Governor Mifflin School District – 2026-2027
Governor Mifflin School District Signage Installations_26-27

REQUEST FOR BIDS

Governor Mifflin School District requests sealed bids, at its administrative offices at 10 S. Waverly Street, Shillington, PA 19607 at or before 3:00 p.m. local time, on Tuesday, October 27, 2026, when they will be publicly opened, for

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In accordance with the General Conditions, Detailed Specifications, and other Contract Documents (as listed in the General Conditions), which interested persons may obtain by phoning (610) 775-1461, ext. 3014, between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., weekdays, or by visiting the Governor Mifflin School District website at http://www.gmsd.org/bids , or by emailing timothy.ziegler@gmsd.org

GOVERNOR MIFFLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Bidder: Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs Phone: 216-503-2568

GENERAL CONDITIONS

These General Conditions shall apply to and become part of the contract between Governor Mifflin School District and the Bidder (the "Contract").

Contract Documents: The documents that will form the Contract between the Governor Mifflin School District (hereinafter, either "Governor Mifflin School District" or the "School District") and the Bidder are entitled "Request for Bids," "General Conditions," "Non-Collusion Affidavit," "Bid Bond," "Acknowledgement--Receipt of Revisions/Addendums", "Bid Certification", "Bid Form", "Contract," "Bidder's Past History," and "Specifications or General Requirements." Defined terms in the General Conditions shall apply to all of the Contract Documents.

Bid Form: Each Bidder must submit its Bid on the "Bid Form" and must also submit therewith the Non- Collusion Affidavit, Acknowledgment--Receipt of Revisions/Addendum, Bidder's Past History, Bid Bond and the Bid Certification. The School District will notify the successful Bidder at the time when Bids are awarded. The successful Bidder shall be referred to herein as the "Supplier."

Bid Bond: Each Bidder must submit with this Bid a "Bid Bond" which shall be a Bid Bond or certified check payable to Governor Mifflin School District in the amount of at least ten percent (10%) of the Bid price. The Bid Bond or certified check shall be retained by the School District until the successful Bidder enters into the Contract with the School District in the attached form whereupon the Bid Bonds or certified checks shall be returned to the unsuccessful Bidders.

Permits: Supplier shall obtain all permits required by law and shall perform its obligations hereunder in accordance with the terms of the Contract Documents and to the satisfaction of the School District, and shall comply with all laws, rules and regulations of the U.S. Government and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and any department or agency thereof.

Intent of Specifications: The successful Bidder shall abide by the true intent of the Specifications and Contract Documents.

Price: Supplier warrants that the prices stated on the Bid Form are the lowest net prices charged by Supplier to any other customer for like goods or services in like quantities under similar conditions. If Supplier quotes a lower price within thirty (30) days after delivery to the School District, Supplier shall promptly pay to the School District a rebate in the amount of the difference of such amounts within ten (10) days of making such lower quote.

Delivery Due: The successful Bidder will be required to make complete delivery of Bid items to the School District on or after December 01, 2026, but no later than June 04, 2027.

Standard of Quality: Goods are to be new merchandise, not previously used or recycled merchandise. When a manufacturer and/or brand name and/or catalog number is specified, it is understood that the Bidder is responsible to provide the specified manufacturer and/or brand name and/or catalog number, as applicable, unless stated in the Contract Documents. The Specifications are intended to indicate quantity to be purchased, the quality, style, and specific features of the items and in some or all cases, a specific manufacturer and model of the item. Governor Mifflin School District is the sole determiner as to the quality and performance of the goods supplied by Supplier.

When no manufacturer, brand name or catalog number is specified, Bidder may substitute substantially similar goods for those specified. When doing so, the substitute item shall indicate clearly the manufacturer and/or brand name and the catalog number of such substituted items and provide a catalog cut which provides a description of the item sufficient to permit the School District to properly evaluate the substitute. The catalog cut shall be marked in a manner to easily identify it with the item bid.

Bidders shall submit samples of the substitute items at the same place and time the Bid is due. Samples shall be of sufficient size and quantity for an adequate evaluation and may be altered or destroyed during testing and evaluation by the School District. If the Bidder wants the sample(s) returned, the Bidder shall state with the Bid that the sample will be retrieved by the Bidder. A sample shall become the property of the School District if not retrieved by the Bidder within thirty (30) days after delivery thereof.

Freight and Delivery: All goods delivered pursuant hereto shall be delivered F.O.B. (without charges for delivery to and placing on board a carrier at a specific point) to the receiving area of the Governor Mifflin School District, 600 Governor Drive, Shillington PA 19607.

DELIVERIES SHALL BE MADE ONLY BETWEEN 7:30 A.M. AND 3:00 P.M., local prevailing time. Shipment shall be made only upon the receipt by Supplier of a written (or faxed, or emailed) written request signed by the School District. The requested supplies must be delivered to the School District by the date specified in the Contract Documents or as otherwise provided by the School District. Late deliveries will result in a one percent (1%) late fee for each day the delivery, or any portion thereof, is late, which late fee shall be applied to such delayed item's invoice, or any other invoice. The late fee provided herein shall not be the exclusive remedy of the School District upon a failure of Supplier to perform hereunder, and shall not interfere with or limit any other rights and remedies available to the School District upon a breach of the Contract Documents.

Delivery tickets and/or packing slips shall provide the following information: name of item, item number, quantity, Unit Price, invoice total and name of Bidder.

Failure to comply with these General Conditions, the detailed Specifications, or any other Contract Document is sufficient reason to refuse acceptance of any delivery, or portion thereof, with no liability accruing to the School District.

Upon acceptance as provided herein, providing the applicable invoices have been received by the School District, payment for such items will be made by the School District within thirty (30) days of such approval.

Reject Bids: The School District reserves the right to reject any or all Bids or parts of a Bid, to waive any informalities as received and to award the Bid in its entirety or to apportion such Bids into several smaller Bids in the School District's best interests.

Bid Withdrawal: Negligence by Bidder in preparing its Bid confers no right of withdrawal or modification of its Bid after such Bid has been opened. No claims on account of mistakes or omissions in any Bid will be considered. Notwithstanding the above, a Bidder may withdraw its Bid after such Bid has been opened in accordance with the causes set forth in the Pennsylvania Bid Withdrawal Act, Act No. 4 of 1974 73 P.S. Sec. 1601 et seq. Strict compliance with said Pennsylvania Bid Withdrawal Act is required to withdraw a Bid after Bid opening.

Competent Workers: No person shall be employed to do work under this Contract except competent and first class workmen and mechanics. No workmen shall be regarded as competent and first class, within the meaning of the Educate America Act of 1994 or this provision, except those who are duly skilled in their respective branches of labor and who shall be paid not less than such rates of wages and for such hours' work as shall be established and current rates of wages paid for such hours by employers of organized labor in doing of similar work in the district where work is being done. (24 P.S. §7-752)

Resident Laborers: Laborers and mechanics employed are preferred to be residents of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for at least ninety (90) days prior to their employment.

Prohibited Discrimination: The provisions of the Pennsylvania Human Relations Act 222 of October 27, 1955 (P.L. 744) (43 P.S., §951, et seq.) of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and Human Relations Contract Compliance,

16 Pa. Code 349.101, all of which may be amended from time to time, prohibit certain practices or discrimination because of race, color, religious creed, ancestry, age, sex, national origin, handicap or disability, by employers, employment agencies, labor organizations, contractors and others. Supplier shall agree to comply with the provisions of this Pennsylvania Human Relations Act and the Human Relations Contract, which is made part of these General Conditions as if included herein at length. (24 P.S. §7-755).

Supplier's and Subcontractor's Insurance: Supplier shall not commence work under the Contract until he has obtained all the insurance required under this paragraph and such insurance has been approved by the School District, nor shall Supplier allow any subcontractor to commence work on its subcontract until the insurance required of the subcontractor has been so obtained and approved by the School District as provided herein. All of the Supplier's and subcontractor's liability insurance providers must be licensed and authorized to conduct business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. The insurance carriers of whom the Supplier and subcontractors have purchased insurance coverage are to have an A- or better rating plus a financial rating of VI or better with the "AM Best's Company Key Rating Guide" – latest edition.

