



## Brazos River Authority

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December 1, 2020

### **Addendum No. 1 WILLIAMSON COUNTY REGIONAL RAW WATER LINE ASSESSMENT RFP No. 21-11-1189**

It is the responsibility of the Respondent to assure and guarantee by acknowledging the receipt of this Addendum in the Proposal that the Respondent has received the Addendum in its entirety, and that the Respondent accepts all conditions contained herein.

**Question 1:**

Does this RFP include a pipeline condition assessment of the Williamson County Regional Raw Water Line?

**Answer 1:**

Yes

**Question 2:**

If so, is it OK to submit a proposal for just this portion of the project, and can you send us the lay sheets/as built of the pipeline, so we can work up a detailed cost estimate and timeframe for the job?

**Answer 2:**

The proposal is for an engineering firm to assess the entirety of the project. All background information and details of the pipeline will be provided to the chosen firm prior to scope and fee negotiations.

**Question 3:**

Or, it looks like this RFP is for an engineering firm to manage the overall project. Should we wait to see what engineering firm is awarded the RFP and then follow up with them to introduce Magnetic Flux Leakage inspection of the pipeline as part of the project?

**Answer 3:**

Engineering firms and Subs can partner together to submit a proposal. The qualifications from each will be evaluated in the process of selecting an engineering firm.

**Question 4:**

Is condition assessment of the pipeline included in the SOW?

**Answer 4:**

Yes

**Question 5:**

What is the age and material of the pipeline?

**Answer 5:**

Age - 15 years; Materials - concrete encased cast iron and steel

**Question 6:**

What is the required capacity of the pump station and pipeline system?

**Answer 6:**

This will be determined by the awarded firm during the assessment.

**Question 7:**

Are there any maps, reports, plans that show existing system, evaluation of existing capacity etc. that can be shared.

**Answer 7:**

All background information and details of the pipeline will be provided to the chosen firm prior to scope and fee negotiations.

**Question 8:**

Can you confirm that there is no page limit for this RFQ (or other restrictive requirements on format)?

**Answer 8:**

There is no page limit for this solicitation.

**Question 9:**

On the cover letter there is a note that says: "Refer to Section 15. Delivery of Proposal Submittals for instructions on submitting a response to this solicitation" I did a search and cannot find this in the document submitted. May need to delay the submittal if these requirements are extensive.

**Answer 9:**

The "Refer to Section 15. Delivery of Proposal Submittals" shall be changed to "Refer to Section 13. Delivery of Bid Submittals".

**Question 10:**

Can BRA provide a little additional information on this project to assist us in providing a more focused proposal? Information that would be very helpful would include:

- Pump station plans and sections (don't need a full set of drawings)
- Intake plans and sections (don't need a full set of drawings)
- Pipeline alignment
- Pump curves, one for each of the two pump sizes.
- Ultimate capacity/buildout for the expanded pump station

**Answer 10:**

All background information and details of the pipeline will be provided to the chosen firm prior to scope and fee negotiations.

**Question 11:**

The title of this RFQ is Williamson County Regional Raw Water Line Assessment. However, scope of work includes elements for the LHSPS and Lake Georgetown intake. Is it the intent of this selection to include preliminary and final assessment of the WCRRWL, LHSPS and Lake Georgetown intake? And, design, bidding and construction phase services for only LHSPS?

**Answer 11:**

Yes, the successful engineering firm will perform these, and the other items listed in the RFP.

**Question 12:**

With the Thanksgiving holiday falling in the middle of the response period, and with COVID everyone seems to be taking the entire week off, is it possible to add another week to the response period and have the proposal due on 12/14 instead of 12/7?

**Answer 12:**

The posting dates takes into consideration the holidays within the month of posting and will remain at the current opening date.

Sincerely,

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