

March 9, 2012

Title:

SOLE SOURCE: Grant Proposal Specified External Evaluator: Linda Braun

REQUIREMENTS/SPECIFICATIONS:

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Pursuant to OAR 580-062-0020(8) the Portland State University Office of Purchasing and Contracting has determined that Linda Braun is a sole source provider for the External Evaluator custom services required as she was specifically named as the External Evaluator in a Federally funded grant proposal titled "Tutor-Facilitated Digital Literacy Acquisition in Hard-To-Serve Populations".

Linda Braun was accepted as an inherent component of the grant project because of her expertise in library technology which ties directly to the work on this current Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) grant project. Linda has previous experience in evaluating grant projects and Linda served as one the External Evaluators on the most recently ended IMLS grant project at Portland State under the direction of Dr. Stephen Reder.

An entity may protest this determination in accordance with OAR 580-061-0145 no later than March 16, 2012, 5:00 P.M. PDT. Protests must be submitted to the Purchasing and Contracting Office, 1818 SW Fifth Avenue, Room 465, University Center Building (UCB), Portland, OR 97201.

For further information, please contact Bill Terry at 503.725.9869, or wterry@pdx.edu.