

Banking Services RFP

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- 1. **Question submitted**: Can we obtain a Vendor List with Spend amounts? **Response from Golden LEAF:** Golden LEAF does not currently use this process.
- 2. **Question submitted**: What are the spend amounts for paying vendors? **Response from Golden LEAF:** Golden LEAF does not currently use this process.
- 3. **Question submitted**: What are the spend amounts for travel cards? **Response from Golden LEAF:** Varying levels from \$5k to \$12k.
- 4. **Question submitted**: How many travelers do you have? **Response from Golden LEAF:** We have 5 cards.
- 5. **Question submitted**: What accounting software are you using? **Response from Golden LEAF:** Quickbooks
- Question submitted: Are you using third party software for an expense management tool such as Concur?
 Response from Golden LEAF: No
- 7. **Question submitted**: What is your process for paying vendors now? **Response from Golden LEAF:** Invoices through Quickbooks and NACHA file software for batch upload to bank.
- 8. **Question submitted**: What kind of rebate are you receiving now with your card program? **Response from Golden LEAF:** 1 point for every dollar spent usually redeemed for 1% cashback.
- 9. **Question submitted**: Average incoming and outgoing wire number per month? **Response from Golden LEAF:** 3 incoming wires and less than 1 outgoing wire.
- 10. **Question submitted**: Do you have the need to send wires in foreign currency? **Response from Golden LEAF:** No, we do not have a need to send wires in foreign currency.
- 11. **Question submitted**: ACH Origination Do you upload a file for processing? **Response from Golden LEAF:** Yes, we upload a file for processing. Typically, one file per week.
- 12. **Question submitted**: Please provide a copy of the domestic stock fund statement or let us know which funds specifically would be securing the line of credit?

Response from Golden LEAF: We currently utilize a separately managed account of large cap equities (e.g., S&P 500 companies) custodied at our custodian bank. There would be a tri-party agreement.

13. **Question submitted**: Please provide more clarification around the accordion for the line of credit? What would the total maximum commitment amount be? Are you looking for us to propose a \$25MM to \$50MM line of credit?

Response from Golden LEAF: For standardization purposes, we are seeking proposals for a \$25 million facility amount. We would also like an ability to draw down an additional \$25 million as an accordion feature. So, a maximum of \$50 million, if the line of credit and accordion feature were fully utilized.

- 14. **Question submitted**: For the card program, what is the limit you are expecting? **Response from Golden LEAF:** Our total current credit card limit is \$50k.
- 15. **Question submitted**: Who do you currently utilize for your ERP system? **Response from Golden LEAF:** None
- 16. Question submitted: Are the balances and volumes referenced in the RFP related to the existing relationship at the grant account or the combined grant and operating accounts? Response from Golden LEAF: The balances and volumes are an average of both deposit accounts.
- 17. Question submitted: Does Golden LEAF have the ability to leverage bank sweep solutions where the investments will reside on the bank's balance sheet? Response from Golden LEAF: We do not anticipate utilizing bank sweep solutions where the investments will reside on the bank's balance sheet.
- 18. **Question submitted**: Can the operating account be linked with the grant account to maximize working cash capital and return?

Response from Golden LEAF: There are no requirements for Golden LEAF to keep our current account structure.

19. **Question submitted**: In regards to ACH debit origination, what is an average total amount in dollars of daily batches?

Response from Golden LEAF: We process weekly batches that fluctuate greatly from week to week and depending on whether they are operational or grant disbursements. \$400-500k a week would be an approximate average of both.