Youth 360 Evaluation RFP Responses to Questions

1. Under the Workplan section of the RFP it says, "This project is anticipated to start on or before June 1st and continue for approximately a year's time pending budget." Should the timeline and activities start when the contract is signed?

The project is anticipated to start on or before January 13th, 2025.

2. Does the project require developing the Evaluation plan from scratch or is there a draft plan already?

There is not a draft plan. There is a previous evaluation plan that aligned with the former strategic plan. The strategic plan was refreshed approximately one year ago. The selected contractor will be able to reference the previous evaluation plan.

- 2. Is there a survey done annually with youth similar to that done in the Icelandic Prevention Model?
 - a. If so, is that with all youth in Mat-Su or just the youth involved in Youth 360 programming?

Yes, there is an annual survey of youth involved in both Y360 sites. The survey instrument is a combination of selected questions from the YRBS and MSBSD Climate and Connectedness Survey and includes questions specific to Y360 programming. It would not be the responsibility of this contractor to conduct the survey.

b. If not, is that a desired part of this evaluation in order to implement the Icelandic Prevention Model with fidelity?

See above.

c. Am I correct in assuming that there are no plans for MSB to participate in YRBS in the future?

While MSHF advocates for participation in the YRBS, it is not guaranteed that there will be local data available.

3. Is there currently an annual parent survey done?

There is not currently an annual parent survey.