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QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

IFB 06212023JKG Hydration Infrastructure Assessment & Finalization

- 1. Today at the pre-bid it sounded like you all wanted a lumpsum amount for each zone, but the bid form that we were provided really just points to the unit price of replacing 1 bottle filler. Are you just looking for the cost of replacing one bottle filler? If not, see question 2.**

We will need line item costs. For example, the cost to cut open and close walls, cost to install plumbing, cost to install electrical and the cost to install drinking fountain.
- 2. If you are wanting a lumpsum amount per zone, could you send out the BID PROPOSAL FORM for Zones 1-3 that we need to submit pricing for? The bid form for Zone 4 (Appendix J) has the quantities for that zone already, but there are no quantities or forms on Zones 1-3.**

Please reference the Appendix J excel spreadsheet provided.
- 3. If a bottle filler is being removed and it breaks because it was installed improperly in the first place, will MSCS provide a new bottle filler?**

Yes.
- 4. Can you provide a list of the schools that currently have permits pulled on them, plumbing or electrical?**

The contractor will be responsible for verifying that all permits have been pulled.
- 5. Can nitrogen electric be used to freeze the water lines when no shut-off is available?**

Yes
- 6. Re-Work: If the Bottle-filler comes apart or frame has been modified so that integrity of the unit is compromised - will MSCS be providing new BF (as replacement)?**

Yes
- 7. Can work take place on weekends, early mornings or after school?**

Yes, but the contractor will have to go through the Facilitron system prior to.

8. When will badges for the new school year be available?

Contractors will need to contact security. Please see Part II: General Terms and Conditions (Item # 17.0, page 6).

9. Will Bottle-Filler counts (per location) be provided?

Yes. Please reference the Appendix J excel spreadsheet provided.

10. What are the allowed working hours?

During that particular schools' hours. If a contractor needs to work later, they will need to get it approved by MSCS ahead of time and must leave the building when the cleaning company leaves. Please also reference question # 7.

Thank you,

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