NOTE: IF TVDSB IS CURRENTLY PURCHASING FROM YOUR ORGANIZATION YOU MUST COMPLETE THIS TENDER IN ORDER FOR TVDSB TO CONTINUE.

TENDER #214 ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES

Issue Date: Thursday, April 21, 2022 Buyer: Stacey Shoemaker Issued by: The Thames Valley District School Board: Tender #214 **Return Date: prior to 12:00:00 noon, local time,** Monday, May 16, 2022

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1.0	INTRODUCTION		
1.01	The Thames Valley District School Board (hereafter referred to as the TVDSB) invites interested parties to submit sealed submissions in response to this bid document. The TVDSB is one of the largest public school boards in the Province of Ontario and is comprised of all public schools within the counties of Elgin, Middlesex, and Oxford. The TVDSB is the employer of approximately 8,000 staff and operates 160 schools with an estimated enrolment of 75,000 students.		
1.02	The TVDSB may agree to permit other public organizations within Southwestern Ontario to access any contract(s) that may result from this solicitation. The successful bidder(s) shall allow such access with the understanding that the participating organizations be responsible for their own contract management.		
1.1	PURPOSE		
1.1.1	The purpose of this bid document is to provide interested parties with sufficient information to enable them to prepare and submit bids for consideration by the TVDSB for Electrical Supplies , subject to the conditions herein.		
2.0	BID DEFINITIONS AND INFORMATION		
2.1	DEFINITIONS		
2.1.1	The following words are used throughout this bid document and bidders should note these conditions when completing their bid submission.		
2.1.1.1	The word "MUST " shall mean bidders "must" include the required information in bid submission. Failure to include the required information will deem submission noncompliant.		
2.1.1.2	The word "SHOULD" shall mean bidders "should" include the required information in bid submission.		
2.1.1.3	The word " NONCOMPLIANT " shall mean bid submissions will be eliminated from further evaluation if the submission does not include the required information.		
2.1.1.4	The word "SUBCONTRACTOR" shall mean a person, firm or company hired by the bidder(s) or the successful bidder(s) to perform any portion or all of this bid.		
2.1.1.5	The word "QUALIFIED" shall mean a bidder who is compliant and has included the required information in their bid submission.		
2.1.1.6	BID IRREGULARITY : A deviation between the requirements (terms, conditions, specifications, special instructions) of a bid response for the purposes of this bid; bid irregularities are further classified as major irregularities or minor irregularities. The classification of what is a major irregularity or a minor irregularity shall be the sole discretion of the TVDSB.		
2.1.1.6.1	Major Irregularity: A deviation from the bid request which affects the price, quality, quantity or delivery, and is material to the award. If the deviation is permitted, the bidder could gain an unfair advantage over competitors. The TVDSB will reject any bid submission which contains a major irregularity.		

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2.1.1.6.2	Minor Irregularity: A deviation from the bid request which affects form, rather than substance. The		
	effect on the price, quality, quantity or delivery is not material to the award. If the deviation is		
	permitted or corrected the bidder would not gain an unfair advantage over competitors. The TVDSB		
	may permit the bidder to correct a minor irregularity.		
2.2	STRUCTURE OF THIS BID		
2.2.1	Proponents must use the online bid entry system which is available on the internet at:		
2.2.1.1	www.tvdsb.ca		
2.2.1.2	click on "I'D LIKE TO"		
2.2.1.3	click on "Go to Purchasing"		
2.2.1.4	click on "Bids"		
2.2.1.5	click on "Proceed to inquiry/download page".		
2.2.1.6	Proceed to the bid, click "New" icon		
2.2.1.7	You will be directed to the "TVDSB Client Portal"		
2.2.1.7.1	Proponents that already have a TVDSB Client Portal account:		
2.2.1.7.1.1	Click "TVDSB Login".		
2.2.1.7.1.2	Login using TVDSB Client Portal account and password.		
2.2.1.7.2	Proponents that do not already have a TVDSB Client Portal account:		
2.2.1.7.2.1	Click "Sign up now".		
2.2.1.7.2.2	Read TVDSB Client Portal Disclaimer, scroll to bottom and click "I agree" or "I do not agree".		
2.2.1.7.2.3	If "I do not agree" was clicked, you will not be able to proceed. If "I agree" was clicked, you will be		
2.2.1.1.2.0	taken to "New Account Application".		
2.2.1.7.2.4	Complete account information and click "Create My Account"		
2.2.1.7.2.5	Click "TVDSB Login".		
2.2.1.7.2.6	Login using new TVDSB Client Portal account and password.		
2.2.1.8	Within the Client Portal click "Open to Bid"		
2.2.1.9	Click on the "New" icon for the bid upon which you will be bidding.		
2.2.1.10	Download the 2022Appendices214.xlsx file to your hard drive.		
2.2.1.10.1	The file contains the following worksheets:		
2.2.1.10.1.1	Worksheet A: Terms and Conditions Response in Excel format - Electronic response required		
2.2.1.10.1.2	Worksheet B: Requirements in Excel format - Electronic response required		
2.2.1.10.1.2	Worksheet C: Locations in Excel format - Electronic response is not required		
2.3	RETURN LOCATION		
2.3.1	The bid submission must be returned as a file upload as per 9.3.3.		
2.3.2	Upload of the files as per 9.3.3 is the responsibility of the proponent.		
2.3.3	Submissions received as hardcopies will not be accepted.		
2.3.3	Late bids will not be processed.		
2.4	IMPORTANT DATES		

