



City of Tallmadge
Department of Public Service
CITYWIDE WASTE & RECYCLING SERVICES

Addendum No. 1 to Bidding Documents
August 19, 2020

Question 1: Why is the term 54 months?

Answer: The City would like to avoid a contract that ends in the middle of winter and during the holidays.

Question 2: Do you require residents to use the cart for collections?

Answer: No. You may use a smaller can of your choice or just put out a bag.

Question 3: Do you allow residents to use their own cart for collection?

Answer: Residents may use their own cart.

Question 4: Would you consider putting a term of maximum of 2 cubic yards for collection in place of “unlimited”?

Answer: No

Question 5: What date do you anticipate awarding the contract?

Answer: By the end of September

Question 6: How many Low Volume Customers do you have?

Answer: Approximately 200.

Question 7: Would you consider removing the requirement to have dash cams?

Answer: We prefer dash cams

Question 8: Would you consider one annual education piece?

Answer: Yes

Question 9: Do you allow for cut off for nonpayment?

Answer: Yes

Question 10: What is tonnage collected for the last 3 years?

Answer: Trash- 10576, 10237, 10101 Recyclables- 1735,1794,1328

Question 11: Provide a list of customers with their service level.

Answer: Unlimited = 5333 customers. Low volume customers = 200.

Backdoor Service customers = 24.

Question 12: Would the City consider setting a limit to the amount of yard waste that could be set at the curb each week?

Answer: No.

Question 13: Would the City accept a rule that all backdoor service stops are limited to 1 trash and 1 recycling cart per week and that all yard waste and bulk items must be taken to the curb?

Answer: Yes

Question 14: The specifications require “new” carts for all residents at the beginning of the contract. Does that apply to Republic?

Answer: Only for those residents who require a new cart due to disrepair.

I acknowledge the receipt of Addendum No. 1:

Company Name

Officer's Name

Officer's Signature

Date

THIS COMPLETED FORM MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH BID PROPOSAL