(a) Compensation and Employer's Liability Insurance: Supplier shall procure and shall maintain during the life of the Contract Worker's Compensation Insurance and Employer's Liability Insurance as statutorily required by the state and federal government for each accident, for all of his employees to be engaged in work on the Project, and in case of any such work sublet, Supplier shall require the subcontractor similarly to provide such Workmen's Compensation Insurance and Employer's Liability Insurance for all of the latter's employees to be engaged in such work.

(b) Supplier's Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance: Supplier shall procure and shall maintain during the life of the Contract Supplier's Public Liability Insurance in an amount not less than $1,000,000 for injuries, including accidental death, to any one person, and subject to the same limit for each person and Supplier's Property Damage Insurance in an amount not less than $1,000,000.

(c) Supplier's Protective Liability and Property Damage Insurance: Supplier shall procure and shall maintain during the life of the Contract Supplier's Protective Liability Insurance in an amount not less than $1,000,000 for injuries, including accidental death, to any one person, in an amount not less than $1,000,000 on account of one accident, and Supplier's Protective Property Damage Insurance in an amount not less than $1,000,000.

(d) Supplier's Automobile Liability and Property Damage Insurance: Supplier shall procure and shall maintain during the life of the Contract Automobile Liability Insurance in amount not less than $1,000,000 for injuries, including accidental death, to any one person and subject to the same limit for each person, in an amount not less than $1,000,000 on account of one accident and Automobile Property Damage Insurance in an amount not less than $1,000,000 which Liability and Property Damage Insurance shall include all hired automobiles and all non-owned automobiles used by Supplier.

(e) Subcontractor's Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance, Protective Liability and Property Damage Insurance, and Automobile Liability and Property Damage Insurance: Supplier shall require each of its subcontractors to procure and to maintain during the life of its subcontract, Subcontractor's Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance, Subcontractor's Protective Liability and Property Damage Insurance and Sub-Supplier's Automobile Liability and Property Damage Insurance of the type specified in subparagraphs (b), (c), and (d) hereof, in amounts approved by the School District.

(f) Scope of Insurance and Special Hazards: The insurance required under subparagraphs (b), (c), (d), and (e) hereof, shall provide adequate protection for Supplier and his subcontractors, respectively, against damage claims which may arise from operations under the Contract, whether such operations be by the insured or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by the insured and, also, against any of the following

special hazards which may be encountered in the performance of this Contract: collapse and damage to underground utilities.

(g) Proof of Carriage of Insurance: The Supplier shall procure, and shall keep in force for the duration of this Contract, a policy or policies of liability insurance, in the types and amounts described above, wherein the School District is named as an additional insured party, issued by a company which is satisfactory to the School District, covering all claims for personal injury, death, and property damage which arise out of or are in anyway related to any act done or omitted with respect to Supplier's performance of the Contract or in the course of such performance. Each such policy shall provide that no cancellation or material change thereof shall be effective until thirty (30) days after written notice of intent to cancel it has been given to the School District. Before performing any work for the School District hereunder, Bidder shall furnish the School District with a certificate of insurance from the insuring company, as evidence that such liability insurance has been obtained. In addition, all of the Supplier's insurance policies shall be primary and non-contributory with respect to any other valid and collectible insurance policies. Failure to furnish the correct type of insurance on the correct forms in the correct amounts shall constitute a material breach of the conditions for award of the Contract and the Supplier shall be deemed to be in default.

Reports, Records, and Data: Supplier and each of its subcontractors shall submit to the School District such schedules of quantities and costs, progress schedules, payrolls, reports, estimates, records and other data as the School District may request concerning work performed or to be performed under this Contract.

Guarantee: Unless specified otherwise, Supplier shall guarantee that all goods received under the Contract shall be free from defects for a period of one (5) years from date of acceptance thereof, which shall be in addition to any guarantee provided by the respective manufacturers.

Prohibited Interests: No official of the School District who is authorized in such capacity and on behalf of the School District to negotiate, make, accept or approve, or to take part in negotiating, making, accepting, or approving, the Contract or any portion thereof, shall become directly or indirectly interested personally in the Contract or in any part thereof and Supplier shall immediately notify School District to the extent it becomes aware or has reason to believe that any such official has become so involved. No officer, employee, attorney, engineer or inspector of or for the School District who is authorized in such capacity and in behalf of the School District to exercise any legislative, executive, supervisory or other similar functions in connection with the Contract shall become directly or indirectly interested personally (except in such professional capacity) in the Contract or in any part thereof. (18 P.S. §7503; 24 P.S. §§7-751(e), 7-751.1; 62 Pa.C.S.A. §4501 et. seq.)

Subcontracting:

(a) Supplier may utilize the services of subcontractors.

(b) Supplier shall not award any work to any subcontractor without prior written approval of the School District, which may be given or withheld in the School District's sole discretion. Supplier shall submit to the School District a written statement concerning the proposed award to the subcontractor, which statement shall contain such information as the School District may require.

(c) Supplier shall be as fully responsible to the School District for the acts and omissions of its subcontractors and of persons either directly or indirectly employed by them, as it is for the acts and omissions of persons directly employed by the Supplier.

(d) Supplier shall cause appropriate provisions to be inserted in all subcontracts relative to the work to bind the subcontractors to Supplier by the terms of the General Conditions and other Contract Documents insofar as applicable to the work of subcontractors and to give Supplier the same power as regards

terminating any subcontract that the School District may exercise over Supplier under any provision of the Contract Documents.

(e) Nothing contained in the Contract shall create any contractual relation between any subcontractor and the School District.

Assignments: Supplier shall not assign the whole or any part of the Contract or any moneys due or to become due thereunder without written consent of the School District. In case Supplier assigns all or any part of any moneys due or to become due under the Contract the instrument of assignment shall contain a clause substantially to the effect that it is agreed that the right of the assignee in and to any moneys due or to become due to Supplier shall be subject to prior liens of all persons, firms and corporations for services rendered or materials supplied for the performance of the work called for in the Contract.

Mutual Responsibility: If through acts of neglect on the part of the Supplier, any subcontractor shall suffer loss or damage, the Supplier agrees to settle with such other subcontractor by agreement or arbitration, if it will so settle. If such other subcontractor shall sue the School District on account of any damage alleged to have been so sustained, the School District shall notify the Supplier, who shall defend such proceedings at the Supplier's expense and, if any judgment against the School District arises therefrom, the Supplier shall pay or satisfy it and pay all costs incurred by the School District in connection therewith. In the event the School District incurs any legal fees, the Supplier will be liable for the same.

Termination For Cause: In the event of termination for cause, the School District, in addition to all other damages recoverable by law, may recover from the Supplier legal fees, professional fees, costs, expenses, including, but not limited to, employee time attributable to said events, and the Supplier shall immediately pay the School District for the same. In the event the Supplier fails to adhere to this contractual provision or other requirements of the Contract, whether the subject provision is material or not, to the extent the School District incurs legal fees, professional fees, costs or expenses, of any kind, in the School District's attempts to enforce such provisions, the School District shall be entitled to assess and the Supplier shall be liable for the same to the School District. In such event, the School District may deduct such amounts from any application for payment, or other amounts invoiced by the Supplier.

Termination For Convenience: If the School District terminates the Supplier for convenience, the School District shall pay only so much of the contract price as is then due the Supplier for work performed or materials supplied in accordance with the Contract Documents in a manner satisfactory to the School District and nothing more.

