

April 10, 2018

**Subject: Request for Proposals #1440-P: Debris Clearing, Removal & Disposal –  
Addendum 2**

Gentlemen/Ladies:

Below, please find responses to questions, clarification, or additional information for the above referenced Request for Proposal. You will need to consider this information when preparing your proposal.

**1. Regarding the price proposal spreadsheet, are any distance limits in place for debris hauling or reduced debris final disposal?**

No.

**2. Has the County considered creating tiers for various distances? (ex. 0-15 miles, 16-30, 31-45, 46-60, 60+ at rate plus per mile over 60)?**

While this is a small county as far as land area and distances, we agree to create tiers for pricing Vegetative Collect and Haul and Construction & Demolition Collect & Haul as follows:

0-15 miles from Right-of-Way to Debris Management Site

16-30 miles from Right-of-Way to Debris Management Site

Over 30 miles from Right-of-Way to Debris Management Site

It has been decided not to create tiers for Final Disposition hauling. A revised Price Proposal sheet for work performed after 70 hours is attached.

**3. Please explain specifically how the pricing of one proposal will be evaluated against the pricing from another proposal.**

**a. Will each pricing proposal be analyzed and refined to become one total number which can then be compared to the other proposals?**

**b. Will all pricing line items be evaluated equally or will some line items receive more importance in the evaluation?**

The extended prices (unit price times estimated units) will be totaled for both price schedules – the first 70 hours and after the first 70 hours. These two totals will be combined to determine the assumed prices for comparison of proposals.

Unit prices will not be evaluated equally. Estimated quantities are provided for each item, based on an assumed “event.” Extended prices will be used for proposal comparison purposes.

The county uses a “variance” weighted price comparison for scoring price proposals. The proposal with the lowest combined price will receive the maximum of 30 points. For other proposals, the calculation will be:

$$(\text{Proposed Price} - \text{Low Price}) / \text{Low Price} = \text{Price Difference}$$

$$1 - (\text{Price Difference} / \text{Low Price}) = \text{Variance}$$

$$\text{Variance} \times \text{Maximum Points} = \text{Awarded Points}$$

**4. Are the rates fixed for the contract term? Will a CPI (Consumer Price Index) inflation allowance be assessed for pricing after the initial term of the contract?**

Rates would be fixed for the term of the contract, including the initial term and two renewal terms.

**5. Will hazardous trees/limbs be cut and placed on ROW for pick up under the line item for vegetative collect & haul from ROW to DMS?**

Fayette County and the municipalities will not assist in the cutting or placing of hazardous trees/limbs on the ROW beyond access requirements for immediate emergency response. All work done for debris management will be performed by the contractor.

**6. Does the line item for removal of hazardous stumps include haul off?**

Yes. However, removal of any hazardous stumps located on private property will require pre-approval by Fayette County or the municipality involved.

**7. Who will provide the locations of the TDSR or Debris Management sites (DMS)?**

Locations will be provided by the County or Municipality involved.

**8. P. 13 Price schedules shall be placed in an additional opaque envelope, identified as the price schedule, and enclosed in the sealed envelope with the proposal**

**a. Does this mean that pricing belongs in its own envelope but then needs to be contained within the envelope that has the original proposal in it?**

**b. Does this mean that pricing belongs in its own envelope along with the proposal in its own envelope within a sealed box?**

Yes; pricing belongs in its own sealed envelope. It can be placed inside the envelope with the original proposal, or separately, as long as both are contained within a sealed box, envelope, or other container.

**9. Do the copies need to be bound?**

It is preferred that the copies are bound, but not a requirement.

**10. Do we need to provide 5 copies of the pricing?**

One copy of pricing will be sufficient.

**11. Does the pricing go on the flash drive in a separate file?**

It is not necessary to put the pricing on the flash drive.

**12. Clarification:** In your proposal, under the section titled "Project Understanding and the Proposed Solution," specify whether there is a minimum estimated cubic yards or other measure under which you will not activate.

Received by \_\_\_\_\_ Company \_\_\_\_\_

Note: If this addendum is not returned to the Fayette County Purchasing Department or if it is returned not signed, all responders shall still be responsible for the requirements of this addendum and the specifications or changes herein.

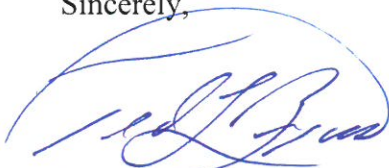
The opening date for this request for proposal has changed. **The new opening date is: 3:00pm, Friday, April 13, 2018.** Proposals must be received in the Purchasing Department at the address above in Suite 204 on or before the new opening date and time.

So that this procurement process can be completed in a timely manner, the time for submitting questions has expired.

If you have already submitted a proposal, it will be opened and the submitting firm name will be read on the opening date. If you would not like your proposal opened or should you desire to submit a new proposal, your original proposal must be picked up, or you must notify the Fayette County Purchasing Department **in writing** to, email address: [tbarwicks@fayettecountyga.gov](mailto:tbarwicks@fayettecountyga.gov) or fax to (770) 719-5515 of your desire to not have your proposal opened.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



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Director of Purchasing

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Attachment

RFP #1440-P: Debris Clearing, Removal, & Disposal					
Price Proposal - Work Performed After 70 Hours					
REVISED					
ROW = Right of Way					
DMS = Debris Management Site					
C&D = Collection and Demolition					
		Unit	Estimated	Extended	
Service Description		Unit	Price	Units	Price
<b>Vegetative Collect &amp; Haul</b>					
0-15 miles Veg from ROW to DMS		CY		70,000	
16-30 miles Veg from ROW to DMS		CY		20,000	
Over 30 miles Veg from ROW to DMS		CY		10,000	
<b>Debris Reduction</b>					
(Based on your proposal, <b>add units</b> to this category assuming a total of 100,000 cubic yards):					
Grinding / chipping vegetative debris		CY			
Air curtain burning vegetative debris		CY			
Open burning vegetative debris		CY			
Compacting vegetative debris		CY			
<b>Debris Management Site</b>					
Prep, mgt, segregating at DMS		CY		100,000	
<b>Construction &amp; Demolition Collect &amp; Haul</b>					
0-30 miles C&D from ROW to DMS		CY		30,000	
16-30 miles C&D from ROW to DMS		CY		15,000	
Over 30 miles C&D from ROW to DMS		CY		5,000	
<b>Final Disposal</b>					
Single Price from DMS to Final Disposal		CY		150,000	
<b>Tree Operations (includes leaners &amp; hangers)</b>					
Hazardous tree removal 6"- 12" trunk		Tree		500	
Hazardous tree removal 13"- 24" trunk		Tree		450	
Hazardous tree removal 25"- 36" trunk		Tree		200	
Hazardous tree removal 37"-48"		Tree		50	
Hazardous tree removal 49" & up		Tree		10	
Tree with hazardous limbs > 2"		Tree		2,500	
Hazardous stump 24"- 36"		Stump		100	
Hazardous stumps 37"- 48"		Stump		20	
Hazardous stumps > 49"		Stump		10	
Stump fill dirt		CY		100	
<b>Specialty Removal</b>					
Vehicle removal		Unit		100	
Carcass removal		Pound		100	
ROW white goods & related removal		Unit		1,000	
Freon management & recycling		Unit		500	
Electronic waste removal		Unit		500	
Biowaste		Pound		1,000	

		Unit	Estimated	Extended
	<u>Service Description</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Price</u>	<u>Units</u>
<b>Other (Add as proposed)</b>				
	TOTAL PROPOSED EXTENDED PRICE			
<b>State your payment terms:</b> _____				