



May 9, 2025

RE: Sourcing Efforts Letter – RFP 25-609, Districtwide Beverage Services

Greetings,

Because the procurement process is constantly evolving and improving, the Purchasing Department has developed a new customer service feature. The Purchasing Department is now providing a summary of sourcing efforts to the internal client for RFP 25-609, Districtwide Beverage Services.

The Purchasing Department's efforts include

- 1) RFP 25-609 was posted to IonWave on April 3, 2025.
- 2) RFP 25-609 was advertised in the *Champion Newspaper* on April 3, 2025, and April 10, 2025.
- 3) Electronic notification sent to 25 vendors from the DCSD Vendor Bid List.
- 4) Electronic notification sent to 556 vendors through the State of GA Procurement Registry.
- 5) Electronic notification sent to 153 vendors through IonWave.

If you are aware of any additional sourcing engines, please let us know so we may include those in our process.

Two (2) proposals were reviewed and **two (2)** deemed responsive to the requirements of the solicitation.

Please feel free to reach out to me at 678 676-0120 with any questions or concerns.

Regards,

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