

THE CITY OF TREASURE ISLAND, FLORIDA



INVITATION TO BID NO. 1718-15

MULTI-FAMILY AND COMMERCIAL RECYCLING SERVICES

ADDENDUM NO. 3 ISSUED JUNE 27, 2018

Please note the City's Contract has been updated and modified. The revised version of the City's Contract is attached to Addendum No. 2 as Exhibit A.

Responses to All Remaining Questions:

36. **Question:** Is the pricing requested for the Not to Exceed Rate for Commercial Businesses factored into the overall scoring of the bid?

Response: Please refer to Section III (D) Ranking of Bids in the Invitation to Bid. Only row D of Bid Schedule A1 for multi-family pricing will be used to compare bids.

37. **Question:** Does the City consider the Not to Exceed Rate for Commercial Businesses as an optional item or would a contractor be penalized in the overall scoring of the bid if pricing was listed as N/A?

Response: This is not an optional item. To be considered, the contractor must complete at least one row of Schedule B-2 Pricing for Commercial Customers, as updated in Addendum No. 1.

38. **Question:** *Page 18(B) Submittals to be Provided with Priced Proposal: A List of Florida (government) clients currently under contract with the bidder and the duration of the contract including reference contract information.* As it is confidential in nature, we would not be inclined to provide an entire listing of all the contracts we have with our municipal partners in the State of Florida. Would the City accept a smaller listing of (recycling collection) references located in the State of Florida? For example, three references with all of the contract data and contact information listed on page 28 of the bid package?

Response: No, the City does not believe there is any confidentiality in the information requested. A

contractor's contract with a government entity in Florida is public record. The City is not seeking all of the contracts, but simply a listing of municipalities served, term of the contract, and contact information.

39. ***Question:*** *Page 18(B) Submittals to be Provided with Priced Proposal: Disposal Methodology for Collected Containers at the End of the Contract.* In order to decrease costs, would the City consider purchasing the carts and keeping them after the contract with the awarded vendor has expired? The carts can be purchased cheaper (no sales tax) and most carts come with a 10 year warranty. The awarded hauler could maintain (broken lids, wheels, etc.) the carts over the term of the contract.

Response: Thank you for the recommendation. This is something that the City will likely undertake at the expiration of this contract for both the single family and multi-family residents, but not at this time.