

**Title 7—DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**  
**Division 10—Missouri Highways and Transportation Commission**  
**Chapter 24—Design-Build Project Contracts**

**7 CSR 10-24.210 Process to Review, Rate and Score Proposals**

*PURPOSE: This rule describes the process used to rate and score proposals.*

(1) Technical and price proposals will normally be reviewed independently by separate evaluation teams. However, there may be occasions where the same evaluators needed to review the technical proposals are also needed in the review of the price proposals. This may occur where a limited amount of technical expertise is available to review proposals. Price information may be provided to such evaluators in accordance with this chapter and the provisions of the Request for Proposal (RFP).

(2) Proposal evaluation is an assessment of the proposer's proposal and ability to perform the prospective contract successfully. The commission will evaluate proposals solely on the factors and subfactors specified in the solicitation.

(3) The commission may conduct evaluations using any rating method or combination of methods including color or adjectival ratings, numerical weights, and ordinal rankings. The relative strengths, deficiencies, significant weaknesses, and risks supporting proposal evaluation ~~must~~will be documented in the contract file.

*AUTHORITY: sections 226.020, RSMo 2000 and 226.030 and 227.107, RSMo Supp. 2004.\*  
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*\*Original authority: 226.020, RSMo 1939; 226.030, RSMo 1939, amended 1965, 2003, 2004;  
and 227.107, RSMo 2002.*