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2.4.1	ISSUE DATE: Thursday, April 21, 2022.		
2.4.2	RETURN DATE and TIME: prior to 12:00:00 noon local time Monday, May 16, 2022.		
2.5	QUESTIONS		
2.5.1	All questions pertaining to this bid document are to be addressed to: Stacey Shoemaker, s.shoemaker@tvdsb.ca pior to Friday, May 13, 2022. All questions pertaining to this bid document must be submitted in writing.		
2.5.2	Questions concerning the terms and conditions of the bid document, whether made orally or in writing, to any individual other than indicated above, may at the sole discretion of the TVDSB, render your submission noncompliant. Direct questions in written form only to: Stacey Shoemaker, Buyer. The TVDSB will only be bound by written answers to questions.		
2.5.3	Should any questions raised by a bidder necessitate an addendum to this bid document, the addendum will be posted to the TVDSB Web Site.		
3.0	CONTRACT TERM/PRICING/TAXES/DELIVERY/PAYMENT		
3.1	CONTRACT TERM		
3.1.1	The term of this agreement shall be for one year, unless otherwise provided herein, terminating on June 30, 2023.		
3.1.2	The TVDSB may, at the end of this contract term, extend the contract for a period of two years, in one year increments, and will advise the bidder, in writing, of their intentions.		
3.1.3	Bidders should state if your company would agree to extending this contract with the same terms and conditions for a second year ending June 30, 2024.		
3.1.4	Bidders should state if your company would agree to extending this contract with the same terms and conditions for a third year ending June 30, 2025.		
3.2	PRICING		
3.2.1	Bidders must complete the Pricing/Requirements section - Worksheet B.		
3.2.2	All charges must be included in the cost of the item. Prices quoted must be for goods and services exactly as specified and in Canadian funds, unless otherwise indicated.		
3.2.3	Prices should include delivery, F.O.B. destination.		
3.2.4	Prices must remain in effect for the initial one year term of the contract and thereafter only manufacturer's price increases (supported by documentation) will be allowed.		
3.2.5	The TVDSB expects to order in multiple shipments over the length of this contract.		
3.2.6	It is the intention of the TVDSB to rationalize its supplier base. This contract will be awarded to more than one supplier. The suppliers will be determined by the TVDSB. Each bidder agrees to the award on this basis.		
3.2.7	The TVDSB would like to take advantage of any promotions, price decreases, rebates or new technologies available during the term of the contract. Detail your company's strategy related to future pricing.		

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3.3	TAXES		
3.3.1	HST: Where applicable, Harmonized Sales Tax must be shown separately as an extra on all		
	invoices in accordance with Canadian and Provincial Government regulations.		
3.4	DELIVERY & ORDERING		
3.4.1	Delivery for all items will be directly to our Secondary Schools, Distribution Centre, Educational		
	Resource Centres, Facility Services Offices or Community Education Centres as stated in		
	Worksheet C.		
3.4.2	The successful bidder(s) bears the risk of loss with respect to equipment until delivery and/or		
	installation is complete.		
3.4.3	The lead time shown will be used to calculate delivery dates on our purchase orders and to monitor		
	your company's performance. The lead time must be met as it is one of our criteria considered in		
	the decision, and award, of this and future contracts.		
3.4.4	Not all goods will be ordered at one time; orders will be placed as requests are received from our		
	schools.		
3.4.5	Please indicate delivery date from receipt of our order.		
3.4.6	It is the TVDSBs preference to decrease the number of MasterCard purchases and move to the two		
	preferred methods of ordering as stated below:		
3.4.6.1	TVDSB employees will call in order/pick up an order. TVDSB employees will provide their name,		
	location, contract #214 and 12 digit account code and signature if picking goods up.		
3.4.6.2	TVDSB Purchasing Services will issue a Purchase Order.		
3.5	INVOICING/PAYMENT TERMS		
3.5.1	All invoices must be sent to the Thames Valley District School Board, 1250 Dundas Street, London,		
	ON N5W 5P2. Attention: Accounts Payable.		
3.5.2	Applicable taxes must be shown as separate line items on all invoices.		
3.5.3	Bidders should indicate any specific payment terms. It is generally expected that payment will be 45		
	days from receipt of invoice.		
3.5.3.1	Bidders should state percentage discount for early payment and net payment terms.		
3.5.4	Purchase order or Contract numbers must be stated on all invoices; invoices without the Thames		
	Valley District School Board Purchase Order or Contract number will be returned unpaid.		
4.0	SPECIFICATIONS/REQUIREMENTS		
4.1	QUALITY		
4.1.1	Unless otherwise specified, supplies must be new, in good condition, fit for the purpose for which		
	they are being acquired and free from defects. The decision of the TVDSB pertaining to items being		
	rejected is final.		
4.1.2	The determination of equal quality will be based on our internal professional opinions.		

