



**INVITATION FOR BID (IFB) NUMBER 3160005744  
PAINTING SERVICES  
AMENDMENT #1  
QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

The following questions were received in response to RFX 3160005744:

1. Question: Will this project be broken down into specific areas at a time?  
Answer: **That would depend on several variables. The amount of staff the vendor has and the vendor's ability to cover several projects simultaneously. Working in several locations will have to be coordinated with leadership to ensure the safety of youth, staff, and the vendor.**
2. Question: Will the students be attending when painting in dorm rooms?  
Answer: **No, youth will be relocated while the vendor is painting in dorm areas.**
3. Question: Are the ceilings (or any ceilings) to be painted?  
Answer: **Yes**
4. Question: Within the year of the contract, will there be any weekends alone to work?  
Will contractors be allowed to work over the weekends?  
Answer: **The vendor will be allowed to work on weekends; however, this must be coordinated with leadership.**
5. Question: Will the contractor be allowed to make draws from the fixed total price of their contract?  
Answer: **The contractor will be paid once work is validated and the invoice for services rendered is submitted.**

**END OF QUESTIONS**

Please acknowledge receipt of Amendment #1 by returning it, along with your bid package, by Friday, April 21, 2023, at 2:00 PM, CDT. This acknowledgement should be enclosed in your bid package. **Failure to submit this acknowledgement may result in rejection of your bid package.**

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