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#### ADDENDUM 1

**To: All Interested Bidders**

**From: Araceli Hernandez, Inventory Bid Technician**

**Date: August 20, 2014**

**Subject: Bid# 14-041, Ascarate Water Supply Well System**

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This addendum has been issued to notify vendors of the following questions and information:

❖ The following information was discussed at the pre bid conference:

The original well (#1) needs to be plugged for safety reasons and TCEQ code.

The excising infrastructure needs to be removed completely and plugged. The County will dispose of the material.

The new well will be drilled 50 feet away from the existing well (#1).

The County will be responsible for the installation of the water line (plumbing) connecting to the new well to the existing system. Contractor shall provide a 5 foot (4" pvc) stub out at well site for Owner to connect to well system.

#### Questions:

1. What is the estimated project value?

**Response: Estimated cost is not available at this time.**

2. Who is the engineer that specified the materials?

**Response: The County Public Works Engineer's provided a recommendation; however, the contractor shall provide professional engineer for the well design.**

3. Was there any specific brand or curve data that was used to spec out the pump by engineer?

**Response: No specific brands. Contractor shall design pumps to meet needs.**

4. There are some requirements regarding well depth and discharge head but could you tell me if there is a required depth at which the pump is to be set?

**Response: It will be determined during the testing process.**

5. Is there a minimum requirement of solid casing and well screen that is predetermined by the engineer?

**Response: Yes, refer to specification Section 3.0 paragraph F.**

6. Is the vendor responsible for haling and disposing of waste water?

**Response: Yes.**

7. Which entrance can be used for work equipment:

**Response: The main entrance will be through Fonseca closes to job site 150 feet away from the area.**

8. Does the vendor need to bring their own pit?

**Response: Yes.**

9. Does the County supply the water or does the vendor haul water into the work area?

**Response: The vendor will supply their own water, with the option of using the hydrant from Ascarate. If the vendor chooses to use the hydrant the water will be metered.**