

**RFP2019-22 LEGAL SERVICES-ASSISTANT MUNICIPAL PROSECUTOR FOR THE  
CITY OF TRENTON, DEPARTMENT OF LAW PROPOSAL OPENED 4/11/19 AT  
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NUMBER OF RESPONDENTS:	6					
NAME OF BIDDER	BERTHA L. SCOTT, ESQ.	ROBERT H. YOSTEMBSKI, ESQ.	CYNTHIA LOCCARDO, ESQ.	LYLE P. HOUGH JR., ATTORNEY AT LAW	LENORE HANNAH	THE PENNINGTON GROUP
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CITY, STATE, ZIP	TRENTON, NJ 08618	TRENTON, NJ 08618-3321	HAMILTON, NJ 08610	YARDLEY, PA 19067	NEW HOPE, PA 18938	SOUTH ORANGE, NJ 07079
CONTACT NAME	BERTHA L. SCOTT, ESQ.	ROBERT H. YOSTEMBSKI, ESQ.	CYNTHIA LICCARDO	LYLE HOUGH	LENORE HANNAH	JAMES A. LEWIS, ESQ.
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STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP DISCLOSURE	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
REQUIRED EVIDENCE EEO/AFFIRMATIVE ACTION REGULATIONS QUESTIONAIRE	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF ADDENDA	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY LANGUAGE	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
NJ BUSINESS REGISTRATION CERTIFICATE	INCLUDED	REQUIRED FROM AWARDED VENDOR PRIOR TO AWARD	REQUIRED FROM AWARDED VENDOR PRIOR TO AWARD	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
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EIC	CERT.#54610 EXP. 05/15/2022	REQUIRED FROM AWARDED VENDOR PRIOR TO AWARD	REQUIRED FROM AWARDED VENDOR PRIOR TO AWARD	CERT.#47023 EXP. 07/15/2025	CERT.#51561 EXP.09/15/2020	CERT.#40188 EXP. 02/15/2024
CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE	REQUIRED FROM AWARDED VENDOR PRIOR TO AWARD	REQUIRED FROM AWARDED VENDOR PRIOR TO AWARD	REQUIRED FROM AWARDED VENDOR PRIOR TO AWARD	REQUIRED FROM AWARDED VENDOR PRIOR TO AWARD	REQUIRED FROM AWARDED VENDOR PRIOR TO AWARD	REQUIRED FROM AWARDED VENDOR PRIOR TO AWARD
CITY OF TRENTON RESIDENT EMPLOYMENT POLICY	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
60-DAY EXTENSION COMPLIANCE	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
WILLING TO PROVIDE PRIORITY EMERGENCY SERVICES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
REFERENCES	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
W-9	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	INCLUDED	N/A	INCLUDED	INCLUDED
HOURLY RATE	\$215.00 PER HOUR	\$215.00 PER HOUR	\$215.00 PER HOUR	\$215.00 PER HOUR	\$225.00 PER HOUR	\$450.00 TO \$500.00 PER HOUR

LAW OFFICES  
OF  
**Bertha L. Scott**  
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April 9, 2019

***Hand Delivered***

Isabel C. Garcia, QPA  
Purchasing Agent  
Division of Purchasing  
319 East State Street  
Trenton, NJ 8608

Re: Request for Proposals: Legal Services  
Assistant Municipal Prosecutor  
RFP - 2019-22

Dear Sirs;

Kindly accept this as my statement of qualifications regarding the above captioned Request for Proposals. Specifically regarding the stated criteria, please be advised as follows:

- a. See the attached resume of Bertha L. Scott, Esq.;
- b. Proposed compensation per court session at market rate of not less than \$215;
- c. See the attached resume of Bertha L. Scott, Esq.;
- d. See the attached resume of Bertha L. Scott, Esq.; and
- e. See the attached resume of Bertha L. Scott, Esq.

Enclosed please find copies of the New Jersey Business Registration Certificate and Certificate of Employee Information Report issued to Bertha L. Scott, Esq.

