, PLANETARY PURPLE, 24/60#, 500 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS TEXT #22671; XEROX 3R11649; UNISOURCE #10444268		
26196	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, LIME, 24/60#	908	\$ RM
	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, LIME, 24/60#, ACCEPTABLE: TERRA GREEN, 500 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS TEXT #22581; UNISOURCE # 10444263; XEROX 3R11645		
26197	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, PULSAR PINK, 24/60#	580	\$ RM
	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, PULSAR PINK, 24/60#, 500 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS TEXT #22621; XEROX 3R11646		
26198	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, LUNAR BLUE, 24/60#	809	\$ RM
	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, LUNAR BLUE, 24/60#, 500 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS TEXT #22521; DOMTAR EARTHCHOICE HOTS TEXT BLUE 60# - #81332; XEROX 3R11640		
26199	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, RE-ENTRY RED,24/60#	663	\$ RM
	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, RE-ENTRY RED, 24/60#, 500 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS TEXT #22551; XEROX 3R11644; UNISOURCE # 10444493		
26200	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11,COSMIC ORANGE,24/60#	968	\$ RM
	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, COSMIC ORANGE, 24/60#, 500 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS TEXT #22651; DOMTAR EARTHCHOICE HOTS TEXT RANGE 60# - #81352; XEROX 3R11643		
26201	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, GAMMA GREEN, 24/60#	422	\$ RM
	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, GAMMA GREEN, 24/60#, 500 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS TEXT #24160; DOMATAR EARTHCHOICE HOTS TEXT 60# - #81319; UNISOURCE #10444269; XEROX 3R11647		
26202	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, LEMON, 65#	1588	\$ RM

20202	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, LEMON, 65#, ACCEPTABLE: ELECTRIC YELLOW, 250 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS COVER - LIFT-OFF LEMON #21021; OK #7199.159159710 NEXFOR FRASER PAPERS #47-6608; DOMTAR PAPER HOTS; XEROX 3R11655; SCHOOL SMART # 1438735.	1212	DM
26203	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, COSMICORANGE, 65#  PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, COSMIC ORANGE, 65#, ACCEPTABLE: ELECTRIC ORANGE, 250 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS COVER #22851; OK #7199.159720; NEXFOR FRASER PAPERS #47-7608; XEROX 3R11594; SCHOOL SMART # 1301583	1212	\$ RM
26204	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, BLUE, 65#	1373	\$ RM
	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, BLUE, 65#, ACCEPTABLE: LUNAR BLUE, 250 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBIGHTS COVER #22721; OK #7199.159670 NEXFOR FRASER PAPERS #47-6708; XEROX 3R11653; SCHOOL SMART # 1280642		
26205	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11,GALAXY GOLD,65#	1112	\$ RM
	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, GALAXY GOLD, 65#, 250 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS COVER #22771; NEXFOR FRASER PAPERS #47-7008; SCHOOL SMART #1495113.		
26206	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, LIME GREEN,65#	1253	\$ RM
	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, LIME GREEN, 65#, ACCEPTABLE: TERRA GREEN, 250 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS COVER #22781; OK #7199.159880; NEXFOR FRASER PAPERS #47-7408; BRIGHTHUE 104067; XEROX 3R11656;		
26207	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, PLANT.PUR, 65#	1091	\$ RM
26208	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, PLANETARY PURPLE, 65#, ACCEPTABLE: VIOLET, 250 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS COVER #22871; OK #7199.159770; NEXFOR FRASER PAPERS #47-8008; SCHOOL SMART # 1438736 PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, GAMMA GREEN, 65#	1119	\$ RM
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	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, GEMINI GREEN, 65#,			
	ACCEPTABLE: KELLY GREEN OR GAMMA GREEN,			
	250 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER			
	ASTROBRIGHTS COVER #22741; OK #7199.159680; NEXFOR FRASER PAPERS #47-6208; SCHOOL			
	SMART #1428733.			
26209	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11,PULSAR PINK,65#	1068	\$	RM
	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, PULSAR PINK, 65#,			
	ACCEPTABLE: ELECTRIC PINK, 250 SHTS/REAM.			
	WAUSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS			
	COVER #21041; NEXFOR FRASER PAPERS #47-			
	6508; SCHOOL SMART # 1438743.			
26210	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, RED, 65#	1224	\$	RM
	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, RED, 65#,			
	ACCEPTABLE: RE-ENTRY RED, 250 SHTS/REAM.			
	WAUSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS			
	COVER #22751; OK #7199.159790; NEXFOR			
	FRASER PAPERS #47-7508; XEROX 3R11654;			
	SCHOOL SMART # 1438734			
26211	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, WHITE, 65#	3867	\$	RM
	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, WHITE, 65#,			
	ACCEPTABLE: EXACT ICE SMOOTH, 250			
	SHTS/REAM. INTERNATIONAL PAPER ACCENT			
	OPAQUE DIGITAL COVER			
	SMOOTH #188560; OK #3490.016360; FINCH			
	PAPER OPAQUE COVER BRIGHT WHITE SMOOTH			
	#2580-1004; 188560; SCHOOL SMART # 1438811.			
26217	PAPER, HIGH-SPD COPY, 8.5X11, 3H DRILLED	101	\$	CAS
	PAPER, HIGH-SPEED COPY, 8.5X11, 3 HOLE			
	DRILLED, 20 LB., WHITE. GEORGIA PACIFIC			
	SPECTRUM MULTI-USE 3-HD #999813; OK #			
	3490.041250; UNISOURCE ECONO-SOURCE #U50208; SUZANO REPORT MULTI-PURPOSE 3HD;			
	RIS PAPER BRAND FASCOPY #212973			
	THE TALL DIVING PAGES 1 RELEATED			
26223	90 lb. Index, White, 40" O.D., 3" core, 17.5" wide	10	\$	RO
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26224	90 lb. Index, Green, 40" O.D., 3" core, 17.5 wide	2	\$	RO
26225	90 lb. Index, Canary, 40" O.D., 3" core, 17.5" wide	6	\$	RO
20223	Jo ID. Index, Canary, 40 O.D., 5 Core, 17.5 Wide		7	NO
26226	90 lb. Index, Blue, 40" O.D., 3" core, 17.5" wide	4	\$	RO
26228	PAPER, ROLL OFFSET,WHT,40"OD,SMOOTH FIN	280	\$	RO

