

COUNTY OF FRESNO

ADDENDUM NUMBER: ONE (1)

RFP NUMBER: 020-5343

COMPACTOR WHEELS

April 30, 2015

PURCHASING USE

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IMPORTANT: SUBMIT PROPOSAL IN SEALED PACKAGE WITH PROPOSAL NUMBER, CLOSING DATE AND BUYER'S NAME
MARKED CLEARLY ON THE OUTSIDE TO:

COUNTY OF FRESNO, Purchasing
4525 EAST HAMILTON AVENUE, 2nd Floor
FRESNO, CA 93702-4599

CLOSING DATE OF PROPOSAL WILL BE AT 2:00 P.M., ON MAY 19, 2015.

PROPOSALS WILL BE CONSIDERED LATE WHEN THE OFFICIAL PURCHASING TIME CLOCK READS 2:00 P.M.

All proposal information will be available for review after contract award.

Clarification of specifications is to be directed to: **Debbie Scharnick, phone (559) 600-7110,**
e-mail CountyPurchasing@co.fresno.ca.us.

**NOTE THE ATTACHED ADDITIONS, DELETIONS AND/OR CHANGES TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL NUMBER: 020-5343 AND INCLUDE THEM IN YOUR RESPONSE. PLEASE
SIGN AND RETURN THIS ADDENDUM WITH YOUR PROPOSAL.**

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF ADDENDUM NUMBER ONE (1) TO RFP 020-5343

COMPANY NAME: _____
(PRINT)

SIGNATURE: _____

NAME & TITLE: _____
(PRINT)

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q1. What's the expected delivery and install time if awarded?

A1. 90 – 180 days.

Q2. Will you accept only new wheels or are remanufactured wheels accepted?

A2. Yes will accept new or remanufactured wheels. Please note as stated in the RFP the County desires a proposer that offers the longest-life teeth available, designed for greatest compaction.

Q3. Will you accept wheels wider than 51 inches?

A3. We will evaluate each proposal and consult with Caterpillar on the dimension of the wheels to ensure we do not impact any product warranty or integrity.

Q4. Can you propose two different wheels in terms of size, cost, etc.?

A4. Yes you propose various types of options. Please ensure for each option that is proposed that you provide all the information requested in the RFP.

Q5. If we can also provide remanufactured wheels, do we have to provide comparisons to new wheels?

A5. Please see response to question #2.

Q6. Will you accept less than 50 cleats per wheel?

A6. Please note as stated in the RFP the County desires a proposer that offers the longest-life teeth available, designed for greatest compaction.

Q7. Will you accept weld-ons?

A7. Please note as stated in the RFP the County desires a proposer that offers the longest-life teeth available, designed for greatest compaction.

Q8. Will you accept less than 8.5 inch tall cleats?

A8. Please note as stated in the RFP the County desires a proposer that offers the longest-life teeth available, designed for greatest compaction.

Q9. Do you prefer single or double sided cleats?

A9. Please note as stated in the RFP the County desires a proposer that offers the longest-life teeth available, designed for greatest compaction.

Q10. Will there be notification prior to installation of wheels?

A10. Yes

Q11. How much lead time or notice in advance will be received?

A11. 30 days

Q12. Will your County facility be able to handle the removal and installation of wheels?

A12. The County will not provide any support staff for the remove or installation of the wheels. The County will clean as much as they can from the compactor wheels prior to removal. The Vendor will be allowed the used the American Avenue Disposal Site maintenance shop crane to perform the necessary work as stated in the RFP. The vendor will be required to furnish all the tools necessary to perform the work.

Q13. Does insurance need to be provided with the proposal or once awarded?

A13. Yes

Q14. What is the process if wheels are pulled off and other work needs to be performed before wheels are installed?

A14. The purchase order can be amended if additional work is justifiable and accepted by County. No additional work shall commence without written authorization by County.

Q15. Do you have CAT stands or do we need to provide our own?

A15. The vendor will need to provide their own stands.

Q16. Do we have to furnish our own employees for any work done?

A16. Yes

Q17. Who would handle the wheels (loading/unloading) from the delivery vehicle?

A17. The County can provide an operator and a forklift to remove the wheels from the delivery vehicle. The vendor will be required to perform the rigging for loading/ unloading and provide the necessary tools and materials.

Q18. Does the County have the necessary equipment to handle the wheels?

A18. See response to question 12.

Q19. Does new mounting hardware need to be provided?

A19. Yes.