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WWTP Aeration/Mixing Equipment ADDENDUM No. 1 January 24, 2019

The Proposal Due Date is changed to February 12, 2019 (Tuesday) at 2:00 PM

Answers to Bidder's Questions

The following information is the City's answers to questions submitted by bidders.

1. It states that the last day for question is December 28, 2018. Is this still the last date for questions given that the bid is not due until February 5?

The last date for questions has been changed to February 1, 2019.

- 2. Can you please verify that the intent of the bid is for only supplying the equipment? Supply the equipment and systems, warranty, and support services to make sure the system works properly.
- 3. In Exhibit A Scope of Work Page 9, it states "installation is to be by others". Does this mean that a separate bid will be issued to contract for a contractor to install the equipment?

Yes

- 4. Can you please confirm that the 26 weeks to complete the project means 26 weeks to deliver all the equipment to the site?

 Delivery must occur within that time.
- 5. General Terms 4.2.3 states "Delivery of all products shall be complete within Sixty (60) Calendar Days of the date of the Notice to Proceed. Contractor also agrees to pay liquidated damages, the sum of \$500.00 for each consecutive calendar day thereafter." This contradicts the above statement that the contract is required to be completed in 26 weeks. Can you please clarify this?

Delivery of equipment shall be complete within 26 weeks of Notice to Proceed.

- 6. Technical Provisions Part 1 General 1.1 Scope of Work 1.1 B States "Furnish, deliver, and install a new and complete Oxidation Ditch Treatment System."

 Installation is not a part of this solicitation
- 7. Technical Provisions Part 1 General 1.1 Scope of Work 1.1 C states "It is the intent of these specifications that a single manufacturer-supplier regularly engaged in the design, manufacture, assembly and production of oxidation ditch systems of the type specified, shall have complete responsibility for the final

ADDENDUM No. 1 WWTP Aeration/Mixing Equipment Page 2 design, furnishing, coordination, assembly, and installation supervision of all components in the oxidation ditch system." Can you please define what is meant by supervise? Is the manufacturer required to be on site the entire time of the installation?

The intent is that the manufacturer provides the necessary engineering and technical support to the City and the Contractor to ensure that the equipment and systems are installed and commissioned properly and that the system meets performance requirements.

- 8. Please define what level of supervision is being require by the City. The on-site time is to be proposed by the respondent.
- 9. Section 1.4 Qualifications A 4. States "Operating data from a minimum of five (5) oxidation ditch installations in the United States documenting the ability to achieve the effluent quality specified for this project."

Our firm has been involved with numerous Oxidation Ditch projects; however, we have never had to collect empirical data on the systems operation not have the municipalities ever done so. Since the City is requiring a process guarantee, would the City consider taking this qualification out? Leaving this qualification in may restrict the City to receiving only one bid. There must be some level of process quarantee and demonstrated performance documentation. Please suggest what would work for our firm, as the City will require something but does not want to preclude competition.

There must be some sort of process guarantee and demonstrated performance documentation. The City is open to suggestions to accomplish this. Any suggestions would need to be submitted prior to the question deadline of February 1, 2019.

10. Are there any drawings available?

A drawing of the existing oxidation ditch is included in this addendum.

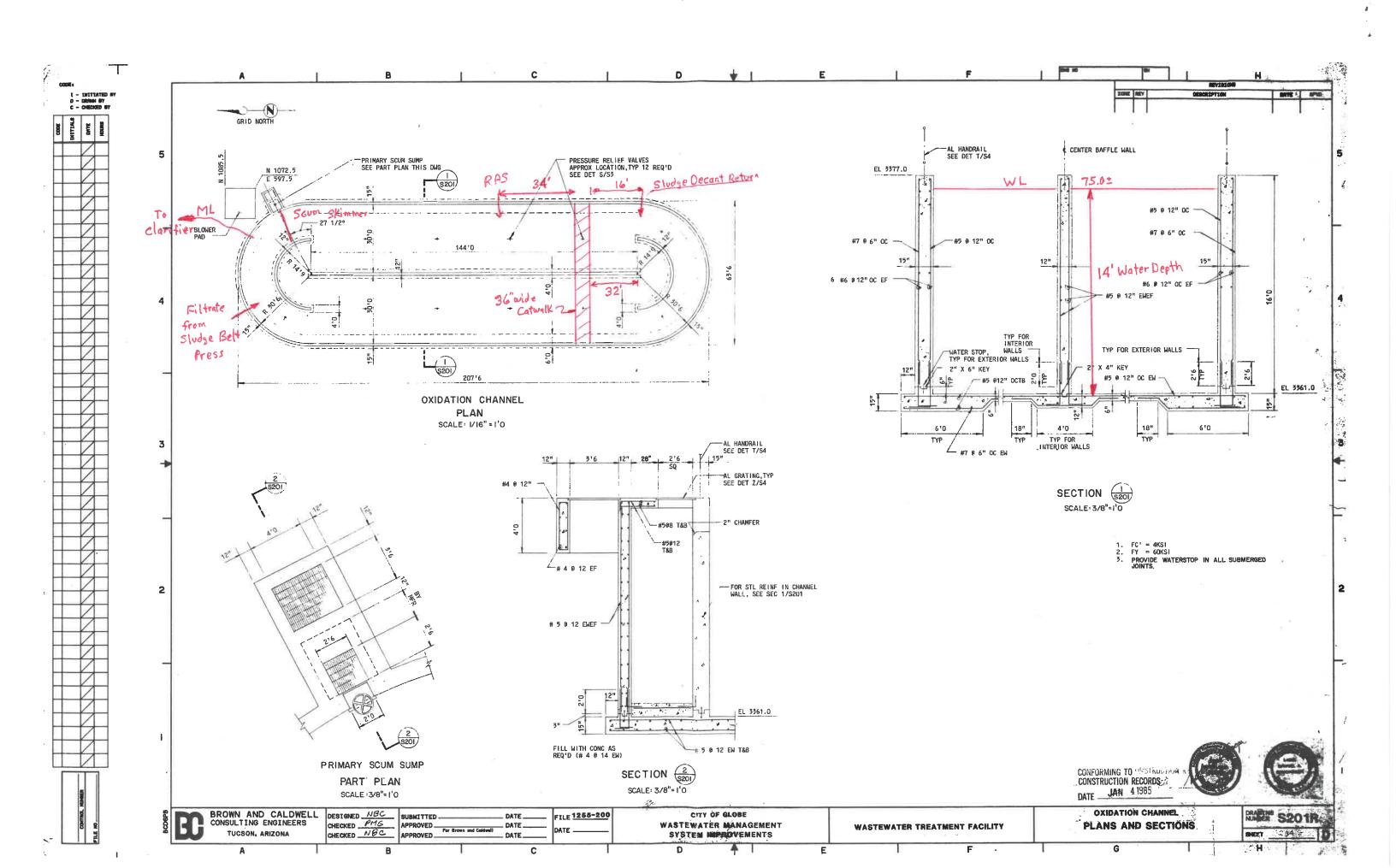
11. Based on the way the spec is currently written there must have been a system layout that was developed based on the Xylem Bioloop system?

Each vender must create a system layout to match their equipment with the existing facilities.

ATTACHMENTS TO ADDENDUM: DRAWING NO. S201R BYPASS AERATION BASIN DRAWING

THE BID DUE DATE IS CHANGED TO FEBRUARY 12, 2019 AT 2:00 P.M.

THIS CONCLUCES ADDENDUM NO. 1 TO RFP NO. GS-2018-0068-WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT (WWTP) AERATION/MIXING EQUIPMENT



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