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From: -
Sent: Thursday, June 19, 2014 7:03 PM
To: Walters, Vivian (ISD)
Cc:
Subject: RE: Verification of Availability - RQID1400086

Good evening, Vivian:

I know that this response is well past your deadline but I wanted to thank you for your efforts and those of your colleagues to subject this project to an SBE Set-Aside. I'm sure that all of us on distribution appreciate the effort. I could be wrong but I'm going to guess that you didn't get too many positive responses. I cannot speak for the other companies since some are larger than others but I suspect many of them would express the same sentiments as I will here.

The difficulties that I have with many county RFQ's is that the required response time is very short given my real job title of CCB (Chief Cook & Bottle-washer). In this particular case, I know that I can meet the requirements of the project but what I cannot do is provide references for projects of similar size & scope. I have done many screen printing and embroidery jobs but none of this scale. I suspect that it is this point that will limit small businesses from responding affirmatively. I am interested but cannot respond positively for the reason noted.

Regards,

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To:

Subject: RE: Verification of Availability - RQID1400086

Reminder – 2nd Request:

Please note, SBD is making every effort to establish the subject project as an SBE Set-Aside. If the subject project is one of interest, and you are able to fulfill the "scopes of services", then please complete the attached "**Verification of Availability**" and submit as soon as possible.