TOWN OF BEACON FALLS REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS AND PROPOSALS RFQ/RFP #20-1

SUPERVISORY CONTROL AND DATA ACQUISITION (SCADA) SERVICES

ADDENDUM NO. 4 Tuesday, September 24, 2019 Bid Due Date: 9/27/19 10:00 a.m.

The attention of bidders submitting proposals for the above-referenced project is called to the following addendum to the specifications.

September 23, 2019

Q: The spec states that the objective is to obtain a provider of SCADA. III. Specifications - section 3 states replacement of existing SCADA but this is not listed under "Existing System/Scope?

Are there two scopes of work?

- 1. Replace Existing SCADA
- 2. Perform as needed SCADA services

September 24, 2019

A: While your question comes AFTER the established deadline of Friday September 20, 2019 at 10am (please see "Questions and Addenda" on the bottom of Page 10), the Town is willing to provide this point of clarification. Section III does not actually read the way you are interpreting it. It is an <u>upgrade of the software/licensing AND replacement of computers</u>. There are not two scopes of work. Please see below for the direct excerpts of the three areas of the RFQ/RFP that you are referencing:

Item #3 under Section III - Specifications (Pg 5), states: "While Item #5 (below) identifies that this contract spans three years and the Existing System/Scope section (below) identifies that services will be needed on an on-call/as-needed basis, the initial SCADA upgrade and replacement of computers must be completed within 6 months of contract award."



Within the Existing System/Scope section on the top of Pg 6, it states: "The Contractor shall be capable of performing SCADA upgrades, licensing and installation of new computers and should be able to project future growth needs after evaluating Beacon Falls' WPCF/WWTP. The Contractor should also be capable of new SCADA installations and troubleshooting, diagnosing, and repairing existing installations, including all equipment, SCADA system hardware, software, telemetry, or other communication issues."

Within Section I - Legal Notice and Section II - Instructions, the objective is stated: "The Town of Beacon Falls (Town), acting through its Water Pollution Control Facility (WPCF), also commonly referred to as the Waste Water Treatment Plant (WWTP), is soliciting sealed bid proposals from qualified respondents for furnishing Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) Services at the Beacon Falls WPCF/WWTP located at 411 Lopus Road, Beacon Falls, CT 06403.

Section I and Section II are both designed to be a summary of the need. Section III (General Specifications AND Existing System/Scope areas) are designed to go into depth about the need. To clarify and tie all sections together, the Town is soliciting sealed bid proposals from qualified respondents for furnishing Supervisory Control and Data Acquisition (SCADA) Services. These services include but are not limited to: an initial SCADA upgrade, licensing and replacement of computers/hardware within first 6 months and then on-call SCADA services as-needed for the remainder of the contract. These on-call services may include but are not limited to: new SCADA installations and troubleshooting, diagnosing, and repairing existing installations, including all equipment, SCADA system hardware, software, telemetry, or other communication issues.