**REQUESTS FOR APPLICATIONS**

The Partnership for Children of the Foothills is accepting applications for activities to further the Partnership’s goal to “impact the success of young children by strengthening families, advancing the early education system, and engaging communities.”

All programs unless otherwise stated should be for children birth to 5 years of age and their families. The types of services we are seeking include:

Child Care Related:

* A Child Care Quality Support Program (Polk and Rutherford Counties)

Family Support Related:

* A Resource Library (Rutherford)

Interested agencies/contractors should request a bidder’s packet by emailing [barry@pfcfoothills.org](mailto:barry@pfcfoothills.org). Funding is subject to approval by the Partnership for Children of the Foothills Board of Directors and the North Carolina Partnership for Children, Inc. and is subject to availability of funds and successful performance of the awarded contractor. Applications MUST BE received no later than 5:00 pm on

October 11, 2023 and may be emailed to barry@pfcfoothills.org. Applicants should anticipate an activity start date of November 1, 2023. Awarded bids will be for a three-year term.