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4.1.3	In addition to price, quality and suitability to school use will be among the first considerations. Delivery lead times, service, performance record, manufacturer's warranties and the value of the overall award will also be taken into consideration when awarding this contract.		
4.1.4	Any material, equipment, service or work ordered which, in the opinion of the TVDSB, does not completely fulfill the specifications must immediately be removed and/or completed to the specifications or sample quality at the expense of the successful bidder.		
4.2	QUANTITY		
4.2.1	The successful bidder(s) will be responsible for supplying the quantities that are eventually ordered for each item awarded during the term of this bid at the quoted price.		
4.3	RETURN OF GOODS POLICY		
4.3.1	The TVDSB will return any shipment collect if, in our opinion, the product supplied does not conform to the specification and submitted in the bid.		
4.3.2	Bidders should state if there is a time limit on returning goods.		
4.3.3	Bidders should state if there is a restocking charge on any returned item and the amount or rate to be charged if goods are returned for any other reason than those stated in 4.3.1		
4.3.4	Bidders should describe their procedure for returned goods with respect to:		
4.3.4.1	Packaging		
4.3.4.2	"Attention To" labeling		
4.3.4.3	Address to where returns should be shipped		
4.3.4.4	Method of shipment (company truck, courier, transport)		
4.3.4.5	If a return authorization number is required		
4.3.4.6	What charges apply and who is responsible for payment		
4.3.5	The TVDSB will not pay to return any goods which do not meet the specifications listed in this bid.		
4.4	SUBSTITUTIONS		
4.4.1	In the event that an item ordered becomes discontinued during the contract, all bidders must notify the Purchasing Services Department for authorization before the item is substituted and shipped to the appropriate location. Successful bidders may be required to provide samples of the proposed substitutions before sending shipments. The Board reserves the right to return any shipment collect, if in our opinion the products supplied do not conform to the specifications in this bid document.		
4.5	ENVIRONMENT		
4.5.1	Bidder(s) should include a detailed description of any environmental initiative and how your program would be implemented and benefit TVDSB.		
5.0	TERMS AND CONDITIONS		
5.1	GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS		
5.1.1	Any response submitted to the bid is IRREVOCABLE for 120 days.		

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5.1.2	A bidder who has already submitted a bid may submit an addendum in writing and signed by the bidder at any time up to the official closing time. No facsimiles shall be accepted. The last submission shall supersede and invalidate all previous submissions by that bidder as it applies to this bid. Addenda must be submitted to the "Tenders Clerk" in the same manner and within the same time constraints as the bid submission.		
5.1.3	A bidder may withdraw the bid at any time up to the official closing time by letter bearing his/her signature as it is in the submission. Withdrawal requests received after the closing date shall not be permitted. Submission withdrawals must be submitted to the "Tenders Clerk" in the same manner and within the same constraints as a bid submission.		
5.1.4	The issuance of this call for bids shall not constitute any obligation on the part of the TVDSB to any firm or individual who submits a bid.		
5.1.5	The bidder should have satisfactorily fulfilled all relevant obligations as required under the terms and conditions of any previous award in order to be considered as an acceptable bidder.		
5.1.6	The laws of the Province of Ontario shall govern in any dispute occasioned as a result of the performance or non-performance and/or workmanship of a contract issued pursuant to the bid and any dispute arising out of the issuance of and response to this bid.		
5.1.7	The TVDSB reserves the right to withdraw the award of the contract to a successful bidder(s) within 30 days of the award if in the opinion of the TVDSB the successful bidder(s) is unable or unwilling to enter into a form of contract satisfactory to the TVDSB. The TVDSB shall be entitled to do so without any liability being incurred by the TVDSB to the bidder.		
5.1.8	The lowest or any bid submission may not necessarily be accepted. The TVDSB reserves the right to decline any or all bid submissions, or to cancel the bid call in whole or in part at any time prior to making an award, for any reason, or no reason, without liability being incurred by the TVDSB to any bidder for any expense, cost, loss or damage incurred or suffered by the bidder as a result of such withdrawal.		
5.1.9	All costs associated with the preparation of the bid submission will be solely the responsibility of the bidder.		
5.1.10	The TVDSB reserves the right to decline or purchase one or all items in this bid from one supplier or from multiple suppliers.		
5.1.11	All of the terms and conditions of this bid are deemed to be accepted by the bidder and incorporated into the bidder's proposal submission. It is the TVDSB's intention that the Terms and Conditions stated in this bid and the successful bidder's response to this bid will form the contract between TVDSB and the successful bidder(s). Any conflict in the wording of the bidder's invoice and/or sales agreement and the wording of the terms and conditions of this proposal, shall be resolved in favour of the TVDSB and shall be deemed to be incorporated into the bidder's invoice and/or sales agreement.		

