



AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SOLICITATION

DATE: November 30, 2017
TO: ALL VENDORS
FROM: Tracy Fountain
SUBJECT: USC-IFB-3221-TF-RE-BID
DESCRIPTION: **Furnish and Deliver Water Softener Salt for the East, West and South Energy Plants**

This Amendment No. 1 modifies the Request for Quotes only in the manner and to the extent as stated herein.

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OFFERORS SHALL ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF AMENDMENT NO. 1 IN THE SPACE PROVIDED BELOW AND RETURN IT WITH THEIR QUOTE RESPONSE. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY SUBJECT QUOTE TO REJECTION.

Authorized Signature

Name of Offeror

Date

Vendor Questions
Answers from USC in Red

1. Approximately how many pallets of salt are needed for these plants per month?

Answer: 6 pallets (summer months we use less, winter months we use more).

2. The solicitation says salt must be delivered and unloaded indoors, will we need to provide a forklift for this process or will there be forklifts at the plants to unload?

Answer: The energy plants do not have a forklift. The vendor will have to have a lift gate and a pallet jack on their truck to lower down the pallets.

3. Are all 3 of the plants on the USC campus?

Answer: Yes

4. Do you have an estimated quantity based on previous years usage?

Answer: The last 4 years we used about 77 pallets

1st year = 20 pallets

2nd year = 20 pallets

3rd year = 29 pallets

4th year = 6 pallets

5. Are all locations where product is to be delivered forklift accessible?

Answer: No.

West and South plants have a loading dock the truck has to back up to. Only box trucks can get to the loading docks. 18 wheelers will not be able to get to these plants.