

**EDUCATION SERVICE CENTER REGION 19 ALLIED STATES COOPERATIVE**  
**RFP AWARD SUMMARY**

**RFP TITLE:** Food Service Equipment, Installation and Related - ESC Region  
19 Allied States Cooperative  
**RFP NUMBER:** 22-7435  
**RFP OPENING DATE:** March 22, 2022  
**CONTRACT TERM:** May 1, 2022 until April 30, 2023, with 3 annual extension options.  
**FUNDING SOURCE:** Various  
(Extended by Region 19 until April 30, 2024)  
(Extended by Region 19 until April 30, 2025)  
**RFP's ISSUED:** 465  
**RESPONSES:** 5  
**ADVERTISEMENT DATES:** El Paso Times – February 14, 2022 & February 21, 2022  
**RECOMMENDED FOR AWARD:** **1st Choice Restaurant Equipment & Supply, LLC**  
**Ace Mart Restaurant Supply**  
**Douglas Equipment (Douglas Food Stores Inc)**  
**National Restaurant Supply Co. Inc.**  
**TOTAL (estimated)** **\$1,000,000.00/year**

**EXPLANATIONS:**

Award of this solicitation will enable ESC Region 19 - Allied States Cooperative (ASC) to establish a contract with vendor(s) for Food Service Equipment, Installation and Related for those procurements made with federal, state or local funds. Evaluation and award recommendation were based on 50% pricing, 25% reputation and and 25% financial capability. The awarded vendors' pricing and information can be found on the Award Detail spreadsheet. The Scholastic Network Partners, LLC submitted a proposal however was not considered; vendor did not meet the scope of work. The awarded vendors' pricing and information can be found in the Award Detail spreadsheet.

**SPECIFICATIONS, PREPARATION AND  
EVALUATION PROVIDED BY:**

Rebecca Hernandez – ESC Region 19

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**Special Conditions**

1. This solicitation is a percent discount from AutoQuotes (AQ) subscription-based services. Vendors must subscribe to this service via <https://aq-fes.com/>. ASC will consider AQ pricing on original manufacturers submitted and any new manufacturers submitted during the contract period.
2. If multiple discounts are offered, please provide the minimum discount offered for all manufacturers. Ranges are not allowed in the system. Vendors must provide a Manufacturer Line Card listing all proposed manufacturers and their percent discount.

3. Vendors agree to provide supporting documentation to include all quotes to members for analysis and audit purposes. Vendor also agrees to provide Manufacturer Published Price List (MPPL) from subscription service with dates stated in the period goods and/or services will be performed.
4. Vendor may be required to provide a payment and/or performance bond to member. Bonding is a pass-through cost and should be itemized on the job quote. Any required permit is also a pass-through cost and should be itemized on the quote.
5. Vendor must provide licensing or employee credentials to member upon request.
6. Potential vendors should be able to provide design and installation of a food facility. This may require vendor to perform all functions as a prime contractor to ensure the project meets any needs of the member.
7. Offeror will provide comprehensive training on the operation, use and testing of purchased equipment to personnel selected by the member. This must be included with the purchased equipment at no additional cost.
8. Contractor shall furnish all personnel, parts, materials, test equipment, tools and services at no additional cost.
9. All equipment and materials should be new and free from defects for the purpose intended.
10. This RFP allows for up to ten percent (10%) of the total contract to be purchased with non-listed items.

**Approved By:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Dr. Armando Aguirre**  
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**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
**April 5, 2022**  
**February 1, 2023**  
**January 23, 2024**