

**ARLINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA
OFFICE OF THE PURCHASING AGENT**

ADDENDUM NO. 1

Arlington County RFP No. 22-SRF-ITB-313-LW for Arlington County Detention Facility (ACDF) Laundry Services is amended as follows:

- **THE COUNTY HAS RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS IN RESPONSE TO THIS RFP. QUESTIONS AND RESPONSES ARE INCLUDED BELOW.**
1. Question: Section 22, page 7 sets forth instruction on how to provide an alternate bid but then also says alternate bids will be automatically deemed nonresponsive. Can the County confirm that alternate bids are acceptable?
Response: Yes, Such bids will, however, be examined and may result in either cancellation of all bids in order to permit rewriting of the solicitation to include the alternate item in a rebid or the alternate item may be considered for future requirements.
 2. Question: In reference to Section 28, page 8 and Section 65, page 34, can the County please advise how often the Wage Determinations for the Living Wage Act are updated? In the event the Wage Determination changes in the middle of a contract term, will the Contractor be able to submit an off-contract term pricing adjustment since this would not have been accounted for by either party on the regular price adjustment date?
Response: Contractors can request an increase July 1st of each year if the Board changes the Living Wage rate. The Contractor must provide documentation that the Living Wage increase will directly increase their service costs.
 3. Question: In our experience, and especially in light of the recent pandemic, conditions underlying the County's RFP and award, as well as Contractor's proposal, may change beyond either parties' control, and to either or even both parties' detriment. If such an unforeseen material change occurred during the Term, would the County be willing to negotiate contract modifications to offset any adverse impact for either party?
Response: The County is currently in the process of establishing language that will be included in all County contracts. The language will be provided for the awardee of this solicitation to review before the contract is fully executed.

The balance of the solicitation remains unchanged.

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RETURN THIS PAGE, FULLY COMPLETED AND SIGNED, WITH YOUR PROPOSAL:

OFFEROR ACKNOWLEDGES RECEIPT OF ADDENDUM NUMBER 1.

FIRM NAME: _____

**AUTHORIZED
SIGNATURE:** _____ **DATE:** _____