



HENDERSON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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HENDERSON COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS RFP # 2026-05 Transportation Services – EC Student Issued: January 21, 2026

NOTICE: THIS IS A FEDERAL FUNDED SOLICITATION

This Request for Proposal (RFP) is a solicitation for services requiring the expenditure of Federal Financial Assistant funding. Contracts funded with federal grant or loan funds must be procured in a manner that conforms with all applicable Federal laws, policies, and standards, including those under the Uniform Guidance (2 C.F.R. Part 200). By submission of a bid, Bidder certifies to accept and agree to the Uniform Guidance Contract Provision. Contract Provisions are included in this RFP and may also be found at:

https://www.hendersoncountypublicschoolsnc.org/finance/files/2021/11/Henderson-County-Public-Schools-Uniform-Guidance-UG-and-FEMA-Contract-Provisions-2021-11-V2_ADA.pdf

The Henderson County Public Schools Board of Education will receive sealed proposals for transportation services to drive a student from Hendersonville, NC to Charlotte, NC, approximately 220 days a year. The mileage is approximately 115 miles each way for a total of 230 miles per day. Arrival time in Charlotte, NC is 8:30 AM and departure time from Charlotte, NC is 2:30 PM most days.

BID DEADLINE: Sealed Proposals subject to the conditions made a part hereof **will be received until 9:00 AM (EST), Thursday, February 12, 2026** at the Henderson County Public Schools Administration Building, 414 Fourth Avenue West, Hendersonville, NC 28739, at which time they will be publicly opened and read. Proposals that are not sealed will be not accepted. Proposals will not be accepted for any reason after the official date and time referenced above. Emailed proposals will not be accepted. See RFP for details. **Direct all questions concerning this RFP in writing to: dhuchzermeier@hcpsnc.org**

BID QUESTIONS:

Questions concerning the specifications in this Request for Proposals **will be received no later than Noon (EST) on Wednesday, February 4, 2026**. If any modifications to the specifications are necessary, an addendum will be posted to the Henderson County Public Schools website.

<https://www.hendersoncountypublicschoolsnc.org/finance/purchasing/>

Mail or Delivery Location of Proposal:

Henderson County Public Schools Administration Building
414 Fourth Avenue West
Hendersonville, NC 28739
Attn: Purchasing Department RFP #2026-05

Copies of the RFP may be obtained by sending an email request to:

Joni Huchzermeier, CLGPO
Purchasing Agent
Email: dhuchzermeier@hcpsnc.org

Award is contingent upon compliance by prospective vendor with all the following:

- All Federal, State and Local Procurement Laws
- Specifications / Requirements listed in the Request for Proposal
- Henderson County Public School's Standard Terms and Conditions, Uniform Guidance Contract Provisions (2 C.F.R. Part 200)

Henderson County Public Schools encourages participation by small, minority, disable, and woman owned business.

HCPS RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY OR ALL BIDS FOR SOUND DOCUMENTED REASONS