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July 16, 2018

AMENDMENT 5

TO: Potential Bidders

FROM: RFP Coordinator

SUBJECT: RFP 2722 – SEBB Fully Insured and/or Self-insured Group Vision Plans

The purpose of Amendment Five (5) to RFP 2722 is as follows:

* Update Section A.2.*Procurement Schedule*;
* Post Appendix 5 as a Word file;
* Post Appendix 6 as a Word file; and
* Post Appendix 7 as a Word file.

Section A.2 *Procurement Schedule* is revised as follows:

## Procurement Schedule

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| Issue Request for Proposals | June 27, 2018 |
| (Mandatory) Letter of Intent Due | July 11, 2018 – 3:00 pm (PT) |
| Round 1 Bidder Questions Due | July 11, 2018 – 3:00 pm (PT) |
| Round 1 HCA Answers Posted | July 17, 2018 |
| Round 2 Bidder Questions Due | July 18, 2018 – 3:00 pm (PT) |
| Round 2 HCA Answers Posted | July 23, 2018 |
| Proposals Due | **July 27, 2018 – 3:00 pm (PT)** |
| Evaluate Proposals | August 1-10, 2018 |
| Conduct Oral Interviews with Finalists, if required | August 13-15, 2018 |
| Announce “Apparently Successful Bidder” and send notification via e-mail to unsuccessful Bidders | August 20, 2018 |
| Debrief Period | August 21-23, 2018 |
| Contract Negotiations | August 31 – November 1, 2018 |
| Anticipated Award Date | November 9, 2018 |

Please note:

* All communication regarding this RFP must be directed to the RFP Coordinator at [contracts@hca.wa.gov](mailto:contracts@hca.wa.gov). All other communication will be considered unofficial and non-binding on HCA. Communication directed to parties other than the RFP Coordinator may result in disqualification of the potential Bidder.
* Proposals are due July 27, 2018 by **3:00 p.m**. PT.

Thank you,

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