Lincoln Metropolitan Planning Organization



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PUBLIC NOTICE

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR PROFESSIONAL CONSULTING SERVICES TO PROVIDE

Professional Services for Updating the Lincoln MPO Long Range Transportation Plan and Developing a Lincoln Mobility Plan

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The Lincoln Metropolitan Planning Organization (MPO) / Lincoln-Lancaster County Planning Department is seeking proposals from qualified Transportation Planning firms to provide professional services for *Updating the Lincoln MPO Long Range Transportation Plan (LRTP) and Developing a Lincoln Mobility Plan*. The LRTP scope of work has several major elements resulting in the development of an updated LRTP for the Lincoln MPO covering the Metropolitan Planning Area, which are: Update the Lincoln MPO Travel Demand Model, Develop GIS-Based Transportation System Analysis Tools, Analysis of Alternative System Improvements, and Public Involvement and Stakeholder Outreach. The Mobility Plan will cover the City of Lincoln and depict a system of facilities that safely connects neighborhoods and destinations and encourages active modes of travel. The Mobility Plan scope of work includes Visioning, Goals and Objectives, Assess Existing Conditions, Formulate the Mobility Network, Mobility-Oriented Development, Recommendations, and Public Involvement and Stakeholder Outreach resulting in the development of a Lincoln Mobility Plan.

The Request for Proposals for Consulting Services is available <u>here</u>. Copies are also available from the Lincoln MPO at the Lincoln-Lancaster County Planning Department.

The MPO is seeking one proposal for both efforts. Consultants are encouraged to team together to assemble a qualified group of professionals to meet the needs of the proposal. The Lincoln MPO has a strong interest in working with a firm, as primary, that has experience in Metropolitan Transportation Planning and Mobility Planning and is qualified and experienced with using **TransCAD Modeling software**

and ESRI-Based Geographic Information Systems compatible with Lincoln-

Lancaster Planning Department's software. The firm is to have knowledge of emerging issues and trends in transportation planning and modeling and an understanding in the application of **Performance-Based Planning and Programming** (PBPP) principles and methods for integration into the LRTP.

Sealed proposals will be received by the **Lincoln MPO office** (County-City Building, 555 S. 10th Street, Suite 213, Lincoln, NE 68508) no later than **4:00 p.m. CST on Monday, October 7, 2024**.

Proposals received after the specified time will be retained unopened until after award. Proposals must be based on the Lincoln MPO / Lincoln-Lancaster County Planning Department's Request for Proposals.

Contact Rachel Christopher, Transportation Planner, by email at rchristopher@lincoln.ne.gov for questions concerning this Request for Proposals.

<u>Note</u>: This is a Federal-aid Project, all rules in the Local Public Agencies (LPA) Guidelines Manual for Federal-Aid Projects, as published on the NDOT website, must be followed. This manual is located at https://dot.nebraska.gov/business-center/lpa/projects/.

Interested consultants must have a current <u>NDOT Form 497</u>, "Architect, <u>Engineer</u>, and <u>Related Services Certification Form"</u> on file with NDOT prior to the deadline identified in the RFP Schedule section of this Request for Proposals. If necessary, a completed NDOT Form 497 should be submitted to: <u>NDOT.PDAnnualCertification@nebraska.gov</u>.