



June 2, 2017

Mr. David Beaty  
Coordinator of Student Affairs & School Safety  
335 Four Mile Road  
Conway, SC 29526

Mr. Beaty,

Please accept this letter as a formal proposal for 18-Armed Security Officers for the Horry County School District. U.S. Security Associates will provide Armed Officers as noted in Invitation For Bids (#1415-50 March 2015), the service discussed on Page 17.

*C. Armed Security Officers*

*i. All security officers authorized by Horry County Schools to execute their duties while armed shall be certified, or otherwise qualified, as provided by South Carolina law and/or SLED.*

*11. The contractor is responsible for ensuring that armed security officers have the appropriate level of proficiency regarding the use of firearms as well as properly trained in all aspects of firearm safety.*

*ii. If different than a campus based security officer, the contracted rate shall be defined in hourly terms.*

U.S. Security Associates complies 100% with the rules set forth by SLED for armed security officers. All armed officers will receive the necessary training set forth by SLED and receive an additional 16 hours of U.S. Security Training.

Based upon 180 days of school, 8 hours per day with 18 officers U.S. Security Associates would invoice the Horry County School District \$536,544. This number equates to an hourly bill rate of \$20.70.

Your request for a second option based upon 8.5 hours per day with 18 officers U.S. Security Associates would invoice the Horry County School District \$550,057. This number would include officers working over 40 hours to be paid 1.5 times their regular salary. The hourly bill rate would equate to \$21.22.

In the name of U.S. Security Associates, I want to thank you for the opportunity to provide this quote. Should you have any questions please feel free to contact me.

Regards,

Ed Leitgeb  
District Manager  
Myrtle Beach