

Forsyth County Procurement

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ADDENDUM #2

RFP No. 21-201-3300

For: Sanitary Sewer Flow Monitoring Services

This addendum supersedes and supplements all portions of the bidding documents and becomes part of the contract documents for the above-referenced project.

Where any item called for in the specifications or indicated on the drawings is supplemented hereby, the original requirements shall remain in effect.

Where any original item is amended, voided or superseded hereby, the provision of such item not so specifically amended, voided or superseded shall remain in effect.

Clarification on Bidder Questions:

- Q: Are there any rain gauges we will be responsible for maintaining? If so, how many? Will you want us to provide edited data from the rain gauges? Do they have telemetry? What communications software do they use?
 A: No rain gauges.
- 2. Q: Do you have any spare parts in your inventory? If we wait until we need a replacement part to place an order for equipment, the meters may have downtime in excess of the required 95% uptime. Can we get approval to purchase certain spare parts ahead of time to avoid downtime that is out of our control? A: Yes, with FCDWS approval.
- Q: Is it a firm requirement that our data analyst be a registered PE? If we can meet all spec and scope requirements with an experienced analyst who is not a PE, would that professional be acceptable to serve in that role?
 A: Data analysts do not need to be a registered PE, but their work must be under direct supervisory control of a licensed professional engineer in Georgia.

- 4. Q: Are you currently doing any sewer monitoring? A: Yes.
- Q: If you are currently doing sewer monitoring, how many stations are active and what devices are being used for the monitoring?
 A: 24 FloWav flow meters with PSA-AV open channel area velocity sensors, StingRay ultrasonic sensors, and FW-33 wireless loggers are active.
- 6. Q: What level of accuracy is required for the flow measurements? A: Contractor shall verify and maintain the equipment manufacturer's specified level of accuracy for all measuring devices.
- 7. Q: How many sites do you desire to monitor at one time? A: Contractor shall monitor 24 sites continuously using the flow meters provided by FCDWS.
- 8. Q: How many sites do you desire to monitor total?
 A: Our desire is to continuously monitor 24 "long-term" sites. We may need to relocate flow meters to new sites occasionally.