



## COMPETITIVE BIDDING NOTICE

### Request for Proposals (RFP) for Spray Dryer Re-Issue

Primary Products Ingredients Americas LLC (Primient) and Synonym Inc. (Synonym) are partnering to revitalize an idle demonstration-scale fermentation asset in Decatur, Illinois (the Project is called "iPROOF").

iPROOF, supported by funding from the U.S. Economic Development Administration (EDA) under Award Number ED25HDQ0G0005, is soliciting proposals for a spray dryer.

Qualified firms are invited to submit proposals in accordance with 2 CFR 200 procurement standards and EDA requirements. The awarded contract will support with this equipment iPROOF's facility.

#### **Proposal Schedule**

<b><u>Task</u></b>	<b><u>Date</u></b>
<b>Request for Proposals (RFP) Re-Issued:</b>	<b>10 November 2025</b>
<b>Bid Meeting:</b>	<b>Week of November 10th</b>
<b>Final Questions Submitted:</b>	<b>19 November 2025</b>
<b>Extended Bid due Date:</b>	<b>24 November 2025</b>

Interested firms should refer to the official RFP document, which will be made available upon request. For more information on proposal submission, eligibility, and project details, please contact [iproof.procurement@primient.com](mailto:iproof.procurement@primient.com).

This project is subject to all EDA grant compliance requirements, including procurement standards outlined in 2 CFR 200. iPROOF is committed to fair and open competition and encourages participation from small and disadvantaged businesses.