210 Tillman Hall Rock Hill, SC 29733

Notice of Intent to Award

CERRA SC Teacher Forum Conference

Date: April 10, 2025

Solicitation No. FY25-RFQ-18

The following companies submitted bids for the above RFQ:

- DoubleTree by Hilton
- SNVA LLC

We announce our intent to award to:

• DoubleTree by Hilton

The successful Bidder is advised not to begin work, purchase materials, or enter any subcontracts relating to this project until receipt of a Purchase Order (PO). Winthrop University and the State of South Carolina assume no liability for any expenses incurred prior to the effective date of the contract/purchase order.

Any actual bidder has the right to protest within ten (10) days of the date of notification of intent to award is posted in accordance with [Section 11-35- 4210]. A protest shall be in writing and be received within the time provided. Protest must be addressed to the Chief Procurement Officer, Materials Management Office in writing by email to protest-mmo@mmo.sc.gov or by delivery to 1201 Main Street, Suite 600 Columbia, SC 2901 or by phone 803.737.0639.

We appreciate your interest in doing business with Winthrop University.

Sincerely,

Krista Scherpf Procurement Specialist