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5.1.12	The successful bidder(s) must not at any time subcontract any portion of its contract with the TVDSB nor shall it assign the contract without the written permission of the TVDSB. The successful bidder(s) must not, at any time, change subcontractors approved by the TVDSB without written permission of the TVDSB.		
5.1.13	While the TVDSB has used considerable efforts to ensure an accurate representation of information in this bid document, the information contained herein is contained solely as a guideline for bidders. The information is not guaranteed or warranted to be accurate by the TVDSB, nor is it necessarily comprehensive or exhaustive. Nothing in this bid document is intended to relieve bidders from forming their own opinions and conclusions in respect to the matters addressed in this bid document.		
5.1.14	The TVDSB may accept or waive a minor irregularity, or where practical to do so the TVDSB may as a condition of bid acceptance request a bidder to correct a minor irregularity with no change in bid price. Items of non compliancy on any bid submissions which do not strictly comply with the provisions, procedures and requirements of this bid, or are incomplete, ambiguous, or which contain errors, alterations, misleading information, omissions, or irregularities of any kind, may be rejected and disqualified at the discretion of the TVDSB. All bidders agree to provide all such additional information as, and when requested, at their own expense, provided no bidder in supplying any such information shall be allowed, in any way to change the pricing or other cost quotations originally given in its bid submission or in any way materially alter or add to the solution originally proposed.		
5.1.15	All TVDSB policies, procedures and regulations must be adhered to by the successful bidder(s).		
5.1.15.1	Smoking is prohibited in all TVDSB buildings and on all TVDSB property.		
5.1.15.2	Some TVDSB sites are equipped with video surveillance cameras.		
5.1.15.3	The successful bidder(s) is obliged to cooperate with all recycling and environmental procedures and initiatives established by government, the TVDSB and each school.		
5.1.16	The successful bidder(s) will reimburse the TVDSB for any damages through negligence or wilful acts of any of the successful bidder(s)' employees or contracted staff.		
5.1.17	The successful bidder(s)' employees and contracted staff shall not be considered TVDSB employees and shall not represent themselves as an agent of the TVDSB nor be eligible for any of the benefits provided to TVDSB employees.		
5.1.18	The TVDSB reserves the right to demand the removal of any successful bidder's employees or contracted staff engaged in this contract if, in the TVDSB's opinion, their conduct has been of an unacceptable nature.		
5.1.19	The successful bidder(s) will be responsible for seeing that regular supervision is maintained over all working personnel. It is the bidder's responsibility to see that all their activities are properly coordinated with the TVDSB's operations and modify assignments as required.		
5.1.20	This bid document is being issued pursuant to the TVDSB's Purchasing Policies and Procedures.		

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5.2	CANCELLATION OF CONTRACT / LOSS OF SERVICE		
5.2.1	The TVDSB reserves the right to terminate this contract within 30 days written notice if, in its opinion,		
	the successful bidder(s) fails to meet the terms and conditions of the contract. Notwithstanding the		
	termination of the contract, the successful bidder(s) shall remain responsible for its obligations under		
	this contract up to the date of termination. The TVDSB reserves the right to commence an action in a		
	court of competent jurisdiction against the successful bidder(s) for damages that result from the		
	breach of the terms and conditions of the contract, by the successful bidder(s).		
5.2.2	The TVDSB shall have the right to retain and set off from any monies payable to the successful		
	bidder(s) under the contract the total outstanding amount from time to time and for all damage claims		
	by the TVDSB or any third parties arising out of this contract which have not been resolved by the		
	successful bidder(s) or its insurer.		
5.2.3	The TVDSB reserves the right to withhold monies owing under a contract to the value of the		
	obligation to a maximum of the monies owing to the successful bidder(s) for any indebtedness of the		
	supplier that may impact on the TVDSB.		
5.2.4	The successful bidder(s) shall be responsible for ensuring continuous delivery of the goods and		
	services in the event of a labour disruption by either, the successful bidder(s), the TVDSB's staff or		
	third party interruptions.		
5.2.5	In the event that the successful bidder(s) becomes insolvent, and/or the successful bidder(s) is		
	unable or unwilling to provide the contracted service for a period of more than 30 consecutive days		
	during the period of the contract, the TVDSB shall have the right to replace the successful bidder(s)		
	with another service provider suitable to the TVDSB in addition to all of its other rights pursuant to the term of this bid.		
5.3	FREEDOM OF INFORMATION AND PROTECTION OF PRIVACY ACT		
5.3.1	Bidders agree that all documentation and information contained in any bid submissions and any		
0.0.1	addendum that becomes the property of the TVDSB shall be subject to disclosure pursuant to an		
	application pursuant to a Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act request for		
	disclosure. Notwithstanding that a bid submission or an addendum may contain a trade secret of the		
	bidder, intellectual property right of the bidder, or scientific, technical, commercial, pricing or other		
	financial or labour relations information or any other similar secret.		
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5.3.2	A bidder specifically consents to the disclosure of any and all information contained in their bid	COWPLY	
0.0.2	submission or any addendum pursuant to a request for disclosure pursuant to a Municipal Freedom		
	of Information and Protection of Privacy Act and such consent shall be considered a consent given		
	pursuant to Subsection 10(2) of the said Act. Notwithstanding the aforesaid, the bidder assigns all		
	rights, titles and interests that they have in the bid submission, and any addendum to the TVDSB,		
	including the right to copy and/or publish the same as the TVDSB sees fit, notwithstanding that no		
	request for disclosure is made pursuant to the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of		
	Privacy Act.		
5.3.3	All bidders agree not to disclose any information provided by the TVDSB in this bid document to any		
	third party without the written consent of the TVDSB.		
5.4	PERSONAL INFORMATION PROTECTION AND ELECTRONIC DOCUMENTS ACT		
5.4.1	The proponent represents and warrants that if the proponent is or becomes subject to any private		
	sector privacy legislation in responding hereto, or in carrying out its obligations under any subsequent		
	agreement, the proponent will be solely responsible for compliance with such legislation. Without		
	limitation, the proponents represents and warrants that if the proponent is subject to the Personal		
	Information protection and Electronics Act, S.C. 2000, c.5, including any amendments thereto		
	("PIPEDA"), the proponents shall ensure PIPEDA compliance of:		
5.4.2	All PIPEDA Protected Information the proponents collects directly from the individual or indirectly		
	form the Board or others		
5.4.3	All PIPEDA Protected Information the proponents uses or discloses in the course of responding		
	hereto or in performing its obligation under any subsequent agreement and,		
5.4.4	All PIPEDA Protected Information the proponent transfers or discloses to the Board		
5.4.5	For the purposes hereof, "PIPEDA Protected Information" means any "Personal Information" or		
	"Personal Health Information" as such terms are defined in PIPEDA.		
5.5	HUMAN RIGHTS AND CHILD LABOUR LAWS		
5.5.1	Any infringement on human rights, but namely those of children, is of considerable concern to the		
	TVDSB. Bidders wishing to do business with the TVDSB are asked to promote the purchase of		
	goods from companies that operate in full compliance with the laws of their respective countries and		
	with all applicable child labour laws, rules and regulations related to hiring, wages, hours worked,		
	overtime and working conditions.		
5.5.2	Bidders should indicate your firm's policy and present practices and procedures in place to		
	encourage promotion of this objective.		
5.5.3	For bidders information the web site address of the International Labour Organization and its		
	objectives toward the abolition of child labour is:		
5.5.3.1	http://www.ilo.org		
5.6	ACCESSIBILITY FOR ONTARIANS WITH DISABILITIES		

