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ADDENDUM # 1

To: ALL PROSPECTIVE FIRMS

Re: INVITATION FOR BIDS: 24-022-LH, Traffic Signal Repair and Maintenance Services

The Invitation for Bids, referenced above, is modified as follows:

1. Can the city please provide the contractor with how many intersections preventative maintenance will need to be serviced?

Answer: 271 intersections 2 times a year.

2. Can the city please provide the contractor with how many intersections require rapid flashing beacon preventative maintenance?

Answer: We currently have three Rapid Flashing Beacon locations and two Hawk system locations; we have 59 Warning flashers. And 85 school flashers. We intend to continue to do the preventive maintenance on these items in-house. Otherwise, if asked to assist it will be on a non-emergency rate time and material basis by the contractor.

3. Can the city please provide a detailed list of what is expected for preventative maintenance at each intersection?

Answer: Attachment B is a standard sample of a GDOT-Signal-Ground-P.M sheet.

4. Can the city please provide the contractor with the expected emergency response time and non-emergency response time for extraordinary work?

Answer: Depends on what you're referring to as extraordinary work. The typical emergency response time is immediately/no longer than 4 hours. Typical non-emergency response time is 24 hours.

5. Can the city please provide the contractor with historical information on signalized intersections?

Answer: Information requested is irrelevant to this solicitation. We will be billed time and material, and we have about any type or combination of traffic-controlled intersections with a vast array of traffic control devices. Including an alternating direction center lane on Vineville Ave.

6. Does this contract require the contractor to perform any preventative maintenance at night?

Answer: No.

7. When bidding for this project, is the contractor to provide pricing per intersection or lump sum countywide?

Answer: Contractor is to provide the hourly rates including any other requirements that was listed in the bid package scope and specs for regular 8 to 5 Monday through Friday hours as well as an emergency after hours hourly rate with a 2-hour response time and a rate for a 4-hour response time for 8 to 5 Monday through Friday. Also, to bid an emergency rate for us with a 2-hour response time and a 4-hour response time for any time other than Mon through Friday 8 to 5. Meaning nights and weekends (this will be emergency needs only).

8. My company is interested in submitting a proposal for the above referenced RFP. Could the county please provide the duration for this project.

Answer: The purpose for this RFP is to provide ongoing routine maintenance and service work for our vast Traffic Signal infrastructure. The work will be on an as needed basis until further notice. (However, the contract may be for one year with the option to renew.) One indication of the amount of work needed would be that we have approx. 430 signalized locations including flasher and school zone flasher locations and we currently have only 2 Signal Tech's on staff. We may need assistance along with our staff if an intersection gets knocked down. (extremely rare but possible).

9. Are the historical quantities available for the different hourly categories included in this RFP?

Answer: We have historical knowledge from experience, but we have no crystal ball. As you may surmise, we experience a higher volume of calls and problems when we have inclement weather. However, even then it's not an unexpectedly high volume of issues due to the preventive maintenance of the signal infrastructure. We have an occasional control cabinet to get hit in an automobile accident and have to be replaced. Very rarely we may have a pole taken out at an intersection and have to set a pole and re-sting the signals. As a rule of thumb, the signal infrastructure is in good shape.

10. Does this RFP require a bid bond?

Answer: No.

Please incorporate this change into the Invitation for Bid and acknowledge receipt of this addendum on your bid form.

Sincerely,

Laura Hardwick