



North Central Texas Council Of Governments

TO: Interested Parties

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FROM: Dan Kessler
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SUBJECT: Request for Proposals for the Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport
Transit Service Planning Study

The North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) is requesting written proposals from qualified consultants to conduct a Transit Service Planning Study for Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport (DFW Airport). The purpose of the study is to enhance connectivity with the region's existing and planned public transportation system to facilitate transportation to/from and within the airport. The study will include a review of existing routes, ridership, and transfer points, as well as consideration of planned rail connections at Dallas Area Rapid Transit (DART) Orange Line Beltline Station, DART Terminal A Station, and the Fort Worth Transportation Authority (the T) TEXRail Terminal B Station. DFW Airport is a major employer in the North Central Texas region and a public transportation link is critical for employees, employers, and the traveling public. The study will include recommendations to improve efficiencies, increase ridership, and recommend operational improvements, with a focus on improving access for limited-income workers. This study is funded with Federal Transit Administration Job Access/Reverse Commute Program funds.

This is an invitation to respond to the Request for Proposals (RFP) by submitting a proposal to Michelle Bloomer, Program Manager, North Central Texas Council of Governments, 616 Six Flags Drive, Arlington, Texas 76011. Proposals must be received by **5:00 pm, on Friday, February 17, 2012**. Proposals submitted after that time will not be considered and will be returned to the proposer unopened.

The RFP is available at <http://www.nctcog.org/trans/admin/rfp>. To guide you in the preparation of this proposal, a copy of the Instructions for Proposals and a Sample Contract are also provided at this web address. The Sample Contract contains required documentation which must be submitted with the proposal.

Any amendments or updates to the RFP as well as all questions and responses will be posted on NCTCOG's website. Written questions concerning the RFP should be submitted by email to TransRFPs@nctcog.org by February 3, 2012. We appreciate your consideration of this request.



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