

REGIONAL TRANSIT AUTHORITY
PUBLIC NOTICE
IFB 2025-031 TRANSIT SECURITY SERVICES
Addendum V

Acknowledge receipt of this addendum in the bid submission. This addendum is a part of the Contract Documents and shall be included in the Contract Documents. Changes made by the addenda take precedence over information published at an earlier date.

This addendum documents the questions and inquiries presented during the pre-bid conference held at 9:00 a.m. on October 30, 2025, in the RTA Board Room.

1. Are the vehicles in the bill-rate?

Response: Vehicles shall be included in the cost proposal.

2. Is the current \$22 bill-rate for armed or unarmed guards?

Response: The current vendor exclusively provides armed guards at all posts marked as "vendor" in column 3 of the tables in Section 7 of the Scope of Services, "Estimated Labor Hours - Armed/Unarmed Assignments".

3. How many vehicles are currently being used for services?

Response: New roving post may need at least one (1) vehicle. No vehicles are currently used for any billed services.

4. Does/will RTA use cameras or AI?

Response: Guards currently have access to live feed, depending on the post orders.

5. What is the start date?

Response: RTA anticipates a 30-day transition period from services from the current contractor to the awardee.

6. Are the vehicles in the bill rate?

Response: Vehicles shall be included in the cost proposal.

7. Can the prime not be a small business and have SBE subs?

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Response: The prime vendor must be a small business and can subcontract.

8. What is RTA's fiscal year?

Response: January 1st – December 31st.

9. Does the contractor need to be headquartered in New Orleans?

Response: No. There are no geographic restrictions for this solicitation.

10. More details regarding roving patrol:

Response: Patrol has been recognized by the agency as a needed addition to the scope based on business needs, particularly to support response to incidents that occur away from transit hubs. Roving Patrols will also be used to monitor the Parking Garage at the A. Philip Randolph (Canal) facility periodically. Detailed post orders would be established in coordination with the RTA Project Manager.

11. What is the Bill Rate for Unarmed Officer Services? What is the Bill rate for Armed Officer Services?

Response: See response to question # 2.