



AMENDMENT NO. 2 TO SOLICITATION

DATE: October 8, 2018
TO: ALL VENDORS
FROM: Tracy Fountain
SUBJECT: USC-RFQ-3370-TF
DESCRIPTION: **Furnish, Deliver, Install and Support Valcom Security Alert System for the Hilton Head Island Campus at USC Beaufort Campus**

This Amendment No. 2 modifies the Request for Quotes only in the manner and to the extent as stated herein.

Item #1 Questions and Answers from Vendors – See page 2

Item #2 Submit Revised Bidding Schedule – See page 3

Item #3 Add to SCOPE OF WORK / SPECIFICATIONS

Panic buttons and 2-way speakers are to be installed in the following rooms:

102, 103, 104, 105, 114, 115, 127, 128, 202, 207, 213, and 214.

OFFERORS SHALL ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF AMENDMENT NO. 2 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

QUESTIONS FROM OFFERORS - AMENDMENT (JUN 2017) THE SOLICITATION IS AMENDED AS PROVIDED HEREIN. INFORMATION OR CHANGES RESULTING FROM QUESTIONS WILL BE SHOWN IN A QUESTIONAND-ANSWER FORMAT. ALL QUESTIONS RECEIVED HAVE BEEN REPRINTED BELOW. THE “STATE’S RESPONSE” SHOULD BE READ WITHOUT REFERENCE TO THE QUESTIONS. THE QUESTIONS ARE INCLUDED SOLELY TO PROVIDE A CROSS-REFERENCE TO THE POTENTIAL OFFEROR THAT SUBMITTED THE QUESTION. QUESTIONS DO NOT FORM A PART OF THE CONTRACT; THE “STATE’S RESPONSE” DOES. ANY RESTATEMENT OF PART OR ALL OF AN EXISTING PROVISION OF THE SOLICITATION IN AN ANSWER DOES NOT MODIFY THE ORIGINAL PROVISION EXCEPT AS FOLLOWS: UNDERLINED TEXT IS ADDED TO THE ORIGINAL PROVISION. STRICKEN TEXT IS DELETED. [02-2A097-1]

1. I have talked to Rick Hamilton of Valcom and after his review of the projects equipment list he advises that we will need to add a VE-8004 BR to the equipment list?

Answer: We will follow Rick Hamilton’s suggestion. Please refer to Item #2 of this amendment.

2. During the pre-bid walk through meeting of 10-2-18 it appeared that all the cabling for this system was supposed to be provided and in place. That was true for the classrooms. However after reviewing the construction drawings I do not find that the common area speaker had been provided for. If Speaker cabling for classrooms is in place, why is there line item 10. for 3,000 of class room speaker cable?

Answer: Item # 10 is for the hallways and should remain the same. However, Item # 11 for the classrooms should be reduced. Please refer to Item #2 of this amendment.

3. During the pre-bid walk through meeting of 10-2-18, the sound requirements and aesthetics requirements were discussed. With that In mind I do not understand the application and proposed locations of the 9 - Kilsch CA650T Surface mount speakers and the 1- Atlas Sp-15T. Would other design and equipment models be acceptable?

Answer: For comparison among vendors please submit a bid in accordance with the bid schedule. However, please also submit any proposed substitutions as an alternate for our review.

4. In the Itemized equipment list there is not a line item or Unite Price listed for the installation labor.

Answer: Item number 4 was intended to be labor. Please refer to Item #2 of this amendment.

5. Please provide a floor plan showing and indicating the required locations of the emergency switches and speakers and the intent of the RFQ.

Answer: Floor plans for both 1st and 2nd floor were issued with amendment 1. Please note that the 12 locations for panic buttons and 2-way speakers are marked but we will rely on vendor advice for placement of the 1-way (normal) speaker locations.

6. Has an estimated budget and start date been established?

Answer: The start date is as soon as possible. The estimated budget is around \$40,000.

BID SCHEDULE
REVISED IN USC-RFQ-3370-TF.a2

Lot 1 Prices to include all shipping, handling and installation fees. ~~No Substitutions.~~ **Substitutions that are compatible with a Valcom Alert System will be acceptable as an alternate bid.**

Item #	Quantity	Description	Unit Price	Extended Price
1	1	Atlas AP-15T Paging Horn – No Talk back		
2	3	Atlas PA1001G Power Amplifier for Surface Mount/Hall Speaker		
3	2	Atlas PA702-RMK Rack Mount Kit for Power Amplifier		
4	1	Labor to install, program and integrate to current University system		
5	12	Honeywell 269R Stainless Steel Covered Holdup-Style Call Switch		
6	9	Kilsch CA650T Service Mount Speaker		
7	31	Valcom S-422A-2 2X2 Lay-in Speaker – 70 V		
8	12	Valcom VCTL-A-2 2x2 Lay-in Speaker – 45 ohm – Classrooms		
9	2	Valcom VE-8045AR 8 Circuit Gateway (per floor)		
10	3000	West Penn 224 Speaker wire for Surface Mount		
11	1000	West Penn 3751GY1000 Four Conductor 18GA Cable – Over Shield - Classrooms		
12	1	Hour of Support Service - Delete	N/A	Not Applicable
13	1	VE-8004 BR		

Resident Vendor Preference _____ Resident Contractor Preference _____
 SC End Product Preference _____ Resident Subcontractor Preference (2%) _____ # of Subcontractors _____
 US End Product Preference _____ Resident Subcontractor Preference (4%) _____ # of Subcontractors _____

PREFERENCES - ADDRESS AND PHONE OF IN-STATE OFFICE:

Please provide the address and phone number for your in-state office in the space provided below. An in-state office is necessary to claim either the Resident Vendor Preference (11-35-1524(C)(1)(i)&(ii)) or the Resident Contractor Preference (11-35-1524(C)(1)(iii)). Accordingly, you must provide this information to qualify for the preference. An in-state office is not required, but can be beneficial, if you are claiming the Resident Subcontractor Preference (11-35-1524(D)).

_____ In-State Office Address same as Home Office Address
 _____ In-State Office Address same as Notice Address (check only one)

Note: The commodity preferences do not apply to a bid for an item of work by the bidder if the annual price of the bidder's work exceeds \$50,000 or the total potential price of the bidder's work exceeds \$500,000. [11.35.1524(E) (3)]

Delivery Date (ARO): No later than 30 days ARO

Estimated Start Date: _____ **TOTAL:** _____