

February 16, 2023

RE: Request for Proposals (RFP) 2023-RM1-16 - Training Providers for the MDC Miami Tech Works Grant Program

On February 16, 2023 Miami Dade College's Purchasing Department received proposals related to Request for Proposals (RFP) 2023-RM1-16 for Training Providers for the MDC Miami Tech Works Grant Program. Proposals were received from the following seven (7) proposers related to the above aforementioned RFP. The proposals were received at the Miami Dade College's Purchasing Department and opened publicly on February 16, 2023 at 3pm via BidNet. The proposals include responses from the following companies listed in alphabetical order:

- Next4Geeks Academy
- BrainStation
- Correlation One, Inc.
- CPD Advisors
- General Assembly Space, Inc.
- Ironhack US, LLC
- MIA Mission Impact Academy

As soon as the Purchasing Department provides its due diligence review, the responsive and responsible proposals will be provided to the Evaluation Committee for their review.

This RFP procurement process adheres to the "CONE OF SILENCE", all proposers are requested to follow its requirements or their proposal may be deemed non-responsive and would receive no further consideration.

Any Vendor, or any persons or entities acting on the behalf of any Vendor, may not contact the College President, any College Trustee, any employee of the College or any employee of any College Trustee concerning any aspect of a Solicitation, from the release of the Solicitation through the end of the 72-hour period, as provided for in section 120.57(3), Fla. Stat., following the action on the recommended award by the College's District Board of Trustees.

Except as otherwise specifically provided for by the Solicitation, all communications to the College concerning any aspect of the Solicitation during the foregoing time period must be made in writing and only to the College's assigned Purchasing Department officer or the College's Office of Legal Affairs. It is the responsibility of the Vendor to advise any person or entity authorized to act on its behalf of this requirement. A violation of this provision shall be grounds for rejecting a response.

This provision shall be referred to as the "Cone of Silence".

Any questions related to the RFP procurement process shall be addressed to:

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