Thank you in advance for your consideration in this regard. Please contact me in the event of questions.

Very truly yours,

  
**BERTHA L. SCOTT, ESQ.**

/em  
attachments

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ASSISTANT MUNICIPAL PROSECUTOR  
COMPENSATION PROPOSAL

ALL SESSIONS:

REGULAR/DWI PRETRIAL/DWI TRIAL  
\$215/SESSION

Robert H. Yostemasko  
ROBERT H. YOSTEMASKI  
4/8/19

ORIGINAL

BID FOR ASSISTANT MUNICIPAL PROSECUTOR RFP2019-22

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My bid for RFP2019-22 Assistant Municipal Prosecutor is \$215.00

*Cynthia Liccardo*

Cynthia Liccardo, Esquire

ORIGINAL

City of Trenton Municipal Court Prosecutor Proposal - RFP 2019-22

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I propose to continue to serve as Assistant Municipal Prosecutor for the City of Trenton for the year beginning July 1, 2019.

I am available to cover all court session, as needed by the Chief Prosecutor.

I propose to work at the current rate of \$215 per court session.

Lyle P. Hough, Jr.

April 5, 2019

Lyle P. Hough, Jr.

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April 8, 2019

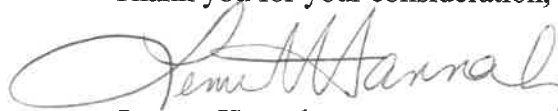
Dear Ms. Garcia,

As per your request I am enclosing my price proposal:

Compensation Proposal- I believe fair and reasonable compensation for prosecuting in Trenton Municipal Court is \$225 per session.

Should you have any questions or concerns please contact me at 609 315 5454.

Thank you for your consideration,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lenore Hannah".

Lenore Hannah

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Scott Pennington, Esq. | Partner  
Scott@theplglaw.com



James A. Lewis, V, Esq.\* | Partner  
JLewis@theplglaw.com  
\*Licensed to Practice in NJ & NY

The principal and every attorney associated with Respondent is duly licensed to practice in the state and federal courts of New Jersey. Further, neither the firm nor any individuals assigned to this engagement are disbarred, suspended, or otherwise prohibited from professional practice by any federal, state or local agency.

Respondent has no immediate relatives employed by the City of Trenton.

**C. Qualifications and Relevant Experience**

**1. Professional qualifications:**

a. James A. Lewis, V was admitted to practice law in the states of New Jersey and New York in 2010 and 2013 after graduating from Hofstra Law School in 2010. Mr. Lewis also is admitted to practice before the District of New Jersey, the Third Circuit and the United States Supreme Court.

Scott Pennington was admitted to practice law in New Jersey in 2001 after graduating from Rutgers School of Law – Newark in 1999. Scott Pennington also is admitted to practice before the District of New Jersey.

b. The rates for attorneys associated with Pennington Law Group is discounted for municipal and government clients. Attorneys associated with the firm agree to bill at a blended hourly rate consistent with the current practices of the Township. Pennington Law Group expects to be paid within 30 days of submitting its invoice for services. For non-government clients, James A. Lewis, V bills at an hourly rate of \$450.00 - \$500.00, and the associates of the firm are billed at an hourly rate of \$250.00-\$350.00.

**2. Experience:**

Scott Pennington, most recently, was a partner with Weiner Law Group before bringing his considerable talent and skill to the Pennington Law Group. Scott Pennington specializes in Education Law, including compliance with affirmative action requirements, and other statutory mandates. In addition, Mr. Pennington regularly appears in court on complex municipal court matters, and criminal law matters.

James Lewis, who clerked on both the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey for the Honorable Michael Shipp and on the Superior Court of New Jersey for the Honorable Marquis Jones, specializes in commercial litigation defense, civil rights and employment matters. Prior to joining the Pennington Law Group, Mr. Lewis worked at a New Jersey Law Firm specializing in the prosecution of foreclosure actions.





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