

**North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG)  
In Plant Vehicle Inspections  
Request for Qualifications**

**Questions and Responses**

**Question #1:** Can you please provide the name and location of the manufacturer for the vehicles related to the inspection services opportunity?

**Response:** The North Central Texas Council of Governments (NCTCOG) currently has an open RFP soliciting the services of a manufacturer to produce the vehicles. This information will be available after a contractor has been selected and the contract awarded.

**Question #2:** Have been on the NCTCOG website and cannot see the RFP, can you please forward to me?

**Response:** The RFQ can be found at: [North Central Texas Council of Governments - Request for Qualifications - In-Plant Bus Inspection Services \(nctcog.org\)](http://www.nctcog.org/Request-for-Qualifications/In-Plant-Bus-Inspection-Services)

**Question #3:** How long is this project for?

**Response:** The exact time frame cannot be determined at this time; however, all vehicles must be manufactured and delivered by March 2027.

**Question #4:** How many light-duty electric buses are you planning on purchasing?

**Response:** NCTCOG plans to purchase a total of 8 light duty electric buses.

**Question #5:** How many light-duty cutaway vehicles are you planning on purchasing?

**Response:** NCTCOG plans to purchase 19 light duty cutaway vehicles.

**Question #6:** How many vehicles per year?

**Response:** This is a single purchase and does not include additional vehicles over a period of time, however, NCTCOG may separate purchases by work order.

**Question #7:** Please see response to question 1.

**Question #8:** Do the buses all have the same bus specifications?

**Response:** NCTCOG staff is procuring buses on behalf of three separate transit agencies. After award of the contract, a pre-manufacture meeting shall be held with the successful Contractor and each transit agency prior to manufacture of the vehicles. During this meeting, the Contractor will discuss the bus specifications and will make any needed changes the transit agency request so long as it is eligible under the technical specifications included in the RFP.

**Question #9:** Who is the manufacturer and the location of where the buses will need to be inspected?

**Response:** Please see the response to question #1.

**Question #10:** Will you need a Pre-Award and/or Post-Delivery Buy America Audit?

**Response:** NCTCOG staff will complete Pre-Award Buy America Audits. The selected firm will complete Post-Delivery Buy America Audit documentation.