

# REQUEST FOR QUOTATIONS

**To:** Interested, qualified individuals or entities to provide access to cloud-based, affordable, high-quality, reliable, accurate LMI, through user-friendly labor market software (LMS).

**From:** Greater Ohio Workforce Board (aka Area 7 Workforce Board), Administrative Office

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## PURPOSE

The Administrative Office of the Greater Ohio Workforce Board (formerly the Area 7 Workforce Board) is seeking quotes from qualified individuals or entities to provide access to cloud-based, affordable, high-quality, reliable, accurate LMI, through user-friendly labor market software (LMS) to its 43 member counties.

The following are the Board's member counties: Allen, Ashland, Champaign, Clark, Clinton, Coshocton, Darke, Defiance, Delaware, Erie, Fayette, Fulton, Gallia, Greene, Guernsey, Hancock, Henry, Highland, Holmes, Huron, Jackson, Knox, Lawrence, Licking, Logan, Madison, Marion, Miami, Montgomery, Morrow, Muskingum, Ottawa, Paulding, Preble, Putnam, Sandusky, Seneca, Shelby, Union, Wayne, Williams, Wood, and Wyandot.

## QUALIFICATIONS

Specifically, the Greater Ohio Workforce Board is seeking LMS with the following qualities:

1. Contains accurate and reliable LMI data drawn from credible sources.
2. Contains projected industry and occupational growth data built on sound data modeling and economic research methodologies and principles.
3. Provides access to LMI data at the zip code, city, county, and state levels.
4. Contains real-time job openings, industry data and staffing patterns, occupational data and wages, employer information, and other LMI data points demonstrated to assist in creating solid local policies and program decisions.
5. Inclusive of at least two user licenses.
6. Contains interactive dashboards or interactive data features.
7. User-friendly with easy-to-use exporting capabilities to facilitate data manipulation and visualization.
8. Demonstrated use by other Workforce Development Boards (WDBs) or workforce related organizations to assist in LMI decision-making: and
9. Comes with superb and quick customer service.

## **SCOPE OF WORK**

The awarded entity will deliver online access and user training to the Greater Ohio Workforce Board within 15 business days of entering contract for service.

## **REQUIREMENTS**

Interested parties must submit a Statement of Qualifications that includes examples of past similar projects, and a detailed plan to perform the services described above including the proposed cost.

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Responses to this R.F.Q. should be forwarded by email to:

**Lori Geary, Operations Director – [gearyl@clarkstate.edu](mailto:gearyl@clarkstate.edu)**

*All proposers will be notified of their status. If you have questions or need additional information, call 937-505-7839 or email [gearyl@clarkstate.edu](mailto:gearyl@clarkstate.edu). Answers to questions will be provided online at [www.gowbi.org](http://www.gowbi.org)*