

## **Office of Procurement Services**

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RE: Protest of RFCSP BG22-00018902 – Management of Parking Meter and Citation Management

Mr. Cabrales:

The City of Dallas (City) is in receipt of Conduent State and Local Solutions, Inc. (Conduent) protest letter dated June 7, 2022 (the "Protest"). In the Protest, Conduent states that the City's procurement and intended award are fundamentally flawed and that the City should immediately reconsider its procurement and intended award.

After a thorough review of the issues raised in the Protest, the City does not find a basis upon which to change intended award recommendation. It was determined to be at the best interest of the City to award the said services, as the intended award vendor is deemed the most responsive and advantageous proposer for this service.

In addition to the protest, the City understand you would like to request a "Debrief". Unfortunately, a debrief cannot be scheduled as this contract has not been authorized by the City Council and executed by all parties. However, the item is scheduled to be considered by the City Council on the June 22, 2022, Council Agenda meeting and if/when the contract has been awarded and signed by all parties, a debrief can then be scheduled to review your questions and provide answers. Alternatively, if you wish to submit an Open Records Request, you may do so by utilizing the following methods, however, the same rules would apply in that the information cannot be released until after the authorized contract has been fully executed:

- Electronically by using the City of Dallas Public Information Request Portal: https://dallastx.govqa.us/WEBAPP/ rs/Login.aspx
- Email: to openrecords@dallascityhall.com
- Hand Delivery: Open Records Center c/o City Secretary's Office, City Hall, 5th floor, Suite
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Requests sent via fax or any other method not prescribed above will not be accepted.

Although, Conduent was not the awarded proposer for this solicitation we encourage your participation in future solicitations advertised by the City. Thanks for your interest in doing business with the City of Dallas.

Sincerely,

Doug Shelton, Sr. Procurement Specialist

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CC: Danielle Thompson, Director, Office of Procurement Services Derrick Chance, Assistant Director (I), Office of Procurement Services Ghassan Khankarli, Director, Department of Transportation Michael Doss, Assistant City Attorney