

	<p>Statement of Non-Award</p>	<p>Solicitation Type: Solicitation Number: Date Posted: Procurement Specialist: Phone: E-Mail Address: Address:  Description:</p>	<p>Request for Proposals (RFP) 2223-45MJ 8/29/2023 B. Maurice Jackson, CPPB 843) 488-6929 <a href="mailto:mjackson@horrycountyschools.net">mjackson@horrycountyschools.net</a> PO Box 260005, Conway, SC 29528 335 Four Mile Road, Conway, SC 29526 Staffing and Labor Support for Secondary Cleaning Services</p>
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**Notice of Cancellation of Solicitation**

Solicitation: 2223-45MJ  
 Opening: May 16, 2023  
 Description: Staffing and Labor Support for Secondary Cleaning Services

NO AWARD IS MADE ON ITEM(S): WILL NOT BE RE-SOLICITED

The above referenced solicitation is cancelled in its entirety. This cancellation is based upon South Carolina Consolidated Procurement Code and Regulations, Sections 19-445.2097 B. (1) and 11-35-1710 which states:

**Cancellation of Solicitation Prior to Award.** When it is determined prior to the issuance of an award or notification of intent to award, whichever is earlier, but after opening, that the requirements relating to the availability and identification of specifications have not been met, the request for proposals shall be cancelled. A request for proposals may be cancelled after opening, but prior the issuance of an award or notification of intent to award, whichever is earlier, when such action is consistent with subsection A above and the procurement officer determines in writing that:

- h. For other reasons, cancellation is clearly in the best interest of the District.

**Cancellation of Invitation for Bids or Request for Proposals.** Any solicitation under this code may be cancelled, or any or all bids or proposals may be rejected in whole or in part as may be specified in the solicitation, when it is in the best interest of the District. The reasons for rejection, supported with documentation sufficient to satisfy external audit, shall be made part of the contract file.

If you are aggrieved in connection with the award of the contract, you may be entitled to protest, but only as provided in Section 11-35- 4210. To protest an award, you must (i) submit notice of your intent to protest within seven business days of the date the award notice is posted, and (ii) submit your actual protest within fifteen days of the date the award notice is posted. Days are calculated as provided in Section 11-35-310(13). Both protests and notices of intent to protest must be in writing and must be received by the appropriate Chief Procurement Officer within the time provided. The grounds of the protest and the relief requested must be set forth with enough particularity to give notice of the issues to be decided. A matter that could have been raised pursuant to 11-35-4210 (1) (a) as a protest of the solicitation may not be raised as a protest of the award or intended award of a contract.

PROTEST- HCS ADDRESS: Any protest must be addressed to the Chief Procurement Officer, and submitted in writing (a) by email to [rstrickland@horrycountyschools.net](mailto:rstrickland@horrycountyschools.net) (b) by post or delivery to 335 Four Mile Road, Conway, SC 29526 or PO Box 260005, Conway, SC 29528-6005.

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