



City of Austin

Founded by Congress, Republic of Texas, 1839

Contract Management Department, PO Box 1088, Austin, Texas 78767 Telephone 512/974-7181 Fax 512/974-7297

July 14, 2016

To: Consultants Requesting RFQ Package

SUBJECT: Request for Statements of Qualifications (RFQ) for providing Professional Engineering Services for the 2017 Large Diameter Pipeline Services Rotation List
Solicitation Number: CLMP201 – **CLARIFICATION #1**

This clarification #1 is in response to questions received which warranted a clarification.

Clarification:

Question 1: We have identified the need for an additional “other scopes of work” item, **subsurface utility engineering**, for the two above-referenced solicitations. Can you please send me the associated availability list of consultants? Will an addendum be issued?

Response: A Subsurface Utility Engineering (SUE) services commodity code does not exist. The tasks involved to provide SUE Services is encompassed through the Civil Engineering Services, Surveying Engineering Services, and Underground Utility Location commodities. Civil Engineering and Surveying are included as a Major Scope of Work. Underground Utility Location is not considered a major scope of work for this rotation list (RL) due to its infrequent use. It is the City’s belief that the need for Underground Utility Location is negligible. It is the intent of the City that if SUE services is required, the consultant shall have the option to self-perform, utilize the SUE services RL, or add any additional commodities as needed to complete the scope of work at the time the project is assigned. Auxiliary commodity codes required to fulfill your team can be requested through SMBR. An addendum is not necessary.

Question 2: What is meant by Austin area in the Evaluation Criteria for Consideration Item 7?

Response: The City of Austin defines Austin area to include the five surrounding counties: Bastrop, Caldwell, Hays, Travis and Williamson Counties.

This document is for clarification purposes only. Please remember this solicitation is currently in a “No Contact” period and all inquiries should be directed to the appropriate contact persons listed in the solicitation. If you have questions regarding this process, please call me at (512) 974-9143. You may also contact Louis Lindsey, Project Manager, at (512) 974-7099 for project related questions.

Sincerely,

Sofie Johnson, Buyer II, Contract Procurement Division
Capital Contracting Office

cc: Kevin Koeller, P.M.