

COUNTY OF FRESNO

ADDENDUM NUMBER: ONE (1)

RFQ NUMBER: 988-5227

LANDSCAPE MAINTENANCE SERVICES - CROCKER

December 23, 2013

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IMPORTANT: SUBMIT QUOTATION IN SEALED PACKAGE WITH QUOTATION 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 BID WILL BE AT 2:00 P.M., ON JANUARY 9, 2014.

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

Quotes will be opened and publicly read at that time. All quotation information will be available for review after contract award.

Clarifications of specifications is to be directed to: **Shannon W. Kirby, phone (559) 600-7116, e-mail CountyPurchasing@co.fresno.ca.us, fax (559) 600-7126.**

NOTE THE FOLLOWING AND ATTACHED ADDITIONS, DELETIONS AND/OR CHANGES TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF REQUEST FOR QUOTATION NUMBER: 988-5227 AND INCLUDE THEM IN YOUR RESPONSE. PLEASE SIGN AND RETURN THIS ADDENDUM WITH YOUR QUOTATION.

➤ **The following paragraph on the cover page of the RFQ may be disregarded:**

Except as noted on individual items, the following will apply to all items in the Quotation Schedule

1. Complete delivery will be made within _____ calendar days after receipt of Order.
2. A cash discount of _____ % _____ days will apply.

QUESTION AND ANSWERS

Q1. There are 5 rather large planters in front of the building that currently have nothing in them. Would you be leaving them as is or would the company who is awarded need to install anything and maintain them as well?

A1. They would be left as is. If the company has a recommendation on how they could be utilized, we would welcome that input.

Q2. The Scope of Work mentions "Fertilization of turf areas." When we walked the job, there is no grass (turf), but we measured approx. 4100 sq. ft of planter beds with trees/shrubs/plants which have mulch. Should replacement of mulch (on periodic basis) be part of the quotation or should this just be listed as an additional service we could provide?

A2. Yes, we would want for mulch to be replaced or added on periodic basis. We would look to the vendor to propose how often the mulch should be replaced or added.

Q3. Who is the current contractor and how much was the awarded contract?

A3. The current contract is held by Jon Robert Alsdorf Landscape Contractor and is valued at \$3,000 annually.

Add "Prevailing Wages" as shown on the following page.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF ADDENDUM NUMBER ONE (1) TO RFQ 988-5227

COMPANY NAME: _____
(PRINT)

SIGNATURE: _____

NAME & TITLE: _____
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PREVAILING WAGES: The work to be done on this project will involve the repair, alteration, maintenance, installation, rehabilitation, demolition, construction or reconstruction of public buildings, streets, utilities, and/or other public works. In accordance with Labor Code section 1770, et seq., the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations of the State of California has determined the general prevailing wages rates and employer payments for health and welfare pension, vacation, travel time and subsistence pay as provided for in Section 1773.1, apprenticeship or other training programs authorized by Section 3093, and similar purposes applicable to this public work project.

The prevailing wage rates for all hours worked, including holiday and overtime rates, on this project are on file with the Purchasing Department, 4525 E. Hamilton Avenue, Fresno, California 93702, and are herein incorporated by this reference. Information pertaining to applicable Prevailing Wage Rates may be found on the website for the State of California – Department of Industrial Relations: <http://www.dir.ca.gov/oprl/PWD/index.htm>. Information pertaining to applicable prevailing wage rates for apprentices may be found on the website for the State of California – Department of Industrial Relations: <http://www.dir.ca.gov/oprl/pwappwage/PWAppWageStart.asp>

It shall be mandatory upon the Contractor herein and upon any subcontractor to pay not less than the prevailing wage rates, including overtime and holiday rates, to all workers, laborers, or mechanics employed on this public work project, including those workers employed as apprentices. Further, Contractor and each subcontractor shall comply with Labor Code sections 1777.5 and 1777.6 concerning the employment of apprentices. A copy of the above-mentioned prevailing wage rates shall be posted by the Contractor at the job site where it will be available to any interested party.

Contractor shall comply with Labor Code section 1775 and forfeit as a penalty to County Two Hundred Dollars (\$200.00) for each calendar day or portion thereof, for each worker paid less than the prevailing wage rates for the work or craft in which the worker is employed for any work done under this project by Contractor or by any subcontractor under Contractor in violation of Labor Code section 1770, et seq. In addition to the penalty, the difference between the prevailing wage rates and amount paid to each worker for each calendar day or portion thereof for which each worker was paid less than the prevailing wage rate shall be paid to each worker by the Contractor or subcontractor.

Contractor and each subcontractor shall keep an accurate record showing the names, address, social security number, work classification, straight time and overtime hours worked each day and week, and the actual per diem wages paid to each journeyman, apprentice, worker, or other employee employed by him or her in connection with this public work project. In accordance with Labor Code section 1776, each payroll record shall be certified and verified by a written declaration under penalty of perjury stating that the information within the payroll record is true and correct and that the Contractor or subcontractor complied with the requirements of Labor Code sections 1771, 1811 and 1815 for any work performed by its employees on this public work project. These records shall be open at all reasonable hours to inspection by the County, its officers and agents, and to the representatives of the State of California – Department of Industrial Relations, including but not limited to the Division of Labor Standards Enforcement.