

**BEN FRANKLIN TRANSIT
INVITATION FOR BID
BULK FUEL DELIVERY AND SUPPLY
IFB 26-18**

Ben Franklin Transit, (hereinafter referred to as BFT), a municipal corporation of the State of Washington, located at 1000 Columbia Park Trail, Richland, WA, is requesting proposals from qualified Contractors interested in supply and delivery of bulk fuel. This procurement will be an Invitation for Bid (IFB) in accordance with the specifications, terms, and conditions set forth in this IFB 26-18. Qualified bidders are encouraged to submit bids.

A pre-bid meeting will be held on 1/3/19 at 10:00 AM PST held in the conference room of the administration building (physical address): 1038 Columbia Park Trail in Richland, WA 99352. Bids are due No Later Than 2:00 PM PST on 1/15/19. A copy of IFB 26-18 may be obtained at 1000 Columbia Park Trail, Richland, WA 99352, or by contacting Marisa Struwe, Procurement Specialist, (509) 734-5114, e-mail: mstruwe@bft.org

Protest Procedure Policy

BFT's protest procedure policy can be obtained by contacting Marisa Struwe, Procurement Specialist, by the above address or phone number. Contractors who can demonstrate substantial economic interest may protest BFT's decision regarding a provision of the Invitation for Bid or contract award.

Equal Employment Opportunity

The contractor will be required to comply with all applicable Equal Employment laws and regulations.

Disadvantage Business Goals

BFT affirmatively ensures that disadvantaged and Women-Owned Business Enterprises (W/DBE'S) will be afforded full opportunity to submit proposals to this request and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

WISHA and OSHA Regulations

The contractor agrees to abide by all laws, rules and regulations promulgated by the United States of America, the State of Washington, or any agencies or subdivisions thereof, specifically including WISHA and OSHA regulations currently in effect during contract term.

Contractors will be required to follow all Federal, State, and Local rules and regulations. BFT reserves the right to reject any or all Bids and to waive informalities and minor irregularities in offers received. This Invitation for Bid may be canceled and any and all bids may be rejected in whole or in part when it is in the best interest of BFT. This procurement maybe partially funded by the Federal Transit Administration. Contractors will be required to follow FTA, State, and Local rules and regulations.