

RFP 2024-01 – Questions and Answers II

See the following questions as posed by prospective Integrators.
The comments in **Red** are the Port of Port Arthur's responses.

1. Is there any preference for the Cloud Server OR Cloud Services? **MS Dynamics 365 Business Central is a fully online hosted service, and is already live.**
2. Is the Government Cloud services mandatory OR any cloud services should suffice? **MS Dynamics 365 Business Central is a fully online hosted service, and Government cloud is not required. The instance is already live.**
3. What are the total number of users expected? **For this phase of the project – 4-6. These have already been procured through a preferred CSP.**
4. How many users are expected for Grants Management? **4**
5. What is the allocated budget for the RFP? **No budget has been established at this time**
6. Is the Agency Open for other solutions than Microsoft Dynamics 365 Business Central? **No**
7. Can you clarify your needs regarding the customer portal and vendor portal? **The Port seeks to implement online portals for both vendors and customers to share information, i.e. invoices, remittance advices, etc.**
8. Is this critical for phase 1 August go-live or a future state functionality? **August 1 is the beginning of the Port's fiscal year and would be our ideal go-live date for the accounting functions.**