26230	PAPER, ROLL OFFSET, WHITE, 40"OD, SMOOTH FINISH 17.5 WIDTH, 60#, 3" CORE, FSC CERTIFIED, PALLETIZED, HIGH BRIGHT SUZANO OFFSET; 94 BRIGHTNESS, WILLIAMSBURG; GEORGIA PACIFIC #S34121; INTERNATIONAL PAPER WHWB #100037293  PAPER, INDEX, PINK/CHERRY, 8-1/2 X 11,90LB  PAPER, INDEX, CHERRY, 8-1/2 X 11, 90 LB., WAUSAU PAPERS/NEENAH PAPER EXACT INDEX #49151; SPRINGHILL 075100	16	\$	CAS
26231	PAPER, INDEX, WHITE, 8-1/2 X 11, 90 LB.  PAPER, INDEX, WHITE, 8-1/2 X 11, 90 LB., INTERNATIONAL PAPER DIGITAL #15101; SPRINGHILL 15101	98	\$	CAS
26232	PAPER, INDEX, CANARY, 8-1/2 X 11, 90 LB.  PAPER, INDEX, CANARY, 8-1/2 X 11, 90 LB.,  WAUSAU PAPERS/NEENAH PAPER EXACT INDEX #49141; SPRINGHILL 035100	92	\$	CAS
26233	PAPER, INDEX, BLUE, 8-1/2 X 11, 90 LB.  PAPER, INDEX, BLUE, 8-1/2 X 11, 90 LB., WAUSAU PAPERS/NEENAH PAPER EXACT INDEX #49121; SPRINGHILL 025100	52	\$	CAS
26234	PAPER, INDEX, GREEN, 8-1/2 X 11, 90 LB.  PAPER, INDEX, GREEN, 8-1/2 X 11, 90 LB., WAUSAU PAPERS/NEENAH PAPER EXACT INDEX #49161; SPRINGHILL 045100	49	\$	CAS
26236	PAPER, CARBONLESS, 8-1/2"X11", 2 PART	242	\$	CAS
	PAPER, CARBONLESS (NCR) 8-1/2"X11", 2 PART, COLLATED, SEQUENCE: CANARY, WHITE, 20 LB., BLACK PRINT. APPVION #5887; MEAD "EXCEL" 16557			
26237	TABS, FIVE BANK, SINGLE REVERSE, 3 HOLE  TABS, FIVE BANK, SINGLE REVERSE, 3 HOLE 90 LB, WHITE, 1250 SHEETS/250 SETS/CS., 1/5 CUT. INDEX DOCUCOPY REVERSE COLLATED 11X8.5+5"	52	\$	CAS
26253	TAB #1003 PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, FUCHSIA, 24/60#	558	\$	RM
20233	PAPER, TEXT, 8.5X11, FUCHSIA, 24/60#, ACCEPTABLE: FIREBALL FUCHSIA, 500 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS TEXT #22681; 18493-1; XEROX 3R11650	330	¥	IXIVI
26254	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, FUCHSIA, 65#	1043	\$	RM