Changes: The School District may at any time, by written order and without notice to the sureties, require the performance of such changes and alterations in the work as it may find necessary or desirable. The amount of compensation to be paid to the Supplier for any changes and alterations, as so ordered, shall be determined as follows:

(a) By such applicable Unit Prices, if any, as are set forth in the Contract; or

(b) If no such Unit Prices are so set forth then by a lump sum mutually agreed upon by the School District and the Supplier; or

(c) If no such Unit Prices are so set forth and if the parties cannot agree upon a lump sum, then by the actual net cost in money to the Supplier of the materials and of the wages of applicable labor required for such changes and alterations, plus such rental for plant and equipment (other than small tools) required and approved, plus 10% as compensation for all other items of profit and costs or expenses, including, but not limited to, administration, overhead, superintendents, insurance, materials used in temporary structures, allowances made by the Supplier to subcontractors, additional premiums upon the Contract bonds of the Supplier, if applicable, and the use of small tools.

The School District reserves the right to accept or reject a proposal of the Supplier, to obtain quotations from other sources and to employ other parties to perform such work or parts thereof if the School District sees fit.

The Supplier shall proceed with changes, alterations or deviations after receiving written authorization from the School District therefor and such work shall be controlled by all the terms and provisions of the Contract.

Timing: Time is of the essence in the performance of the Contract Documents. If services are not completed, the proper good are not delivered, or goods are not delivered by the delivery date set forth herein or as otherwise required by the School District, the School District may terminate the Contract, purchase order, or any portion thereof, by written notice effective upon receipt by Supplier and obtain substitute services or goods elsewhere. Supplier shall promptly reimburse the School District for any loss or increased costs, including downtime or overtime costs, incurred by the School District as a result of obtaining such substitute goods or services.

Taxes: Supplier is solely responsible for the payment of any sales, use or other tax or duty levied or based on the price of any goods, work or services provided pursuant to the Contract Documents. If the School District pays any such tax or duty, Supplier shall promptly reimburse the School District therefor.

Invoice Disputes: The School District may dispute invoiced amounts and withhold the disputed amount while the parties try to resolve the dispute. Pending such dispute resolution, the parties shall continue to meet their other obligations under the Contract Documents. Payment of any fees by the School District shall not waive any rights, claims or remedies.

Limitation of Liability: Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, in no event shall the School District's cumulative liability to Supplier for all claims, liabilities, losses, damages, costs and expenses relating to the Contract Documents, or the goods or services provided thereunder, exceed the amount of the purchase price for any such goods or services that gave rise to such claims, liabilities, losses, damages, costs or expenses, less any amounts already paid by the School District for such goods or services. The School District shall not be liable to Supplier for any lost profit, loss of business, loss of goodwill, indirect, incidental, punitive or consequential damages under the Contract Documents or relating to the goods and services provided thereunder.

Indemnification: Supplier shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the School District, and its affiliates, officers, directors, employees, agents, successors and assigns from and against any and all losses, obligations, liabilities, claims, suits, judgments, damages (whether incidental, consequential, or otherwise), penalties, fines, costs and expenses (including, without limitation, reasonable attorney's fees) arising out of, or in connection with (a) the violation or alleged violation of any law, ordinance, regulation, or rights of third parties by reason of performance or nonperformance by Supplier under the Contract Documents; (b) breach of any term, condition, covenant, agreement, representation or warranty by Supplier; (c) any infringement or alleged infringement of any patent, copyright, trademark, or other intellectual property relating to the use or design of any equipment, materials, goods or services furnished by Supplier under the Contract Documents or the processes or actions employed by or on behalf of Supplier; (d) injury or death to persons or any real or personal property damage, arising from or relating to the goods or services provided by Supplier under the Contract Documents or acts or omissions of Supplier or its officers, directors, employees, agents, contractors or subcontractors; or (e) claims arising from or relating to injuries to or death of Supplier's employees, including, but not limited to, claims based upon allegations of negligence of the School District. The indemnity provided in clause (e) is applicable to claims for which Supplier has or may have immunity under the Pennsylvania Workmen's Compensation Act, or other similar law, and Supplier agrees and acknowledges that by undertaking to indemnify the School District, Supplier is expressly undertaking indemnification liability by written contract pursuant to Section 303(b) of the Pennsylvania Workmen's Compensation Act, or any other similar law. Supplier's obligations under this section shall not be limited to its insurance coverage.

Materials, Services, and Facilities: It is understood that Supplier shall provide and pay for all materials, labor, tools, equipment, transportation, superintendence, and all other services and facilities of every nature, whatsoever necessary to execute, complete and deliver the goods within the specified time.

Notice: The term "Notice" as used throughout the Contract Documents shall mean written notice. Written notice shall be deemed to have been duly served when delivered personally to or at the last known business address of the person, firm or corporation for whom intended, or to his, their or its duly authorized agent, representative or officer, or when enclosed in a postage prepaid wrapper or envelope addressed to such person, firm or corporation at his, their, or its last known business address and deposited in a United States Mail Box.

Supplier's Obligations: Supplier shall and will, in a good and workmanlike manner, do and perform all work and furnish all goods in accordance with the terms and conditions provided by the Contract, within the time herein specified, in accordance with the provisions of the Contract. Supplier shall observe, comply with and be subject to all terms, conditions, requirements and limitations of the Contract, and shall do, carry on and complete the obligations arising out of the Contract to the satisfaction of the School District.

Worker's Compensation Act: Supplier shall accept, insofar as the work covered by the Contract is concerned, the provisions of the Pennsylvania Workmen's Compensation Act, 77 P.S. §1 et seq., and any supplements or amendments thereof, including any which may hereafter be passed and shall insure his liability thereunder, or file with the Governor Mifflin School District, a certificate of exemption from insurance from the Bureau of Workmen's Compensation of the Department of Labor and Industry.

Observance of Laws: Supplier at all times shall observe and comply with all federal and state laws and local ordinances and regulations in any manner affecting or relating to the Contract Documents and all such orders or decrees as exist at present and those which may be enacted later by bodies or tribunals having jurisdiction or authority over or relating to the Contract Documents, and shall indemnify, defend and hold harmless the School District and all its officers, agents and servants against any claim or liability arising from or based on the violation of any such law, ordinance, regulations, order or decree, whether by itself or its employees. The Pennsylvania laws that Supplier should particularly review for applicability to this Bid, include, without limitation:

(a) "Public Works Suppliers' Bond Law of 1967," 8 P.S. §165-1 et seq., for particulars relating to performance and payment bonds.

(b) "Pennsylvania Prevailing Wage Act," 43 P.S. §165-1 et seq., where the project cost is in excess of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000). This regulation and the general Pennsylvania prevailing minimum wage rates. (Act 422 of 1961, P.L. 987, amended by Act 342 of 1963, P.L. 653) as determined by the Secretary of Labor and Industry, which shall be paid for each craft or classification of all workers needed to perform the Contract during the anticipated term therefor in the locality in which public work is performed, are made part of the Contract Documents.

(c) PROVISION FOR THE USE OF STEEL AND STEEL PRODUCTS MADE IN THE U.S. In accordance with Act 3 of the 1978 General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, if any steel or steel products are to be used or supplied in the performance of the Contract, only those produced in the United States as defined therein shall be used or supplied in the performance of the Contract or any subcontracts thereunder. In accordance with Act 161 of 1982, cast iron products shall also be included and produced in the United States. Act 141 of 1984 further defines “steel products” to include machinery and equipment. These acts and laws provide clarifications and penalties.

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(d) "Withdrawal of Bids," 73 P.S. §1601 et seq., where a Supplier desires to withdraw a bid.

(e) "Anti-Bid Rigging Act," 73 P.S. §1611 et seq., for standards to be observed by Suppliers in preparing their respective bids.

(f) "Award and Execution of Public Contracts," 62 Pa.C.S.A. §3902 et seq., governing the procedure for the award and execution of public contracts.

(g) "Motor Vehicle Procurement Act," 62 Pa.C.S.A. §3731 et seq., where motor vehicles are to be supplied as part of a public contract.

Criminal History and Clearance: Pursuant to § 1-111 of the Pennsylvania Public School Code of 1949, Act 34 of March 10, 1949, P.L. 30, No. 14, as amended by H.B. 185, Session of 2006 (24 P.S. Section 1-111, et seq.) (the "Clearance Act"), the Supplier shall submit for any prospective employees of public and private schools, intermediate units and area vocational-technical schools, including, but not limited to, teachers, substitutes, janitors, cafeteria workers, independent contractors and their employees, except those employees and independent contractors and their employees who have no direct contact with children, are required, prior to commencing work under the Contract, to furnish certain information, as set forth in the Public School Code.

