



OFFICE OF PROCUREMENT SERVICES
335 FOUR MILE ROAD
CONWAY, SC 29526-6005

AMENDMENT/ADDENDUM No. 1

Posting Date: Friday December 8, 2023

Solicitation Number: 2324-22MJ

Description: 2023 Provide, Deliver, & Install LED Signs at 5 HCs Schools

ADDENDA: Addenda shall be issued prior to the bid opening date and time for the purposes of modifying or interpreting the Contract Documents through additions, deletions, clarifications, or corrections. No addendum shall be issued later than four (4) days prior to the bid opening date except to a) withdraw the Invitation for Bids, or b) to postpone the bid opening date and time. When an addendum is issued for the purposes of postponing the bid opening date and time, the addendum shall establish the new bid opening date and time no earlier than five (5) days after the addendum issue date. Addenda shall be posted on the on-line bidding source(s) stated in the Invitation for Bids. A Bidder shall acknowledge receipt of all addenda issued by identifying the addendum number and the date of issuance with the Bidder's initials in the spaces provided on the Official Bid Form or the bid shall be found non-responsive in accordance with the District's Procurement Code. If this solicitation is amended, then all terms and conditions which are not modified remain unchanged.

INTERPRETATIONS AND CLARIFICATIONS: Requests for additional information or questions regarding error, omission or clarification of any portion of the Bid Documents or the Contract Documents or any addendum, shall be submitted in writing to the District Bid Contact Person stated in the Invitation for Bids by e-mail or facsimile no later than five (5) days prior to the bid opening date and time unless an earlier date is stated on the Invitation for Bids or as may be amended. Any interpretations, corrections, or changes to the Bid Documents or the Contract Documents made in any other manner than by a written addendum shall not be binding, and Bidders shall not rely upon them. Any information given a prospective Bidder concerning a solicitation will be furnished promptly to all other prospective bidders as an addendum to the solicitation if that information is necessary for submitting offers or if the lack of it would be prejudicial to other prospective bidders. See clause entitled "Bidder Representations." We will not identify you in our answer to your question. The District seeks to permit maximum practicable competition. Bidders are urged to advise the Procurement Specialist – as soon as possible – regarding any aspect of this procurement, including any aspect of the solicitation that unnecessarily or inappropriately limits full and open competition.

QUESTIONS

Question Number	Question	Answer
1.	Is existing landscaping to be replaced with similar landscaping on the site that has it already	No, we would like pink mulch around the perimeter at 24" on center and add pine straw.
2.	Is only watchfire allowed?	That is correct the District has standardized Watchfire as specified in the solicitation. (See Scope of Work Exhibit A Specifications Page 18)
3.	This calls for 16mm pixel pitch, can this be at a minimum 10mm.	MM pixel pitch not to exceed 16mm.
4.	The signs in our market being sold are using a minimum of 10mm pixels are you sure you want to stay with the 16mm pixels?	We are satisfied with the 16mm and have been using that throughout the District. (See Scope of Work Exhibit A Specifications Page 18)
5.	The only new meters that would need to be pulled are for CM, CE & HE correct?	No that is not correct. The contractor is responsible for coordinating, locating and installing power as required. We anticipate power being pulled from the main building and that no new meter will be required. (See Scope of Work Exhibit A Specifications Page 19)

6.	Carolina Forest needs a meter only and the lines are pulled?	No, Carolina Forest High has meter and conduits have been pulled and the contractors will have to provide wire, pull through conduit and do a turnkey connection. (See Scope of Work Exhibit A Specifications Page 19)
7.	This bid calls for broadband communications can you explain?	The signs communications are cellular based on a data plan through Verizon. It's also web based software.

The bid opening date and time remain the same.