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Solicitation Addendum

Addendum No.:	1
Solicitation No.:	21-R076431BB
Solicitation Title:	Traffic Signal and Intelligent Transportation Systems
	Maintenance
Addendum Date:	April 14, 2021
Procurement Contact:	Brooke Baker, CPPB, Procurement Team Leader

IFB No. 21-R076431BB 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 IFB No. 21-R076431BB.

The deadline to submit all inquiries concerning interpretation, clarification or additional information pertaining to this IFB was April 9, 2021.

ADD:

EXHIBIT 2, MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

2.10 Bidder must be registered with the State of Florida, Division of Corporations to do business in Florida.

No documentation is required. The County will verify registration.

QUESTIONS AND RESPONSES:

- Q1. Can you please clarify if there will be a pre-bid meeting for IFB No. 21-R076431BB, mandatory or otherwise? The IFB packet and solicitation listing are silent on the matter. Onvia/GovWin states that there is a mandatory meeting on 3/26/2021 at 9:00 am.
- R1. Refer to the IFB, Page 1, Solicitation Information Conference, that was posted on the Procurement webpage of the County's website and Periscope S2G on March 22, 2021.
- Q2. My company is looking into responding to a recent bid posting (Bid #21-R076431BB, Traffic Signal and Intelligent Transportation Systems Maintenance).

We've recently expanded operations into Florida and now have one employee in Bradenton and another in Davenport. We pay rent for the employee in Bradenton for an apartment, and he has been there since November. We also have some inventory at his condo. We haven't had a need for much more than that as we are in the sales and service of transportation and parking systems, so most of his work is field work. We do have a distributor as well in Fort Pierce, FL called Universal Signs and Accessories who does a fair amount of business with Manatee County and surrounding areas, and you will find many TAPCO systems throughout the region. Would you be able to tell me if, based on the information above, we would qualify for us to send in the below affidavit under sections B and C? If so, what would be the timing on receiving this certification through Manatee County? The aforementioned bid is due by April 23rd.

R2. For local preference qualifications, refer to the IFB; Section A, Instructions to Bidders; A.20, Local Preference. The local preference approval process begins upon the bid opening date/time and is completed before award of the IFB.

Q3. Will you allow a vendor to submit partial pricing for select line items on the Attachment G, Pricing Form, or do we have to submit on all line items?

R3. Partial pricing for individual Line Items is not permitted. Bidders shall bid each Line Item listed in Attachment G in its entirety; bidder's failure to bid each Line Item listed in Attachment G in its entirety may result in the bidder's response being deemed non-responsive. It is the County's intent to award the IFB to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder that bids on all Line Items listed in Attachment G; bidder's failure to bid on all Line Items listed in Attachment G may result in the bidder's response being deemed non-responsive.

Q4. With regards to the emergency work site repairs being 2 hours – can you comment on what state does the contractor have to repair a signal controller knock down in that window?

R4. Refer to the IFB; Exhibit 1, Scope of Services; 1.03, Contractor's Responsibilities and Requirements; C, Emergency, Priority, and Routine Failures.

Q5. We have the same question as above for a fiber outage during an emergency response?

- R5. Refer to R4.
- Q6. In reference to pay item no.'s for Vehicle Detection Systems (i.e. 660-3-AB, 660-4-AB), there are multiple manufacturers on the FDOT APL. Does Manatee County have a preferred manufacturer that they work with or specify? This would help us in responding to the furnish/install line items.
- R6. Refer to the IFB; Exhibit 1, Scope of Services; 1.03, Contractor's Responsibilities and Requirements; A, General Requirements.

- Q7. We have the same question above for: Item No. 665-1-AB/Pedestrian Detector; Item No. 670-5-ABC/Traffic Controller Assembly; and Item No. 682-1-AB/CCTV Camera.
- R7. Refer to R6.

NOTE:

Items that are struck through are deleted. Items that are <u>underlined</u> have been added or changed. All other terms and conditions remain as stated in the IFB.

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

AUTHORIZED FOR RELEASE