DISTRICT –WIDE EMERGENCY BLUE PHONES

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ADDENDA

BID NO. 16-17/23

Peralta Community College District

District –Wide Emergency Blue Phones
333 East 8th Street, Oakland, CA 94606

April 18, 2017

ADDENDUM No. 2

This addendum supersedes items of the original contract documents wherein it is inconsistent with it. All other conditions remain unchanged. The following changes, modifications, corrections, additions or clarifications shall apply to the contract documents and shall be made a part of and subject to all of the requirements thereof as if originally specified or shown. It is the responsibility of the proposer to review the list of attachments to ensure that the addendum is full and complete. This Addendum modifies the original RFP Documents for the above RFP. Acknowledge receipt of this addendum in the space provided on the Proposal Form. Failure to do so may subject Proposer to disqualification.

Responses to Request for Information:

1. The specification says under 00 4513 Article 1, Section 1.01.C:

   “Bidders must demonstrate successful experience with type of work of this Project, to include, within the past year, completed two (2) projects of a similar nature and complexity with a contract dollar amount of at (i.) least 75% of the amount of Bidder’s Bid or (ii.) 125% of such amount in the aggregate.”

   In the pre-bid conference this was discussed. We do not believe there are two other projects like yours that have bid in the last year...making this requirement unachievable to all bidders. Can the “within the past year” be removed from the requirement?

   Reply: Strike Article 1, Section 1.01C, in document 00 4513 Statement of Qualifications; it no longer applies to the bid.

2. The specs call for the old Code Blue Emergency Equipment to be returned to the District. This equipment is nonfunctional and the handling required to return it to the District will increase the cost of the project. Can we recycle this equipment as opposed to returning it back to the District?

   Reply: The specs are revised to require the awarded contractor to recycle the old equipment as they best see fit.

3. There are no specifications or details regarding the trenching for the underground conduit work. Can you provide a detail that shows trench depth, type of backfill or some expectations of how you wish us to accomplish this scope?
Reply: The specification calls for a total trench depth of minimum twenty (20") inches; while trench depth to the top of buried conduit of a minimum of eighteen (18") inches; a river sand backfill of six (6") inches above the top of the buried conduit; the buried conduit should sit on two (2") inches of gravel (pea size). The estimated diameter of underground conduit (HDPE or equivalent) will be a minimum of one (1") inch to accommodate low voltage cable. The backfill will be same earth material dug up during trenching. The backfill shall be compacted. The final paving shall be same as pre-existing material prior to trenching –in the parking lot, it will be asphalt for asphalt or grass or concrete as it may pre-exist in other areas. See Attachment #1.

4. We all lost a week of productivity due to the ISC West Security Expo. Can the bid due date be postponed until April 28, 2017?

Reply: The bid due date is being postponed to May 1st, 2017 at 2pm.

5. At College of Alameda for new SF units, can we trench to the nearest building and pick up a network connection and power there or do we have to trench to the nearest building marked as having an IDF?

Reply: District Information Technologies Department (IT) will need to identify if there is network connectivity in every building. We identified where the IDF locations were, but if there is network available in other buildings, there is no problem with the contractor going to the closest location.

6. For new Wall Phone SE and SG units, can we penetrate into the building they are mounted on and pick up a network connection and power connection there or do we have to run conduit to the nearest building shown with an IDF?

Reply: District Information Technologies Department (IT) will need to identify if there is network connectivity in every building. We identified where the IDF locations were, but if there is network available in other buildings, there is no problem with the contractor going to the closest location.

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TRENCH PROFILE.

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