The Supplier shall submit, on a prescribed form, a report of criminal history record information from the Pennsylvania State Police or a statement from the Pennsylvania State Police that the Pennsylvania State Police central repository contains no such information relating to any employee working on the School District site prior to such employee performing work on the School District site or prior to receiving written approval from the School District that the appropriate procedures for employing applicants on a provisional basis have been satisfied. The Supplier shall submit the original statement from the Pennsylvania State Police for each prospective employee working on the School District site. To obtain this document, contact the nearest Pennsylvania State Police barracks. Supplier shall submit the original of the required document if awarded the Bid before commencing work under the Contract.

The Supplier and any of their employees who are on the School District site shall submit, prior to employment, a copy of their Federal Criminal History record from the Federal Bureau of Investigation ("FBI") in the manner prescribed by the Pennsylvania Department of Education. The Federal Criminal History record shall not be more than one (1) year old at the time of employment. To obtain such a report, contact the nearest FBI Field Office.

The Supplier shall refuse to employ as an independent contractor or employee on a public or private school, intermediate unit or area vocational-technical school any prospective employee whose Federal Criminal History record information indicates that such prospective employee has been convicted within five (5) years immediately preceding the date of the report of any of the following offenses:

(1) An offense under one (1) or more of the following provisions of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes:

- Chapter 25 (relating to criminal homicide).
- Section 2702 (relating to aggravated assault).
- Former section 2709(b) (relating to stalking).
- Section 2709.1 (relating to stalking).
- Section 2901 (relating to kidnapping).
- Section 2902 (relating to unlawful restraint).
- Section 3121 (relating to rape).

- Section 3122.1 (relating to statutory sexual assault).
- Section 3123 (relating to involuntary deviate sexual intercourse).
- Section 3124.1 (relating to sexual assault).
- Section 3125 (relating to aggravated indecent assault).
- Section 3126 (relating to indecent assault).
- Section 3127 (relating to indecent exposure).
- Section 4302 (relating to incest).
- Section 4303 (relating to concealing death of child).
- Section 4304 (relating to endangering welfare of children).
- Section 4305 (relating to dealing in infant children).
- A felony offense under Section 5902(b) (relating to prostitution and related offenses).
- Section 5903(c) or (d) (relating to obscene and other sexual materials and performances).
- Section 6301 (relating to corruption of minors).
- Section 6312 (relating to sexual abuse of children).

(2) An offense designated as a felony under the act of April 14, 1972 (P.L. 233, No. 64), known as "The Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act."

(3) An out-of-State or Federal offense similar in nature to those crimes listed in Paragraphs (A) and (B) of the Clearance Act.

The requirements of the Clearance Act shall not apply to employees of public and private schools, intermediate units and area vocational-technical schools who meet all of the following requirements: (a) the employees are under twenty-one (21) years of age; (b) the employees are employed for ninety (90) days or fewer; and (c) the employees are part of a job development and/or job training program funded in whole or in part by public or private sources. Notwithstanding the above, once employment of a person who meets these conditions extends beyond ninety (90) days, all requirements of the Clearance Act and the Public School Code shall take effect immediately.

Notwithstanding the above, the School District may employ applicants on a provisional basis for a single period not to exceed ninety (90) days, except during a lawful strike proceeding under the provisions of the act of July 23, 1970 (P.L. 563, No. 195), known as the "Public Employee Relations Act (43 P.S. Section 1101.201, et seq.)," provided that all of the following conditions are met: (a) the applicant has applied for the information required under the Clearance Act, where applicable, and the applicant provides a copy of the appropriate completed request forms to the School District; (b) the School District has no knowledge of information pertaining to the applicant which would disqualify him or her from employment pursuant to Paragraphs (1), (2) and (3) as noted above; (c) the applicant swears or affirms in writing that he or she is not disqualified from employment pursuant to Paragraphs (1), (2) and (3) as noted above; (d) if the information obtained pursuant to the Clearance Act reveals that the applicant is disqualified from employment pursuant to Paragraphs (1), (2) and (3) as noted above, the applicant shall be suspended and subject to termination proceedings as provided for by law; and (e) the School District requires that the applicant not be permitted to work

alone with children and that the applicant work in the immediate vicinity of a permanent employee who has all necessary certifications required by the Public School Code.

Prior to commencing the work under the Contract, Supplier shall submit for any employee or independent contractor who would be working on the School District site, pursuant to any work contemplated in the Contract, an official clearance statement obtained from the Pennsylvania Department of Public Welfare, pursuant to Act 151 of December 16, 1994 (P.L. 1292), Subchapter C.2. of the Child Protective Services Law, as amended from time to time. Supplier shall not allow any prospective employee or independent contractor on the job site prior to providing the School District with the above-referenced clearance statement for prospective employees or independent contractors.

Jurisdiction; Venue: Any suit, action or other proceeding seeking to enforce, or in any way relating to, any provision of the Contract Documents shall be brought only in the Court of Common Pleas of Berks County, Pennsylvania or the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania. Supplier irrevocably consents and submits to the jurisdiction and venue of such courts and irrevocably waives any objection which it may have to the laying of the venue of any suit, action or proceeding brought in such courts and any claim that such suit, action or proceeding brought in such courts has been brought in an inconvenient forum or that such courts lack jurisdiction.

Severability: If any provision of these General Conditions or the Contract Documents, or any portion thereof, is held invalid or unenforceable by any court of competent jurisdiction, the other remaining provisions will remain in full force and effect. Any provision of these General Conditions or any Contract Document held invalid or unenforceable only in part will remain in full force and effect to the extent not held invalid or unenforceable.

Waiver: Neither the failure nor any delay by the School District in exercising any right, power or privilege under these General Conditions, or the Contract Documents, will operate as a waiver of any such right, power or privilege, and no partial exercise of any such right, power or privilege will preclude further exercise of such right, power or privilege or the exercise of any other right, power or privilege.

Governing Law: The Contract Documents and transactions contemplated thereby shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the domestic internal laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, without regard to its principles pertaining to the conflict of laws.

Confidentiality: The School District, or third parties on the School District's behalf, may disclose to Supplier, certain confidential or proprietary information ("the School District Confidential Information"). For a period of five (5) years after termination or expiration of the Contract Documents, Supplier shall not disclose and shall, to the extent within its control, prevent the disclosure by others of the School District Confidential Information to any third party without the prior written consent of the School District. Supplier agrees not to use, or make copies of, the School District Confidential Information except as required for the performance of its obligations under the Contract Documents, and agrees to limit access to the School District Confidential Information to its own employees, agents and consultants strictly on a "need to know" basis; provided, however, that such agents and consultants have executed an agreement with Supplier with confidentiality provisions at least as restrictive as those contained herein. Upon expiration or termination of the Contract Documents, or if requested by the School District, Supplier shall, to the extent possible, promptly return all of the School District Confidential Information. Supplier acknowledges that the disclosure of the School District Confidential Information of the other may give rise to irreparable injury which may be inadequately compensable in damages. To the extent Supplier breaches, or the School District could reasonably believe Supplier may breach, its confidentiality obligations stated herein, Supplier consents to the School District obtaining injunctive relief to prevent, or otherwise limit the damages of, any such breach or threatened breach and waives any requirement for the School District to post any bonds or collateral in connection therewith.

Acceptance of Goods. The School District's payment of the purchase price, or any part thereof, does not constitute acceptance of the goods or services. Goods and services are subject to inspection and rejection by the School District within a reasonable time following receipt by the School District. Risk of loss does not pass to the School District until acceptance of the goods or services. To the extent practicable, defective or nonconforming goods will be returned to Supplier, at Supplier's sole cost and expense, and the risk of loss with respect to such defective or nonconforming goods shall never pass to the School District and shall remain with Supplier.

