

RFP 512 – Transportation Routing Software

RFP Information & Summary

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Following evaluations of Yonkers Public Schools current student transportation needs a request for proposals (RFP) was duly solicited in compliance with New York State and the City of Yonkers procurement policy. RFP-512 “Bus Transportation Routing Software” was advertised with a submission deadline of Friday, February 28th, 2025 by 2:00PM, for solicitation of a web-based student routing software.

Responders included; Transfinder Corp., BusPlanner USA INC., Dynamic Ideas LLC, Education Logistics INC., SchoolBusNET P.C., Tyler Technologies INC., and ZUM Services Inc. Based on technical and pricing proposals submitted, the selection committee for RFP-512 narrowed the vendors down to 3 at which point a “Best and Final Offer” was requested. Following the selection committee’s review of the “Best and Final Offers” submitted we are recommending that Transfinder Corp. be awarded the RFP-512.

Transfinder’s Software will allow more efficient routing of Yonkers Public Schools students, allowing for district transportation policy to be accounted for as barriers. Transfinder will import student data directly from PowerSchool allowing the transportation department to properly update students’ routes based on school placement and IEP transportation accommodations. Transfinder also has several communication tools that will allow the transportation department to more effectively communicate with school administrators and parents/guardians. Through Transfinder’s “Trip Management” portal, the district will be able to streamline charter trip requests and approvals.