

Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority

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ADDENDUM NO. 1 Request for Bids

Greater New Haven Water Pollution Control Authority
Jet/Vac Truck
Project No. SSF 2017-01

TO: ALL BID PACKAGE HOLDERS

DATE: July 14, 2017

This Addendum to be attached to the bid package by each Bidder. Each bidder shall acknowledge receipt of this Addendum by entering the Addendum number and date received in the Space provided on IP-2 of the Bid package.

A. RECEIPT OF BIDS:

The Deadline to Submit Bids remains unchanged as Tuesday, July 25, 2017 at 10:00am at the Office of the Director of Finance and Administration of the GNHWPCA located at 260 East Street, New Haven, CT 06511

B. CORRECTIONS:

Mileage for the Trade-in listed in Section 3.1 is 191,155 not 135,126

C. BIDHOLDER QUESTIONS and GNHWPCA ANSWERS:

Q1: What is size of Debris Tank to be provided?

A1: Minimum volume of Debris Tank is to be 10 yards.

Q2: Bid Specifies Delivery Date of 75 days from contract award. Can this be extended or can the Bidder provide its standard Delivery terms?

A2: The Delivery Date has been extended to 180 days from Contract Award. We feel this provides sufficient time for Delivery.

Q3: Does the Bidder have to provide a price for the Trade -in?

A3: The Bidder may elect to not provide a price for the Trade-In. However, the overall net cost to the Authority will be a major consideration in the selection of Bids. Therefore, a Bidder that provides a Trade -In allowance may have an advantage. The Authority will also consider Bids for the Trade-in alone.

Q4: Is a Galvanized Tank necessary since it is a proprietary item available by only one manufacturer?

A4: The GNHWPCA has decided to revise the Bid and allow a Mild Steel tank with a ten year warranty as base bid. Bidders are requested to also provide an option to provide upgraded materials for the tank with lifetime warranty as well in their proposal.



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Q5: Will a Stainless Steel debris tank in lieu of galvanized be acceptable?

Q5: See answer to Q4

Q6: What is desired capacity of the debris tank?

A6: The debris tank must have a minimum capacity of 10 yards.

Q7:Can a Pratissole pump be utilized in lieu of Meyers if it meets or exceeds written specifications?

A7: Yes, please provide enough information so that the GNHWPCA can verifiy that the substitution is equal or better.

Q8: Can a hibon vac-pump be utilized in lieu of a Roots 824?

A8: Yes, please provide enough information so that the GNHWPCA can verify that the substitution is equal or better.

Q9: Will 1200 gallons of water capacity be sufficient?

A9: No, the minimum water capacity required is 1500 gallons.

Q10: Will ten year warranty be sufficient on water tanks?

A10: See answer to Q4.