

REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS

Suite Charging Units

FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT TO U.S. BANK STADIUM
IN MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA

May 21, 2018

A. Project Background and Objectives

In 2012, the State of Minnesota enacted 2012 Minnesota Laws, Chapter 299 (the “Act”), to establish the Minnesota Sports Facilities Authority (“Authority”) and to provide for the construction, financing, and long-term use of a new stadium now known as U.S. Bank Stadium (the “Stadium”) and related stadium infrastructure (the “Stadium Infrastructure”) as a venue for professional football and a broad range of other civic, community, athletic, educational, cultural and commercial activities.

As set forth in the Act, the Authority may make capital improvements to design, development and construction of the Stadium and the Stadium Infrastructure, and the certain capital improvements that that Authority is soliciting in this Request for Quotations (“RFQ”) shall be referred to in this RFQ as the “Project”. To that end, the Authority has prepared this RFQ for the supply and installation of suite charging units. Those who respond to this RFQ shall be referred to as “Proposers”.

The Project is located at the Stadium [and other additional adjacent land that has been acquired by the Authority in Minneapolis, Minnesota]. The Specification Documents identifying and indicating the scope of the Project are also incorporated within this RFQ as **Exhibit 1**. The Specifications Documents meet the standards required for a National Football League (“NFL”) franchise, as well as additional standards established by the Authority. The Project must be completed by July 16, 2018 (the “Required Completion Date”).

The successful Proposer to the RFQ will be engaged in the sourcing, supplying, installing and testing the wireless device charging units in as many as 131 private suites. Quotes must include all equipment, materials, labor, testing, documentation, freight and tax.

B. Intent and Process of the Request for Quotations

This RFQ is focused on the selection of a Proposer who will provide the best value to the Authority.

Proposers should have experience in similar projects to those that are the subject of this RFQ. It is the desire of the Authority to consider as part of its selection criteria, the commitment of the Proposer to exert good faith efforts to comply with the plan of the Authority to ensure equitable opportunities for Minority Owned Business Enterprises (“MBE”) and Women Owned Business Enterprises (“WBE”) to participate in the Project. The successful Proposer or Proposers must also demonstrate the ability to exert good faith efforts to comply with workforce goals and targeted zip code hiring goals, and work with organizations to develop effective MBE, WBE and workforce recruitment efforts during the Project.

The Authority has developed an Equity Plan and each Proposer should provide a plan describing how they will encourage the participation and utilization of appropriate workforce, MBEs and WBEs in the Proposers' performance of their services. MBEs and WBEs that are interested in acting as the Proposers for the Project are encouraged to respond to the RFQ.

C. Scope of the Project Requirements

Please see Exhibit 1 for project specifications.

D. Requested Qualifications

The Authority reserves the right and discretion to determine the qualifications and responsibility of the Proposers to perform the work and services that are the subject of the RFQ.

E. RFQ Timeline

Advertise and issue Request for Quotations	May 21, 2018
Questions Due	May 27, 2018
Quotations Due	June 11, 2018 by 5PM
Selection of Provider	June 12, 2018
Project Completion	July 16, 2018

By submitting a Quotation, the Proposer affirms that this timeline can be met.

F. Proposer Qualifications

The following items shall be included in a Proposal executive summary:

- Proposer's name and address of office that would have central responsibility for the work. Identify the business form of Proposer. If the proposed form of entity is a joint venture, please identify each joint venture participant and their respective percentage of participation. Provide a summary, on one page or less, describing why the Proposer is the most qualified to be the Provider for the Project.
- Proposer agrees that if it is proposing any services including installation work, it shall obtain worker's compensation insurance, vehicle insurance, and any other insurance required by applicable law or regulation. Proposer also agrees that it shall maintain commercial general liability insurance in commercially reasonable amounts, and that proposer shall provide upon request a certificate of insurance evidencing such coverage and additional insured status as requested. The Authority may terminate this purchase order if it determines in its sole discretion that the proposer's insurance coverage is not adequate for this project.
- Exhibit 1 – Scope and Specification Documents. The Authority will complete the Scope and Specification Documents.
- Exhibit 2 – Proposal Scope of Services and Pricing Information. There are two pages for this Exhibit. The first page is for the Proposer to define the scope of professional services, if any, that will be provided to the MSFA. The second page is for the Proposer

to describe the equipment, materials, and installation labor, if any, that will be provided to the MSFA.

