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GOVERNING BOARD FOR THE TOWNS OF HAWTHORNE, WALKER LAKE, LUNING AND MINA LIQUOR BOARD AND GAMING BOARD COUNTY HIGHWAY COMMISSION REGIONAL TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

October 3, 2024

Solicitation for Professional Services - Public Defender Attorney

Mineral County is seeking to contract with an attorney to provide Public Defender Services. The selected contractor will serve as one of two public defenders, representing indigent defendants in assigned by the court on a rotating basis.

Scope of Services

The attorney will be responsible for providing legal representation to indigent adult defendants and juvenile offenders, ensuring the protection of their rights through all stages of litigation. This includes but is not limited to, meeting with clients, conducting legal research, preparing and filing legal documents, and representing clients in court.

Compensation

• Rate of Pay: \$200 per hour (including travel time)

Application Process

Interested candidates are invited to apply by emailing the following documents to Hillary Womack at comptroller@mineralcountynv.org:

- Letter of Interest
- Resume
- Qualification letter from the Department of Indigent Defense Services (DIDS) or explanation that approval from DIDS will be sought.

Preferred Qualifications

Candidates qualified to handle high level category A and B cases are preferred; however, all qualified candidates will be considered.

Application Deadline

This contract opportunity will remain open until filled. Responsive applicants will be submitted to the Board of Mineral County Commissioners for consideration. Applicants will be notified of any consideration before the Board, including the date and time.

Contact Information

For questions or further information, please contact Hillary Womack at:

• **Phone:** 775-945-0706

• Email: comptroller@mineralcountynv.org

Thank you for your interest in serving the Mineral County community.