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ADDENDA 1

To: All Interested Vendors

From: Araceli Hernandez, Formal Bid/Buyer

Date: July 26, 2019

Subject: RFP 19-032 Comprehensive Master Plan for the County of El Paso Public Works and Recreation Department

This addendum has been issued to notify vendor of the following questions:

1. **Page 14 - Price Sheet.** According to the RFQ "any firm that does not submit pricing in price sheet provided will not be considered for award".

The Texas Professional Services Procurement Act prohibits public agencies such as El Paso County from making selection of <u>professional services</u> based on competitive bids (Section 2254).

Will our team RFQ be considered for this competitive selection without providing what constitutes a competitive bid under the requirements of Page 14 - Price Sheet?

Response: The County is not seeking architectural, engineering, or land surveying services as identified in the Professional Act (Section 2254). This solicitation is a Request for Proposal (RFP) for a consultant to review and make recommendations on operations and policies, per the advertised specifications. Pricing is a scored factor in the evaluation and must be submitted on the enclosed price sheet.