



February 6, 2026

RE: Sourcing Efforts Letter – **RFP 26-719 Central Office Operational Assessment**

Mr. Byron Schueneman,

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 26-719 Central Office Operational Assessment.

The Purchasing Department's efforts include:

- 1) RFP 26-719 was posted to IonWave on December 4, 2025.
- 2) RFP 26-719 was advertised in the *Champion Newspaper* on December 4, 2025, and December 11, 2025.
- 3) Electronic notification sent to 13 vendors from the DCSD Vendor Bid List.
- 4) Electronic notification sent to 2200 vendors through the State of GA Procurement Registry.
- 5) Electronic notification sent to 780 vendors through IonWave.

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

Nineteen (19) proposals were received and seventeen (17) 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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