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5.6.1	The successful propagant shall comply with the provisions of the Accessibility for Optorions with	COMPLY	
5.0.1	The successful proponent shall comply with the provisions of the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005, and the regulations thereunder with regard to the provision of its goods or		
	service to persons with disabilities. The proponents acknowledge that pursuant to the Accessibility		
	for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005, the Board must, in deciding to purchase goods or services		
	through its procurement process, consider the accessibility for persons with disabilities to such		
	goods or services. This legislation can be accessed through the following link to the Government of		
	Ontario's website:		
	http://www.e-laws.gov.on.ca/html/statutes/english/elaws_statutes_05a11_e.htm		
5.7	HEALTH, SAFETY REGULATIONS		
5.7.1	All equipment requiring approval (Hydro One, C.S.A., ULC., etc.) must be completely assembled		
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	and must bear a label showing approval of assembly prior to delivery. The TVDSB shall not accept		
	any equipment that has not been inspected and approved. If not so approved, the TVDSB reserves		
5.7.2	the right to invoice the successful bidder(s) for the cost of certification/replacement.		
5.7.2	Every person who supplies any machine, device, tool, equipment or service to the TVDSB must		
	ensure that the machine, device, tool, equipment or service complies with the Occupational Health		
	and Safety Act and Regulations of Industrial Establishments. The burden of proof rests with the		
5.7.3	supplier. The Ministry of Education and Training and the Ministry of Health provides regulations specifying		
5.7.5			
	which substances/products are not acceptable. If applicable, the successful bidder(s) must supply		
	MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEETS providing us with the breakdown of components for any		
574	products used in our facilities with every shipment.		
5.7.4	The Occupational Health and Safety Act describes the responsibilities of an employer. The TVDSB		
	requires contractors maintain procedures, training and enforcement so that the responsibilities are		
	carried out at our workplace. The contract shall abide by and strictly adhere to the regulations and		
	conditions set out and laid down by the most current versions of the Occupational Health and Safety		
	Act, 1990, Chapter 0-1. Their workers must be trained in WHMIS in accordance with Occupational		
	Health and Safety Act Regulations. They must adhere to all of the TVDSB's Health and Safety		
	Policy, Procedures and Guidelines and Municipal Bylaws.		
5.7.5	The TVDSB reserves the right to request a copy of a bidder's Health & Safety Policy, Procedures		
	and Guidelines.		
5.8	COMMERCIAL LIABILITY INSURANCE		
5.8.1	The successful bidder(s) must be covered by Commercial General Liability Insurance throughout the		
	term of the contract. Each bidder must state if it has Commercial General Liability Insurance		
	Coverage.		

