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## April 9, 2025

## ADDENDUM # 1

Bid Number: 50-00147744 Bid Opening Date: June 12, 2025 at 2:00 PM

Two (2) Year Pre-Placed Emergency Contract to Provide and Maintain Portable Toilets and Hand Washing Stations in Grand Isle for the Department of Emergency Management

## **QUESTIONS & ANSWERS**

Question #1: Just curious why this bid is asking for portable units plus hand wash stations?

Answer: The department stated this specification was in the previous contract, which is now being renewed.

Question #2: Why does the bid specify fiberglass?

Answer: The department indicated that fiberglass is specified because it was included in the previous contract, which is now being renewed.

Question #3: In reference to items numbered 1, 2, and 3, it has been indicated that there is a requirement for a total of 100 regular restroom units. Each of these units will have distinctly outlined rental rates, categorized into daily, weekly, and monthly rental options. Therefore, when we consider the breakdown of these rental arrangements, does this not imply that the overall inventory will sum up to a total of 300 regular restroom units?

Answer: The department stated vendors should be quoting their prices on the delivery, pickup, and servicing on however many units they order. The quantity requested for rental can vary, and the listed quantities are to help gauge rates.

Question #4: For the fiberglass toilets, are these considered portable toilets, similar to porta johns?

Answer: Yes, they are portable toilets.

Question #5: Regarding the cleaning schedule, could you clarify whether the requirement is for daily or weekly cleanings?

Answer: The cleaning schedule refers to however often vendors would normally service units when rented for more than a few days.

Question 6: Under Regular Unit Specifications, it states that the Regular Unit must be constructed of fiberglass. However, our units are constructed using high-density polyethylene (HDPE) plastic. Please advise if this is acceptable?

Answer: Yes, using high – density polyethylene (HDPE) is acceptable.



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Question #7: Our Regular Units measurements are 90 to 91 feet in height. Would this be an issue?

Answer: The requesting department stated that those measurements would not be an issue.

**Question #8:** Our Regular Units do not have aluminum type vent grills; they are molded into the toilets. Please see attached. Would this suffice?

Answer: The requesting department stated that the referenced units would be acceptable.

**Question #9:** Under Instructions for Bidder and General Conditions, it states that Jefferson Parish requires all products to be "new" (current). May we strike "new" and add "like-new"? Equipment will be the most current models.

Answer: Yes, you can use like new. The "new" is referring to items that we are purchasing. Jefferson Parish will be renting the portable toilets.

Question #10: Will there be receptacles provided for daily debris? Waste hauling permits do not allow hauling of litter and debris.

Answer: No, receptacles will not be provided.

**Question #11:** Regarding the Davis-Bacon Act, is Jefferson Parish aware of any applicable wage determinations at this time? In order for Contractor to be compliant, Parish would have to provide any applicable wage determinations as determined by the Contracting Officer/government.

Answer: The Davis- Bacon act does not apply to this bid.

Question #12: We are preparing to submit bids for the opportunities mentioned above and are working to secure all the necessary licenses for Jefferson Parish. The Purchasing Department advised that you would be the best point of contact for obtaining a comprehensive list of required licenses. Could you please provide us with this information at your earliest convenience?

Answer: The requesting department stated there are no required licenses/permits required with bid submission. However, if this changes, vendors will be responsible for obtaining any necessary licenses or permits.

\*\*\*Please Remember to Acknowledge this Addendum by Number on Bid Submission \*\*\*

Sincerely,

Sean Dumas

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Purchasing Specialist, II



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This addendum is a part of the contract documents and modifies the original bidding documents and specifications. The contents of this addendum shall be included in the contract documents. Changes made by this addendum shall take precedence over the documents of earlier date.