

BLUE LAKE RANCHERIA

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Call for Proposals

The Blue Lake Rancheria Tribe is requesting proposals from subject matter expertise consultant contractors interested in assisting with update of the tribe's Transportation Plan.

Proposal Due Date: November 1, 2023 (Late submissions are not considered)

Proposal Submission Method: Proposal delivered via email, U.S. mail, overnight mail, or hand delivery.

Proposal Submission Address:

Mailing Address:

Attention: BLR OES Office, Anita Huff
Blue Lake Rancheria, California
P.O. Box 428
Blue Lake, CA 95525-0428

Physical Address:

Attention: Transportation Office, Anita Huff
Blue Lake Rancheria, California
1 Aiyekwee Loop
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Blue Lake, CA 95525-9722

Email: ahuff@bluelakerancheria-nsn.gov

Notification of Contract Award: November 3, 2023

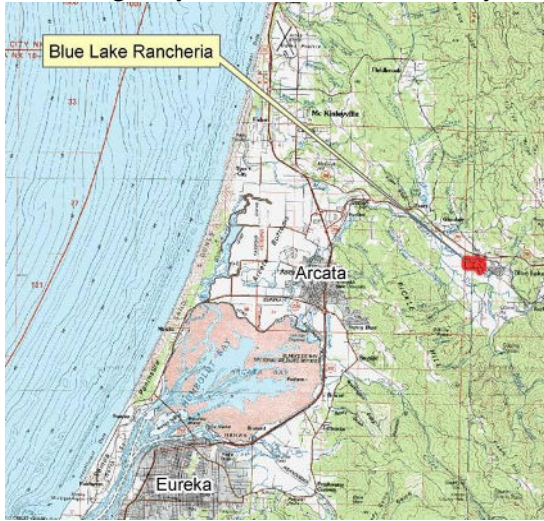
Project Start Date: November 6, 2023

Project Completion Date: June 15, 2024 with possible extension to December 31, 2024

Project Scope of Work:

- Planning process, including participant recruitment and preparation.
- Planning, facilitation of meetings and participant management.
- Collection of data and demographics
- Identification of community needs and transportation patterns, including future trends.
- Identification, development of strategies for all modes of transportation, including future trends.
- Examination of all current infrastructure, connectivity, environment, economy, health, security and safety.
- Timely preparation of project reports and other work product.
- Plan approval and adoption.

Blue Lake Rancheria consists of 91 acres along the Mad River and adjacent to the City of Blue Lake and State Route Highway 299, at Humboldt County, California.



The closest major, metropolitan city, San Francisco is located 225 miles to the south. The Rancheria is located adjacent to the City of Blue Lake, California (population 1,248) and north east of the City of Arcata, California (population 17,726). The primary population center is Eureka, which is the county seat and is located near Humboldt Bay. Only two major roadways link Humboldt County to the areas beyond its borders. Highway 101 north links to Southern Oregon, and 101 south links to the rest of California. Highway 299 links to the east and connects to Interstate 5 near Redding, California

Proposal Requirements:

Proposal must contain the following components. Additional information that may prove beneficial to the Tribe during the rating and awarding process is welcomed. Proposers are asked to refrain from submitting proposals that will not be easily duplicated such as those with spiral binding, photos and fold-out or other larger than letter-sized paper.

1. Contact name, address, telephone number, fax number and e-mail address.
2. Detailed description of skills, experience and ability to meet project requirements including identification and designation of roles/responsibilities of key project staff.
3. Statement of acceptance, ability and willingness to: enter into a Professional Services Contract.
4. A proposed budget

Proposal Scope-of-Work:

Proposers are required to provide a proposed budget that does not exceed \$50,000 in total costs and details: tasks/activities; timeline; deliverables/performance measures; and costs per tasks/activities with administrative costs clearly detailed.

Draft Scoring Criteria

Proposals will be scored based on the following criteria. The scoring criteria are subject to change without notice at the discretion of the tribe.

The following proposal components will be rated from 1-10 with 1 being the lowest:

- Demonstrated project experience and skills
- Capabilities of key project staff
- Experience working with Native American tribes
- Experience working in project vicinity
- Experience with Emergency Operations Centers of all kinds
- Proposed timelines
- Project budget
- Client references
- Veteran, Minority, Woman, and/or Native American owned entity