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5.8.2	Each bidder should show proof with the submission of this bid that upon the award of this contract		
	that it will be covered by Commercial Liability Insurance coverage with limits of \$2 million per		
	occurrence for liability (by way of primary coverage and/or Umbrella Coverage and/or otherwise),		
	arising at law for damages caused by reason of bodily injury (including death) or damage to property		
	by its employees or subcontractors. If the bidder does not presently have \$2 million per occurrence		
	of Commercial Liability Insurance coverage, the bidder shall provide a written assurance from his		
	insurer or agent on the insurer's or agent's letterhead that liability insurance limits will be increased to		
	\$2 million per occurrence from the commencement of the contract should the contract be awarded to		
	the bidder. The successful bidder(s) further agrees to maintain good standing throughout the term of		
	the contract. The TVDSB reserves the right to request proof of coverage any time throughout the		
	duration of the contract.		
5.8.2.1	This liability policy shall contain the following coverage:		
5.8.2.2	Personal Injury & Property Damage		
5.8.2.3	Non-Owned Automobile Liability		
5.8.2.4	Owners and Contractors Protective Coverage		
5.8.2.5	Contractual Liability		
5.8.2.6	Broad Form Property Damage		
5.8.2.7	Products & Completed Operation Insurance		
5.8.2.8	Contingent Employees Liability		
5.8.2.9	Cross Liability Clause and Severability of Interest Clause		
5.8.3	Upon an award to the successful bidder(s) by the TVDSB, the successful bidder(s) shall be required		
	to submit certification in a form satisfactory to the TVDSB of the above-mentioned coverage to		
	protect the TVDSB against claims for property damages and personal injuries, including accidental		
	death, caused by the successful bidder(s) or its employees or subcontractors during the performance		
	of its obligations under the contract.		
5.8.4	The successful bidder(s) agrees to indemnify, hold harmless and defend the TVDSB from and		
	against any and all liability for loss, damage and expense, which the TVDSB may suffer or for which		
	the TVDSB may be held liable by reason or injury (including death) or damage to any property arising		
	out of negligent or wilful acts on the part of the successful bidder(s) or any of its representatives or		
	employees or subcontractors in the execution of the work performed or from defects in the		
	equipment supplied.		
5.9	MOTOR VEHICLE LIABILITY INSURANCE		
5.9.1	Bidders must state if its own vehicles and/or those vehicles owned by its employees or		
	subcontractors shall operate on the property of the TVDSB.		

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5.9.2	In the event of an affirmative answer to 5.9.1, the successful bidders must be covered by Automobile Liability Insurance through the term of the Contract. If the bidder's employees or subcontractors will operate their own vehicles during the contract then they must maintain the same Automobile Liability Coverage as the bidder. Each bidder must state if it or its employees or subcontractors have Automobile Liability Insurance Coverage. Sub clauses also subsection 5.9.3 to subsection 5.9.4 applies to those employees or subcontractors who operate their own automobiles on the property of the TVDSB.		
5.9.3	Bidders should show proof with the submission of this bid, that upon the award of this contract that it will be covered by Automobile Liability Insurance with coverage limits of \$2 million (Commercial and \$1 million on all personally owned vehicles) per occurrence for liability arising at law for damages caused by reason or bodily injury (including death) or damage to property by its employees or subcontractors. If the bidder does not presently have \$2 million per occurrence of Automobile Liability Insurance Coverage, the bidder shall provide a written assurance from his insurer or agent on the insurer's or the agent's letterhead that liability insurance limits will be increased to \$2 million for Commercial Vehicles and \$1 million personally owned vehicles per occurrence from the contract and annually thereafter for the term of the contract, should the contract be awarded to the bidder. The successful bidder(s) further agrees to maintain that good standing throughout the term of the contract.		
5.9.3.1	The TVDSB reserves the right to request proof of coverage anytime throughout the duration of the contract. This liability policy shall contain the following coverage:		
5.9.3.2	Third Party Liability Coverage in the form of OAP-1		
5.9.4	Upon an award to the successful bidder(s) by the TVDSB, the successful bidder(s) shall be required to submit certification in a form satisfactory to the TVDSB of the above-mentioned coverage to protect the TVDSB against claims for property damage and personal injuries, including accidental death, caused by the successful bidder(s) or its employees or subcontractors during the performance of its obligations under the contract by way of the ownership or operation of an automobile.		
5.9.5	The successful bidder(s) agrees to indemnify, hold harmless, and defend, the TVDSB from and against any and all liability for loss, damage and expense, which the TVDSB may suffer or for which the TVDSB may be held liable by reason of injury (including death) or damage to any property arising out of negligence on the party of the successful bidder(s) or any of its representatives or employees by way of the ownership or operation of an automobile.		
5.10	CANADA'S ANTISPAM LEGISLATION		

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		COMPLY	COMMENT	
5.10.1	Please note that vendors are required to comply with all applicable laws, including CASL, in providing			
	goods or services to the TVDSB. This also extends to communications sent on the TVDSB's behalf.			
	The successful proponent(s) will be required to indemnify the TVDSB for any failure by the			
	successful proponent(s) to comply with CASL, to the extent that the successful proponent(s) action,			
	or inaction, could expose the TVDSB to liability.			
6.0	BIDDER PROFILE			
6.1	ADMINISTRATION & ORGANIZATION			
6.1.1	Bidders should state location of their distribution centre.			
7.0	BID SUBMISSION			
7.1	BIDDER'S RESPONSE GUIDE			
7.1.1	Each bid submission should be structured using only the criteria identified in this bid document.			
	When submitting bids, proponents should use the same numbering format, as on this bid document.			
7.1.2	The bid submission must include:			
7.1.2.1	Printed and signed copies of all Worksheets.			
7.1.3	Failure to respond in electronic format will deem the bid noncompliant.			
7.1.4	All bid documents should be submitted in an envelope marked with the bid name and number (as set			
	out in Section 9.5 - Labeling Instructions).			
7.1.5	Proponents' submissions should include page numbers for ease of reference by committee			
	members.			
7.1.6	The specifications and pricing section of the bid submission should not make reference to			
7.1.7	supplemental materials. Supplemental materials will not qualify as substitutes for direct responses to the bid's requirements			
7.1.7	unless specifically requested.			
8.0	AWARD			
8.1 8.1.1	EVALUATION PROCESS			
8.1.1 8.1.2	An evaluation committee will be established to evaluate bid submissions. All bid submissions will first be evaluated on their compliance with the requirements of this bid			
0.1.2	document.			
8.1.3	All compliant bid submissions will be evaluated by a TVDSB evaluation committee based on the			
01110	following evaluation criteria:			
8.1.3.1	Price			
8.1.3.2	Compliance with Specifications			
8.1.4	Compliant bidders may be requested to make a presentation of their bid for clarification only. No			
	alteration of your submission will be permitted. Notification will be given to qualified bidders as to the			
	time and place. The presentation shall be at the expense of the bidder.			

