

# Request for Proposal/Quotation

Filter First – Installation of hydration stations to comply  
with the “Clean Drinking Water Access Act”

4/29/2025

Fremont Public Schools – Operations Department  
710 S Lake Drive  
Fremont, Michigan 49412

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Thank you for your consideration, Fremont Public Schools, Operations Department.

Please respond to [sseabolt@fremont.net](mailto:sseabolt@fremont.net) with any questions or concerns.

### **Submission Details**

#### **Submission Deadlines**

All submissions for responding to this request must be emailed to Sean Seabolt or submitted on paper and delivered to our office, as stated below, no later than:

**Friday, May 16, 2025**  
**No later than 3:30pm EDT**

#### **Submission Delivery Address**

The delivery address to be used for all submissions is:

**Sean Seabolt**  
Director of Operations  
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## **Submission Questions and Clarifications**

You may contact the following person if you have any questions or require clarification on any topics covered in this Request for Proposal:

**Sean Seabolt**

Director of Operations

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## **Background & Business Overview**

Fremont Public Schools, Operations Department, has been awarded grant funding to replace our current drinking fountains with new filtered hydration stations. Pathfinder has 6 bi-level units. The High School has 5 bi-level units as well as 4 single units. The Middle School has 7 single units. Daisy Brook has 6 single units.

We are soliciting proposals from qualified companies to replace the old drinking fountains with new filtered Hydration Stations to comply with the “Clean Drinking Water Access Act”.

Services must be started on/or around June 6, 2025 (after the conclusion of the regular school year), and finished prior to the start of school schedule, on/or around August 25, 2025.

## **Detailed Specifications**

Company shall:

- Remove and dispose of old drinking fountains
- Install new filtered hydration stations provided by Fremont Public Schools
- Supply and install stainless back plates if needed to cover holes from the existing drinking fountains
- Hook existing electrical into the new stations. If new Electrical is needed that will provided by an Electrical Contractor
- Supply and install necessary pipe and fittings to hook up to existing water supply
- Supply and install necessary pipe and fittings to hook up to existing drains
- Work with the state on all needed inspections and approvals
- Include material, mileage, and labor subject to the Davis-Bacon Act in Quote

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**Vendor selected will provide the equipment and services as listed below**

Furnish the labor, material, and services to complete all the Plumbing trades work associated with removing and disposal of drinking fountains at the following locations.

- Pathfinder - 6 bi-level filtered hydration stations
- High School – 5 bi-level filtered hydration stations and 4 single hydration stations
- Middle School – 7 single filtered hydration stations
- Daisy Brook – 6 single filtered hydration stations

Fremont Public Schools will provide the filtered hydration stations.

Stainless steel wall plates may be required to cover where the old drinking fountains depending on how the demo process goes.

**Selection Criteria**

Although cost will be an important factor in awarding the contract, Fremont Public Schools, Operations Department is not obligated by any statute or regulation, to award the contract solely on the basis of cost. Accordingly, Fremont Public Schools, Operations Department reserves the right to evaluate all proposals objectively and subjectively and to accept or reject any or all proposals or portion thereof. Additionally, Fremont Public Schools, Operations Department reserves the right to negotiate changes in services with the Company determined to have submitted the proposal that is in the best interest of the district.

**Termination Statement**

This Agreement may be terminated by Fremont Public Schools with cause upon written notice to the Company, if, at any time, in the opinion of Fremont Public Schools, the Company fails to confirm to the requirements of this Agreement.