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ADDENDUM NO. 1

Date: March 28, 2016

Invitation to Bid (ITB) 16-0215

Maintain and Install Backflow Assemblies

It is the vendor's responsibility to ensure their receipt of all addenda, and to clearly acknowledge all addenda within their initial bid response. Acknowledgement may be confirmed either by inclusion of a signed copy of this addendum with the initial bid response, or by completion and return of the addendum acknowledgement section of the solicitation. Failure to acknowledge each addendum may prevent the bid from being considered for award.

This addendum DOES NOT change the date for receipt of bids or proposals.

The purpose of this addendum is to provide answers to various vendor questions as listed below:

Question 1: Do the technicians in the field testing fire backflows have to have their state fire contractor's license or the equivalent NICET certification?

Answer 1: The bid states the following: The Contractor shall be a **licensed contractor with the State of Florida and be certified by the Florida Department of Financial Services, Division of State Fire Marshal**, to work on fire line BFPAs. Technicians completing the service shall be properly trained and certified through the UF TREEO program.

Question 2: Do all backflows have to be painted? Generally only backflows 2 ½" or larger are painted, also do we add the cost of painting to our annual inspection without disassembly or with disassembly? Could there possibly be another line item added just for painting the backflows since this will not be done to every backflow every time they are inspected?

Answer 2: All backflows need to be painted. It will be the responsibility of the Contractor to maintain the paint, to include touch-up, at each service, therefore there will not be an additional line item as part of this bid.

Question 3: Will you require the waterproof tags for fire backflows per the State Fire Marshal

Requirements and Florida Statute 69A-46.041 ?

Answer 3: Yes, tags that meet the standards will need to be installed.

Question 4: Is there a schedule for testing all of the backflows? Can we test all of the backflows in one particular month getting them done in a few days of testing?

Answer 4: It would be preferred that all the inspections occur at the same time, i.e. in one month. The contractor shall submit a schedule to the County for approval.

Acknowledgement of Addendum:

Firm Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____ Title: _____

Typed/Printed Name: _ _____

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ITB TITLE: Re-Roofing of the Agricultural Center Building

NOTES

- When purchasing on a direct basis, Lake County is exempt from all taxes (Federal, State, Local). A Tax Exemption Certificate will be furnished upon request for such purchases. **However, the vendor will be responsible for payment of taxes on all materials purchased by the vendor for incorporation into the project (see provision 3.8 for further detail).**
- The vendor shall not alter or amend any of the information (including, but not limited to stated units of measure, item description, or quantity) stated in the Pricing Section. If any quantities are stated in the pricing section as being “estimated” quantities, vendors are advised to review the “Estimated Quantities” clause contained in Section 3 of this solicitation.
- Any bid containing a modifying or “escalator” clause will not be considered.
- All pricing shall be FOB Destination unless otherwise specified in this solicitation document.
- All pricing submitted shall remain valid for a 90 day period. By signing and submitting a response to this solicitation, the vendor has specifically agreed to this condition.
- **Vendors are advised to visit our website at <http://www.lakecountyfl.gov> and register as a potential vendor. Vendors that have registered on-line receive an e-mail notice when the County issues a solicitation matching the commodity codes selected by a vendor.**

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDA

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete Part I or Part II, whichever applies

Part I:
The bidder must list below the dates of issue for each addendum received in connection with this ITB: Addendum #1, Dated: _____ Addendum #2, Dated: _____ Addendum #3, Dated: _____ Addendum #4, Dated: _____
Part II:
<input type="checkbox"/> No Addendum was received in connection with this ITB.

PRICE ENTRY SECTION

Base Bid: Lump Sum price for completion of the re-roofing effort described in Section 2 and Attachment 3 of this solicitation with 30 year NDL warranty: \$ _____

Alternate Bid 1: Lump Sum price for completion of the re-roofing effort described in Section 2 and Attachment 3 of this solicitation with 20 year NDL warranty: \$ _____

Alternate Bid 2: Lump Sum price for completion of the re-roofing effort described in Section 2 and Attachment 3 of this solicitation with 10 year NDL warranty: \$ _____

(Vendor may bid on any or all of the above items)
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Bidder's Florida License Number: _____

Alternate Items: Bid ___ is ___ is not based on use of any alternate items (see provision 6.19 of the attached sample contract).

Vendors proposed time frame for completion (NTE 30 calendar days) _____ calendar days (County will assume compliance with the not-to-exceed timeframe if nothing is inserted in the designated space).

Other Items for Completion by Vendor:

By Signing this Bid the Bidder Attests and Certifies that:

- It satisfies all legal requirements (as an entity) to do business with the County.
- The undersigned vendor acknowledges that award of a contract may be contingent upon a determination by the County that the vendor has the capacity and capability to successfully perform the contract.
- The bidder hereby certifies that it understands all requirements of this solicitation, and that the undersigned individual is duly authorized to execute this bid document and any contract(s) and/or other transactions required by award of this solicitation.

Certification Regarding Acceptance of County Electronic Payable Process

Vendor will accept payment through the County's VISA- based electronic payment system:

Yes No

Purchasing Agreements with Other Government Agencies

This section is optional and will not affect contract award. If Lake County awarded you the proposed contract, would you sell under the same terms and conditions, for the same price, to other governmental agencies in the State of Florida? Each governmental agency desiring to accept to utilize this contract shall be responsible for its own purchases and shall be liable only for materials or services ordered and received by it. Yes No (Check one)

Certification Regarding Felony Conviction

Has any officer, director, or an executive performing equivalent duties, of the bidding entity been convicted of a felony during the past ten (10) years? Yes No (Check one)

Conflict of Interest Disclosure Certification

Except as listed below, no employee, officer, or agent of the firm has any conflicts of interest, real or apparent, due to ownership, other clients, contracts, or interests associated with this project; and, this bid is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm, or person submitting a proposal for the same services, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud.
