Purchasing Department



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March 7, 2022

Subject:

RFQ #2059-A: Utility Locating

Addendum #1

Gentlemen/Ladies:

Below, please find responses to questions, clarification, or additional information for the above referenced Request for Quotes. You will need to consider this information when preparing your quote.

1. What was the Fayette County, GA total number of locate requests that came in from GA811 in 2021? Please provide factual data from State One Call system.

FAY01 received a total of 23,418 requests for locate. 5,319 were coded 1A. 16,803 were coded 5.

- 2. What is the Fayette County, GA One Call code (CDC Code, AKA 811 Member Code) for these lines? If multiple codes, please list the code and utility assigned to the code? FAY01
- 3. Are there any other Fayette County, GA utilities that will require marking other than the Water facilities? If so, please list.

 No.
- 4. Has the plant ever been damaged? If so, what was the high and low cost of repair broken down by utility type?

FCWS cost to repair a mis-marked and damaged 8" water main - \$11,783.07. FCWS cost to repair an unmarked and damaged 1" copper service line - \$588.04.

5. I assume the LF designation on the pricing sheet references linear feet. Would you be open to pricing that is on a per ticket basis?

No. Please price per linear feet (LF) as indicated on the RFQ pricing sheet.

- 6. Does Fayette County, GA have digital maps (drawings) to identify the Water utility? What format are they in (For example: AutoCAD, PDF, GIS, KMZ)? Yes. PDF, GIS.
- 7. What is the breakdown percentage of the Water mains located in the road (under the hardtop) versus on the edge of the road or back yards? (Reason for this question is to determine amount of clear tickets.)

~10 - 20%

8. Do the prints include measurements for mains and services? The vast majority do.

9. Are the Water services on the utility maps?

The vast majority are.

10. Will we be responsible to mark the Water services from meter pit or curb-stop box to the main and all mains?

Yes.

11. What is the composition makeup of the Water utility mains and services (For example: Plastic, HDPE, Iron, Transite, etc.)?

Mains: PVC, Ductile Iron, Cast Iron, Transite.

Services: Copper, Plastic, PVC, Galvanized.

12. Is there any plastic or <u>non-locatable</u> Water mains or services? If so, please <u>describe</u> how these are now being marked with accuracy?

There are plastic water mains. Ground Penetrating Radar, some with tracer wire will allow contractors to locate them.

13. Are the Water services on the prints?

See questions #9.

14. Any additional information we should know regarding the Water utility locating that we have not asked, (i.e., Problems locating, etc.)?

All information is provided in the Request for Quotes.

15. Ticket volume?

Refer to Questions #1.

16. Square mileage

Fayette County is 199 square miles and FCWS has ~680 miles of water main and ~32,000 meters.

17. What percent of water lines are unlocatable?

All water mains and services are locatable.

18. How do you want the unlocatable lines marked?

There are no unlocatable lines.

19. Do you prefer ticket price, hourly, or lump sum?

Per linear foot as requested in the RFQ.

20. Are we responsible for property damage if lines were unlocatable?

Yes. Refer to question #3.

Received by (Name):	Company
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Note: If this addendum is not returned to the Fayette County Purchasing Department or if it is returned not signed, responding individuals, companies or other organizations will still be responsible for the requirements of this addendum and the specifications or changes herein.

The opening date for this RFQ has not changed. The opening time and date are 2:00 p.m., Thursday, March 10, 2022. Quotes must be received by the Purchasing Department at the address above, Suite 204, at or before the opening date and time.

The deadline for inquiries has passed, so the Purchasing Department will not be able to accept any additional questions after this time.

If you have questions, please contact Natasha Duggan, Contract Administrator at (770) 305-5150, fax (770) 719-5534 or email at nduggan@fayettecountyga.gov.

Sincerely,

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Director of Purchasing