Warranties. Supplier warrants that all goods, work or services furnished pursuant to the Contract Documents shall, as appropriate: (a) be new and free from defects; (b) conform to all designs, plans and Specifications; (c) be

performed in a good, professional and workmanlike manner; (d) be merchantable, safe, fit and appropriate for the School District's particular purpose and use; and (e) be delivered free and clear of any claims, liens or encumbrances whatsoever.

Waiver of Consequential and Incidental Damages: The Supplier waives claims against the School District for consequential and/or incidental damages arising out of or relating to the Contract. This waiver includes, but is not limited to:

(a) Consequential damages incurred by the Supplier for principal office expenses including, but not limited to, the compensation of personnel stationed there, for losses of financing, business and reputation, and for loss of actual and expected profits.

(b) Incidental damages incurred by the Supplier including, but not limited to, costs resulting from stopping performance under the Contract, removing and transporting the Supplier's property (e.g., the Supplier's equipment, supplies and materials) from the project site, and storing the Supplier's property (e.g., the Supplier's equipment, supplies and materials) at an alternate location.

This waiver is applicable, without limitation, to all consequential and/or incidental damages, due to either the Supplier and/or the School District's termination of the Contract.

Interpretations:

(a) Where required hereunder to effectuate the intent of the Contract Documents, masculine shall mean neuter or feminine and the singular shall mean the plural.

(b) The captions and headings of various paragraphs in the Contract Documents are for convenience only and are not to be construed as defining or limiting, in any way, the scope or intent of the provisions hereof.

(c) The invalidity of any covenant, restriction, condition, limitation or any other part or provision of the Contract Documents shall not impair or affect in any manner the validity, enforceability or effect of the remainder of the Contract Documents.

(d) The parties hereto acknowledge that all of them have participated in the drafting of the Contract Documents and the parties hereto expressly waive the defense of contra proferentum, i.e., that the Contract Documents or any portion of the Contract Documents may be construed against any party as the drafter thereof.

NOTICE: BIDS ARE PUBLICLY OPENED AND READ ON THE DATE SPECIFIED. IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN IMMEDIATE INFORMATION RELATING TO THE BID, PLEASE HAVE A REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT AT BID OPENING. QUESTIONS AND LOW BID INFORMATION WILL BE AVAILABLE DURING BID OPENING. FOLLOWING BID OPENING, THE BIDS WILL BE REVIEWED BY THE APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES OF AND FOR GOVERNOR MIFFLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT. THEREFORE, INFORMATION ON THE BIDS WILL NOT AGAIN BE AVAILABLE UNTIL THEY HAVE BEEN REVIEWED AND A FINAL RECOMMENDATION IS PRESENTED TO THE BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS OF THE GOVERNOR MIFFLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT AT ITS REGULARLY SCHEDULED MEETING.

Changes, alterations or interlineations in the Bid are not permitted.

CONTRACT

THIS CONTRACT is made and entered into this ____ day of November, 2026, by and between the GOVERNOR MIFFLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter, the "School District"), and Blink Marketing Inc. (hereinafter, the "Bidder"),

1) A Corporation known as Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs organized and existing under the laws of the State of Ohio.

OR

2) A Partnership known as _____ consisting of the following partners _____.

OR

3) An individual _____
trading as _____
whose address is _____
City of _____.

WITNESSETH, that the parties hereto for the consideration stated, intending to be legally bound hereby, mutually agree as follows:

1. Bidder agrees to furnish Signage and Signage Installations in strict accordance with the Specifications, General Conditions and other Contract Documents attached hereto and referred to herein, all of which are made a part hereof, including, but not limited to, all conditions, instructions, requirements, and statements contained therein.

2. Provided the Specifications, General Conditions and other Contract Documents have been completely met, the School District will thereafter pay Bidder the sum of One hundred twelve thousand, nine hundred ninety-seven DOLLARS AND fifty-three cents ($112,997.53).

3. The General Conditions and the other Contract Documents (as that term is defined in the General Conditions) are hereby incorporated by reference herein as if herein stated in their entirety, and the parties hereto agree to be bound thereby, including, but not limited to, to the provision in the General Conditions allowing the School District to purchase a greater quantity than the quantity listed on the detailed Specifications if the School District elects to do so, in its sole and absolute discretion.

BIDDER Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs

_____
Signature President

_____
Signature
(SEAL)

GOVERNOR MIFFLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT

_____

Attest: _____
Secretary

NOTE: Acceptance of this proposal by the Governor Mifflin School District's Board of Directors will convert this proposal into a binding contract.

BID FORM
Governor Mifflin School District – 2026-2027
Governor Mifflin School District Signage Installations_26-27

A.

Total Bid Amount: $ 112,997.53

Written Bid Amount: One hundred twelve thousand nine hundred ninety-seven dollars and fifty-three cents

Company Name: Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs

Bidder Name: Lauren Sweet

Bidder Signature:

Bidder Telephone Number 216-503-2568

Delivery must occur on or after July 1, 2026, but no later than June 04, 2027.

B. **BID BOND**

The following bid security accompanies this bid:

Type: Bid Bond

Amount: 10% of Total Bid $11,299.75

The following indicates any discrepancies between this Bid and the School District's general Specifications such as shipping terms, minimum amount of orders, etc.

Person(s) to be contacted should clarification of any part of your bid be necessary:

Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs	216-503-2568
Name	Telephone

BIDDER'S NAME: Lauren Sweet

ADDRESS: 1925 St. Clair Ave NE, Cleveland, Ohio 44114

DATE: 11/3/2026

SIGNATURES:

BID BOND FORM

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we, Blink Marketing Inc.

(hereinafter called the "Principal"), as Principal, and Great Midwest Insurance Company a company authorized to transact business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and having its principal office at 800 Gessner, Suite 600, Houston, TX 77024 (hereinafter called the "Surety"), as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto Governor Mifflin School District (hereinafter called the "Obligee"), as Obligee, in the sum of Ten percent of bid amount Dollars ($ 10% of bid amount) lawful money of the United States of America, for payment of which we bind ourselves, and each of our respective heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, by these presents, on this 4th day of November, 20 26 .

WHEREAS, said Principal is herewith submitting to the Obligee a Proposal to perform Signage Installations Work for the Obligee's Governor Mifflin School District Signage Installations_26-27 Governor Mifflin School District, 600 Governor Drive, Shillington PA 19607
(Name of Project and Location Municipality, County and State)
pursuant to Specifications and other Contract Documents incorporated into the Obligee's Contract Documents by reference; and it is a condition of the Obligee's receipt and consideration of said Bid that such shall be accompanied by Bid Security to be held by the Obligee on terms embodied herein.

THEREFORE, the condition of this obligation is that if said Principal shall upon the Obligee's delivery to the Principal of seven (7) days notice of intention to accept the Principal's Bid and to make a formal award of Contract enter into such Contract and shall furnish insurance certificates in all respects as required by the Contract Documents, then this obligation shall be void, but otherwise it shall remain in full force. In the event of the failure to enter into such Contract or furnish such certificates of insurance within the time specified, the Principal and Surety shall pay to the Obligee the difference between the amount of the Principal's accepted Bid and any higher amount for which the Obligee may contract for the required work, as well as any advertising, legal and other expenses incurred by the Obligee by reason of the default; provided, however, that the obligations of the Surety hereunder shall not exceed the amount of this Bid Bond together with interest.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Principal and Surety, intending to be legally bound, have executed this Bid Bond the day and year aforementioned.

(Individual Principal)

_____(SEAL)
(Signature of Individual)

Witness:

Trading and doing business as:

Blink Signs

(Partnership Principal)

Witness:

(Name of Partnership)

_____ BY:_____(SEAL)

_____ BY:_____(SEAL)

(Corporation Principal)

Blink Marketing Inc.

(Name of Corporation)

ATTEST:

(Secretary)

BY: _____
(President)

(CORPORATE SEAL)

BLINK MARKETING INC CORPORATE SEAL OHIO 2007

Witness:

_____

or (if appropriate)

*BY _____
Authorized Representative

*Attach appropriate proof, dated as of the same date as the Bid Bond, evidencing authority to execute on behalf of the corporation.

