

**ANNOUNCEMENT
TRANSCOM REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS (RFQ)
FOR CLOUD-BASED DATA FUSION ENGINE (DFE) SYSTEM REPLACEMENT
CONTRACT #021201-0023
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TRANSCOM's mission is to improve the mobility and safety of the traveling public within Connecticut, New Jersey, and New York. Improvement in mobility and safety is achieved by TRANSCOM aiding in the regional coordination, development, deployment, and implementation of Intelligent Transportation Systems (ITS) with its member agencies. TRANSCOM, Inc. ("TRANSCOM") is an independently incorporated New Jersey non-profit governed, funded and represented by every major transportation agency in the New York, New Jersey and Connecticut region.

TRANSCOM is initiating the procurement process for the replacement of its Data Fusion System. TRANSCOM's Data Fusion Engine (DFE) collects real-time and historical information (e.g., speed and travel time) referenced to a local transportation network (links, nodes) and maps the information to a regional reference system (links, nodes). The DFE system also collects multiple event sources (including both highway and transit) and normalizes the various data feeds into a unified data set with standard data schema. The result of these activities allows for a normalized aggregated regional real-time data set of the transportation information for the States of New York, New Jersey, and Connecticut. TRANSCOM is issuing this Request for Qualifications (RFQ) to solicit interest from responsible, responsive, and qualified firms to replace the current on-premises DFE with a cloud-based solution.

The RFQ is the first step of a two-step procurement. To proceed to the second step of the procurement, a Proposer must provide a timely response to this RFQ and be shortlisted by TRANSCOM for the Project.

The RFQ will be posted to the TRANSCOM web site at www.xcm.org. The RFQ will be posted on December 15, 2023, and the Statement of Qualifications (SOQ) due date is January 17, 2024.

Modifications will be disseminated only by posting on TRANSCOM's website. They will not be mailed out. Proposers are advised to regularly visit the TRANSCOM website www.xcm.org to check for modifications.

Any questions should be sent to RFP@xcm.org, Attention: Naadhira Ali, Procurement contact.