



WALKER COUNTY PURCHASING OFFICE

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ADDENDUM #1

IFB C2360-26-006 DEBRIS REMOVAL

Vendor Questions and Answers

1. We will supply an Original of our proposal, but does the County require any copies of our response?

Answer: No.

2. Also, we want to confirm that disposal/tipping fees will be a pass through cost to the County. There is conflicting information in the IFB (*page 11 and page 23) – industry standard and approved by FEMA is that the debris contractor pays the tipping fees and then submits appropriate documentation to the County for reimbursement.

Answer: Yes, contractor will pay and submit appropriate documents to county for reimbursement following FEMA guidelines.

3. Who is the incumbent, and how long has the incumbent been providing the requested services?

Answer: There are two incumbents; TFR Enterprises and Ceres Environmental and both have been providing services since 2020.

4. What is the required onsite response time?

Answer: 72 hours

5. What is the total mileage of roads within the scope of the service area?

Answer: 585.11 miles

6. Are any specific professional credentials required to qualify for the contract?

Answer: Cannot be barred through SAM.gov

7. Will the resulting contract include a guaranteed minimum payment to the vendor?

Answer: No

8. Are there any superseding prior agreements that may impact this contract?

Answer: No

9. Approximately how many cubic yards of debris were collected from the most recent event?

Answer: 0

10. What estimated or actual dollars were paid to the incumbent(s) after the most recent event?

Answer: 0

11. How many times have the incumbent's services been utilized in the previous five years?

Answer: 0

12. If there was a previous solicitation for these services, what was its title, number, release date, and due date?

Answer: C2360-20-013 Debris Removal, Release Date August 6, 2020 and Due Date August 25, 2020.

13. When is the anticipated award date?

Answer: 10/1/25

14. Can you please provide greater explanation of your expectations related to any required subcontracting to minority-owned, women-owned, or other types or categories of small or disadvantaged businesses? For example, what is required with the proposal, and what is required to comply during the term of the contract?

Answer: Only requirement is to not be barred on SAM.gov

15. Can you please provide greater details regarding your bid bond and/or performance bond requirements related to this contract? For example, what is required with the proposal, and what is required to comply during the term of the contract?

Answer: Please refer to Attachment D. General Conditions of Bid- FEMA Requirements Section 6. Time of Essence Part. B.

16. Are bidders permitted to deviate in any way from any manner of quoting fees you may be expecting? For example, if there is a pricing page in the RFP, can bidders submit an alternate fee structure? If there is no pricing page in the RFP, do you have any preference for how bidders should quote fees or can bidders create their own pricing categories?

Answer: Offerors shall follow the requirements of this Invitation For Bid and fill in the pricing sheets that are attached. ATTACHMENT F- RATE SCHEDULE HURRICANE/DISASTER DEBRIS REMOVAL, REDUCTION AND DISPOSAL and ATTACHMENT G- RATE SCHEDULE EQUIPMENT AND LABOR RATES

17. Please describe your level of satisfaction with your current or recent vendor(s) for the same purchasing activity, if applicable.

Answer: Not Applicable.

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