ROSWELL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT PROCUREMENT DEPARTMENT ADDENDUM #1 FOR RFP NO. 21-04 FINANCIAL BANKING SERVICES MARCH 17. 2021 – 2:00 PM LOCAL TIME

Date

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March 11, 2021
Please note the RFP information on the following two pages:
Response to Written Questions
ACKNOWLEDGE ADDENDUM WITH RFP:
Addendums not returned and signed as part of the proposal will be considered non-responsive and rejected.
Company/Firm/Independent Contractor Name
Signature

## **Questions with Responses**

- 1. What is your ERP system?
  - Are you able to create a NACHA file from your ERP system and transmit it to the bank or do you upload a spreadsheet or file through your banking portal?
     We create a NACHA File from Visions (our financial software) and upload into the banking portal.
- 2. According to the RFP document, there are 1,500 employees and 1,000 participate in direct deposit semi-monthly. That would equal 2,000 ACH Credits and 1,000 checks issued monthly correct? On the consolidated account analysis statement, there were only 40 ACH transactions listed.
  - a. Please confirm the monthly ACH transaction volumes
     October 2020 Direct Deposits payroll 2,575 NMPSIA -2 ACH's
     Wells Fargo 1 ACH
  - b. The consolidated account analysis statement reflects 489 checks were issued. If 1,000 checks are issued monthly for payroll (non-direct deposit employees), what's the average number of checks issued for payroll?
     October 2020 – Payroll checks for employees/deductions – 179
- 3. What's the average number of checks issued for Accounts Payable Vendor payments? 240-300 per month October 2020 299 checks
- 4. The consolidated analysis statement reflects 3 accounts but the RFP document states the District currently uses 2 accounts (Operating and Payroll). Is the third account the Business Sweep account? Yes, the third account is the Business Sweep Account.
- Are transfers between the Operating account and the Business Sweep account automatic or manual? The transfers between the Operating account and the Business Sweep account are automatic.
- 6. What is the average balance maintained in the Business Sweep account? The average balance maintained in the Business Sweep account is \$7,000,000.00.
- 7. Does the District have fraud services on any of the accounts? Yes, the District does have fraud services on their accounts.
- 8. Are Wire transfers processed on-line? Yes, wire transfers are processed on-line.

- Does the consolidated analysis statement reflect all the services currently used by the District? If no, please provide a list of the additional services and transaction volumes related to those services.
  - Yes, the consolidated analysis statement reflects all the services currently used by the District.
- 10. Does the District accept credit card payments for field trips or sporting events? If the District does accept credit cards as a form of payment, is merchant services part of this RFP? No, the District does not accept credit card payments.
- 11. I wanted to ask questions around the Business Sweep account at Pioneer Bank with approx. \$48 million in balances. Can you tell me what options the school district is looking for?

  Liquid Account
  - a. Does this have to be a liquid account?
  - b. Is the district interested in Laddering Investments?
  - c. Is the district interested in investing in commercial paper for a higher yield?