



REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP)

RFP NO. 26.27.0835

PROFESSIONAL AUTOMOTIVE AND INDUSTRIAL TOOLS & EQUIPMENT

PROPOSAL DEADLINE: Thursday, November 5, 2026, at 2:00 p.m.

SUBMIT PROPOSALS TO: San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools
Attn: Procurement Services
760 East Brier Drive
San Bernardino, CA 92408

The San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools ("SUPERINTENDENT") is soliciting sealed proposals from qualified VENDORS to provide professional, automotive, and industrial tools and equipment for use at designated SUPERINTENDENT facilities.

SUPERINTENDENT seeks access to professional-grade tools and equipment, related products and accessories, current product catalogs, technical support, warranties, training resources, and manufacturer-recognized and/or industry-recognized certifications. The RFP includes current anticipated equipment needs for pricing and evaluation purposes; however, SUPERINTENDENT may evaluate and purchase additional products available through the awarded VENDOR's catalog.

VENDORS shall provide catalog pricing, percentage discounts, educational pricing, volume discounts, and any other pricing incentives available to SUPERINTENDENT. Pricing shall be independently available to SUPERINTENDENT and shall not be contingent upon participation in any cooperative purchasing contract or membership program.

All proposals must be sealed and submitted to the Front Desk Receptionist, San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools, Attn: Procurement Services, 760 East Brier Drive, San Bernardino, California 92408. Sealed proposal envelopes shall be clearly labeled on the outside in the lower left-hand corner with the VENDOR's company name and the following statement: "**RFP ENCLOSED: RFP 26.27.0835 – PROFESSIONAL AUTOMOTIVE AND INDUSTRIAL TOOLS & EQUIPMENT.**"

It is the sole responsibility of the vendor to ensure proposal is delivered to the Front Desk Receptionist prior to the established deadline, where it will be date and time stamped. Late proposals will not be accepted. Proposals shall remain open, valid, and subject to acceptance for ninety (90) days following the proposal opening date.

RFP documents and all addenda may be obtained from the San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools Procurement webpage: <https://www.sbcss.net/business/business-support-services/procurement-and-warehouse-services/bids-upcoming>

Any questions regarding this RFP should be reduced to writing and emailed to Maria Aldaco, Procurement Specialist at Bids@sbcss.net no later than 2:00 pm on October 22, 2026. Responses to questions and any resulting addenda will be posted on the SUPERINTENDENT Procurement Services webpage. It is the sole responsibility of each proposer to periodically check the Procurement Services webpage for any addenda or other updates issued prior to the proposal due date. Failure to acknowledge receipt of all issued addenda will result in the proposal being deemed non-responsive.

NO UNSEALED, FAXED OR EMAILED SUBMISSIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.

Sincerely,

Maria Aldaco

Maria Aldaco, Procurement Specialist
Procurement Services