

ADDENDUM NO. 1, Dated 07/9/2025

RE: Furnish and Deliver Remote Environmental Data Monitoring Equipment for the Biology Department.

Dear Bidder,

The following inquiries and responses shall become a part of the above referenced Bid Solicitation.

Bid No.50015-250715

INQUIRY: Could you please confirm whether this procurement is intended as a one-time purchase, or if it includes any ongoing service components such as dashboard access, data hosting, or system support beyond the initial delivery?

RESPONSE: We do not require any additional service components, any offered would not be considered as part of the evaluation criteria for awarding the bid. The warranty is considered part of the evaluation criteria and length of offered warranty could be a factor.

INQUIRY: Could you clarify whether the soil moisture sensors should measure at a single depth or multiple depths? If so, what specific depth(s) are required?

RESPONSE: Single depth between 10-20 cm depending on site set up.

RESPONSE:

Site ID	Latitude	Longitude
1.A	30.2983	-90.4069
1.B	30.29887	-90.4079
2.A	30.20844	-90.4311
2.B	30.21152	-90.4333
3.A	30.14903	-90.4653
3.B	30.14602	-90.4641
4.A	30.15909	-90.5613
4.B	30.15909	-90.5597
5.A	30.1735	-90.5739
5.B	30.17292	-90.5727
6.A	30.09864	-90.6294
6.B	30.10205	-90.631
7.A	30.13312	-90.6399
7.B	30.13599	-90.6419
8.A	30.15885	-90.6411
8.B	30.15932	-90.6389
9.A	30.18868	-90.6085
9.B	30.1855	-90.6062
10.A	30.22311	-90.6401
10.B	30.22619	-90.6412
11.A	30.23732	-90.6511
11.B	30.23474	-90.6477
12.A	30.26101	-90.5853
12.B	30.26002	-90.5859

INQUIRY: Can you confirm whether the awarded vendor is expected to perform installation and setup, or if the university will handle installation using the provided components?

RESPONSE: The University will install.

INQUIRY: Will the University accept optional line items such as installation services and/or annual cloud software license subscription for dashboard access for separate consideration?

RESPONSE: Additional items can be included as options, but will not be considered part of the evaluation criteria for awarding the bid.

INQUIRY: Is an auto-cleaning or anti-fouling system required or preferred for the dissolved oxygen sensors, given their deployment in natural water bodies? If required, should this be included as part of the dissolved oxygen sensor line item or listed as a separate line?

RESPONSE: Yes, both self-cleaning and fouling paint should be used on the water quality instruments.

Bidder should reference the addendum in the appropriate blank on the Bid Response Form to acknowledge receipt of the addendum. If the bidder has already returned a bid response, then the bidder should forward this addendum under separate cover to acknowledge receipt.

Sincerely,

Richard Himber

Director of Purchasing

cc: File

Addendum Acknowledged By:

Name of Business:_____

Signature:_____ Date:_____