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October 8, 2014

Melissa Washington
Account Specialist
DSF
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Re: FOIA Request 14-600

Dear Ms. Washington:

I write to respond to your Freedom of Information request dated September 8, and received in my office on September 9, 2014, in which you requested:

“Under the FOIA Law, we are requesting under the FOIA act, a copy of the winning bid proposal that was submitted for this project. I would like the proposal to be email to me at demqseystaffing@yahoo.com

1. Copy of the proposal from the winning vendor
2. Amount that will be paid out
3. Terms of the contract
4. If subcontractor or 2nd vendor, same information above.”

Information responsive to your request is available. These are public documents, and if printed, would number 296 pages. The link below will provide you access to the responsive records.

Portions of these documents have been redacted pursuant to the following section(s) of the Act:

- 140/7(1)(b) that exempts from disclosure “Private information, unless disclosure is required by another provision of this Act, a State or federal law or a court order.” This includes TIN, FEIN, and home addresses.
- 140/7(1)(c) that exempts from disclosure “Personal information contained within public records, the disclosure of which, if disclosed, would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, unless the disclosure is consented to in writing by the individual subjects of the information.” Pursuant to this exemption, professional references, personal education information and employment history for staff were redacted from the responsive records.
- 140/7(1)(g) that exempts from disclosure “Trade secrets and commercial or financial information obtained from a person or business where the trade secrets or commercial or financial information are furnished under a claim that they are proprietary, privileged or confidential, and that or where disclosure of the trade secrets or commercial or financial information would cause competitive harm to the person or business...” This

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includes business staff resumes, business references, business format information, training and education information, and financial records and statements furnished under a claim of confidentiality.

Should you wish to inspect or receive a physical copy of these documents, please call Melanie Kuehn at the phone number below and she will provide you with all the necessary details.

You have a right, under the law, to seek a review of your status as a commercial requestor by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) in the Office of the Attorney General. The PAC may be reached by phone at 217-782-1396, by email to publicaccess@atg.state.il.us, or by postal mail at the Public Access Bureau, 500 S. 2nd Street, Springfield, Illinois 62706. You also have the right to seek judicial review under section 11 of this Act.

If you have questions for our office, please contact 217-333-6400.

Sincerely,

Thomas P. Hardy
Executive Director
and Chief Records Officer

To access your files, please go to:

This link will expire in ten business days.