

November 24, 2014

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA
INVITATION FOR BIDS
Y15-179-JS
INFRASTRUCTURE LOCATION CONTRACTOR

ADDENDUM NUMBER 1:

1. Questions have been received in accordance with General Terms and Conditions 2. Questions Regarding This Solicitation. The questions and the associated answers are as follows:

Question 1:

Is the "Contractor's Representative" billable at the same rate as the locate technicians?

Answer 1:

Yes, and must perform locates as needed.

Question 2:

By dividing the number of hours listed in the RFQ for quoting on this work it appears that you are asking for 10 locate technicians and 1 "Contractor's Representative. Is that correct?

Answer 2:

Yes.

Question 3:

Can the "Contractor's Representative" perform any of the field work besides the auditing? For example if GPR work needed to be performed, could the "contractor representative" perform this work?

Answer 3:

Yes, the Contractor's Representative will perform locates and GPR as authorized.

Question 4:

Is there office space provided for the "Contractor's Representative" within the Orange County facilities?

Answer 4:

Yes

Question 5:

Is the Infrastructure Location Contractor allowed to park their vehicles within the Orange County Facility gated areas after hours and weekends?

Answer 5:

No.

Question 6:

Is the "Contractor's Representative" required to have the same vehicle setup as the locate technicians?

Answer 6:

The Contractor's Representative shall be capable of performing the same work as the locators.

Question 7:

What format are the prints in? If in electronic format, is there a licensing fee to consider?

Answer 7:

They are ESRI electronic geodatabases created with ESRI software, (MXD files) with no fee involved to the County.

Question 8:

Is this work also performed on a daily basis by Orange County employees? If so, is there an agreement not to hire each other's employees?

Answer 8:

Yes and there is no agreement.

Question 9:

How are the underwater locates billed? I do not see a line item on the pricing sheet for this type of work.

Answer 9:

There are no underwater locates.

Question 10:

Is the Infrastructure Location Contractor required to provide their own laptops to access prints?

Answer 10:

Yes, with needed software to read the database files, track and assign tickets, create productivity reports as requested by the County and to receive tickets from and provide positive response back to One call.

Question 11:

Does the county provide any GPR or CCTV equipment to be used by the Infrastructure Location Contractor?

Answer 11:

The current specifications requires the contractor to have, utilize and maintain their own GPR equipment

Question 12:

How many underwater locations have been required in the previous 12 months?

Answer 12:

None.

Question 13:

Are all vehicles including the "Contractor's Representative" required to be 4x4's?

Answer 13:

No, however the Infrastructure Location Contractor needs to be able to access all utility locations including ones that are off road in easement areas.

Question 14:

How many "at fault" damages have been attributed to the Infrastructure Location Contractor over the past twelve (12) months, twenty-four (24) months? What was the average cost of a repair?

Answer 14:

Two (2) at fault damages in past twelve (12) months and an additional one (1) at fault damage in the past twenty-four (24) months with an average cost of \$10,050. each.

2. All other terms and conditions and specifications remain unchanged. No further questions will be entertained.

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDA

- a. The bidder shall acknowledge receipt of this addendum by completing the applicable section in the solicitation or by completion of the acknowledgement information on the addendum. Either form of acknowledgement must be completed and returned not later than the date and time for receipt of the bid.
- b. Receipt acknowledged by:

Authorized Signer

Date Signed

Title

Name of Bidder