



Whatcom
Transportation
Authority

Notice of Intent to Award
Project: On-Call Transportation Planning

RFP# 2021-260

Form #VNDR05 v.a

Procurement & Contracts

February 15, 2022

The above solicitation was issued by the Whatcom Transportation Authority (WTA) on December 14, 2021. Proposals were due January 31, 2022 no later than 12:00 PM as outlined in Addenda 1.

Vendors were solicited through an advertisement in The Bellingham Herald, a posting on TransitTalent.com, Washington's Electronic Business Solution (WEBS), Washington's Office of Women and Minority Business Enterprise (owmbe.org), and Washington Procurement Technical Assistance Center, an email to respondents for the Long Range Plan RFP issued in 2019, and an announcement on WTA's website. The following companies submitted bids in response:

Transpo Group USA, Inc. 12131 113 th Ave NE, Ste 203 Kirkland, WA 98034	Fehr & Peers 1001 4 th Ave, Ste 4120 Seattle, WA 98154
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We announce our intent to award a contract to **Transpo Group USA, Inc.**

This intent does not form a contract, but rather is the first step in the contract process. Neither party is obligated to perform any item within the RFP until a formal contract is signed by both parties.

WTA will release any documents and information relating to the procurement not marked confidential or proprietary. Interested parties may submit a Public Disclosure Request to RecordsRequests@ridewta.com. Refer to Part 6 of the RFP for the process of releasing documents marked as "Confidential" or "Proprietary".

An interested party may protest this Notice of Intent to Award by submitting a written protest to the Procurement & Contracts Manager **no later than Friday, February 18 by 5:00 p.m., PST**. Information about protests can be found in the RFP.

On behalf of the Whatcom Transportation Authority, thank you for your efforts in preparing a response to this solicitation. We appreciate your interest in doing business with the Whatcom Transportation Authority.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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