

March 15, 2024

**Subject: RFP 2365-P: Debris Clearing, Removal & Disposal
Addendum 1**

Gentlemen/Ladies:

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

1. **On page 17, item 3. required Documents: h. Letter of Commitment and proof of bonding capacity issued by the Surety Company for payment and performance bonds. Would you need 'Fayette Co' included in the title on the bonding capacity letter, as opposed to a standard one?**

The bonding capacity letter will not be required to specify Fayette County. However, the County reserves the right to determine the adequacy of the bonding capacity letter.

2. **Please provide the names and titles of the evaluation committee members.**

The names and titles of the evaluation committee members, their evaluations and scores, and all other information relevant to the RFP, the proposals received, and the award will be available after award of a contract.

3. **Where will the evaluation committee meeting notice be posted?**

Evaluation Committee meetings are not posted. After a contract is awarded, information about proposals, evaluation and scoring, and the award will be available to the public.

4. **When will the intent to award be made, and how will it be communicated to proposers?**

Agendas for the meetings of the Board of Commissioners are posted to the County's website on Friday prior to the meeting on the following Thursday.

5. **Can the County provide a copy of the current Contractor (s) pricing?**

Award and pricing information for the current contract is available on the County website, Contract 1932-P: <https://fayettecountyga.gov/purchasing/archives/bids-and-proposals-2021>

6. **Who is the current garbage/trash hauler for the County?**

Fayette County contracts with C&C Sanitation to collect garbage at County buildings. The County does not have a franchise agreement with a contractor for all residents in the County. There are multiple trash collection companies providing services in Fayette County.

7. Does the County intend to award only one contract?

Yes. It is not our intention to award primary and secondary contracts. There will not be a pool of qualified vendors.

8. If the County intends to award more than one contract, will the contracts be categorized by order of intended activation (e.g. Primary, Secondary, Tertiary) or will there just be a pool of qualified vendors?

See the response to Question 7.

9. If there is a pool of qualified vendors, what method will the County use to determine which Contractor or contractors to activate first?

N/A.

10. What was the last event that impacted the County which required activation and performance by the County's disaster debris management contractor?

To the best of my knowledge, the County has never had to utilize the debris removal contract.

11. How many cubic yards of debris was collected in that event? What Landfill or final disposal locations does the County intend or prefer to use during an event?

N/A to first part. Fayette County Transfer Station will be utilized.

12. Which Contractor held the previous or holds the current contract for the services requested in this solicitation?

CERES Environmental.

13. Does the County currently have a disaster debris monitoring firm under contract, and if so, with which company(ies)?

Yes – TETRA TECH.

14. Does the County own any self-loading grapple trucks, and if so, how many?

The Fayette County Road Department has one self-loading grapple truck.

15. Please confirm if the scope of work for removing white goods includes removing and disposing of putrescent food from refrigerators or freezers.

This task is not specified in the scope of work.

16. Does the County have Memorandums of Understanding (MOU) or Mutual Aid agreements in place with other incorporated municipalities within the County that would allow the use of this contract to be utilized by those entities to perform disaster debris management services, and if so, which ones?

The County has MOU's and/or mutual aid agreements in place with all municipalities. Fayetteville, Peachtree City, and Tyrone were named in the contract. Brooks and Woolsey have MOU's with the County.

17. Does the County intend to allow all or some of the incorporated municipalities within the County to utilize this contract, and if so, which ones?

The RFP was prepared as a joint effort between Fayette County, City of Fayetteville, City of Peachtree City, and the Town of Tyrone. Each of these municipalities will have the opportunity to contract with the firm that is awarded the contract by the County.

18. Will this contract be used to perform services on any State roads within the County in lieu of the GDOT performing those services?

Possibly. If State roadways are impacted, then State resources will be requested. However, during the initial phase of recovery, Fayette County EMA shall be the ultimate authority when determining which roads receive priority for debris removal by selected contractor and this could include State roadways within Fayette County.