(Corporation Surety)

Great Midwest Insurance Company

(Name of Corporation)

Witness or Attest:

Melody Gist
Melody Gist

(CORPORATE SEAL)

**BY: Lauren K. Burkhart
Attorney in Fact Lauren K. Burkhart

**Attach an appropriate power of attorney, dated as of the same date as the Bid Bond, evidencing the authority of the Attorney-In-Fact to act on behalf of the Corporation Surety.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Principal and Surety, intending to be legally bound, have executed this Bid Bond the day and year aforementioned.

CERTIFICATE AS TO CORPORATE PRINCIPAL

I, _____ certify that I am the _____ of the Corporation named as PRINCIPAL, in the within Bid Bond; that _____ who signed the said Bid Bond on behalf of the Principal was then _____ of said corporation; that I know the signee's signature, and the signature thereto is genuine; and that said Bid Bond is duly signed, sealed and attested for on behalf of said Corporation by authority of its governing body.

_____ (Affix Corporate Seal)
(Assistant Secretary)

POWER OF ATTORNEY

Great Midwest Insurance Company

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that **GREAT MIDWEST INSURANCE COMPANY**, a Texas Corporation, with its principal office in Houston, TX, does hereby constitute and appoint:
Michael B. Christian, Laura Scholze, Justin J. Silva, Courtney W. Judge, Lauren K. Burkhart, Melody S. Gist

its true and lawful Attorney(s)-In-Fact to make, execute, seal and deliver for, and on its behalf as surety, any and all bonds, undertakings or other writings obligatory in nature of a bond.

This authority is made under and by the authority of a resolution which was passed by the Board of Directors of **GREAT MIDWEST INSURANCE COMPANY**, on the 1st day of April, 2025 as follows:

Resolved, that the President, or any officer, be and hereby is, authorized to appoint and empower any representative of the Company or other person or persons as Attorney-In-Fact to execute on behalf of the Company any bonds, undertakings, policies, contracts of indemnity or other writings obligatory in nature of a bond not to exceed One-Hundred Million dollars ($100,000,000.00), which the Company might execute through its duly elected officers, and affix the seal of the Company thereto. Any said execution of such documents by an Attorney-In-Fact shall be as binding upon the Company as if they had been duly executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of the Company. Any Attorney-In-Fact, so appointed, may be removed in the Company's sole discretion and the authority so granted may be revoked as specified in the Power of Attorney.

Resolved, that the signature of the President and the seal of the Company may be affixed by electronic mail on any power of attorney granted, and the signature of the Secretary, and the seal of the Company may be affixed by electronic mail to any certificate of any such power and any such power or certificate bearing such electronic signature and seal shall be valid and binding on the Company. Any such power so executed and sealed and certificate so executed and sealed shall, with respect to any bond of undertaking to which it is attached, continue to be valid and binding on the Company.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, **GREAT MIDWEST INSURANCE COMPANY**, has caused this instrument to be signed by its President, and its Corporate Seal to be affixed this 8th day of April, 2025.

GREAT MIDWEST INSURANCE COMPANY

BY Mark W. Haushill
Mark W. Haushill
President

GREAT MIDWEST INSURANCE COMPANY CORPORATE SEAL TEXAS CORPORATION

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

On this 8th day of April 2025, before me, personally came Mark W. Haushill to me known, who being duly sworn, did depose and say that he is the President of **GREAT MIDWEST INSURANCE COMPANY**, the corporation described in and which executed the above instrument; that he executed said instrument on behalf of the corporation by authority of his office under the By-laws of said corporation.

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF TEXAS
CHRISTINA BISHOP
My Notary ID # 131090488
Expires April 14, 2029

BY Christina Bishop
Christina Bishop
Notary Public

CERTIFICATE

I, the undersigned, Secretary of **GREAT MIDWEST INSURANCE COMPANY**, A Texas Insurance Company, DO HEREBY CERTIFY that the original Power of Attorney of which the foregoing is a true and correct copy, is in full force and effect and has not been revoked and the resolutions as set forth are now in force.

Signed and Sealed at Houston, TX this 4 Day of November 2026.

GREAT MIDWEST INSURANCE COMPANY CORPORATE SEAL TEXAS CORPORATION

BY Patricia Ryan
Patricia Ryan
Secretary

"WARNING: Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person, files and application for insurance of claim containing any materially false information, or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto, commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.

NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT
GOVERNOR MIFFLIN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Commonwealth of ~~Pennsylvania~~ Ohio

:s.s.

County of Cuyahoga :

I state that I am Director of Bidding (Title) of Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs (Name of My Company),

the Bidder that submitted that attached Bid and that I am authorized to make this affidavit on behalf of my company, its owners, directors, and officers. I am the person responsible in my company for the price(s) and the amount of this Bid.

I state that:

(1) The price(s) and amount of this Bid have been arrived at independently and without consultation, communication or agreement by the Bidder, any of its sureties, agents, representatives, owners, employees, or parties in interest with any other contractors, bidders, potential bidders or any other sureties, agents, representatives, owners, employees or parties in interest of any other contractors, bidders or potential bidders. The price(s) quoted in the attached Bid are fair and proper and are not tainted by any collusion, conspiracy, connivance or unlawful agreement on the part of the Bidder or any of its sureties, agents, representatives, owners, employees, or parties in interest, including this affidavit.

(2) Neither the price(s) nor the amount of this Bid, and neither the approximate price(s) nor approximate amount of this Bid, have been disclosed to any other company or person who is a bidder, potential bidder or a surety, agent, representative, owner, employee or party in interest of any other contractor, bidder or potential bidder, and they will not be disclosed before opening bid.

(3) No attempt has been made or will be made to induce any company or person to refrain from bidding on this Contract, or to submit a Bid higher than this Bid, or to submit any collusive or intentionally high or non-competitive Bid or other form of complementary Bid.

(4) The Bid of my company is made in good faith and not pursuant to any agreement or discussion with, or inducement from, any bidder, potential bidder or a surety, agent, representative, owner, employee or party in interest of any other contractor, bidder or potential bidder to submit a complementary or other non-competitive Bid.

(5) Blink Marketing Inc (Name of My Company), its affiliates, subsidiaries, officers, directors, and

employees are not currently under investigation by any governmental agency and have not in the last four (4) years been convicted or found liable for any act prohibited by state of federal law in any jurisdiction, involving conspiracy or collusion with respect to bidding on any public contract, except as follows:

I state that Blink Marketing Inc understands and acknowledges that
(Name of My Company)

the above representations are material and important, and will be relied on by the Governor Mifflin School District in awarding the Contract(s) for Governor Mifflin School District Signage Project which this Bid is submitted.

I understand and my company understands that any misstatement in this affidavit is and shall be treated as fraudulent concealment from the Governor Mifflin School District of true facts relating to the submission of Bids for this Contract.

Lauren Sweet /Director of Bidding
(Name and Position in Company)

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME THIS 3 DAY OF November, 2026.

Notary Public
My Commission Expires: 10-2-2030

DARIO JUKIC
Notary Public
State of Ohio
My Comm. Expires
October 2, 2030

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT - RECEIPT OF REVISIONS/ADDENDUMS

I (We) hereby acknowledge receipt of the following revisions and/or addendums to the Specifications and other Contract Documents:

REVISION/ADDENDUM NUMBER	DATE RECEIVED
ADDENDUM 01	10/09/2026
ADDENDUM 02	10/22/2026

Bidder Blink Marketing Inc Phone 216-503-2568

BIDDER'S PAST HISTORY

List of like items and/or scopes of work supplied in the past three (3) years with Owner's name, address, phone number and contact person.

