



Addendum #1
ITB #26-24, Tree Care Services
April 19, 2024

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the following addendum serves to provide clarification and to answer the questions received on ITB #26-24, Tree Care Services.

Question 1: What is the estimated annual budget for this contract?

Answer to Question 1: *Given that services will be rendered on an as-needed basis, there is currently no fixed budget in place. An annual not-to-exceed amount will be determined prior to seeking approval from the Council.*

Question 2: Is the City of Clearwater going to make multiple awards?

Answer to Question 2: *While it is the City's intent to award to a single Vendor, the City reserves the right to award what is in the best interest of the City.*

Question 3: Are there estimated tree counts for the various line items on the bid pricing schedule?

Answer to Question 3: *Services will be executed on a per job basis, and pricing for items listed in Exhibit A - Bid Pricing should be provided on a per-item basis. Refer to DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS, 5. WORK PROCEDURES, page 19 of the solicitation.*

Question 4: Stump Removal pricing...when sod is required, will the City allow the contractor to bill for the sod?

Answer to Question 4: *Should sod be required, the City will assume responsibility for its procurement and installation.*

Question 5: How far past the root flare does the City expect the stump to be ground?

Answer to Question 5: *Reference DETAILED SPECIFICATIONS, 2. SCOPE OF SERVICES, CATEGORY 1 – TREE/PALM AND STUMP REMOVAL PROCEDURES, bullet 3, page 15 of the solicitation.*

Question 6: How is the grinding of extensive surface roots to be handled and priced?

Answer to Question 6: *Reference Answer to Question 5 above. Anything outside of the standard scope will be determined on a project-by-project basis.*

End of Questions and Answers

All other dates and terms and conditions remain the same in this Invitation to Bid.

End of Addenda