TAMPA-HILLSBOROUGH EXPRESSWAY AUTHORITY REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS L-01719 BOND COUNSEL SERVICES

Tampa-Hillsborough County Expressway Authority (THEA) is soliciting Request for Qualifications (RFQ) from firms qualified and interested in providing bond counsel services on all legal matters in connection with financing, refinancing, refunding and other services related to the ongoing management of the Authority's debt.

The complete Instructions and Submittal Documents are available through the DemandStar System (www.demandstar.com) or through an email request to <u>Man.Le@tampa-xway.com</u>. FIRMS THAT OBTAIN THE INSTRUCTIONS AND SUBMITTAL DOCUMENTS FROM SOURCES OTHER THAN DEMANDSTAR OR THEA ARE CAUTIONED THAT THE DOCUMENTS MAY BE INCOMPLETE.

Interested firms shall submit a completed response to the Authority, 1104 East Twiggs Street, Suite 300, 3rd Floor, Tampa, Florida 33602. Responses are due by **October 17**, **2019, by 2:00 p.m**. at which time all proposals received will be publicly opened. Firms failing to submit the required documents as outlined within the RFQ Instructions and Submittal Documents may be deemed non-responsive. THEA strongly encourages the solicitation and utilization of SBE firms and requires nondiscrimination on the basis of race, color, sex and national origin in its contracting practices.

Questions concerning this RFQ shall be directed by email to Man Le, THEA Procurement Manager at <u>Man.Le@tampa-xway.com</u>.