ITEM	OWNER/CONTACT PERSON	ADDRESS & PHONE #
ADA / Interior Signage	Fort Frye Local School District / Rob Lowther	510 5th St, Beverly, OH 45715 / 740-984-2497
ADA / Wayfinding Signage	Residences at West Haven / Jonathan Reinking	/2047 S 1100 West, West Haven, UT 84401 / 317-264-1833
Interior / Facility Signage	The Walsh Group LLC / Abhi Sodhani	/ US-31 & W Commerce Dr, Traverse City, MI 49685 / 312-339-4811

Supplier and subcontractors capabilities, as required aforesaid. If subcontractors are not listed, they cannot be used by the Supplier for the project.

Continental Signs, Signature Signs, Lititz Sign Co, D-Signs & Awnings, EZ Signs

Bidder Blink Marketing Inc Phone 216-503-2568

BID CERTIFICATION

BID

of

Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs

(Name of Bidder)

1925 St. Clair Ave NE, Cleveland, Ohio 44114

(Business Address of Bidder)

November 3, 2026

(Date)

Gentlemen:

This is a Bid to provide installed signage. This Bid is due at or before 3:00 p.m., local time, on Tuesday, October 27, 2026. Bids must be submitted on the Bid Form prepared by the School District.

The undersigned, having examined carefully the Contract Documents agrees to furnish:

Specified Signage Installations

Bids shall be placed in a sealed envelope plainly marked:
Governor Mifflin School District Signage Installations_26-27

1. If sent via regular first class mail, the bid envelope should be addressed to the Governor Mifflin School District, Attention: Facilities Department, 10 S. Waverly Street, Shillington, PA 19607.
2. If delivered via courier service (i.e., Federal Express, UPS, etc.) the bid envelope should be addressed to the Governor Mifflin School District, Attention: Facilities Department, 600 Governor Drive, Shillington PA 19607

Bidder Blink Marketing Inc Phone 216-503-2568

This certifies that (1) this Bid is genuine and is not a sham, collusive or fraudulent; (2) this Bid is not made in the interest of or in behalf of any other person other than the undersigned; and (3) the undersigned has not sought in any manner, by collusion or otherwise, to secure any advantage over any other Bidder.

Bidder shall circle 'yes' if the Bidder wants samples returned: YES

(INDIVIDUAL BIDDER)

_____ _____ (SEAL)
(Date) (Signature of Individual)

Witness:

_____

Trading and doing business as:

_____

Business Address _____
_____

(PARTNERSHIP BIDDER)

_____ _____
(Date) (Name of Partnership)

Witness:

_____ By _____(SEAL)
_____ By _____(SEAL)
_____ By _____ (SEAL)
_____ By _____ (SEAL)

Business Address _____
_____

Bidder _____ Phone _____

(CORPORATION BIDDER)

(Corporate Seal)

Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs
Name of Corporation

1/13/26
(Date)

By
(President, Vice-President or
Authorized Representative*)

Attest:

(Secretary, Asst. Sec.)

Business Address 1925 St. Clair Ave NE, Cleveland, Ohio 44114

*Attach appropriate proof evidencing authority to execute on behalf of the corporation.

Bidder: Blink Marketing Inc Phone: 216-503-2568

SECTION 004600 - NON-DISCRIMINATION AFFIDAVIT

Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs, hereinafter referred to as the CONTRACTOR, agrees as follows:

- The CONTRACTOR shall not discriminate against any employee, applicant for employment, independent contractor, or any other person because of race, color, religious creed, ancestry, national origin, age, or sex. The CONTRACTOR shall take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees or agents are treated, during employment, without regard to their race, color, religious creed, ancestry, national origin, age or sex. Such affirmative action shall include, but is not limited to, the following: Employment, upgrading, demotion or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training. The CONTRACTOR shall post in conspicuous places, available to all employees, agents, applicants for employment, and other persons a notice to be provided by the contracting agency setting forth the provisions of the non-discrimination clause.
- The CONTRACTOR shall, in advertisement or requests for employment placed by it or on its behalf, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religious creed, ancestry, national origin, age or sex.
- The CONTRACTOR shall send each labor union or worker's representative with which it has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice advising said labor union or workers' representative of its commitment to this non-discrimination clause. Similar notice shall be sent to every other source of recruitment regularly utilized by the CONTRACTOR.
- It shall be no defense to a finding of non-compliance with the Contract Compliance Regulation Commission or this non-discrimination clause that the CONTRACTOR had delegated some of its employment practices to any union, training program, or other source or recruitment which prevents it from meeting its obligations. However, if the evidence indicates that the CONTRACTOR was not on notice of the third-party discrimination or made a good faith effort to correct it, such factor shall be considered in mitigation in determining appropriate sanctions.
- Where the practice of a union or any training program or other source of recruitment will result in the exclusion of minority group persons, so that the CONTRACTOR will be unable to meet its obligations under the Contract Compliance Regulations issued by the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission or this non-discrimination clause, The CONTRACTOR shall then employ and fill vacancies through other non-discriminatory employment procedures.
- The CONTRACTOR shall comply with the Contract Compliance Regulations of the Pennsylvania Human Relations Commission, 16 PA Code Chapter 49 and with all state and federal laws prohibiting discrimination in hiring or employment opportunities. In the event of the CONTRACTOR's noncompliance with the non-discrimination clause of this CONTRACT, or with any such laws, this CONTRACT may, after hearing and adjudication, be terminated or suspended, in whole or in part, and the CONTRACTOR may be declared temporarily ineligible for further contracts and other such sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided by the Contract Compliance Regulations.

- CONTRACTOR shall furnish all necessary employment documents and records to, and permit access to its books, records, and accounts by the contracting agency, the Office of Administration, Bureau of Affirmative Action, and the Human Relations Commission for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with the provisions of the Contract Compliance Regulations, pursuant to 49.35 of the regulations cited above (relating to information concerning compliance by contractors). If the CONTRACTOR does not possess documents or records reflecting the necessary information requested, it shall furnish such information on reporting forms supplied by the contracting agency, the Bureau of Affirmative Action or the COMMISSION.
- The CONTRACTOR shall actively recruit minority subcontractor or subcontractors with substantial minority representation among their employees.
- The CONTRACTOR shall include the provisions of the non-discrimination clause in every subcontract, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor.
- The terms used in this non-discrimination clause shall have the same meaning as in the Contract Compliance Regulations issued by the Pennsylvania Human relations Commission, 16 PA Code Chapter 49.
- The CONTRACTOR obligations under this clause are limited to the CONTRACTOR's facilities within Pennsylvania, or, where the contract is for the purchase of goods manufactured outside of Pennsylvania, the facilities at which such goods are actually produced.

CONTRACTOR: _____ WITNESS: _____

By: Lauren Sweet

State of Ohio, County of Cuyahoga

Subscribed to and sworn to before me this 3 day of November, 2025.

Notary Public: _____

My Commission Expires: 10-2-2030

NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF OHIO

DARIO JUKIC
Notary Public
State of Ohio
My Comm. Expires
October 2, 2030

END OF SECTION 004600

SECTION 004700 - AFFIDAVIT ACCEPTING PROVISIONS OF THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION ACTS

State of Ohio

County of Cuyahoga

Lauren Sweet, being duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he/she is authorized to execute this affidavit on behalf of the below designated Contractor, that said Contractor is familiar with and has accepted the provisions of the Workmen's Compensation Act of 1915 or the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania with its supplements and amendments, including the amendments set forth in Act 44 of 1993, and that said Contractor has insured its liability thereunder, in accordance with the terms of said Act, with the following insurance company

The Vince Hrobat Insurance Agency Policy # WC 1021651006
(Insurance company)

The undersigned further acknowledges that said Contractor is aware of its obligation not to subcontract all or any part of the Work, if awarded, unless each subcontractor has presented proof of Workmen's Compensation Insurance, and that the Contractor and all subcontractors must provide proof of Workmen's Compensation Insurance to the Owner, which insurance shall be effective for the duration of the Work. In the event that the Owner shall receive notice that any such insurance has been canceled or terminated, the Owner shall issue a Stop Work Order as required by law.

Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs
(Name of Contractor)

By: _____
Signature

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 3 day of November, 20 26.

