



PURCHASING DEPARTMENT
DIVISION OF BUDGET & FINANCE

**PUR-1462
ADDENDUM NO. 2
INVITATION TO BID**

**CONTRACT DUMPSTER SERVICES AT
CONOCOCHIEAGUE WwTP AND CLEAN COUNTY**

DATE: Wednesday, April 8, 2020

**BIDS DUE: Wednesday, April 15, 2020
2:00 P.M. (EST/EDT)**

To Bidders:

This Addendum is hereby made a part of the Contract Documents on which all bids will be based and is issued to correct and clarify the original documents.

Please acknowledge receipt of this Addendum at the appropriate space on the Proposal Form. This Addendum consists of three (3) pages.

NOTE: Washington County government has limited access to the Washington County Administration Complex at 100 West Washington Street, Hagerstown, Maryland until further notice. All Bidders shall allow ample time for delivery of their bid packets. Delivery of bid packets via-courier service or United States Postal Service (USPS) will be accepted. For those bidders who wish to deliver their bid packet in person will need to call 240-313-2330 to schedule an appointment.

ITEM NO. 1: *Inquiry:* GC item # 14. States landfill fees to be included in bid. In the Supplemental terms and conditions item # 6 states no tipping fees shall be charged to the bidder as well as in Specifications it also states in item # 4 that there shall be No inclusion of a tipping fee that this will be paid for by the County. Please confirm if there are, or are not to be landfill tipping fees included in our pricing.

Response: The Contractor will not be responsible for tipping fees.

ITEM NO. 2: *Inquiry:* It states that in GC item# 8 that delivery times are 8AM – 3PM weekdays, but in Specifications, item # 1 it states that Conococheague WWTP hours are 6AM – 2:30PM and Clean County is 7:30AM – 4PM. Also, in specifications item #6 it states that the landfill dumpster needs to be emptied prior to 11AM M-F. Please confirm correct times for pickup, dump and return of dumpsters.

Response: Refer to the bid document, Page 18, Specifications, Item No. 1. The information regarding hours and days of operations are what the Contractor will be required to meet.

ITEM NO. 3: Inquiry: Please confirm we will be placing (2) 30CY dumpsters at Conococheague WWTP and (1) 30CY dumpster at Clean County site.

Response: The County will supply the dumpsters. The Contractor will be responsible for providing the service.

ITEM NO. 4: Inquiry: Does the county own the containers or does the contractor have to supply them.

Response: Please see Item No. 3 in this Addendum.

ITEM NO. 5: Inquiry: Can you please confirm that no bonds are required.

Response: No bonds are required.

ITEM NO. 6: Inquiry: Can we hand deliver the proposals during the pandemic.

Response: Bidders who wish to deliver their bid packet in person will need to call 240-313-2330 to schedule an appointment.

ITEM NO. 7: Inquiry: Are annual increases allowed. If annual increases are allowed are they based on CPI or fixed. If based on CPI, can they be based on Sewer/Water/Trash which is more representative of our industry.

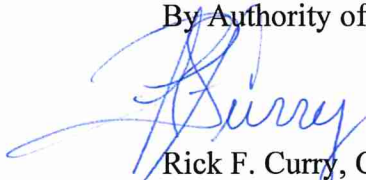
Response: Refer to the bid document, Page 17, Supplemental Terms and Conditions: **ADD** the following paragraph to this section.

If the Contractor wishes to renew the contract, he must submit a letter of intent to the Washington County Purchasing Director at least ninety (90) calendar days prior to the expiration of any annual contract term. The County reserves the right to accept or reject any request for renewal. Annual price increases or decreases to cover contract years two (2) through three (3) will be based upon the United States Sewer and Water and Trash Consumer Price Index, as published by the United States Department of Labor. The CPI adjustment for each additional year shall be calculated by comparing the Sewer and Water and Trash CPI that includes the local Hagerstown area of the previous April to the April figure

(NOTE: The wording of all "Inquiries" submitted are displayed exactly as received.)

in the current contract year. All extensions of the contract term are subject to available funding and performance by the Contractor satisfactory to the County.

By Authority of:



Rick F. Curry, CPPO
Director of Purchasing