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### Solicitation Addendum

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Addendum Date:
Procurement Contact:

2 ITN No. 22-R078729JE Water Taxi Services March 18, 2022 Jacob Erickson, Purchasing Official

ITN No. 22-R078729JE is amended as set forth herein. Responses to questions posed by prospective bidders are provided below. This Addendum is hereby incorporated in and made a part of ITN No. 22-R078729JE.

<u>The deadline to submit all inquiries concerning interpretation, clarification or additional information pertaining to this ITN No. 22-R078729JE was March 17, 2022. No additional clarification requests received after March 17, 2022 will be addressed.</u>

### **QUESTIONS AND RESPONSES:**

- Q1. Are bid and performance bonds required for submission from proposers and successful bidders?
- R1. No.
- Q2. Please clarify if Forms 3 & 4 should be submitted under Tab 2 or Tab 3.
- R2. Tab 3.
- Q3. Will the participation of Minority-owned, Woman-owned or Veteran-owned companies have an impact on the eligibility or evaluation of proposer?
- R3. This is at the determination of the Evaluation Committee.
- Q4. Can the County clarify what its goals or preferences are for goods or services provided by Minority-owned, Woman-owned, or Veteran-owned companies?
- R4. Refer to A.25 of the ITN document.
- Q5. Can the County provide an inventory of equipment that it would make available to the selected bidder?
- R5. This shall be negotiated with the selected Proposer.

# **Q6.** Please specify any / all requirements or guidance regarding the following:

- a. The number of vessels required or preferred by the County;
- b. The estimated ridership of the water taxi services; and
- c. The budget for operating and managing the water taxi service.
- R6. a. This is at the discretion of the Proposer and shall be outlined in their service plan.
  - b. The County does not have this information available as it is a first-time endeavor for the County.
  - c. This shall be negotiated with the selected Proposer.

# Q7. If awarded, will the operator have the right to select a reservation system?

R7. Yes.

## NOTE:

Deleted items will be struck through, added or modified items will be <u>underlined</u>. All other terms and conditions remain as stated in the ITN No. 22-R078729JE.

### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

Receipt of this Addendum must be acknowledged as instructed in the solicitation document. Failure to acknowledge receipt of this Addendum may result in the response being deemed non-responsive.

## END OF ADDENDUM

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