_____ Notary Public

My Commissioner Expires: 10-2-2030

DARIO JUKIC
Notary Public
State of Ohio
My Comm. Expires
October 2, 2030

END OF SECTION 004700

SECTION 005100 - AGREEMENT BY VENDOR ON INDEPENDENT CONTRACTOR TO COMPLY WITH 111 OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE

- This Agreement shall be part of the Contract between the undersigned individual or business and the Governor Mifflin School District dated 11/03/2026 for the sale or the provision of services as a vendor or independent contractor in the nature of Governor Mifflin High School and Governor Mifflin Middle School Renovation Project.
- The undersigned understands that for contracts entered into after January 1, 1986, vendors and independent contractors and their employees must comply with Section 111 of the Public School Code, which required, among other things, that A CRIMINAL HISTORY RECORD INFORMATION report must be obtained for each employee who will have direct contact with school children, showing that such employees have not been convicted of certain crimes.
- The undersigned agrees to submit a copy for the Governor Mifflin School District records of the State Police and FBI criminal history record information for all employees who will have direct contact with children, and further agrees to produce the original State Police and FBI criminal history record for review prior to the awarding of the Contract.
- It is agreed that the Governor Mifflin School District has no control over the hiring, retention, screening and assignment or employees, agents or offices of the undersigned, and further that the undersigned assumes responsibility for compliance with this law. In addition, should any official or employee of the Governor Mifflin School District be subject to any claim, proceeding, lawsuit, fine, civil penalty or other legal involvement arising from the neglect or failure of the undersigned, or its officers, agents or employees to comply with said law, then the undersigned hereby agrees to indemnify and hold harmless all such persons for all losses, including costs of counsel and all expense incident thereto.

Dated: 11/3/2026

Business Name:

Blink Marketing Inc. DBA Blink Signs

By: _____

(Proprietor, Authorized Officer or Partner)

(CORPORATE SEAL)

BLINK MARKETING INC CORPORATE SEAL OHIO 2007

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(Witness or Attest)

STATEMENT BY CONTRACTOR AND EMPLOYEES

- My name and full address are as follows:

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- My Social Security No. is as follows: _____
- I am ____ am not ____ a resident of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
- I have attached to this application an original or true and correct copy of the following document, and I certify that is pertains to me:

  _____ Pennsylvania State Police Report of Criminal History Record, dated _____

  _____ Statement from the Pennsylvania State Police that the State Police Central Repository contains no such information relating to me, dated _____.

  _____ Report of Federal Criminal History from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, dated _____.

- **I hereby certify that, within one (1) year immediately preceding the date of the above report, I have not been convicted of any of the following offenses:**

  a) An offense under one or more of the following provisions of Title 18 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statues:

Chapter 25	(Relating to Criminal Homicide)
Section 2702	(Relating to Aggravated Assault)
Section 2901	(Relating to Kidnapping)
Section 2902	(Relating to Unlawful Restraint)
Section 3121	(Relating to Rape)
Section 3122	(Relating to Statutory Rape)
Section 2123	(Relating to Involuntary Deviate Sexual Intercourse)
Section 3126	(Relating to Indecent Assault)
Section 3127	(Relating to Indecent Exposure)
Section 4303	(Relating to Concealing Death of a Child Born Out of Wedlock)
Section 4304	(Relating to Endangering Welfare of Children)
Section 4305	(Relating to Dealing in Infant Children)
Section 5902 (B)	(Relating to Prostitution and Related Offenses)
Section 5903 (C) or (D)	(Relating to obscene or other Sexual Materials)

Section 6301 (Relating to Corruption of Minors)
Section 6312 (Relating to Sexual Abuse of Children)

- An offense designated as a felony under the Act of April 14, 1972 (P.L. 233, No. 64), known as "The Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act".
- An out-of-state or Federal offense similar in nature to those crimes listed in (5a) and (5b).

Information submitted on or as part of this statement shall be accorded confidentiality as required by applicable Regulations of the Pennsylvania Department of Education.

This statement is made subject to the penalties of 18 PA C.S. 4904 relating to unsworn falsification to authorities.

11/3/2026
Date

Signature

For office use only: Original produced _____

END OF SECTION 005100

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QUANTITY ALLOWANCES: The Instructions to Bidders and the Contract Documents comprising the plans and specifications, and all documents bound therewith, together with all Addenda thereto, shall apply to all Quantity Allowances as listed in Section 012400, and as listed below: **BIDDER agrees to include in the Base Bid Price**, in addition to the Work shown on the Drawings and Specifications the following:

Quantity Allowances

QA GC.1	Type 1A/1B/1C Sign Installed (ADA Pan Restroom)	$1,228.56	8 Assemblies
QA GC.2	Type 2 Sign Installed (ADA Panel 5x3.625)	$900	10 Assemblies
QA GC.3	Type 3 Sign Installed (ADA Panel 6x6)	$960	8 Assemblies
QA GC.4	Type 4 Sign Installed (ADA Panel 6x4)	$1,470	6 Assemblies
QA GC.5	Type 5 Sign Installed (Occupancy)	$1,140	6 Assemblies
QA GC.6	Type 6 Sign Installed (Elevator)	$200	0 Assemblies
QA GC.7	Type 7 Sign Installed (Exit)	$251	0 Assemblies
QA GC.8	Type 8 Sign Installed (Stair)	$1,044	4 Assemblies
QA GC.9	Type 9 Sign Installed (Wayfinding)	$1,596	6 Assemblies
QA GC.10	Type 10 Sign Installed (Flag Mount)	$880	8 Assemblies
QA GC.11	Type 11 Sign Installed (4" Vinyl number)	$550	10 Assemblies
QA GC.12	Type 12 Sign Installed (6" Vinyl number)	$550	10 Assemblies
QA GC.13	Type 13 Sign Installed (Exterior 2'x2' Aluminum)	$600	4 Assemblies

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THE **BID FORM AND THE FOLLOWING** ATTACHMENTS SHALL BE SUBMITTED IN FULL:
Failure to include these items may result in the Bid being declared unresponsive.

- One (1) 10% Bid Bond Security
- One (1) Non-Collusion Affidavit
- One (1) Acknowledgement - Receipt of Revisions/Addendums
- One (1) Bidder's Past History
- One (1) Bid Certification
- One (1) Non-Discrimination Affidavit
- One (1) Affidavit Accepting Provisions of the Workman's Compensation Acts
- One (1) Agreement to Comply with 111 of the Public School Code
- One (1) Quantity Allowances
- One (1) Unit Prices

UNIT PRICES: The Instructions to Bidders and the Contract Documents comprising the plans and specifications, and all documents bound therewith, together with all Addenda thereto, shall apply to all Unit Prices as listed in Section 012400, and as listed below:
The Owner reserves the right to accept or reject any and all Unit Prices stipulated on the Bid Form.

UNIT PRICES

UP GC.1	Type 1A/1B/1C Sign Installed (ADA Pan Restroom)	$153.57	Per Assembly
UP GC.2	Type 2 Sign Installed (ADA Panel 5x3.625)	$90	Per Assembly
UP GC.3	Type 3 Sign Installed (ADA Panel 6x6)	$120	Per Assembly
UP GC.4	Type 4 Sign Installed (ADA Panel 6x4)	$245	Per Assembly
UP GC.5	Type 5 Sign Installed (Occupancy)	$190	Per Assembly
UP GC.6	Type 6 Sign Installed (Elevator)	$200	Per Assembly
UP GC.7	Type 7 Sign Installed (Exit)	$251	Per Assembly
UP GC.8	Type 8 Sign Installed (Stair)	$261	Per Assembly
UP GC.9	Type 9 Sign Installed (Wayfinding)	$266	Per Assembly
UP GC.10	Type 10 Sign Installed (Flag Mount)	$110	Per Assembly
UP GC.11	Type 11 Sign Installed (4" Vinyl number)	$55	Per Assembly
UP GC.12	Type 12 Sign Installed (6" Vinyl number)	$55	Per Assembly
UP GC.13	Type 13 Sign Installed (Exterior 2'x2' Aluminum)	$150	Per Assembly

*END BID PACKAGE