## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Okaloosa County School Board is requesting proposals for Food Service Management Operations.

RFP 25-01: Food Service Management Operations

Issue Date: December 18, 2024

RFP Opening Date & Time: February 21, 2025, 2:00 PM CT

RFP packets can be downloaded through the Florida Purchasing Group BIDNET System (<a href="http://www.bidnetdirect.com/FLORIDA">http://www.bidnetdirect.com/FLORIDA</a>) or by requesting a packet from the School District Purchasing Department at (850) 833-7668.

A Pre-Proposal Conference is scheduled for January 14, 2025, at 9:00 AM CT, in the Okaloosa County School District (OCSD) Central Administration Complex Training/Board Room located at 202-A Highway 85 North, Niceville, FL. 32578. Due to the importance of all offerors having a clear understanding of the specifications and requirements, attendance at this meeting is highly recommended for all vendors, with points being awarded to the proposal score of those in attendance. The conference will be followed by optional site visits of 3 school sites in the Niceville area selected by the OCSD Food Service Department. Please RSVP and limit the number of representatives attending to three people per organization. RSVP to windhamv@okaloosaschools.com.

Any person requiring special accommodation at this Pre-Proposal Conference because of a disability or physical impairment should contact the Superintendent at (850) 689-7185, at least two business days prior to the meeting.

BY: Marcus D. Chambers, Superintendent and Corporate Secretary