



## GUAM WATERWORKS AUTHORITY

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### **IFB No. 2025-12 Internet, Point-to-Point (MPLS), DSL, and Communication Services Response for Inquiries No. 10**

This document addresses inquiries regarding IFB 2025-12. 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 2025-12.

QUESTION/INQUIRY AS SUBMITTED:		GWA RESPONSE:
<b>Questions from July 1, 2025</b>		
1.	We kindly request an extension to allow sufficient time to thoroughly review the RFI response and coordinate with our engineering team regarding the redundancy design and associated costs.	GWA has accepted the request for extension and will be making the following changes to the bid timeline: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Deadline for Submission:</b> July 25, 2025 at 10:00 AM</li><li>• <b>Bid Opening:</b> July 25, 2025 at 10:30 AM</li></ul>
2.	Will Aerial Fiber Optic transport to the various service locations (Sections 1,2,3) be acceptable for stated redundancy requirements?	Connection is preferred to be wired or fiber optic infrastructure, allowance of wireless technology is permissible solely in areas where wired or fiber optic connectivity is unavailable, and usage is subject to the discretion/approval of GWA.  For 1.0, services into the building are preferred to be under ground and protected.
3.	Will Fixed Wireless transport to the various service locations (Sections 1,2,3) be acceptable for stated redundancy requirements?	Please refer to the response provided under Question 2 of this RFI.
4.	We recommend that GWA set a service availability percentage (%) for each type of service. Typically, this would be between 99.9% up to 999.99%.	The availability is 99.9% for all communications.
5.	Delivery should be changed from 30 days to 180 days to allow for construction of needed facilities and required permits/approvals to support the significant service specification changes contained in RFI No. 9.	180 days only allowed for new constructions. 30 days for the non-construction.
6.	Bid submission should be extended to allow for Bidders to study significant service specifications changes contained in RFI No. 9 and to perform new surveys as needed in order to prepare compliant bid submissions.	Please refer to the response provided under Question 1 of this RFI.

Questions from July 10, 2025		
7.	We are requesting to extend until the 25 <sup>th</sup> Friday of July if possible.	Please refer to the response provided under Question 1 of this RFI.

Bidders are also notified to visit the GWA website: [www.guamwaterworks.org](http://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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Date