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TO: All Potential Respondents
RFQ 2108 Consultant for Little Manatee River Ecosystem Restoration Area 8

FROM: Sherry Wooten, Procurement Specialist II

SUBJECT: Response to Questions

QUESTION 1: In section 2.1 the date for solicitation closing is listed as February 28, 2019 at 2pm. We assume this is an error. Please confirm that May 4th, 2021 at 2pm is the correct closing date.

ANSWER: Proposals must be received by the District's Procurement Services Office by May 4, 2021 at 2:00 PM EST. Refer to Addendum No. 1.

QUESTION 2: In section 3.3.2 it states that the Project Manager must be a Professional Surveyor and Mapper. Please confirm that the Project Manager for this Ecosystem Restoration RFQ must be a licensed PSM.

ANSWER: The Project Manager for this RFQ does not need to be a licensed Professional Surveyor and Mapper. Refer to Addendum No. 1.

QUESTION 3: Section 3.3 seems to be coming from an Aerial/Photogrammetry RFQ and fails to mention the desired engineering qualifications that would be required for this Ecosystem Restoration project. Is this accurate and if not what engineering qualifications is the District requiring?

ANSWER: Please refer to Addendum No. 1 for required engineering qualifications.

QUESTION 4: Under section 2.1, in the second paragraph, the date that proposals must be received by the District is listed as February 28, 2019 at 2pm. I assume you mean the current date of May 4, 2021 at 2pm. Is this correct?

ANSWER: Proposals must be received by the District's Procurement Services Office by May 4, 2021 at 2:00 PM EST. Refer to Addendum No. 1.

QUESTION 5: Under section 3.3.1, the RFQ states that the solicitation requires the use of a Professional Surveyor & Mapper. Section 3.3.2 states that respondents must have a Professional Surveyor & Mapper as the Project Manager. However, it appears that the majority of work is design in nature. Would you please clarify whether or not a PSM is required to be the proposed PM for this project?

ANSWER: The Project Manager for this RFQ does not need to be a licensed Professional Surveyor and Mapper. Refer to Addendum No. 1.

QUESTION 6: Has a consultant been utilized for any prior work on this project? If so, who was that consultant?

ANSWER: Cardno, Inc., was utilized to complete the Conceptual Plan.

QUESTION 7: What is the budget for this project?

ANSWER: The estimated budget for this project is \$450,000.

QUESTION 8: Who are the Evaluation Committee members?

ANSWER: The evaluation committee members consist of Nancy Norton, P.E., Jaime Swindasz, Robert McDonald, P.E, and Mary Barnwell.

QUESTION 9: On Page 14 of 55 under 3.3.2 “Respondents must have a Professional Surveyor and Mapper as the Project Manager for the Project.” Can you please confirm this requirement? Can the Professional Surveyor and Mapper be part of the team and NOT the PM?

ANSWER: The Project Manager for this RFQ does not need to be a licensed Professional Surveyor and Mapper. Refer to Addendum No. 1.

QUESTION 10: We produced the restoration master plan for this project a few years back and I wanted to verify that we were not conflicted out of bidding for this opportunity as I was unable to find any information in the RFQ itself.

ANSWER: Figure 3, Little Manatee River Nature Preserve Conceptual Restoration Plan Feasibility Report dated October 2018 is available to all potential respondents. There is no conflict of interest preventing the consultant of Figure 3 from responding.

QUESTION 11: Is Cardno precluded from submitting a proposal?

ANSWER: Cardo, Inc., is not precluded from submitting a response.

QUESTION 12: What are the anticipated design fees?

ANSWER: The estimated budget is \$450,000 including design fees.

QUESTION 13: What is the estimated construction cost?

ANSWER: The conceptual construction cost is approximately \$5,400,000.

QUESTION 14: The RFQ states that a Professional Surveyor and Mapper is to be the Project Manager for this ecosystem restoration project. Is this correct?

ANSWER: The Project Manager for this RFQ does not need to be a licensed Professional Surveyor and Mapper. Refer to Addendum No. 1.

QUESTION 15: Page 9 under 2.1 General Information of the RFQ states: the proposal must be received by the District's Procurement Services Office....by February 28, 2019 at 2:00 PM EST. Should this not be May 4, 2021 at 2:00PM EST?

ANSWER: Proposals must be received by the District's Procurement Services Office by May 4, 2021 at 2:00 PM EST. Refer to Addendum No. 1.

QUESTION 16: Please clarify if this RFQ stipulation pertains to a previous surveying RFQ or is required for this environmental pursuit as well. "3.3.2 Respondents must have a Professional Surveyor and Mapper as the Project Manager for the Project."

ANSWER: The Project Manager for this RFQ does not need to be a licensed Professional Surveyor and Mapper. Refer to Addendum No. 1.

QUESTION 17: Based on the review of the RFQ, is the American Society of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing (ASPRS) Certified Photogrammetrist (CP) really required for this project?

ANSWER: The American Society of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing (ASPRS) Certified Photogrammetrist (CP) is not required for this project. Refer to Addendum No. 1