

**Specialty Services for Developing a Freight Compensation Plan
for the Kalamazoo-Dearborn High Speed Rail Corridor REQ #704
QA1 7/27/2011**

Q1. This question is to make sure we have the correct understanding.

Reading your RFP, our understanding is that we are not required to submit a priced proposal.

This understanding is obtained from the middle of Page 1 of 2 of your Request for Proposal, where it says, "For RFP's that originate in Bureau of Transportation Planning only, a priced proposal must be submitted at the same time as, but separate from, the proposal." Several lines above that statement, under "RFP SPECIFIC INFORMATION", Bureau of Transportation Planning is not checked.

Is our understanding correct?

A1. Your understanding is correct. Proposers are not required to submit a priced proposal. As part of a Best Value selection, your firm will need to complete a Bid Sheet, which was included as the final page in the RFP posting.