

**ADDENDUM THREE  
QUESTIONS and ANSWERS  
6781 OF**

Date: 05/12/23

To: All Bidders

From: Brenda Sensibaugh, Procurement Contracts Officer  
AS Materiel State Purchasing Bureau (SPB)

RE: Addendum for Invitation to Bid (ITB) Number 6781 OF for **Transmission line and Antenna replacement and installation for KXNE-FM** to be opened on May 26, 2023, at 2:00 p.m. Central Time

Following are the questions submitted and answers provided for the above-mentioned ITB. The questions and answers are to be considered as part of the ITB.

**It is the Bidder's responsibility to check the SPB website for all Addenda or Amendments.**

<u>Question Number</u>	<u>ITB Section Reference</u>	<u>ITB Page Number</u>	<u>Question</u>	<u>State Response</u>
1			Are there tower drawings available to view in order to plan transmission line placement?	Yes, tower drawings and structural are available. See attachments A, B and C.
2			Do we submit a quote with pricing, or will there be a pricing sheet available to fill in line items like past projects?	Addendum one is posted to amend
3			It appears the bidder is responsible for an antenna and line and have the system installed by June 15 <sup>th</sup> ,2023. With lead time on materials, I am seeing months before something could be ready. Is there any way to push the required complete date back further?	Yes, the expected completion date can be pushed back.
4			There are 2 dates for the bid opening specified. Under zoom meeting it states May 23, 2023, but to the right for date and time it says May 26, 2023. Which is the actual due date?	The opening date is May 26, 2023.
5	Section III, Item H	Page 18	ERI interprets this paragraph to apply to software licenses or royalties to use the products supplied and does not obligate	Correct. Bidder is not responsible for any local jurisdiction or FCC permits.

			the Bidder to file the FCC applications to license the modified facilities of KXNE-FM it is required. Will the State confirm this is correct and identify if any building permits or other local jurisdiction requirements must be met to perform the FM antenna and transmission line replacement?	
6	Section VI, Item C, Paragraph 7	Pages 26 and 27	There is a requirement that the new transmission line be installed inside the tower. Are there tower drawings or photographs of the current installation to confirm there is space for the new transmission line run without removing components of the current KXNE-FM rigid transmission line or the KXNE-TV transmission line?	Yes, tower drawings and structural are available. See attachments A, B and C.
7	Section VI, Item C, Paragraph 7	Page 27	The bid specifications have a "Required completion date of prior to or on June 15, 2023." The bid opening is not scheduled until May 26, 2023. Manufacturing the new FM antenna and 930 feet of 3-1/8-inch rigid line and the installation cannot be accomplished by the required date even if a contract award is made on the day of the bid opening. Will the State eliminate this requirement from the section?	Yes, the expected completion date can be pushed back.
8	Section VI, Item C, Paragraph 10	Page 27	The specification requires the termination of the transmission line run at the existing galvanized steel barrier, which will be retained in the system. Is there a drawing or photographs of the transmission line inside the transmitter building so that these components can be accounted for?	Yes, a photo is available. See attachments A, B and C.
9	Section VI, Item F, Paragraph 9	Page 28	The bid specification required that all hardware be included with the new FM antenna to mount it on the tower. Are tower drawings or a structural analysis of the tower available that would provide the leg dimensions and tower face size in the aperture where the new FM antenna will be mounted? Is the new antenna to be leg or face mounted?	New antenna is to be leg mounted. Yes, tower drawings and structural are available. See attachments A,B and C.
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			Can you please confirm no prevailing wage is required on this contract?	No prevailing wage is required on this contract.
12	Section VI, Technical Spec	Subsection C, Subsection 9	Section VI Technical specs Sub C Sub 9 calls for grounding kits to be installed every 300'. As previous specifications require provision installation of hardline, is this requirement omitted?	Due to the requirement of hardline, this specification is omitted.

This Addendum will become part of the ITB and should be acknowledged with the ITB.