



**State of Alaska
Department of Environmental Conservation
Village Safe Water Program**

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To: Vendor List

Re: Amendment 5
RFP 21-VSW-VAR-002
Insurance Brokerage Services
RFP Due Date: July 16, 2021 @ 2:00 PM AST

The following changes are required:

1. The RFP due date is extended from June 25, 2021 to July 16, 2021 @ 2:00 PM AST.

The following are questions from interested parties and the department's response:

1. We would consider responding but the RFP did not provide enough information to do so. For example, there does not appear to be a committed budget spend, clearly defined projects identified or even contract certainty beyond 6 months. Could be part of the reason the state is having difficulty soliciting responses.

As we have previously mentioned to you, our firm does have Alaska experience, clients that include Artic Slope, Chugach and the Alaska Club. We also offering brokerage services and loss control to a number of Alaskan companies. Our firm even has an entire Construction practice including decades of OCIP experience with large clients like the NY/NJ Port Authority, MTA, University of California and many other public entities/higher ed institutions.

If the state would be willing to modify the RFP to include additional information on the opportunity, we would be willing to review and respond. But as of now, it is difficult to provide response details when project specs and associated costs cannot be quantified based on the original RFP.

Department: The department is unable to provide a committed budget or quantify future needs as future projects are unknown for various reasons. The RFP provides an attachment of past projects for historical volume. Please let us know if there are any specific items we could provide that would assist in a response.

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