



**Lehigh and Northampton Transportation Authority**

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## LANTA Bus Stop Sign Production with Option for Bus Stop Signage Installation Services Request for Proposal

### Submitted Questions and Answers

1. Please specify the type of reflective material that is to be used on Bus Stop Sign production.

The Lehigh and Northampton Transportation Authority (LANTA) prefers “engineered grade prismatic” reflective treatment for the signs to be produced. If a proposer is unable to offer this treatment, please specify the grade and quality of the alternative reflective material proposed. All proposals must meet the required Federal Highway Administration Minimum Maintained Retroreflectivity Levels.

2. How many signs will you be purchasing at a time? And how often will you be purchasing this amount over the next three (3) years? Or will all 3,000 signs be purchased immediately upon approval?

The Lehigh and Northampton Transportation Authority (LANTA) does not anticipate purchasing all 3,000 signs within one purchase order. LANTA makes changes to operational service three (3) times each calendar year. The amount of signs need to be purchased would be based on the requisite number of changes which would require additional signage to be produced and installed. LANTA does not anticipate ordering signs in quantities less than 100 per order to be produced. Sign installation will vary based on the number of changes per operating service change each year, in addition to any required sign installation due to damaged or replacement signage throughout the life of the contract.

3. Is there an estimated start date for the project?

The Lehigh and Northampton Transportation Authority (LANTA) anticipates receiving approval from the Board of Directors in May 2017 with intent to issue a notice to proceed with a selected vendor(s) beginning June 1, 2017.

4. Is there a cost estimate or budget for the project?

The Lehigh and Northampton Transportation Authority (LANTA) has not placed a budget on the sign production or installation services underneath this RFP, however price per sign and production quality, based upon the proposed materials and expected production life and/or price per work category if submitting a proposal for installation services is an area for proposal evaluation.

5. Are there any union requirements for the project?

There are no union requirements for this project.