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NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD

Release Date: January 22, 2026, at 2 PM

The California Arts Council (CAC) intends to award Californians for the Arts for the RFP-25-005 Event Producer.

This Notification of Intent to Award (NOITA) should not be considered a binding commitment by the State of California.

Bidders can submit a formal and detailed written statement of Notice of Intent to Protest (NOITP) (including the RFP #, the name of the State Agency involved and agency contract person) within five (5) calendar days from the date of the NOITA. Written protest must be sent to the following:

- (1) Department of General Services, Office of Legal Services (OLS)
Attention: Proposal Protest Coordinator
707 Third Street, 7th Floor, Suite 7-330
West Sacramento, CA 95605
Proposal Protest Coordinator's Email Address: OLSProtests@dgs.ca.gov

Bidders can submit their complete and detailed written statement by certified or registered mail. Any protest must be received within five (5) calendar days from the date of Notice of Intent to Award.

- (2) A copy of the detailed written statement of protest must also be emailed to Procurement@arts.ca.gov.

If no NOITP is received within five (5) calendar days of this posting, CAC will give at least five (5) business days between the NOITA release date and the actual award date.

Thank you for your continued interest in responding to the needs of the State of California.

Sincerely,

Sylmia Britt
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