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GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE RFP

12.1 PROPOSAL PREPARATION COSTS

This RFP does not commit VRE to an award, nor to pay any costs associated with the preparation and/or submission of any proposal. VRE shall not reimburse any costs incurred by Offerors in responding to this RFP or in competing for Contract award.

12.2 MODIFICATION OF PROPOSAL CLOSING DATE

VRE reserves the right to modify the proposal closing date and/or time. If Offerors have already submitted their proposals to VRE when the proposal closing date and/or time are modified, VRE will afford those Offerors the opportunity to revise or withdraw their proposals.

12.3 ADDENDA

VRE may issue addenda to the RFP. Addenda, if any, will be issued at least five (5) calendar days prior to the proposal closing date. Any addendum issued less than five (5) days prior to the closing date will, if necessary, contain a provision modifying the proposal closing date to a date that will provide Offerors adequate time to respond to the addendum.

12.4 CANCELLATION/WITHDRAWAL OF RFP

VRE reserves the right to cancel or withdraw in whole or in part this RFP at its sole discretion. Offerors will be notified in the event the RFP is cancelled via the VRE website.



12.5 WAIVER OF INFORMALITIES

VRE reserves the right to waive informalities and minor irregularities in proposals.

12.6 DISPOSITION OF PROPOSALS

Offerors' proposals will not be returned. VRE will retain the original proposal for the contract file and destroy the remaining copies.

