## NOTICE TO BIDDERS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: That sealed bids will be received by the Board Secretary of the College Community School District in the County of Linn, State of Iowa, at 401 76th Avenue, S.W., Cedar Rapids, Iowa, 52404, until 10:00 A.M. local time, on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2021and will be read aloud at that time at the Transportation Building conference room of College Community Schools, for furnishing the following supplies, equipment, and/or services:

## Three (3) 78 Passenger "Type D" School Buses Two (2) 60 Passenger "Type D" Lift School Bus

The award of contract may be made by the Board of Directors of the College Community School District to any responsible bidder or bidders offering suitable supplies, equipment, and/or services at the lowest price, taking into consideration the quality of materials or service in the best interests of the School District. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids, or any part thereof, and to waive informalities or irregularities and to enter into such contract or contracts as shall be deemed in the best interests of the College Community School District. No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of 30 days after the date of opening of the bids.

By virtue of statutory authority, preference will be given to products and provisions grown and coal produced within the State of Iowa and to Iowa domestic labor to the extent lawfully required under Iowa statutes.

The district retains the right to determine what buses from the list of trade-in buses, if any, will be traded. This determination will be made known to the successful bidder prior to delivery of the new buses.

Bid may conditionally be awarded. The District will consider the past performance/quality of the bidder and their product and reserves the right to examine the product of the bidder prior to making any final bid award. Bid awards may be made for a total of all vehicles bid or separated as any part thereof.

Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from Kris Hartgrave, Director of Transportation, College Community School District, 401 76<sup>th</sup> Ave. SW Cedar Rapids, Iowa 52404.

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Angela Morrison, Board Secretary