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Region 9 Education Cooperative  
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL 26014  
Transportation Study Development and Delivery

Addendum #A  
Questions & Answers

1. In Section B "Scope of Work", the scope mentions that the plan will be "based on the raw data from the survey conducted between November 2025- February 2026."
  1. What is the name of the vendor who completed the survey, or was this completed internally? **Ero Point Solutions, LLC**
  2. Do you anticipate that the vendor who conducted the survey will also bid on this RFP? **Unknown**
  3. What data was collected in this survey that will be shared with the chosen contractor? Is there any additional data outside of this survey that will be shared?
    - i. [\*\*School Transportation Operational Standards & Efficiency Study Survey\*\*](#)
    - ii. **No additional data**
2. Do you have a maximum budget that can be allocated for the services described within this RFP?

**The anticipated awarded contract from RFP 26014, which will end by 6/19/2026, will not exceed \$89,927.64.**

3. Will the services described in this RFP apply only to districts within Region 9, or is Region 9 coordinating these services for districts across the entire state?

**It will be state-wide.**

4. In Section B - "Scope of Work" - there is a "Final Study Includes" section
  1. In the final study, is the chosen contractor suggesting Operational Standards (e.g. routing policy and guidelines) or actually doing the Operational work (e.g. routing the districts)?

**Under this section the contractor will be developing the benchmarks and standards as recommendations and preparing a final presentation to summarize those.**

5. In Section B - "Scope of Work" - it includes "Meeting(s) with the Sample Group (survey participants)"
  1. Who is included in the sample group that the chosen contractor will be working with?

**The sample group is representative of small, medium and large districts across NM. The following is the list of participating Districts and Charter Schools.**

1. Central Consolidated Schools
2. Jemez Mountain Public Schools
3. Hozho Academy
4. West Las Vegas Schools
5. Questa Independent Schools
6. Red River Valley Charter School
7. Las Cruces Schools
8. Explore Academy Las Cruces
9. Hobbs Schools
10. Artesia Schools
11. Fort Sumner Schools
12. Albuquerque Schools
13. Mountainair Schools
14. Thrive Community Charter School
15. Explore Academy Albuquerque

6. Pg. 4, Section B: - What types of data and information are being collected in the survey conducted between November 2025 and February 2026, and who is collecting this information?

**Please refer to answers in question #1 above.**

7. Pg. 4, Section A: - The purpose of the RFP states that a contractor is sought to “compile survey data, develop a full transportation study draft, refine through collaboration, and complete and present the final version with benchmarks and standards to NMPED and invited stakeholders.” Questions are as follows:

1. Will the contractor have access to the districts in the region to collect additional data and information?
  - i. **District list is provided above, it will be the responsibility of the contractor to initiate contact to obtain any additional information.**
2. Can you confirm the total number and names of the districts in Region 9?
  - i. **Region 9 has 7 member districts:**
    1. **Corona, Carrizozo, Capitan, Hondo, Cloudcroft, Tularosa, and Ruidoso.**
3. Which districts in the region currently operate their own in-house transportation systems?
  - i. **This information is not held by Region 9 and therefore not available from us.**
4. Do any of the districts share transportation services? If so, which?
  - i. **This information is not held by Region 9 and therefore not available from us.**
5. Do any of the districts utilize contracted transportation services? If so, which?
  - i. **This information is not held by Region 9 and therefore not available from us.**
6. What are the primary goals that Region 9 and NMPED are seeking to achieve at the conclusion of this study?
  - i. **See RFP Scope of Work item B:**



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