

Notice of Intent to Award

Horry-Georgetown Technical College Procurement Office P.O. Box 29526 Conway, SC 29528

Posting Date: September 26, 2025

Solicitation: IFB0209-25

Opening Date: September 9, 2025

Description: On-line On-Demand Tutoring Services

Awarded To: Brainfuse

271 Madison Ave. New York, NY 10016

Total Potential Value: \$154,912.50

\$22.95 per Hour

Maximum Contract Period: December 1, 2025 – November 30, 2030

Item	Description	Unit Price
01	On-line On-Demand Tutoring Services Year 1	\$30,982.50
02	On-line On-Demand Tutoring Services Year 2	\$30,982.50
03	On-line On-Demand Tutoring Services Year 3	\$30,982.50
04	On-line On-Demand Tutoring Services Year 4	\$30,982.50
05	On-line On-Demand Tutoring Services Year 5	\$30,982.50

Horry-Georgetown Technical College intends to award the contract noted above. Unless otherwise suspended or cancelled, this document becomes the final Statement of Award effective, October 8, 2025. Unless otherwise provided in the solicitation, the final statement of award serves as acceptance of your offer.

The Contractor should not deliver any product, perform work, and/or incur any costs associated with the contract prior to the effective date of the contract and the receipt of a purchase order, as the College assumes no liability for any expenses incurred prior to the effective date of the contract and issuance of a purchase order.

Pursuant to Section 11-35-4210 of the South Carolina Code of Laws (Code), the following notice is hereby provided:

If you are aggrieved in connection with the award of the contract, you may be entitled to protest, but only as provided in Code Section 11-35-4210. To protest an award, you must (i) submit notice of your intent to protest within seven (7) business days of the date the award notice is posted, and (ii) submit your actual protest within fifteen (15) days of the date the award notice is posted. Days are calculated as provided in Code Section 11-35-310(13). Both protests and notices of intent to protest must be in writing and must be received by the appropriate Chief Procurement Officer within the time provided. The grounds of the protest and the relief requested must be set forth with enough particularity to give notice of the issues to be decided.

PROTEST - CPO ADDRESS - ITMO: Any protest must be addressed to the Chief Procurement Officer, Information Technology Management Office, and submitted in writing: (a) by email to <a href="mailto:protest-itmo@itmo.sc.gov">protest-itmo@itmo.sc.gov</a>, or

- (b) by post or delivery to 1201 Main Street, Suite 600, Columbia, SC 29201

Procurement Officer: Toni Richardson