19. If the answer to the previous question is yes, does the County have a pre-existing Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) or Mutual Aid agreement with the GDOT that authorizes the County to perform debris removal services on State roads?

No.

20. Regarding the pricing line items for Debris Reduction, I do not see a line item for C&D Compaction. Would the County consider adding that? All we have identified is Vegetative Compacting, which is generally for C&D material and not vegetative. See below in yellow.

Grinding/chipping vegetative debris	CY
Air curtain burning vegetative debris	CY
Open burning vegetative debris	CY
Compacting vegetative debris	CY

See Question 22.

21. Can I receive a copy of the previous bid tab for this project if it has been put out in the past?

The previous RFP 1932-P information is available on the County website: <https://fayettecountyga.gov/purchasing/archives/bids-and-proposals-2021>

22. In line item 4 under Debris Reduction, it shows "Compacting Vegetative Debris." We do not compact vegetative debris we either Grind it or burn it. Is this a mistake? We compact C&D Material which is a line item that we would suggest adding.

We have purposely included "Compacting vegetative debris" in the category of "Debris Reduction" on the Price Proposal – Work Performed After 70 Hours" form. In the category of "Debris Reduction," you are to show unit prices, estimated units, and extended prices for the different methods you might use in clearing and removing debris for Fayette County. It is not necessary that you use all four methods shown. However, your estimated units must total 100,000 as shown on the Price Proposal form.

Construction & Demolition (C&D) compacting is not always used in debris-clearing events, because FEMA is sensitive to the issue of double-handling materials (once to stockpile, and again to compact & haul). In case FEMA makes an exception in the event of a health or safety-related issue, the "Price Proposal – Work Performed After 70 Hours" is revised acknowledging this possibility, so that it will be included in the contract and allowable for reimbursement (Attachment 1).

Received by (Name): _____ Company: _____

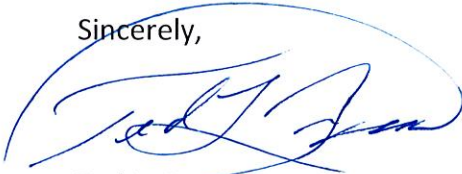
Note: If this addendum is not returned to the Fayette County Purchasing Department or if it is returned not signed, responding individuals, companies or other organizations will still be responsible for the requirements of this addendum and the specifications or changes herein.

The opening date for this RFP has changed. **The revised opening time and date are 2:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 3, 2024.** Proposals must be received by the Purchasing Department at the address above, Suite 204, at or before the opening date and time.

The deadline for inquiries has passed, so the Purchasing Department will not be able to accept any additional questions after this time.

If you have questions, please contact Natasha Duggan, Contract Administrator at (770) 305-5150, fax (770) 719-5534 or email at nduggan@fayettecountyga.gov.

Sincerely,



Ted L. Burgess
Chief Procurement Officer

Addendum 1, Attachment 1					
Price Proposal - Work Performed After 70 Hours - revised 3/15/2024					
RFP 2365-P: Debris Clearing, Removal, & Disposal					
Include mobilization, equipment, operators & other labor, fuel, maintenance and all other costs					
Company: _____					
ROW = Right of Way					
DMS = Debris Management Site					
C&D = Collection and Demolition					
	Service Description	Unit	Unit Price	Estimated Units	Extended Price
Vegetative Collect & Haul					
	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	\$ -
Debris Reduction					
(Based on your proposal, add units 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			\$ -
Other Reduction - Added with Addendum 1					
	Construction & Demolition (C&D) compacting	CY		1,000	\$ -
Debris Management Site					
	Prep, mgt, segregating at DMS	CY		100,000	\$ -
Construction & Demolition Collect & Haul					
	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	\$ -
Final Disposal					
	Single Price from DMS to Final Disposal	CY		150,000	\$ -
Tree Operations (includes leaners & hangers)					
	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	\$ -

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