PUBLIC BUILDING COMMISSION OF CHICAGO ADDENDUM #2 REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS FOR SECURITY SYSTEM INTEGRATION SERVICES FOR **OEMC CAMERA INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM - PS1836**

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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Question # 1:	What is the definition of a "local business"?	

Answer # 1: A "local business" is defined by the PBC as a business that 1) owns or leases a functioning business office and/or operations facilities within the corporation limits of the City of Chicago; 2) is registered and licensed to do business in the City of Chicago; 3) employs City of Chicago residents; and 4) is subject to City of Chicago taxes.

- Question # 2. Does local businesses only include local MBE/WBE businesses or all local businesses?
- Answer # 2: All local businesses are eligible to be counted toward the Local Business goal.
- Question #3. In keeping with the format of the submission as outlined in the RFQ, besides the Transmittal Letter, there does not appear to be a Section that Respondents can include their company background. Can we add a section for our company background?
- Answer # 3: Respondents may include their company background in the Executive Summary.
- Question #4. For the Executive Summary, you have identified certain sections with a maximum number of pages. Is there a maximum number of pages for the entire Executive Summary?
- Answer # 4: The maximum number of pages for the entire Executive Summary is seven (7) pages.
- Question #5. Resumes are requested in multiple sections under: Technology Assessments – 4.3.4.3; System Infrastructure – 4.3.5.2; Key Personnel – 4.3.8.5, and 4.3.8.6; Attachment B1 – Key Personnel; and Attachment B2 - Key Personnel. Do you want us to include resumes under each of these sections plus the same resumes as appropriate with each Attachment? Or, can we include all resumes in the Appendix?
- Answer # 5: Respondents may include all resumes in an appendix and refer to them in the appropriate sections.
- Question #6. At the end of the RFQ there is an Exhibit 5 – Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation – within the format of our response, there is no mention of where you would like for us to provide our experience for this area of expertise. Where would you like for us to include this information?

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- Answer #6: Respondents should demonstrate their ability with Environmental Planning and Historic Preservation documentation or similar environmental assessment planning in Section 4.3.5.4
- Question #7. Per Addendum 1 a DBE requirement has been added. Is there a percentage goal for the DBE? What is the breakdown for percentage of work by the MBE/WBE/DBE?
- Answer #7: Where DBE participation (rather than MBE/WBE participation) is a Federal or State funding requirement, the PBC would anticipate being required to establish task order level goals for DBE participation and that, based on our experience with delivering this type of work and the known availability of DBE firms in the area, Respondents should anticipate DBE goals that are comparable to the combination of the PBC's 24% 25% MBE and 4% 5% WBE goals for locally funded work.
- Question # 8. You have requested that pages be consecutively number throughout the response, can each section have it's own page numbering starting with page one for each section?
- Answer # 8: Yes.
- Question # 9. You have requested 5 projects showing experience/references for each category are our subcontractors projects to be included in the 5 or can we add additional projects to include our subcontractors experience/references?
- Answer #9: Subcontractors are to be considered part of the project team and their experience will be considered one of the five (5) projects.
- Question # 10: On Attachment C Schedule of Hourly Rates for Services, Category A: Camera Infrastructure is listed but there is no listing for Category B. Are we to assume that Attachment C is for both Category A and Category B? Also, are you expecting resumes to coincide with each of the personnel titles that are listed on this form?
- Answer # 10: Category B is "Construction / Installations". Attachment C is for Category A and B. Per Paragraph 4.3.8.2 of the RFQ, please provide 6 resumes of local key personnel. Resumes may coincide with Attachment C but are not limited to those personnel.
- Question # 11. On page 86 of the RFQ, the paragraph before Security Concepts states: Propose a methodology that we can provide locations around the city with a fiber optic or wireless communications capability for UCV that can obtain access to the proposed City surveillance network. Are you expecting Respondents to respond to this and if so, under what section would you like for us to include the response?
- Answer # 11: Yes. Respondents will be evaluated on methodology which can be demonstrated in paragraph 4.3.3.3 of the Executive Summary.

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Question # 12. Since once we receive the response to questions there will only be a few business days

left to prepare our response, would it be possible for you to extend the due date for

submittals?

Answer # 12: No.

END OF ADDENDUM NO. 2