

April 26, 2019

VIA EMAIL

Ms. Chanelle Yang

Jobs to Move America

Email: cyang@jobstomoveamerica.org

RE: 19-FOIA-112 Info re RFP 37383-JO

Dear Ms. Yang:

We are in receipt of your request for information pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.* (“**FOIA**”).

On April 12, 2019, we received your request for 1) All RFP documents associated with Bid ID: 37383-JO and any addenda to the RFP; 2) A list of registered Metra vendors that were notified by Metra of the aforementioned RFP; and 3) A list detailing all potential, expected, future, and current funding sources for this procurement, including: (a) the federal, state, or local provider of any funds; (b) the type or name of any funds; and (c) the total amount of funds from each source (“**Request**”).

On April 25, 2019, I reached out to you via telephone and email to explain that, at this time, we only have documents and information responsive to Items No. 1 and 2 of your Request; and to ask if you would allow us until May 9, 2019 to respond to Item No. 3 of your Request. On the 25th, via telephone and email, you agreed to allow us to issue to you a Supplemental Response addressing Item No. 3 of your Request on or before May 9th. Your Request is granted.

In response to your Request, Metra’s Procurement department is providing you with a list of registered Metra vendors that were notified by Metra of the aforementioned RFP (“**Responsive Document**”). For access to documents associated with BID ID: 37383-JO and any addenda thereto, please visit our website at the link below and follow the instructions to sign up for, or sign into your own *My Metra for Business* account which will allow you to download Invitations for Bid and/or Requests for Proposal:

<https://metrarail.com/about-metra/metra-business>.

Finally, with regard to item No. 3 of your Request, our Grants department is providing you with a composite table of proposed funding options. The Grants department advises that Metra has a five-year Capital Program; additional funds will likely be programmed in 2024 and beyond. The composite table details the amounts of the Board-approved Capital Program for 2019 through 2023, and funds which have already been awarded.

We appreciate your patience and willingness to agree to allow us additional time to respond to Item No. 3 of your Request. However, since we were able to obtain responsive information from our Grants department (which we are providing you with at this time), we will not issue a Supplemental Response in this regard on or before May 9, 2019.

If we can be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Angela K. Ollie".

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Attachments