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IFB No. 2025-31 Ultrasonic Water Meters Response for Inquiries No. 1

This document addresses inquiries regarding IFB 2025-31. It provides clarifications and additional information for informational purposes. In the event that any responses result in modifications to the bid documents, they should be considered as amendments to the original IFB 2025-31.

QUESTION/INQUIRY AS SUBMITTED:		GWA RESPONSE:	
Questions from May 6, 2025			
1.	I am requesting that GWA indicate the Manufacturer of the Ultrasonic Meter that they prefer which has had an efficient performance and complies with the technical specifications, general requirements and passed inspection registration and test in the past.	GWA does not identify or indicate a preferred manufacturer under a competitive sealed bid procurement. Bidders are responsible for proposing a product that meets all technical specifications, general requirements, and that will be subject to inspection, registration, and testing as outlined in the IFB.	
		GWA will evaluate compliance based solely on the requirements set forth in the bid documents and will not reference past vendor performance or product history as a basis for product approval unless explicitly stated in the specifications. All proposed meters must conform to the required standards and will be reviewed	
2.	I am also requesting that the quantity per item	At this time, GWA will maintain the quantities as stated	
	be reduced to 7 each per item since there is no guarantee of amounts to be purchased.	in the IFB. The quantities represent GWA's estimated need and are necessary to ensure pricing consistency	
	The other reason is for other vendors to have	across all bidders for evaluation purposes. As stated in	
	the opportunity to participate due to lower 15% BID bond.	the IFB, actual quantities purchased may vary based on availability of funds and operational needs.	
3.	I am also requesting an extension of the BID	At this time, GWA will not be extending the bid	
	on June 9 or 2nd week of June.	submission deadline. The current schedule will remain	
		as published to maintain the integrity of the procurement timeline and ensure timely execution of the project.	
		Bidders are encouraged to submit all required	
		documents by the stated deadline.	

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

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