



ADDENDUM #1

REQUEST FOR QUOTE (RFQ) CAD/AVL SYSTEM

NOTICE TO ALL BIDDERS

The Request For Quote (RFQ) is modified as set forth in this Addendum. The original RFQ and any previously issued addenda remain in full force and effect, except as modified by this Addendum. Bidders shall consider this Addendum when preparing and submitting a Bid and shall acknowledge receipt of this Addendum in their bid.

BID SUBMITTAL DEADLINE

The Bid submittal deadline remains unchanged by this Addendum.
Bids are due Monday, August 31, 2020 3:00 p.m. (EDT).

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS WERE SUBMITTED AS A RESULT OF THIS RFQ:

1. Is MTA also looking to include a mobile router with cellular modem to connect the Mobile Data Terminals?

Answer: We are not looking into that technology at this time.

2. Can I request up to 2 weeks extension deadline?

Answer: No, bid submittal deadline cannot be changed.

3. Are the vendors expected to provide the cellular data (data plan) or can we use MTA's cellular data plan?

Answer: Vendors are not expected to provide the cellular data or data plan.

4. Does MTA need the CAD/AVL to manage block, so buses can move between routes without requiring City Operations' staff to adjust which buses are assigned to a given route, while accounting for layovers and interlining routes and service types?

Answer: The CAD/AVL solution should be able to reference a schedule to identify buses on each route with minimal user input.

5. Does MTA need real-time dispatching features such as real-time detour or same day service change (edit or addition of trip or block)?

Answer: No, this feature would be optimal.

6. Given the challenges stemming from COVID-19, will MTA consider accepting emailed/digital submissions rather than physical copies?

Answer: The quote can be electronic (emailed).

7. Section 4 and Section 5 of the RFQ doc have different required formats for the response. Can you please confirm the format MTA desires for the response? Also, can we add sections (such as a cover letter) to the desired sections?

Answer: Section 4 outlines the required format for your response. Section 5 is an outline of the criteria MTA will use to evaluation your response. You may use a cover letter, but it is not required.

*****BIDDERS MUST INDICATE ON THE EXTERIOR OF THEIR BID “ADDENDUM #1 RECEIVED”**