Addendum / Clarification No. 1
Request for Qualifications/Proposals
For Early Learning Opportunities Program (ELO-P)
BPSD-ELO-P-03282025

All information related to this Request for Proposal is posted online at https://www.bpsd.us/divisions/operational-services/district-bids-and-rfps. It is the Proposer's responsibility to ensure that they have reviewed the RFP documents, exhibits, and addenda prior to submission of a proposal.

Please contact Karina Mesa, Contract Specialist at **karmesa@bpsd.us** if you have any questions.

The following items are changes and clarifications to the scope of work. This addendum must be read together with terms and conditions of the RFP and all prior addenda. The terms and conditions outlined in the RFP shall remain the same unless otherwise specified in this Addendum. Should a conflict exist between addenda language and the original RFP it is understood the changes in this Addendum shall take precedence:

CLARIFICATIONS

Question 1:
The RFP mentions ASES only once. Are you braiding or blending ASES and ELOP funds? If braiding, what are the ASES specific reporting requirements that your LEA needs?

Clarification 1:
The RFP mentions ASES to ensure vendors follow the program's guidelines, as ASES and ELOP provide similar services. However, this RFP does not intend to blend the funds. All services outlined in this RFP are required and funded exclusively by ELOP.

Question 2:
We see that administrative and direct costs are capped at 10%. This is actually more restrictive than the 15% allowed by ASES. Would you consider lifting the cap to a minimum of 15%, or removing it altogether? ELOP and ASES funds can be braided without a cap on administrative/indirect costs.

Clarification 2:
We do not intend to change the cap at this time. The cap is designed to maintain fiscal responsibility and ensure that funds are used primarily for activities that directly benefit students.