



Rhode Island Convention Center Authority
Request for Proposals
Purchase of Audio/Video Production Equipment

The Rhode Island Convention Center Authority (Authority) is seeking proposals for Audio/Video Production Equipment for in House & Video Board Broadcast.

Overview

The Rhode Island Convention Center Authority (Authority) is a public corporation created by the Rhode Island General Assembly to facilitate the construction and development of a convention center, parking garages, and related facilities. The Authority contracts a management group or groups to manage the daily operations of the facilities as stated.

Purpose

The Rhode Island Convention Center Authority (Authority) requests proposals (RFP) from qualified bidders to provide equipment to replace and upgrade our current in-house HD video production equipment used during events throughout the facility. The facility is looking to upgrade to a 4 camera HD/4k resolution, wireless transmitter & receiver with 2 NDI PTZ Cams along with an upgraded Tricaster Switcher with control surface to integrate into our ANC video scoreboard, to include any other added associated cables and accessories.

PART I - INTRODUCTION/INFORMATION

ELIGIBILITY

To be eligible to respond to this RFP, the proposing firm must demonstrate that they, or the principals assigned to the project, have the capacity to provide fully the proposed equipment. The proposing firm must include (no less than 3 references) of providing AV equipment for other accounts.

PART II Scope of Work

Provide the following equipment and or similar to:

3 x BLACKMAGIC URSA BROADCAST G2 w/FUJINON
LA16x8BRM1/REG

1 x Blackmagic Design URSA Broadcast G2 Camera with Fujinon 8.5-
170mm Lens & Zoom/Focus Control

4 x Blackmagic Design Studio Fiber Converter

4 x Blackmagic Design Camera Fiber Converter

4 x BLACKMAGIC URSA VIEWFINDER/REG

4 Blackmagic Design Gold Mount Battery Plate for URSA/URSA Mini

4 x Clear Comm Headsets- 5 pin male XLR

3 x Camplex HF-FCFFCM-T-0500 Tactical HFO SMPTE Hybrid Fiber
Optic Camera Cable Canare FCFA to FCMA - 500 Foot

2 x Camplex HF-FCFFCM-T-0500 Tactical HFO SMPTE Hybrid Fiber
Optic Camera Cable Canare FCFA to FCMA-320 Foot

2 x Camplex HF-FCFFCM-T-0500 Tactical HFO SMPTE Hybrid Fiber
Optic Camera Cable Canare FCFA to FCMA-25 Foot

4 x HOLLYLAND 2/4 WIRE CONVERTER FOR INTERCOM
SYSTEM/REG

4 x MARSHALL 8-CHANNEL ANALOG AUDIO OUTPUT CABLE-
10'/REG

1x TERADEK 4K LT 3GSD 750 TX&4K 12GS 750 RX DLX-G/REG

2x NEWTEK NDIHX-PTZ2 PTZ CAMERA/REG

1 x PTZOPTICS IP&SERIAL PTZ CAMERA JOYSTICK
CONTRLLR/REG

1 x Tricaster 2 Elite with Control Surface

PART III - RFP SCHEDULE

Release RFP 09/01/22

PROPOSAL DUE (Prior to 2:00 PM) 09/16/22

PART IV – INSTRUCTIONS TO PROPOSERS

1. Proposer must propose to execute all phases of the proposal in a single bid. The proposal must be signed by an officer of your firm with the authority to commit the firm.
2. All prices shall be for the Rhode Island Convention Center Authority, One LaSalle Square, Providence, Rhode Island 02903.
3. A physical inventory list of the installed equipment shall be provided to the Rhode Island Convention Center Authority upon completion of installation. Brand, model, and serial numbers shall be included.
4. Proposals including three copies must be delivered on Friday September the 16th prior to 2pm on the 3rd floor administration offices located at 1 LaSalle Square, Providence RI 02903 C/O Robert Lauro Director of Operations.
5. Proposals received by the Rhode Island Convention Center Authority after the submission deadline will be considered void and unacceptable.

Warranty: Contractor shall warrant that all items or service shall conform and perform to the proposed specifications and all warranties as stated and be free from all defects in material and workmanship for a one (1) year period.

RIGHTS RESERVED TO THE AUTHORITY

Whenever the Authority deems it to be in the Authority's best interest, the Authority reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to cancel this RFP, to reject any and all proposals, to waive minor irregularities or informalities in a proposal; to re-advertise; and to proceed in a manner other than awarding a contract under this RFP. The Authority will not waive the requirement that qualifications and proposals be received by the Authority prior to the deadline for submission.

The Authority reserves the right to cancel negotiations with any proposer at any time prior to a contract being fully executed by the proposer and the Authority.

The Authority reserves the right to interview any or all proposers.

In addition to any other cause for rejection of a submittal stated in this RFP, a proposal may also be rejected if there is evidence of collusion among proposers, if the proposer submitting it is in default or arrears under any prior or existing contract with the Authority or any other State of Rhode Island department or agency, or there is an unresolved claim between the proposer and the Authority or any other State of Rhode Island department or agency.

Any direct contacts made or attempted to be made by any proposer with any Authority Board member prior to the selection of qualified proposers will automatically disqualify a proposer from any further consideration.

Proposals are considered to be irrevocable for a period of not less than sixty (60) days following the opening date and may not be withdrawn except with the express written approval of the Authority's Executive Director.

Proposers are advised that the Authority is a quasi-public agency of the State of Rhode Island and its records, including statements submitted in response to RFP's are public records unless otherwise exempted under state law.

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AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY/AFFIRMATIVE ACTION
EMPLOYER.**

