

COORDINATING COMMITTEE

PUR-1502 ADDENDUMNO. 1 REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

THE PROVISION OF TREATMENT FOR SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS AT THE WASHINGTON COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, DAY REPORTING CENTER IN WASHINGTON COUNTY, MARYLAND

DATE: Wednesday, April 28, 2021

BIDS DUE: Wednesday, May 5, 2021

4:00 P.M., (EDT/EST)

To Proposers:

This Addendum is hereby made a part of the Contract Documents on which all proposals 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 two (2) 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 Proposers shall allow ample time for delivery of their proposal packets. Delivery of proposal packets via-courier service or United States Postal Service (USPS) will be accepted. For those proposers who wish to deliver their proposal packet in person will need to call 240-313-2330 to schedule an appointment.

ITEM NO. 1: Inquiry: Are you able to share who currently is the vendor for the service?

<u>Response</u>: The prior vendor was Serenity Treatment Center. Serenity experienced a significant clinical staff storage due to COVID and was not able to continue to provide onsite services. Currently, the Program Director which is a licensed clinician has been providing SUFD treatment services.

ITEM NO. 2: *Inquiry*: What have been the volumes of clients served in the program for the past 2 years?

<u>Response</u>: Prior to COVID March 2020, the program averaged fifty (50) participants in varies stages of the program. During COVID the program maintained a daily census of thirty-six (36) participants. Now that the courts are opening the program is receiving a referral a week.

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ITEM NO. 3: <u>Inquiry</u>: How has COVID-19 impacted service delivery at the center? Have services been provided remotely?

Response: DRC remained opened during COVID. The scheduled was modified due to a loss of community services providers from April 2020 to June 2020. Participants received face to face treatment six (6) days a week, provided by the Sheriff's Office employees. No virtual sessions were permitted since most of participants were currently under the supervision of the Detention Center. During the stay-at-home mandate, participants were placed on home confinement and monitored through a GPS tracking device, with permission to report to work and DRC only. To date, all community services providers have returned to the program and are providing fact to face services.

By Authority of:

Rick F. Curry, CPPO Director of Purchasing