	PAPER, CARDSTOCK, 8.5X11, FUCHSIA, 65#, ACCEPTABLE: FIREBALL FUCHSIA OR HOT PINK, 250 SHTS/REAM. WAUSAU PAPER/NEENAH PAPER ASTROBRIGHTS COVER #22881; 18485-1		
30273	PAPER, ATLAS BOND,8-1/2X11,ULT.WHITE,24#	25	\$ RM
	PAPER, ATLAS BOND, 8-1/2X11, ULT.WHITE, 24#, 25% COTTON, MATCHES HISD LETTERHEAD STATIONARY. UNISOURCE GOLD CREST #GT00372		
31142	PAPER, HIGH SPEED XERO,11X17,60#TEXT,WHI	161	\$ CAS
	PAPER, HIGH SPEED XEROGRAPHIC, 11X17, 60#, TEXT, WHITE, 5 REAMS/CASE. DOMTAR WHITEHALL OPAQUE OFFSET SMOOTH #512505; UNISOURCE		
31151	PAPER, HIGH SPEED XERO, 8.5X11, 60#TEXT	491	\$ CAS
	PAPER, HIGH SPEED XEROGRAPHIC, 8.5X11, 60#, TEXT, WHITE. DOMTAR WHITEHALL OPAQUE OFFSET #512020; REPORT SUPERIOR 24T		
31155	ENVELOPE, PLAIN WHITE, #9, 500/BOX	96	\$ ВХ
	ENVELOPE, PLAIN WHITE, #9, 500/BOX, 24#. OLMSTED KIRK #54786; UNISOURCE #260615		
31156	ENVELOPE, WHITE WOVE, #10 REGULAR, 500BX	1671	\$ ВХ
	ENVELOPE, WHITE WOVE,#10 REGULAR,500/BX, 24#. OLMSTED KIRK #77793; NATIONAL ENVELOPE - #77793; QUILL #WW10R (Machinalbe)		
31157	ENVELOPE, WHITE WOVE, #10, WINDOW, 500/BX	1245	\$ ВХ
	ENVELOPE, WHITE WOVE, #10, WINDOW, 500/BX, 24#. OLMSTED KIRK #49463; NATIONAL ENVELOPE - #49463 (Machinalbe)		
38671	PAPER, CARBONLESS, PREFORATED, 2 PT,9X11	55	\$ CAS
	PAPER, CARBONLESS, PREFORATED, 2 PART,9X11 OK PAPER - APPVION/005789 - 2PT 5000 SH/CTN OR UNISOURCE - #5789 - 2 PT, 9X11, 5000 SH/CTN		
38684	PAPER, 94 BRIGHTNESS, 12X18 60#HUSKYACCE	100	\$ CAS
	PAPER, 94 BRIGHTNESS, 60# HUSKY ACCENT OPAQUE 12 X 18, OK PAPER - DOMTAR/2172, 1200 SH/CTN OR UNISOURCE - #2172 - 12 X 18, 1200 SH/CTN		
38685	PAPER, COATEDTEXT, 12X18 MATTE FINISH80#	62	\$ CAS
	PAPER, COATED TEXT, 12 X 18, MATTE FINISH 80# OK PAPER-PRODIGITAL/840110 1500 SH/CTN OR UNISOURCE - #U31662-U DIGITAL-VELVET, 12 X 18 1500 SH/CTN		

