

State of Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation Village Safe Water Program

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To: Vendor List

Re: Amendment 7

ITB 22-VSW-UNK-040 Unalakleet Well House

ITB Due Date: May 10, 2022 @ 2:00 PM AST

The following are vendor questions and the department's response:

1. Vendor: We would love to be able to work within the time frame of delivery that the state of Alaska is asking for but to be 100% transparent it is just going not going to be able to be met. We don't want to fail on a committed timeline especially with the weather and shipping constraints within Alaska. In order to keep the integrity of the of the specification and make a quality product that they want we need to have more time. We need a total of about 19 weeks (submittal timelines and manufacturing combined) at best. Probably a little longer as all the units are wanted at the same time (which makes the most sense as well for transportation cost to ship at the same times as well). I would suggest placing the PO but asking for manufacturing to be done late this year for completion in the spring and ready to transport at first sailing. Placing a PO with current pricing (before it expires) would lock the pricing in place. Inflation in the resin world has been extremely volatile as it is connected to the barrel of oil, which we all know is very high.

Department: Unalakleet's barge landing area is located on the Norton Sound coast and not on a river. However, the barge cutoff date is 8/2/22 for Seattle and 8/11/22 for Seward, AK. ITB section 2.13 Delivery Time is amended to: All items must be received no later than June 1, 2023. The Department will accept partial orders up to this deadline. If possible, the Department would appreciate partial or full delivery of all items in calendar year 2022.

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