QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS FOR RFP #2021-05:

Community-Based Transportation Plan (CBTP) for City of Suisun City

- 1. Will a Participatory Budgeting process be expected for this Plan?
 - While there is not currently an expectation for a Participatory Budgeting Process, it may become an option based on funding availability.
- 2. Confirming there are no expectations or requirements for involvement of a SBE and/or DBE?
 - No
- 3. Have representatives for the Project Leadership Team already been identified?
 - No specific representatives, however, representative agencies have been identified.
- 4. Regarding Chapter 2 of the CBTP (Currently Offered Transportation Programs/Services in Suisun City), what specific data on program usage, costs, and qualitative benefits will be provided to consultants?
 - Specific Mobility Program usage including Ridership and costs; public transportation ridership data as available; STA is currently pursuing the availability of big data for commute patterns.
- 5. As we continue to navigate COVID-19, what are the short and long-term expectations for public outreach activities to occur in person?
 - Public Outreach activities will be determined by CDC/County guidelines.
- 6. How many outreach events should the consultant plan to conduct for Tasks 4 and 6?
 - Minimum of 4 for the public/community based organizations at least 3 for initial input and 1 for feedback/prioritization.
- 7. Aside from the Project Leadership Team, what, if any, expectations are there to brief specific City Departments and/or City Council?
 - A presentation to Suisun City Council will be expected.
- 8. Aside from the Project Leadership Team, coordination with STA project manager, and activities outlined in Tasks 8 and 10, what, if any, expectations are there to brief STA-specific groups (e.g. STA Consortium, STA TAC)?
 - As outlined under item 10 in the Scope of Service Tasks, presentations to STA Committees and STA Board are expected.
- 9. In the RFP Submittal Requirements section there is no number 5. Is there a section missing or should we number these sections accordingly?
 - Please number accordingly. There is no section missing.
- 10. Are the Additional Relevant Information pages included in the page count?
 - No

- 11. Do subconsultants need to submit a 10-H form?
 - Yes, subconsultants will need to submit a 10-H form if the primary firm is selected.
- 12. Could you provide Attachment A and Attachment B? They seem to be missing from the RFP.
 - Attachments A and B are now posted on the STA website.
- 13. Would a table of contents be counted towards the page limit?
 - No.
- 14. Would STA consider an electronic submission only due to ongoing office closures/limitations due to COVID-19?
 - No. Firms must submit one (1) hard copy and one (1) digital copy in PDF format of your Proposal to the STA office no later than 4:00 PM on Friday, June 4, 2021.
- 15. Are cost proposals submitted by proponents required to comply with federal acquisition regulation (FAR) part 31 (federal cost principles for-profit entities)?
 - No. This contract will not be audited using federal provisions.