

NOTICE

THE CITY OF PATERSON, NEW JERSEY SHALL RECEIVE SEALED REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL AT THE PURCHASING OFFICE, 4TH FLOOR, CITY HALL, 155 MARKET STREET, PATERSON, NEW JERSEY 07505 UNTIL 2:00 P.M. PREVAILING TIME, ON **FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 08, 2019** FOR THE FOLLOWING:

**CONSULTANT SERVICES TO ASSIST THE CITY OF PATERSON POLICE
DEPARTMENT DEVELOP A DATA DRIVEN APPROACH TO
ADDRESS THE OPIOID EPIDEMIC
RFP NO. 2020-16 (1)**

REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL MAY BE OBTAINED FROM: CITY HALL, 4TH FL., PURCHASING DIVISION, 155 MARKET STREET, PATERSON, NJ 07505 TEL: 973-321-1340 FAX: 973-321-1341. REPRODUCTION OR REDISTRIBUTION OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS PROPOSAL PACKAGE BY A PARTY OTHER THAN THE CITY OF PATERSON IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED. PROPOSALS RECEIVED BY VENDORS THAT DID NOT OBTAIN PROPOSAL PACKAGES FROM THE CITY OF PATERSON PURCHASING DIVISION WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

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PROPOSERS MUST COMPLY WITH REGULATIONS OF THE "NEW JERSEY LOCAL PUBLIC CONTRACT LAW" (N.S.A.40A:11-1 et. seq.), AFFIRMATIVE ACTION REGULATIONS N.J.S.A.10:5-31 et seq., N.J.A.C. 17:27, AND THE NEW JERSEY CONTRACTOR BUSINESS REGISTRATION ACT N.J.S.A.52:32-44 (P.L.2004, C57)

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PATERSON RESERVES THE RIGHT TO CONSIDER THE PROPOSAL FOR SIXTY (60) DAYS AFTER RECEIPT THEREOF, AND FURTHER RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REJECT ANY AND ALL PROPOSALS, WAIVE INFORMALITIES, AND MAKE SUCH AWARDS OR TAKE ACTION IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE LAW

THE CITY OF PATERSON SEEKS PROPOSALS FROM QUALIFIED CONSULTANTS TO ASSIST THE PATERSON POLICE DEPARTMENT IN IMPLEMENTING A NEW DATA DRIVEN APPROACH TO ADDRESSING THE GROWING OPIOID EPIDEMIC WHICH PLAGUES NOT ONLY OUR CITY, BUT ALSO SURROUNDING NEIGHBORHOODS, COUNTIES AND STATES. THE POLICE DEPARTMENT WILL TAKE ON THE RESPONSIBILITY OF ESTABLISHING RELATIONSHIPS WITH VARIOUS LAW ENFORCEMENT AND NON-LAW ENFORCEMENT PARTNERS THAT CURRENTLY OPERATE IN THE CITY AND IN SOME FASHION HAVE, OR COULD HAVE, AN IMPACT ON THIS CRISIS.

HARRY CEVALLOS, QPA, R.P.P.S.
QUALIFIED PURCHASING AGENT