

METROPOLITAN COUNCIL
Notice of Request for Proposals (RFP) for
Trainings and One-on-One Business Consultation Services (revised)
Contract Number 26P237

The Metropolitan Council is soliciting proposals from qualified vendors to provide trainings and one-on-one businesses consultation services for Metropolitan Council Underutilized Businesses (MCUBs) in the topics of: Navigating Government Contracting Process, Estimate Bids, Responding to a Request for Proposal, Strategic Planning, Developing Business Plan, Project Management, Construction Management, Marketing Business, Cash Flow Management and One-on-One Business Consultation to enhance MCUBs business capabilities to maximize their participation for Council opportunities. The Council intends to award one (1) contract, and the services will be provided over a four-year period.

The anticipated schedule for this procurement is as follows:

RFP Issue Date	September 14, 2026
Pre-Proposal Meeting	October 20, 2026, at 10:00 AM CST
Questions Due	October 23, 2026, at 10:00 AM CST
Proposals Due	November 18, 2026, at 5:00 PM CST
Award	November/December 2026

For the purposes of this contract, this solicitation has been designated for award to a Metropolitan Council Underutilized Business (MCUB) under the Council's MCUB Select program. Proposal submittals are only accepted from vendors who are MCUBs will be considered. The MCUB Directory can be found at <https://mcub.metc.state.mn.us>. More information on the Council's MCUB program may be obtained through the following link: [**Metropolitan Council Underutilized Business Program \(MCUB\) - Metropolitan Council**](#).

[Click Here](#) to view and download the RFP documents (including Plan Holder Report and Addendums). Please input this QuestCDN eBidDoc™ Number **10368879** on the website's Project Search page. Contact QuestCDN at 952-233-1632 or info@questcdn.com for assistance in downloading and working with the digital documents.

Proposers are strongly encouraged to verify subcontractor's State and Federal debarment and suspension status at: <http://www.mmd.admin.state.mn.us/debarredreport.asp>.

A Pre-Proposal Meeting will be held via Microsoft Teams on **October 20, 2026, at 10:00 AM CST**. The meeting may be joined on a video conferencing device via metro council@m.webex.com; Meeting ID: 226 206 345 193 904; passcode: mw2GR7W4 or by calling 1-763-600-8619 (Phone conference ID: 885 335 207#). **Proposers are strongly encouraged to attend.**

Questions concerning the content of the RFP documents may be directed to:

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