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To: Vendor List

Re: Amendment # FOUR (4)

RFP #2022-2000-5006 (Re-issued)

Electronic Monitoring Equipment and Services

The purpose of this amendment is to address Q & A's.

- **1. Q** Related to the reissued RFP on February 10, 2022, please confirm the following regarding the review process to date:
 - a. As the State opened and reviewed submissions, did the State also review and score or initiate scoring of all proposals submitted prior to rejection notice? YES
 - b. Did the State open, review and score pricing and costs submission of all proposals prior to the rejection notice? **YES**
 - c. If yes, please indicate what safeguards and/or measures were taken to protect all confidential information, including, but not limited to, vendor pricing information?

All information is kept confidential and secured until a Notice of Intent to Award (NITA) is issued at which time all information becomes public info. As the process for this RFP was halted when it was discovered that important information was left out of the RFP in error that was required a NITA was never issued and all information remained confidential and secured, and no information was or has been released.

2. Q - Reference RFP Section 3.01 Scope of Work, Alcohol Continuous Monitoring Device, 9., page 20

"The Transmitter must be water resistant up to a minimum of three feet, to allow activities such as bathing. The requirement for the transmitter to be water resistant is to allow for normal bathing regiments, it is not to monitor for alcohol while submerged. If the transmitter is submerged, we want to ensure it will not damage the device."

 a. Please confirm that the State would prefer a device to be waterproof vs. water resistant. Reference RFP Section 3.01 Scope of Work, Alcohol Continuous Monitoring Device, 15., page 20

The vendor may determine if they consider this water-resistant or waterproof,

but the device must allow for activities such as bathing and while doing so, the water will not damage the device.

b. Please confirm that if a device is waterproof and thus exceeds specifications, that it be reviewed technically and considered for a higher score.

To be considered for scoring positively, the device must meet or exceed the requirements.

"At a minimum, the Transmitter must detect, record, and alert Agency personnel of the following events: Low battery, Device must be returned for recalibration, Alcohol event, Equipment tamper, no motion and Curfew violation (if paired with an optional Beacon). The state will allow for a temperature reading in lieu of no motion as an indicator the device is still on the body."

- a. While the State will allow for a temperature reading in lieu of no motion as an indicator the device is still on the body, please affirm it is the State's preference to have a device that provides no motion and other proximity specific indicators. **YES**
- b. Will the number of no motion and other proximity indicators be reviewed technically and considered for a higher score?

The State is requesting the device have the other indicators as a minimum. Only the No Motion may be substituted for the temperature indicator.

- 3. Reference RFP Section 4.01, Proposal Format and Content, 2., page 42, "In order to facilitate review of these proposals on an equitable basis, a maximum of **100** pages (12-point type font but no less than 11-point and on 8.5" x 11"- page size) may be used for the body of the proposal. In order to provide potential providers, the opportunity to include additional information, the number of pages that may be included in the Appendices is not limited."
 - a. While we understand that no less than 11-point font may be used for the body of the proposal, please confirm that we may use 10-point font in a limited number of tables. **YES**

END OF AMENDMENT #4

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