## McCRACKEN COUNTY FISCAL COURT



Bid Proposal for Permitting Software Date: 9-11-2023

# **Background**

McCracken County is seeking sealed bids for a web-based solution that improves the customer experience for permitting and licensing processes. By acquiring a cloud-based permitting software, we aim to facilitate a more responsive, transparent, and efficient permitting process, enhancing the satisfaction of our community members and promoting sustainable development in our region. The software must be user-friendly, enabling residents and businesses to easily apply for, track, and manage their permits online, thus reducing the reliance on paper-based systems and in-person visits.

	Bidder Contact Information	
Name:		
Company Name:		
Company Address:		
Phone #:	Email address:	
Contact Person:		

#### **Required Features**

# Application Portal

- A unified portal where applicants can log in and apply for a permit/license, review the status of their application, and communicate with the County
- A smart application process that generates a custom set of requirements based on the details of the application
- Automatic fee generation based on existing fee schedule
- Online payment integration capabilities
- Document upload and storage

## Reviews

- Internal review and task management
- Workflow functionality
- Application review and reporting
- Application and Permit tracking

## Inspections

- Ability to book an inspection online
- Inspection tracking and task management
- Allow real time inspection results to be available to all users including the permit holder.

# Technology

- 100% cloud-based system
- Configurable without custom coding
- GIS integration
- Ability for staff to create and reconfigure new templates and reports
- Search capability across all data fields
- Capability to provide software, training, maintenance and support for the integration,
- o installation, training and maintenance of the product.
- Ability to support all permit and license types in the County, including but not limited to Building Permits, Planning & Zoning Permits, Occupational Licensing, and Short-Term Rental Licensing

## **Notice to Bidders**

Contracts shall be awarded by the McCracken County Fiscal Court to the lowest and /or best bid by a qualified bidder. In determining best bid, in addition to price, the McCracken County Fiscal Court may consider:

- 1. Does the proposal meet or exceed established standards set in bid package.
- 2. The ability, capacity, and skill of the bidder to perform the contract or provide the service required;
- 3. Number of days required for software development;
- 4. The amount and type of training provided
- 5. The amount and type of technical support provided
- 6. The quality of performance of previous contracts or services:

#### **Bidder Information**

- The McCracken County Fiscal Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids or part thereof, to accept one or more items of a bid without obligation as to other items, and to waive any informalities or irregularities.
- 2. All bids to remain good for sixty (60) days after the Bid Due Date.
- 3. All bids must contain this form bearing a signature of an authorized officer or representative of the Bidder in order to be considered valid.
- 4. Bids are to be submitted sealed by 10 a.m. central standard time on September 19, 2023. Sealed bids must be submitted to the McCracken County Judge Executives Office located at:

McCracken County Courthouse
McCracken County Judge Executives Office
300 Clarence Gaines Street
Paducah, KY 42003

BIDDER SIGNATURE
BY
TITLE

At 10:00 a.m. central standard time on September 19, 2023, all bids will be publicly

opened and read in Meeting Room A of the McCracken County Courthouse.

# **OWNER CONTACT INFORMATION**

Date

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