

**ADDENDUM TWO  
QUESTIONS and ANSWERS  
And  
REVISED SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

Date: June 22, 2024  
To: All Bidders

From: Connie Heinrichs / Kelly Rowlands, Procurement Contracts Officers  
AS Materiel State Purchasing Bureau (SPB)

RE: Addendum for Request for Proposal Number 6897 Z1 to be opened ~~July 8, 2024~~ **July 16, 2024** at 2:00 P.M. Central Time

**Questions and Answers**

Following are the questions submitted and answers provided for the above-mentioned Request for Proposal. The questions and answers are to be considered as part of the Request for Proposal. It is the Bidder's responsibility to check the State Purchasing Bureau website for all addenda or amendments.

Question Number	RFP Section Reference	RFP Page Number	Question	State Response
1.			<p>Is there additional budget beyond this \$443,672 available? If not, how will NDEE move forward if all bids exceed budgeted amount?</p> <p>If negotiations occur, will only companies who provided initial bids be eligible? Or would the project be rebid entirely?</p>	<p>No additional budget is available.</p> <p>NDEE may initially negotiate with the current bidders depending on the circumstances but could decide to rebid the project.</p>
2.			<p>In response to Addendum #1, Question 6. The question asks "Is it necessary to both visually characterize and hand-sort from each load?." Response states "No, not if the characterization process quantifies materials accurately..." This response leaves open the opportunity to visually quantify the entire study in lieu of sorting and weighing the MSW material. Is complete visual waste characterization acceptable?</p>	<p>No. This would not meet the requirement that the two studies be comparable to the greatest extent possible.</p>
3.			<p>Is it possible to extend the submission date one additional week, through July 15<sup>th</sup>, in preparation of NDEE's response to these clarifications.</p>	<p>Yes, NDEE will extend the deadline to July 15<sup>th</sup> for bidders to prepare their proposal.</p>

## Revised Schedule of Events

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ACTIVITY		DATE/TIME
4.	<p>Proposal Opening – Online Via Zoom:</p> <p>IT IS THE BIDDER'S RESPONSIBILITY TO UPLOAD ELECTRONIC FILES BY OPENING DATE AND TIME. EXCEPTIONS WILL NOT BE MADE FOR TECHNOLOGY ISSUES.</p> <p>ShareFile Electronic Proposal Submission Link:  <a href="https://nebraska.sharefile.com/r-r5cf3bb341222403eaff5d7bb965ee45c">https://nebraska.sharefile.com/r-r5cf3bb341222403eaff5d7bb965ee45c</a></p> <p>Join Zoom Meeting                      Zoom link here and other meeting information</p> <p>Join Zoom Meeting  <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8235255480?pwd=Q2dQaUtvEQvYVpRc3lDb0V3R3EwUT09&amp;omn=83762451304">https://us02web.zoom.us/j/8235255480?pwd=Q2dQaUtvEQvYVpRc3lDb0V3R3EwUT09&amp;omn=83762451304</a>                      Meeting ID: 823 525 5480                      Passcode: 198166</p> <p>---</p> <p>One tap mobile                      +12532050468,,8235255480#,,,,*198166# US                      +12532158782,,8235255480#,,,,*198166# US (Tacoma)</p> <p>---</p> <p>Dial by your location</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• +1 253 205 0468 US</li> <li>• +1 253 215 8782 US (Tacoma)</li> <li>• +1 346 248 7799 US (Houston)</li> <li>• +1 669 444 9171 US</li> <li>• +1 669 900 6833 US (San Jose)</li> <li>• +1 719 359 4580 US</li> <li>• +1 929 205 6099 US (New York)</li> <li>• +1 301 715 8592 US (Washington DC)</li> <li>• +1 305 224 1968 US</li> <li>• +1 309 205 3325 US</li> <li>• +1 312 626 6799 US (Chicago)</li> <li>• +1 360 209 5623 US</li> <li>• +1 386 347 5053 US</li> <li>• +1 507 473 4847 US</li> <li>• +1 564 217 2000 US</li> <li>• +1 646 931 3860 US</li> <li>• +1 689 278 1000 US</li> </ul> <p>Meeting ID: 823 525 5480                      Passcode: 198166</p> <p>Find your local number: <a href="https://us02web.zoom.us/u/kgRaG9ugb">https://us02web.zoom.us/u/kgRaG9ugb</a></p>	<p><del>July 8, 2024</del>  <b>July 16, 2024</b>                      2:00 PM                      Central Time</p>
5.	Review for conformance to RFP requirements	<p><del>July 8, 2024</del>  <b>July 16, 2024</b></p>
6.	Evaluation period	<p><del>July 9, 2024 – July 16, 2024</del>  <b>July 17, 2024 – July 24, 2024</b></p>
7.	"Oral Interviews/Presentations and/or Demonstrations" (if required)	TBD
8.	Post "Notification of Intent to Award" to Internet at: <a href="http://dee.ne.gov/">http://dee.ne.gov/</a> and <a href="https://das.nebraska.gov/materiel/bidopps.html">https://das.nebraska.gov/materiel/bidopps.html</a>	<p><del>July 26, 2024</del>  <b>August 2, 2024</b></p>

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ACTIVITY		DATE/TIME
9.	Contract finalization period	<del>July 27, 2024 – August 9, 2024</del> August 3, 2024 – August 16, 2024
10.	Contract award	<del>August 30, 2024</del> September 9, 2024
11.	Contractor start date	<del>September 3, 2024</del> September 12, 2024

This addendum will become part of the Request for Proposal and should be acknowledged with the Request for Proposal response.