



STATE OF DELAWARE
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TO: ALL OFFERORS

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SUBJECT: ADDENDUM TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL NO.: GSS17782-ROADMAINT
Roadway Maintenance and Repair – Equipment, Supplies and Service

ADDENDUM # 2

This Addendum is issued to answer questions submitted by interested vendors, as per the Request for Proposals.

Q1) The current RFP equipment specifications are written around a Crafc0 SS125. Can other machines be considered for “or authorized equivalent”/ “approved equal”?

A1) These specifications are not intended to be restrictive but describe the kind and size of unit desired to be purchased in detail. If a bidder is basing his proposal on other equipment than what is specified in these bid documents and wishes the equipment proposed to be considered as an “approved equal,” the bidder shall submit on a separate sheet attached to the Technical Specifications contained herein, an item by item description of that which is proposed, noting each section of these specifications whether the bid complies with that section or not. For purposes of comparison, include only those items on each sheet as given in these technical specifications. Such bidders shall also include, but not as a substitute for the above, any manufacturer’s literature or specifications. In addition, if the bidder takes exception to any item, he will note the item and describe in detail the exception and how his proposal is an “approved equal.” Failure to carry out the provisions noted herein may be deemed sufficient reason to reject the bidder’s proposal. –p 64 RFP17782-ROADMAINT

Language that would normally also be used for this is “or authorized equivalent”

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Q2) (Ref. Item 10 B.) The Base engine specification is for a 3-cylinder engine is called out at 41.6 HP. The standard model for the bid specification does not call for a compressor. Can the base model machine be bid with the Isuzu 3-cylinder 29 HP engine as the HP requirement for the compressor is not on the base model?

A2) Additional brands/ configurations may be bid as long as the equipment serves the same purpose. Reference items in the original RFP are the current standards used by the State of Delaware based on previously purchased, reliable equipment.

Q3) Per the specification, options are price individually. Because this is a factory-installed option, the option will also include the engine upgrade to the 41.6 HP Isuzu. Based on the question relation to Item 10. B., is this acceptable form of pricing to the State?

A3) This is an acceptable form of pricing to the State. Items that have been improved/ upgraded or replaced due to being discontinued are acceptable to bid. The State of Delaware is looking for the minimum listed in the RFP specifications.

Q4) Are “spray injection” type patchers acceptable?

A4) Yes, “spray injection” style patchers are acceptable alternatives for bid.

All other terms and conditions remain the same.