



GUAM WATERWORKS AUTHORITY

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IFB No. 2022-19 relative to Printer Pool Plan

Response to Inquiries No. 3


This Addendum and Response to Request for Information (RFI) is issued to modify the previously issued bid documents and/or given for informational purposes and to the extent the responses below modify the bid documents, please treat them as an amendment to the Bid. The following responses are in response to RFIs received from potential bidders on October 5th, 7th, and 13th 2022.

REF:	QUESTION/INQUIRY AS SUBMITTED:	GWA RESPONSE:
Questions from October 5th, 2022		
1.	For the last 5 copier IFB iterations going back to the 90s, GWA has always requested for a 36-month term with 2 option years. And with each contract, GWA has always opted to extend the contract for the two option years, (a total of 60 months. By allowing a 60-month term, as opposed to a 36-month term with two option years. Vendors will reply with a lower monthly payment and GWA will save a substantial amount of funds. If contract performance is the primary reason for requiring a 36-month term plus two option years, GWA can simply request for a 60-month term subject to availability of funds and contract performance (i.e., contract can be cancelled if insufficient funds are available or if the vendor fails to perform, i.e., breach of contract.)	Under IV. SPECIAL PROVISIONS, Section 5, entitled CONTRACT TERM as stated in this IFB shall remain the same.

Questions from October 7th, 2022		
2.	Requesting confirmation of the paper capacity for items 1.1 and 1.2, see snippet below. GWA answered that “2100 sheets minimum bypass tray is allowable”. Can you please confirm that 2100 sheet total paper capacity to include all cassette trays and bypass trays is acceptable / allowable for items 1.1 and 1.2?	GWA Confirms that 2100 sheet total paper capacity to include all cassette trays and bypass trays is acceptable / allowable for items 1.1 and 1.2.
Questions from October 13th, 2022		
3.	Requesting for clarification on the requirement for Wifi and Mobile Printing Options. See snippets below. In Response to Inquiries No. 1 a question (no.6) regarding “options” was posed and GWA responded that “This will only apply to item 1.0. No additional options are required for all other items listed”. Can you please confirm that the “options”, including Wi-fi and Mobile Printing, only applies to Item 1.0 as per GWAs response to Question No. 6 on Response to Inquiries No. 1 for IFB 2022-19?	GWA confirms that the “options”, including Wi-fi and Mobile Printing, only applies to Item 1.0 as per GWAs response to Question No. 6 on Response to Inquiries No. 1 for IFB 2022-19.
4.		Bidder are hereby notified the last day to submit questions is on October 27, 2022, 4 p.m.

Bidders are also notified to visit GWA website: www.guamwaterworks.org to ensure that addenda to the bid, answers to questions, and reminders are communicated to all bidders throughout the solicitation process.

2022.10.24
Date


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