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8.1.5	Delivery, lead times, service, performance record, and the value of the overall award will also be		
	taken into consideration when awarding this contract.		
8.1.6	The determination of equal quality will be based on our internal professional opinions.		
8.1.7	In the event of a tie score the TVDSB will resolve the tie by a draw. The names of the tie bidders will		
	be entered into the draw. All parties will have representation when the draw takes place.		
8.2	AWARD AND NOTIFICATION OF CONTRACT		
8.2.1	The results of this bid will be posted to the TVDSB web site as soon as decisions have been made:		
8.2.1.1	www.tvdsb.ca		
8.2.1.2	click on "I'D LIKE TO"		
8.2.1.3	click on "Go to Purchasing"		
8.2.1.4	click on "Bids"		
8.2.1.5	click on "Proceed to inquiry/download page".		
8.2.1.6	Proceed to the Bid, click "Results - Check Mark"		
8.2.1.7	View documents in PDF format.		
8.2.2	All bid files are available for downloading at no charge from the TVDSB web site.		
8.2.1.5	Proceed to the Bid, click "Results" (check mark.)		
8.2.1.6	View documents in PDF format.		
	Stacey Shoemaker, Buyer	Lori-Ann Pizzolato	
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9.0	ELECTRONIC BIDDING INSTRUCTIONS		
9.1	DOWNLOADING BID DOCUMENTS		
9.1.1	All documents are available from the TVDSB Web Site at www.tvdsb.ca		
9.1.2	click on "I'D LIKE TO"		
9.1.3	click on "Go to Purchasing"		
9.1.4	click on "Bids"		
9.1.5	Read "Electronic Bidding Instructions, Bid Download and Bid Results" or "Bids"		
9.1.6	Click "Proceed to Inquiry/Download page"		
9.1.7	Click on the "Name of the Bid" to view documents in PDF format.		
9.1.8	Click on the "NEW" logo to be directed to the TVDSB Client Portal.		
9.1.9	Follow log in instructions beginning with item 2.2.1.		
9.2	COMPUTER SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS		
9.2.1	To use the electronic system, proponents must be using Microsoft Internet Explorer or Microsoft Edge.		
9.4	BID WORKSHEETS		
9.4.1	Download the file "2022Appendices214.xlsx" from the Associated Files.		
9.4.1.1	The file contains the following worksheets:		
9.4.1.1.1	Worksheet A: Terms and Conditions Response in Excel format - Electronic response required		
9.4.1.1.2	Worksheet B: Requirements in Excel format - Electronic response required		
9.4.1.1.3	Worksheet C: Locations in Excel format - Electronic response is not required		
9.4.2	Complete the worksheets.		
9.4.2.1	Do not convert the worksheets to a different file format (i.e. Word, .pdf, etc.). They must be uploaded to us in Excel format.		
9.4.2.2	Do not modify the Excel files by adding or deleting rows or columns, etc.		
9.4.3	Print and sign 2022Appendices214.xlsx. The printed and signed copies must be scanned and returned as a .pdf file.		
9.4.4	Upload files back to us using the "Your Uploaded Files for this Tender" area.		
9.4.5	The "Bid Report" button must be clicked to initiate the transfer of any uploaded files into our system.		
9.5	RETURN DATE		
9.5.1	RETURN DATE and TIME: prior to 12:00:00 noon local time Monday, May 16, 2022.		
10.0	SIGNATURE PAGE		
10.1	This section must be completed, signed, and included with your submission for your bid to be accepted.		

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10.2	I hereby acknowledge and agree that I have read and completed all of the preceding Contract Terms		
	and Conditions and all Appendices. All required Appendices are included in our bid submission.		
10.3	I/We the undersigned are duly authorized to execute this Bid Submission on behalf of:		
10.4	NAME (Please print):		
10.5	TITLE:		
10.6	SIGNATURE:		
10.7	FIRM NAME:		
10.8	State the legal entity that your organization operates under:		
10.8.1	Proprietorship		
10.8.2	Partnership		
10.8.3	Corporation		
10.9	If your organization is incorporated, bidders must state the jurisdiction in which the corporation was		
	originally incorporated in:		
10.9.1	Name of each individual Partner or Correct Legal Name of Corporation:		
10.9.2	E-MAIL ADDRESS:		
10.9.3	ADDRESS:		
10.9.4	INTERNET ADDRESS:		
10.9.5	TELEPHONE NO.:		
10.9.6	FAX NO.:		
10.10	If subcontracting, bidders must provide the correct legal name for any sub contractor, their full		
	personal name and address, telephone number, fax number, as well as the name(s) of appropriate		
	contact persons (with whom the TVDSB may consult regarding this bid with whom the bidder enters		
	into a contract(s) with to carry out any portion of this contract:		
10.10.1	Firm Name:		
10.10.2	Firm Address:		
10.10.3	Telephone Number:		
10.10.4	Fax Number:		
10.10.5	E-MAIL ADDRESS:		

