**Name of Proposed Contractor:** Lorri Porn

Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/6/2017

NDE Contract Number: Service Agreement

Contract Amount: $30/hr

Scope of Services: Job coach

Dates of Contract: 2/16/17-1/31/20

Public Employee or Public Official Relationship: Lorri’s sister is the VR Office Director in Norfolk, NE.

NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Vocational Rehabilitation

Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team: mark.schultz@nebraska.gov; (402/471-1202)

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**Name of Proposed Contractor:** Summer Program for Handicap Children, Inc.

Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/12/2017

NDE Contract Number: 37271

Contract Amount: $16,875.92

Scope of Services: Provide a summer enrichment program focusing on pre-employment transition services for students with disabilities, age 14-21, enrolled in high school during the 17-18 school year.

Dates of Contract: 5/1/17-7/31/17

Public Employee or Public Official Relationship:

- Teresa Halley - Teacher LIFE-LINK, NE, ESU #13
- Patti Stroud-Little - Teacher, Meridian School, ESU #13
- Jadie Beam - Director, SOAR/Staff Development, ESU #13
- Kamie Rhodes - Elementary Teacher, Mitchell Schools
- Amber Newberry - Elementary Teacher, Minatare Schools

NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Vocational Rehabilitation

Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team: mark.schultz@nebraska.gov; (402/471-1202)
**Name of Proposed Contractor:** Disability Rights Nebraska

Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/12/2017

NDE Contract Number: 37274

Contract Amount: $46,585

Scope of Services: Provide a summer enrichment program in the Lincoln area focusing on pre-employment transition services for students with disabilities, age 14-21, enrolled in high school during the 17-18 school year.

Dates of Contract: 5/8/17-8/31/17

Public Employee or Public Official Relationship:
Board members listed below:
Claude Louishomme, Professor, UNK
Pat Cottingham, Instructor, Southeast Community College

NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Vocational Rehabilitation

Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team:
mark.schultz@nebraska.gov; (402/471-1202)

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**Name of Proposed Contractor:** Disability Rights Nebraska

Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/12/2017

NDE Contract Number: 37275

Contract Amount: $11,770

Scope of Services: Provide a summer enrichment program in the Scottsbluff area focusing on pre-employment transition services for students with disabilities, age 14-21, enrolled in high school during the 17-18 school year.

Dates of Contract: 5/8/17-8/31/17

Public Employee or Public Official Relationship:
Board members listed below:
Claude Louishomme, Professor, UNK
Pat Cottingham, Instructor, Southeast Community College

NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Vocational Rehabilitation

Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team:
mark.schultz@nebraska.gov; (402/471-1202)
Name of Proposed Contractor: Nebraska Council of School Administrators

Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/18/2017

NDE Contract Number: 37281

Contract Amount: $24,000

Scope of Services: Assist NDE with 2017 Administrators’ Days.

Dates of Contract: 6/1/17-8/31/17

Public Employee or Public Official Relationship: Board members are employed by school districts as listed below.

- Mike Sieh, Superintendent, Stanton Community Schools
- Mike Apple, Superintendent, Ogallala Public Schools
- Jeff Schneider, Business Manager, Hastings Public Schools
- John Brazell, Business Manager, Beatrice Public Schools
- Mark Johnson, Principal, Bryant Elementary, Kearney
- Jim Widdlfield, Principal, Gothenburg Public Schools
- Wendy Kemling-Horner, Special Ed Supervisor, Scottsbluff Public Schools
- Missy Dobish, Special Ed Supervisor, Kearney Public Schools
- Troy Lurz, Principal, Gibbon High Schools
- Steve Adkisson, Principal, Fillmore Central Middle School
- Ryan Ricenbaw, Principal, Waverly High School
- Dr. John Skretta, Superintendent, Norris School District
- Brad Dahl, Executive Director, Fremont Public Schools
- Jason Calahan, Elementary Principal, Hershey Public Schools
- Jason Harris, Executive Director of Student Services/Special Education
  Columbus Public Schools
- Brandon Mowinkel, Secondary Principal, Milford High School
- Dave Kaslon, Assistant Superintendent, Blair Public Schools

NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Brian Halstead

Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team:
  brian.halstead@nebraska.gov; (402/471-0732)

Name of Proposed Contractor: Beth Ann Nelson

Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/19/2017

NDE Contract Number: 37283

Contract Amount: $6,000

Scope of Services: Participate in meetings and workshops to provide input into statewide testing.

Dates of Contract: 5/1/17-6/30/17

Public Employee or Public Official Relationship: Beth Ann is an Administrator at Norfolk Public Schools.

NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Assessment

Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team:
  valorie.foy@nebraska.gov; (402/471-6469)
**Name of Proposed Contractor:** Amy Trauernicht

Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/19/2017

NDE Contract Number: 37284

Contract Amount: $6,000

Scope of Services: Participate in meetings and workshops to provide input into statewide testing.

Dates of Contract: 5/1/17 - 6/30/17

Public Employee or Public Official Relationship: Amy is a Staff Developer at ESU #13.

NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Assessment

Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team: valerie.foy@nebraska.gov; (402/471-6469)

**Name of Proposed Contractor:** Kandy Wade

Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/21/2017

NDE Contract Number: 37292

Contract Amount: $20,000

Scope of Services: Provide Coaching and training services for the Step Up To Quality program.

Dates of Contract: 5/1/17 – 4/30/18

Public Employee or Public Official Relationship: Kandy is a part time para educator for Lincoln Public Schools.

NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Early Childhood

Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team: melody.hobson@nebraska.gov; (402/471-0263)

**Name of Proposed Contractor:** Caryn Zietlow

Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/24/17

NDE Contract Number: 37294

Contract Amount: $6,000

Scope of Services: Participate in meetings and workshops facilitated by NDE staff to provide input into statewide testing.

Dates of Contract: 5/1/17 – 6/30/17

Public Employee or Public Official Relationship: Caryn is a professional developer for ESU 2.

NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Assessment

Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team: Valorie.foy@nebraska.gov (402/471-2495)
**Name of Proposed Contractor:** Rebecca Dunlap-Morton

- Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/27/2017
- NDE Contract Number: 38031
- Contract Amount: $44,000
- Scope of Services: Provide Coaching and training services for the Step Up To Quality program.
- Dates of Contract: 7/1/17 – 6/30/18
- Public Employee or Public Official Relationship: Spouse is an employee of UNO.
- NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Early Childhood
- Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team: melody.hobson@nebraska.gov; (402/471-0263)

**Name of Proposed Contractor:** Saffron Buettner

- Initial Date of Posting This Public Notice: 4/27/2017
- NDE Contract Number: 38033
- Contract Amount: $47,000
- Scope of Services: Provide Coaching and training services for the Step Up To Quality program.
- Dates of Contract: 7/1/17 – 6/30/18
- Public Employee or Public Official Relationship: Spouse is an Accountant with City of Grand Island and daughter is a lab technician at UNMC.
- NDE Team Responsible for the Contract: Early Childhood
- Email address and phone number for contacting responsible team: melody.hobson@nebraska.gov; (402/471-0263)