



## WILLIAMSON COUNTY GOVERNMENT

**April 5, 2022**

**Addendum #1**

**Solid Waste Transportation and Disposal Services**

**Bid Date April 12, 2022**

**Williamson County has received the following questions:**

- 1) The bid documents indicate that the County is unwilling to accept CPI or other types of increases during the term of the Agreement. Will the County accept a bid that has a different rate each year? Or must the per ton rate be the same for each year? **The bidder may list any prices they wish, the County prefers one set rate.**
- 2) The County makes clear that it will not guarantee a minimum amount of solid waste annually. The 31,200 annual volume listed in the bid documents is the current annual volume. Does the County possess any information or have any knowledge of any factor that would materially increase or decrease the current annual volume? **Population growth will cause an increase in volume each year. The County is interested in waste-to-energy, but this is in early research stage and if the County were to move forward with this, it would take much planning before anything is built and operational.**
- 3) Operating hours are listed as 7:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday. What are the hours that empty trailers can be dropped off & full ones picked up? **6:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Monday – Saturday**
- 4) Does the County load and tarp the transfer trailers? **Currently we do.**
- 5) How many trailers is the County currently requiring its vendor to provide? **Currently, 3 trailers are on site at all times.**
- 6) The historical load weights provided indicate that the County does not fully load trailers to 80,000 - 88,000 legal load limits mentioned in the bid documents. Will the County allow the per ton bid amount to be subject to a minimum per load tonnage amount? **Yes, but the minimum must be reasonable.**
- 7) In reviewing the bid documents, I did not notice any language regarding damage caused to Contractor's equipment by the County. Will the County be willing to add language to the Service Agreement for said damage? **Yes, but for negligence only.**