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ITEM NO.	TERMS AND CONDITIONS	WILL COMPLY/WILL NOT COMPLY		COMMENT
B1.1	Bidders must state if they are able to deliver to all locations within the TVDSB. A list of locations is provided in Worksheet C.			
B1.2	Bidders should state if they are able to provide a price list of their complete product range in an Excel file.			
B1.3	The TVDSB will purchase any additional items from the successful bidder(s).			
B1.4	Bidders must state if there is a minimum dollar value per order.			
B1.5	Bidders must state if there is a delivery charge on orders.			
B1.6	Bidders must state if they are able to provide a listing of TVDSB previously purchased products.			
ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION - GENERAL CATEGORIES	STATE DISCOUNT	MANUFACTURER	COMMENT
	Ballasts			
	Batteries			
	Boxes and Covers			
	Cabinets and Enclosures			
	Cables			
	Conduit and Accessories			
	Connectors			
	Electrical Relays			
	Fastening Products			
	Fuses			
	Lighting/Electrical Fixtures			
	Lamps Fluorescent/Incandescent			
	PVC and attachments for PVC			
	Tools			
	Transformers			
	Wire and Cable			
	Wiring Accessories			
	Wiring Devices			

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ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION - GENERAL CATEGORIES	STATE DISCOUNT	MANUFACTURER	COMMENT

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ITEM NO.	SCHOOL/DEPARTMENT	ADDRESS		ABLE TO PROVIDE DELIVERY SERVICE TO THIS LOCATION STATE YES/NO
1	Arthur Voaden Secondary School	41 Flora Street, St. Thomas, ON	N5P 2X5	
	A.B. Lucas Secondary School	656 Tennent Avenue, London, ON	N5X 1L8	
3	B. Davison Secondary School	785 Trafalgar Street, London, ON	N5Z 1E6	
4	Central Elgin C. I.	201 Chestnut Street, St. Thomas, ON	N5R 2B5	
5	Central Secondary School	509 Waterloo Street, London, ON	N6B 2P8	
6	Clarke Road Secondary School	300 Clarke Road, London, ON	N5W 5N4	
7	College Avenue Secondary School	700 College Avenue, Woodstock, ON	N4S 2C8	
8	East Elgin Secondary School	362 Talbot Street West, Aylmer, ON	N5H 1K6	
9	Glencoe District Secondary School	3581 Concession Drive, Box 370, Glencoe, ON	NOL 1M0	
10	Glendale Secondary School	37 Glendale Drive, Tillsonburg, ON	N4G 1J6	
11	H.B. Beal Secondary School	525 Dundas Street, London, ON	N6B 1W5	
12	Huron Park Secondary School	900 Cromwell Street, Woodstock, ON	N4S 5B5	
13	Ingersoll District C. I.	37 Alma Street, Ingersoll, ON	N5C 1N1	
14	Lord Dorchester Secondary School	61 Queen Street, Dorchester, ON	NOL 1G0	
15	Medway Secondary School	14405 Medway Road, Arva, ON	NOM 1C0	
16	Montcalm Secondary School	1350 Highbury Avenue, London, ON	N5Y 1B5	
17	North Middlesex District Secondary Schoo	100 Main Street, Box 610, Parkhill, ON	NOM 2K0	
18	Oakridge Secondary School	1040 Oxford Street West, London, ON	N6H 1V4	
19	Parkside C. I.	241 Sunset Drive, St. Thomas, ON	N5R 3C2	
20	Saunders Secondary School	941 Viscount Road, London, ON	N6K 1H5	
21	Sir Frederick Banting Secondary School	125 Sherwood Forest, London, ON	N6G 2C3	
22	Sir George Ross Secondary School	365 Belfield Street, London, ON	N5Y 2K3	
23	Sir Wilfrid Laurier Secondary School	450 Millbank Drive, London, ON	N6C 4W7	
24	South Secondary School	371 Tecumseh Avenue, London, ON	N6C 1T4	
25	Strathroy District Secondary School	96 Kittredge Avenue, Strathroy, ON	N7G 2A8	
26	West Elgin Secondary School	139 Graham Street, West Lorne	NOL 2P0	
27	Westminster Secondary School	230 Base Line Road West, London, ON	N6J 1W1	
28	Woodstock, C. I.	35 Riddell Street, Woodstock, ON	N4S 6L9	
29	G.A. Wheable Centre for Adult Education	70 Jacqueline Street, London, ON	N5Z 3P7	
30	Facility Services - Zones 1 & 2	951 Leathorne Street, London, ON	N5Z 3M7	
31	Facility Service - Zone 3 East	745 Hounsfield Street, Woodstock, ON	N4S 1P6	
32	Facility Services - Zone 4 South	259 Edward Street, St. Thomas, ON	N6C 4G3	
33	Facility Services - Zone 5 West	14766 Medway Road RR 1, Arva, ON	N0M 1C0	

* locations may be added as required.