



**City of Phoenix**  
**HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT**

**PUBLIC NOTIFICATION OF AWARD RECOMMENDATION**

**AWARD NOTICE DATE:** October 28, 2024

**SOLICITATION NUMBER:** RFQu-24-EDU-80

**SOLICITATION TITLE:** Early Head Start Early Childhood Education Service

**SOLICITATION DUE DATE:** September 13, 2024

Recommendation

Offers received in response to the above-referenced solicitation have been evaluated. The Evaluation Committee recommends that the following offerors be placed on the Qualified Vendors List:

KUEGH Corp. dba KinderCare Learning Center #1465

Evaluation

All offers were scored by an Evaluation Committee. Offers were evaluated based on the following criteria:

- Program Operations - Program Structure (50 points)
- Curricula (50 points)
- Enrollment and Attendance (50 points)
- Child Screening and Assessment (50 points)
- Inclusion (50 points)
- Parent and Family Engagement (50 points)
- Father Engagement (50 points)
- Safety Practices (50 points)
- Health Practices (40 points)
- Nutrition (40 points)
- Mental Health (50 points)
- Transitions for Children Birth Through Age Two (40 points)
- Human Resources Management (40 points)
- Program Management and Continuous Quality Improvement (50 points)
- Budget (90 points)
- Program Organizational Chart (20 points)
- Fiscal Infrastructure (50 points)
- Fiscal Capacity (50 points)
- Financial Management Systems (50 points)
- Facilities (50 points)

- Personnel Matters (50 points)

#### Procurement File

The procurement file for this solicitation is available as of this notice and may be viewed at the Human Services Department Procurement Section. Please contact the Procurement Officer listed below to access this file.

#### Transparency Policy

As set forth in the solicitation, offerors are reminded that the City's Transparency Policy governing communications between offerors (and their representatives) and City of Phoenix executives remains in effect through the date of the City Council Award. Offerors wishing to communicate with members of the City Council, the Mayor, or other city executives regarding this solicitation shall direct all such requests through to the Procurement Officer identified below.

#### Procurement Officer

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