



COORDINATING COMMITTEE

PUR-1570
ADDENDUM NO. 1
REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS
BOND COUNSEL

DATE: Friday, August 26, 2022

BIDS DUE: Wednesday, September 7, 2022
4:00 P.M. (EDT/EST)

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 two (2) pages.

NOTE: All Bidders must enter the Washington County Administration Complex through either the front door at the 100 West Washington Street entrance or through the rear entrance (w/blue canopy roof) which is handicap accessible and must use the elevator to access the Purchasing Department to submit their proposal and/or to attend the Pre-Proposal Conference. Alternate routes are controlled by a door access system. The general public will be subject to wand search and will be required to remove any unauthorized items from the building prior to entry. Prohibited items include but are not limited to: Weapons of any type; Firearms, ammunition and explosive devices; Cutting instruments of any type - including knives, scissors, box cutters, work tools, knitting needles, or anything with a cutting edge, etc.; Pepper spray, mace or any other chemical defense sprays; and Illegal substances.

ITEM NO. 1: Inquiry: What firm or firms currently serve as Bond Counsel?

Response: Funk & Bolton, P.A. of Baltimore, MD.

ITEM NO. 2: Inquiry: Under the current or most recent contract, what have been the bond counsel fees each year?

Response: The Bond Counsel fees incurred for each year of the contract are as follows:
FY18 - \$25,651.71, FY19 - \$18,555.11, FY20 - \$18,242.34, FY21 - \$25,920 and FY22 - \$16,929.14

ITEM NO. 3: Inquiry: What are the present or most recent hourly rates charged for supplemental services, for attorneys and for paraprofessionals?

Response: Hourly rates for Supplemental Services associated with this contract are as follows:
Attorney fee - \$175/hr. and Paraprofessional fee - \$60/hr.

ITEM NO. 4: Inquiry: For the current contract term, what were the total fees charged by bond Counsel under the present contract, the fee for each bond issue, and the annual fees for work not related to a particular bond issue?

Response: This information is not currently available.

By Authority of:



Rick F. Curry, CPPO
Director of Purchasing