

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Lake County Workforce Development Board (LCWDB) for the Lake County Department of Job and Family Services (LCDJFS) is seeking proposals from organizations and individuals wishing to provide Comprehensive **Case Management and Employment Program (CCMEP) services** funded by the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) and Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Title IV-A (TANF).

Proposals are being solicited for programs to provide case management and other services to the Lake County CCMEP for the period of PY 24 running July 1, 2024, through June 30, 2025. Contingent upon the availability of funds and satisfactory performance, contracts may be renewed for a second program year of operation without the necessity of submitting another proposal. All proposals are subject to actual funding received by LCDJFS from the federal government and the State of Ohio.

Full specifications and instructions are available at [RFP – Ohio Means Jobs \(lakecountyohio.gov\)](https://www.lakecountyohio.gov). These materials are also available at the LCDJFS offices or by mail. Contact Cory Vojack at (440) 350-2372 or at Cory.Vojack@lakecountyohio.gov to arrange a pickup or mailing. Copies of proposal documents are not available by fax or electronic transmission. A Bidders Conference to provide technical assistance in the preparation of proposals will be held at 1:30 PM March 6, 2024, at the LCDJFS offices, 177 Main Street, Painesville, Ohio.

Four (4) copies of each completed proposal must be submitted in sealed packages marked “ATTN: PY 24 CCMEP PROPOSAL” addressed to Cory Vojack, Executive Director, Lake County Workforce Development Board and received at 177 Main Street, Painesville, Ohio, 44077 no later than 12:00 Noon EST on March 22, 2024. Any proposals not received at the designated place by the designated time and date must be rejected.

All proposals are subject to actual funding made available for the specified activities, The RFP is being published based on the terms and conditions as they are known on January 17, 2024. The Lake County Workforce Development Board and its Youth Committee, the Lake County Department of Job and Family Services and the Lake County Board of Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals; to waive informalities in the RFP; to increase or decrease or omit any or all items; to award a contract or contracts to the lowest and/or best proposer; to waive or extend proposal deadlines; and/or to negotiate with all qualified sources if in the best interest of the parties. All proposals are subject to the WIOA, TANF and CCMEP regulations, policies, and funding allocations determined by the U.S. Department of Labor and the State of Ohio Department of Job and Family Services.

The Lake County Workforce Development Board, the Lake County Department of Job and Family Services and the Lake County Board of Commissioners adhere to the principles of equal opportunity and nondiscrimination in the selection of providers and awarding of contracts. Auxiliary aids and services are available on request to individuals with disabilities.

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