



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN, YOUTH, AND FAMILIES
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SOLE SOURCE POSTING

The Department of Children, Youth, Families (“DCYF”) intends to award a sole source contract to The Mockingbird Society (TMS) to expand the existing network of “HUB Homes” available to children in the child welfare system; within Washington State.

The purpose of this contract is to provide ongoing administrative oversight, consultation, and technical assistance to the DCYF offices that implement and / or host The Mockingbird Family Constellations to promote placement and permanency for children in foster care and retention of foster and kinship providers. Additionally, TMS shall provide ongoing technical assistance and training, to DCYF, to support existing Mockingbird Family Constellations (including HUB and Satellite Homes), while providing assistance, training, and support as DCYF expands and implements a HUB Model across the state. The Mockingbird Society will also train DCYF and up to Three Child Placing Agencies, as host agencies, to implement and expand the Mockingbird Foster Care Delivery Model on a statewide basis.

The contract will be issued on or about October 1st, 2024. The dollar value for this contract is estimated at \$1,482,120.88, inclusive of the services required during the period of performance of the contract through June 30th, 2025. At the discretion of DCYF and approval from the Department of Enterprise Services (DES), and provided funding is available, this contract may be extended for an additional two (2) years, in one (1) year term intervals, through June 30th, 2027.

Those who believe they have the necessary qualifications are required to submit a capability statement detailing their ability to meet the state’s requirements by September 20th, 2024. The statement must detail the applicant’s experience, ability and organizational capacity to provide the following services:

- Training and Delivery of the Mockingbird Family Model

In the absence of other qualified sources, it is the intent of DCYF to make a sole source award of this Contract.

To submit capability statements or for questions, contact:
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