

## NORTH EAST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Construction Management &

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Related Pages(s): None

Subject: Issuance of Request for

Qualification for Professional Architectural and Engineering

Design and Consulting Professional Services for the

2025 Bond Program

# **ACTION ITEM**

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

In compliance with Texas Government Code Chapter 2254, our District proposes to issue and use a two-step Request for Qualifications (RFQ) process to secure Architectural and Engineering (A/E) professional services in support of the 2025 Bond Program. The first step will focus on selecting the most qualified design professionals based on demonstrated competence, reputation, experience, and ability to do the work, while the second step will involve negotiating a service contract with the selected firms at a fair and reasonable price.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION**

The RFQ will support our District's 2025 Bond Program as approved by voters on November 4, 2025. Votes were canvassed by the Board of Trustees during a public board meeting on November 13, 2025.

An internal committee will review and evaluate Statements of Qualifications from interested A/E firms, interview prospective firms, and recommend a slate of qualified A/Es to the Superintendent and Board of Trustees at a future Board meeting in accordance with Board Policy CV (Legal).

#### **BUDGETARY CONSIDERATION**

The estimated cost for printing and advertising services is expected not to exceed \$2,000.00 and will be funded from account number 616-81-901-99-901-6499-0.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees authorize issuance of a Request for Qualifications (RFQ) to publicly advertise and solicit professional Architectural and Engineering (A/E) design and consulting services in preparation for the 2025 District Bond Program as approved by voters.

#### **BOARD ACTION REQUIRED**

Approval/Disapproval