Request for Proposals ("RFP")
Port of Astoria
Banking Services
Notice of Intent to Award

Proposers are hereby notified that Columbia Bank has been selected as the highest-ranked Proposer under the above-referenced RFP.

In accordance with the Terms of Conditions of the RFP, official approval of the selected Proposer is subject to Port Commission approval. Recommendation to approve the selected firm will be made at the November 17th meeting.

Also note that the awarded contract is contingent upon successful contract negotiations. The Port reserves the right to formally terminate negotiations with the selected candidate and may then negotiate with the Proposer with the next highest-ranked Proposal.

A Proposer may submit a formal written protest of this Notice of Intent to Award within seven (7) calendar days from the date of this notice. Any protest must clearly state the grounds upon which the protest is based and must demonstrate that the protesting party is an adversely affected or aggrieved bidder, as defined by applicable Oregon Revised Statutes Chapter 279B – Public Contracting – Public Procurements.

All protests must be submitted in writing to:
Melanie Howard
Finance & HR Director
Email: mhoward@portofastoria.com

Protests received after the deadline will not be considered. No contract shall be awarded or executed until the protest period has expired and any timely protests have been resolved.