



February 4, 2021

Re: Notice of Intent to use a Cooperative Agreement for Bus Procurement

By: Sourcewell Contract and Lane County School District 4J, Eugene Oregon

Pursuant to ORS 279A.215(2)(b) Bend-La Pine Schools (BLPS) intends to enter into one or more price agreements, as a result of the following cooperative agreements listed herein.

BLPS intends to utilize Sourcewell contract # 063020-LON good through August 15, 2024, resulting from Solicitation Number: EDP #063020 awarded to The Lion Electric Co. for the purchase of an electric bus for the cost of \$383,240.00.

BLPS also intends to purchase school buses at a cost awarded in the contracts resulting from RFP 18-442 School Buses and Related Equipment, issued by Lane County School District 4J, Eugene Oregon, through a cooperative procurement extension August 31, 2021. Buses may be procured from one or more of the awarded suppliers; Peterson Trucks, Western Bus Sales, Inc., Schetky NW Sales, Inc. BLPS intends to purchase up to 19 buses for the approximate range of \$1,950,000.00 to \$2,595,000.00, to be received over the next 16 months. BLPS may additionally purchase up to 5 Type A buses for an approximate cost of \$350,000. The total number of buses purchased will be based on available funding.

Suppliers that would otherwise be prospective bidders, if the procurement were competitively procured under ORS Chapter 279B, have an opportunity to comment of the intent to establish a price agreement through a permissive interstate cooperative procurement. Such suppliers may submit written comments to BLPS attention Amy Coronado no later than February 11, 2021 (7 days from publishing) at amy.coronado@bend.k12.or.us Oregon local time 5pm.

Sincerely,

Amy Coronado

Procurement and Contract Manager

Bend-La Pine Schools

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