STATE OF ALASKA

Department of Natural Resources Support Services Division



REQUEST FOR INFORMATION (RFI) CARBON OFFSET PROJECT SERVICES: REFORESTATION, BIOCHAR, AND BIOMASS BURIAL

ADDENDUM 1

ISSUED SEPTEMBER 24, 2025

This addendum serves to answer a question from a vendor.

Important Note to Offerors: Only the RFI terms and conditions referenced in this addendum are changing. All other terms and conditions of the RFI remain the same. This Addendum is hereby made part of the RFI and is a total of two pages.

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QUESTIONS SUBMITTED BY VENDORS AND ANSWERS FROM THE STATE

Question 1:

given the variety of project types (ARR, biochar, biomass burial, other), is the hope/expectation that the State engage with a single vendor capable of handling each of these topics, or multiple vendors with each one having expertise in one of the activity types? Is there a preference one way or another?

Answer 1:

The Department welcomes input from vendors with the experience and capacity to manage multiple project types, as well as those equipped to deliver a single project type. The Department's intent with this non-competitive Request for Information (RFI) is to gauge vendor interest in partnering with the Department and broaden the Department's understanding of the feasibility and scope of these project types on State of Alaska lands.

Based on the responses received, the Department may issue one or more competitive solicitations—either targeting a specific project type or inviting proposals that integrate multiple project types. In evaluating these proposals, one key criterion will be the extent to which the project(s) deliver overall value to the State, as per AS 38.95.410(a)(7). This includes generating revenue, producing cobenefits, and advancing the State's long-term goals of economic development, sustainability, diversification, and resilience. Proposals that encompass multiple project types will likely be found to deliver greater cumulative value to the State.

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