Notice is hereby given that proposals will be accepted by Hartnell Community College District for <u>Festo</u> Didactic/ LabVolt Training Equipment – Alisal Campus.

Submit proposal electronically to:
Clint Cowden, Dean of Career Technical Training and Workforce Development

Email: <a href="mailto:ccowden@hartnell.edu">ccowden@hartnell.edu</a>
Telephone: (831) 755-6960
1752 E Alisal Street
Salinas, CA 93905

Hartnell Community College District reserves the right to reject late proposals, any and all proposals, or waive any irregularities or informalities during the Request for Proposal process. No proposal may be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days after the closing date for submission.

#### I. TIMELINE

RFPAvailable	Wednesday, March 15, 20
Conference (foQ&A) and zoom availability as well (options	Wednesday, March 22, 20
Deadlinefor Submitting Response to	

#### III. BACKGROUND

The Hartnell CCD serves over 17,000 students annually through its main campus in Salinas, the Alisal Campus in East Salinas, the King City Education Center, and various outreach learning centers throughout the Salinas Valley. Hartnell College, a Hispanic Serving Institution, provides associate degree and certificate programs, workforce training, courses in basic skills, and prepares students for transfer to four-year colleges and universities. Hartnell College is recognized for its innovative public and private partnerships that support world-class education for STEM, career technical education, fine and performing arts, humanities/social sciences, nursing/healthcare, and athletics. We are proud to be the winners of the 2015 Innovation Award for CSin3 – a Computer Science bachelor's degree in three years.

In 2021, Hartnell College initiated a request for proposals for Industry 4.0 training equipment to develop a modern mechatronics pathway consistent with the needs of our local industry. Festo Didactic/ LabVolt was selected based on relevancy to production equipment, student accessibility, and participation in third-party certification through the National Coalition of Certification Centers (NC3).

Hartnell College has funds to expand our training capabilities in our agricultural mechatronics courses.

The District's Vision and Mission Statements are as follows:

#### Vision

Hartnell College students will be prepared to contribute as leaders to the intellectual, social, cultural, and economic vitality of our communities and the world.

#### Mission

Focusing on the education and workforce development needs of communities in the Salinas Valley, Hartnell College strengthens communities by providing opportunities for students to reach career

# IV. DESCRIPTION

Hartnell Community College District (District), commonly called Hartnell College, is issuing this (RFP) Request for Proposal to mechatronics training

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VI. SUBMISSION OF PROPOS	SAL
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This Request for Proposal does not commit the District to award a contract or to pay any costs incurred in the preparation of a proposal in response to this Request.

# XIV. DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSION OF PROPOSALS

To be considered, proposal must be received March 29, 2023 at 5:00 PM Pacific Time. Late proposal will not be considered. The District highly encourages <u>early</u> submission of proposal.

Proposer shall submit one electronic version of the proposal including any supporting documentation addressed as follows:

Clint Cowden, Dean of Career Technical Training and Workforce Development

Email: ccowden@hartnell.edu

The subject line must clearly state: "Proposal Attached – <u>Festo Didactic/ LabVolt Training Equipment – Alisal Campus"</u>

# ATTACHMENT A

# NON-COLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

# TO BE EXECUTED BY FIRM AND SUBMITTED WITH PROPOSAL

# STATE OF CALIFORNIA

	COUNTY OF MONTEREY
	(printed name), being first duly sworn, state that I am the (title) of m Name), the party submitting the foregoing response.
In co	onnection with the response, the undersigned declares, states, and certifies that:
1.	The response is not made in the interest of, or on behalf of, any disclosed person, partnership, company, association, organization, or corporation.
2.	The response is genuine and not collusive or sham.
3.	