- Exhibit 3 – Equity Plan Targeted Business Commitment and Information Form. Proposer must complete the Targeted Business Commitment and Information Form.
- Exhibit 4 – Equity Report. Proposer must complete this form at the completion of the project for all workforce services.
- Exhibit 5 – Purchase Order Form. The Authority will complete this form.

G. Quotations

Quotations are due by **June 9, 2018 by 5 PM**. One electronic copy and three bound copies of each quote and should be enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to:

Minnesota Sports Facilities Authority
Attention: James Farstad
1005 4th Street South
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55415

The electronic copy should be sent via email to the following parties:

1. JP Paul: PaulJ@Vikings.nfl.net
2. Elizabeth Brady: Elizabeth.brady@msfa.com
3. James Farstad: james.farstad@msfa.com

Questions or Inquiries. All questions must be submitted via email to:

1. James Farstad at james.farstad@msfa.com
2. JP Paul at PaulJ@Vikings.nfl.net

H. Minnesota Government Data Practices

All Quotations are eventually subject to the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minn. Statutes, Chapter 13, but the Act prohibits disclosure of any information derived from Quotations submitted by competing Proposers, and the content of all Quotations is nonpublic data under Chapter 13 until such time as notice to award a contract to the successful Proposer is given by the Authority. Proposers shall note with their Quotation any data in their Quotation that they consider proprietary information or otherwise private and confidential.

EXHIBIT 1

Scope and Specification Documents

U.S. Bank Stadium is in search of mobile phone charging units for selected or all 131 Private Suites located in the facility. The unit must be small enough to be utilized on countertops yet have the capacity to charge at least four phones at one time. The unit must also charge a variety of today's most popular mobile phones (iPhones and Androids).

Specs for a sample acceptable solution can be found at: <https://www.bestbuy.com/site/nomad-power-adapter-white/5881801.p?skuId=5881801>

Specifications

Power	Charging Method	Wired
	Wattage ⓘ	30 watts
Compatibility	Brand Compatibility	Universal
	Model Compatibility	Universal
Certifications & Listings	ENERGY STAR Certified ⓘ	No
Dimension	Product Height	1.4 inches
	Product Length	4.9 inches
	Product Width	4.9 inches
	Product Weight	0.57 pounds
Warranty	Manufacturer's Warranty - Parts	Not Available
	Manufacturer's Warranty - Labor	Not Available
Other	Product Name	Power Adapter
	Brand	Nomad
	Color	White
	Color Category	White
	Model Number	HUB-5-WHT
	UPC	855848007045

The scope must include 600 charging cables. Please propose an assortment to support major mobile device manufactures and models, including at a minimum; Apple and Samsung devices. Please specify unit costs for all device and component options. Your proposal should include Quotes must include all equipment, materials, labor, testing, documentation, freight and tax (6.875%).

EXHIBIT 3

EQUITY PLAN

TARGETED BUSINESS COMMITMENT AND INFORMATION FORM

Proposer Company Name: _____

Check ONE of the following:

No Targeted Business participation is committed on this project

The following Targeted Business (MBE & WBE) participation is committed on this project:

Firm Name (Legal business name used for Targeted Business certification)	WBE MBE (Check one)		How will firm participate? (subcontractor, consortium, joint venture)	Description of work	Estimated dollar value of participation	Estimated percentage of total bid
	WBE	MBE				

Total WBE % _____

Total MBE % _____

TARGETED BUSINESSES WHO WERE CONSIDERED BUT WERE NOT SELECTED:

Firm Name	Address	Telephone Number

Certification

On behalf of the proposer identified below, I certify that the information provided in this form is true and correct.

Proposer Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

