



**2018**

**LANYARD PARTNER  
Request for Proposal**

**Power**

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**Teamwork**

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**Strength**

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**History**

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**The Strongest  
Team in America**

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**USA WEIGHTLIFTING**

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**PURPOSE:** The following information is intended to provide qualified, interested parties' information which will enable the company to respond with a detailed proposal to provide a lanyard partner for all 8 National Championships.

## **1. Introduction & Background**

USA Weightlifting is searching for a Printing Partner and is accepting proposals in response to this Request for Proposal to find a qualified source to make our lanyards for our events. Our goal is to:

1. Affordability
2. Quality
3. Response time

The objective of this Request for Proposal is to locate a source that will provide the best overall value to USA Weightlifting.

## **2. Submission Guidelines & Requirements**

The following submission guidelines & requirements apply to this Request for Proposal:

1. Proposal must be received by 4:00 PM on November 6, 2017 to be considered.
2. Proposals must remain valid for a period of 45 days.
3. USA Weightlifting anticipates selecting a company by November 17, 2017.

## **3. Partnership Scope**

The scope of the sponsorship entails:

### **1. 2018 Lanyard Partner**

- a. Provide projected costs for lanyards
  - i. 7/8 inch
  - ii. J hook
  - iii. Polyester
  - iv. Avg order 6,000 pieces



## **4. RFP Timelines**

The Request for Proposal timeline is as follows:

Request for Proposal Issuance	October 6, 2017
RFP Submission deadline	November 6, 2017
Contract Award	November 17, 2017

Anticipated start date of partnership is January 2018.

**Address questions and final proposal to:**

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