

INTENT TO SOLE SOURCE

Service - Provider for Payment Processing

Greenville Technical College intends to sole source the procurement of a provider for Payment Gateway and Payment Processing. The provider being considered is ACI Worldwide (formerly Official Payments Corporation).

Greenville Technical College utilizes Colleague by Ellucian for the college Enterprise Resource Planning system. In 2011 when PCI/DSS (Payment Card Industry/Data Security Standards) requirements increased Ellucian made the strategic decision that no credit card data would be processed through their system, thereby removing them from any PCI/DSS requirements.

The vendor Must provide documentation of the following capabilities:

Strategic partner with Ellucian

Provide Payment Gateway

Provide the processing of card payments and electronic check payments

No user volume fee with Ellucian

Service must allow Greenville Technical College to implement a percentage convenience fee/service fee model which will meet the requirements of the credit card industry

Validated P2PE (Point to Point Encryption) process approved by the PCI/DSS Security Council.

Validated P2PE card readers to ensure the Colleague payment channel is P2PE

Must have experience with institutions of higher education

Greenville Technical College seeks any vendors who can provide a payment processing service which meets or exceeds the referenced requirements.

Inquiries or responses must be received no later than 3:00 PM on January 2, 2018. Please submit all inquiries and responses to B J Hart-Landers at BJ.Landers@gvltec.edu.

This Intent to Sole Source and any additional notices will be advertised at <http://www.gvltec.edu/purchasing>.

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