38672	PAPER, CARBONLESS, PREFORATED, 3PT, 9X11	40	\$	CAS
	PAPER, CARBONLESS, PREFORATED, 3 PART OK			
	PAPER - APPVION/005793 - 3PT, 9X11,5010 SH/CTN OR UNISOURCE - #5793 - 3PT, 9X11,5010			
	SH/CTN SH/SOURCE - #3793 - 3F1, 9X11,3010			
38681	PAPER, CARBONLESS, PREFOR, 2PT, 8 1/2X14	40	\$	CAS
	PAPER, CARBONLESS, PREFORATED, 2 PART, 8 1/2			
	X 14 OK PAPER - APPVION/005889 - 2PT 5000			
	SH/CTN OR UNISOURCE - #5889 - 2 PT, 8 1/2 X 14			
38682	5000 SH/CTN PAPER, CARBONLESS, PREFOR, 3PT, 8 1/2X14	40	\$	CAS
3332	PAPER, CARBONLESS, PREFORATED, 3 PART, 8 1/2		<del></del>	0.10
	X 14 OK PAPER - APPVION/005902 - 3PT 5010			
	SH/CTN OR UNISOURCE - #5902 - 3 PT, 8 1/2 X 14			
	5010 SH/CTN			
38683	PAPER, 100# COVER, COUGAR BRIGHT WHITE	40	\$	CAS
	PAPER, 100# COVER, COUGAR BRIGHT WHITE, 8			
	1/2 X 11 OK PAPER - DOMTAR/2986, 1600 SH/CTN			
20000	OR UNISOURCE - #2984 - 8 1/2 X 11, 1600 SH/CTN	80	<i>*</i>	CAC
38686	PAPER, COATEDTEXT,12X18 MATTE FINISH100#	80	\$	CAS
	PAPER, COATED TEXT, 12X18, MATTE FINISH 100#			
	OK PAPER - PRODIGITAL/840210, 1000 SH/CTN OR UNISOURCE - #U31643-U DIGITAL-VELVET 12X18,			
	1000 SH/CTN			
38687	PAPER, COATED COVER,12X18 MATTE FINI 80#	120	\$	CAS
	PAPER, COATED COVER, 12X18, MATTE FINISH 80#			
	OK PAPER - PRODIGITAL/840310, 750 SH/CTN OR			
	UNISOURCE - #U31657-U DIGITAL-VELVET 12X18,			
20000	750 SH/CTN	60	<u> </u>	046
38688	PAPER, COATED COVER,12X18 MATTE FIN 100#	60	\$	CAS
	PAPER, COATED COVER, 12X18, MATTE FINISH			
	100# OK PAPER - PRODIGITAL/840410, 500 SH/CTN OR UNISOURCE - #U31640-U DIGITAL-			
	VELVET 12X18, 500 SH/CTN			
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### XI. FORM G - SUPPLIER RELATIONS - CHE (LOCAL) QUESTIONAIRE:

Board of Education Policy CHE (Local) adopted October 11, 2012 requested that all proposers supply the Board of Education the information contained below. While this information is requested in other parts of Form A this questionnaire provides the information specifically related to CHE (Local).

Legal Name of Business:					
Type of Business and types of products or services provided:					
Business Mailing Address:	State:	Zip Code			
Business Street Address: City:	State:	Zip Code			
	sidiaries, or other na	ame under which they are currently conducting or have			
Parent Company					
Out sidiania		Out of the size			
Subsidiarie	<b>9S</b>	Subsidiaries			
Other Name	es	Other Names			
		. [			
Number of Full Time Employees	ş.	Part Time Employees:			

Names of owners, principal shareholders or stockholders, officers, agents, salespeople and key employees who have been members of the HISD Board of Education during the last 5 years:

Name	Title
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Names of owners, principal shareholders or stockholders, officers, agents, salespeople and key employees who have been District employees or members of their immediate families who are either working or potentially working on this District's contract(s):

Names	Names

Ethnic group of the majority owners (to identify minority businesses)				
	ho is authorized to 'act with' or 'act on your behalf', such lobbyist, confidants, etc., whether compensated or not			
Names	Names			
	tificate required to conduct business within the State of y governing federal, state, and local statutes, regulations			
License Number and Type	License Number and Type			
Financial and business references, including bank v	with which the company conducts business:			
Name of Bank:				

Other Banking/finance Institutions:

Finance Institution Name	Finance Institution Name

Name of insurance companies and bonding company (if applicable)

Insurance Companies	Insurance Companies
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Bonding Company	Bonding Company

Identification of any past, pending, or present litigation involving the District and any company owners, principal shareholders or stockholders, officers, agents, salespeople or employees.

Style of Litigation	Type of Litigation	Current Status

Style of Litigation	Type of Litigation	Current Status
Relationship to any Political Actior Committees (PAC)	1	
(Make copies of any tab	le if additional rows are needed and	attach additional sheets)
I attest that I have answered the q	uestions relating to CHE (Local) truthfu	illy and to be best of my knowledge.
CORPORATE OFFIC	CER'S SIGNATURE	
PRINTED I	NAME	
TITLE		

insert additional sections	ior questionnaires or co	ontractionns.	