

**RIALTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
NOTICE CALLING FOR PROPOSALS  
RFP No. RIAN-2021-2022-001 GROCERY PRODUCTS AND RELATED ITEMS**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Education of the Rialto Unified School District, in collaboration with TWELVE (12) participating school districts, is requesting proposals for **GROCERY PRODUCTS AND RELATED ITEMS**. Proposals will be applicable to the school districts named below, hereinafter referred to as the "Pomona Valley Co-Op Purchasing Group."

**School District Participants:**

Alta Loma School District  
Bonita Unified School District  
Chaffey Joint Union High School District  
Chino Valley Unified School District  
Claremont Unified School District  
Colton Joint Unified School District  
Jurupa Unified School District  
Moreno Valley Unified School District  
Ontario-Montclair School District  
Pomona Unified School District  
Rialto Unified School District  
Riverside Unified School District  
Val Verde Unified School District

Companies interested in bidding can request a proposal packet by emailing [frahman@rialtousd.org](mailto:frahman@rialtousd.org); visit our website <https://kec.rialto.k12.ca.us/Page/1935>; or may pick up a printed packet at 151 S. Cactus Ave., Rialto, CA 92376. **Each proposal must conform and be responsive to the required documents.** Proposals must be delivered in sealed envelopes marked "RFP No. RIAN-2021-2022-001 GROCERY PRODUCTS AND RELATED ITEMS" to:

RIALTO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
Child Nutrition  
Attn: Fausat Rahman-Davies, Lead Nutrition Services Agent  
151 South Cactus Avenue  
Rialto, CA 92376

up to, but no later than **1:00 PM on April 12, 2021**, at which time they will be opened and publicly read. All proposals must be submitted on forms furnished by the District.

The Board of Education of the Rialto Unified School District ("District"), on behalf of the Pomona Valley Co-Op Purchasing Group, reserves the right to accept or reject any and all proposals or parts thereof, to be the sole judge as to the merits and qualifications of all proposals, to waive any informality in a proposal, not necessarily accept the lowest proposal of any offered if it is in the best interest of the District. Design, specifications, service, delivery, and quality may be considered in making selections.

**Courier Deliveries**

The Rialto Unified School District is not responsible for proposals sent via U.S. Mail, UPS, and Federal Express or by any other delivery service. It is each bidder's sole responsibility to ensure its proposal is delivered and received by the deadline at the location designated above. Any proposal received at the designated location AFTER the scheduled closing time for receipt of proposals shall be returned to the bidder unopened.

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