

## RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS HIGHLIGHTED BELOW

1. Can you please provide the paraprofessionals base wage for SY23/24 and projected for SY24/25?

\$15.75 for 2023-24

\$16.75 projected for 2024-25

2. Utilizing the Site Data charts (ES page 20), (MS page 22), and (HS page 24) the Enrollment is listed as follows: ES 620, MS 332, and HS 424 for a total enrollment of 1376.
  - a. Does this enrollment include the early education program? No, this enrollment does not include preschool or early childhood as these students do not take part in the food service program.
  - b. Is the SFA projecting a decreased enrollment of 2.2% for the 24-25 SY based off the 23-24 average enrollment of 1,408?

We are not anticipating a decrease in enrollment. The 1,408 average enrollment number includes preschool student enrollment. These students are not currently a part of our food service program and will continue not taking part in future years.

3. Cost Responsibility Detail page 40. Trash removal. Is It the SFA's intent to have the FSMC staff remove trash from the dining areas as a new task? Currently, the removal of trash from the dining areas is a SFA staff function.

No, this was an error in the Cost Responsibility Detail matrix. SFA staff will continue to remove trash from the dining areas.

4. Page 46. Summer Feeding Program Bonding Requirements – The school has filled in 5% for the bid bond and 10% for the performance bond. The language notes that if the reimbursement value of the contract exceeds \$250,000 both the bid bond and performance bond are a requirement.
  - a. Can you confirm there is no bid or performance bond required since the reimbursement value and of the SFSP portion of the contract does not exceed \$250,000?

Reimbursement value will not exceed \$250,000, so no bid or performance bond is required for Summer Feeding Program

5. Currently FSMC collects, enters, and reconciles all food service deposits. Will this process continue with the next contract?

Current practice of FSMC collecting, entering, and reconciling all food service deposits will continue with the next contract.

6. The current High School breakfast service time is 7:55am – 9:30am. In the RFP, the breakfast service time is listed as 7:55am to 9:59am. Is it the intention of the SFA to have the High School breakfast service time extended an additional 29 minutes?

No, the intention is to run the same schedule as is currently run for High School breakfast. The end time should be 9:30am. The 9:59am listed in the RFP was an error.

7. What is the current expected location of the Head Start program based out of Trinity Lutheran? Does the SFA expect it to move to the new Elementary School Building?

The Head Start program based out of Trinity Lutheran is expected to remain at Trinity Lutheran. The SFA does not expect this program to move to the new Elementary School building.

8. If there are any delays in construction and opening of the Elementary School, what contingency plans are in place?

We fully anticipate that the construction and opening of the Elementary School will not be delayed to the point where food service operations are impacted to cause changes from the current plan. However, in the event that a delay would occur specifically to the kitchen renovation portion of the project, the contingency plan would include limited menu offerings being prepared at the High School facility and transported to the Elementary/Middle School. In the event that a delay would occur to the Elementary School project as a whole, consideration would be given to move the school start date back from the current calendar starting date. Again, we fully anticipate that we will avoid these scenarios.

9. The RFP shows SFSP in all 3 buildings: elementary, middle, and high school. What buildings will this be in for Summer 23-24 and the subsequent summers?

The RFP document requires data from each school individually. The intent was to show that this program is available to all of the students across all grade levels, not to suggest that we will be operating out of multiple buildings. The plan for the Summer 2023-24 is to operate from the High School building. For subsequent years, the current plan is to operate and serve in the new Elementary School building.