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December 2, 2020

Sonoma County Water Agency Supplement to Request for Proposals

<u>Deadline for Submission</u>

2:00 p.m., Wednesday, December 9, 2020

RE: SUPPLEMENT NO. 2 TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR PROCUREMENT OF LARGE WOODY DEBRIS FOR DRY CREEK HABITAT ENHNCEMENT PROJECT

This Supplement forms a part of and modifies the Request for Proposals dated November 12, 2020.

Modified text is indicated as follows: <u>Double-underline</u> designates text to be inserted; strikeout designates text to be deleted.

- A. Project Background and Description
 - A.1. No changes.
- B. Statement of Requirements Services & Goods Required of Suppliers
 - B.1. No changes.
- C. Local Preference
 - C.1. No changes.

D. Living Wage

D.1. No changes.

E. Schedule

E.1. Modify table in Paragraph E as follows:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
November 12, 2020	Release Request for Proposals
November 23, 2020	Deadline for Questions (See Section F)
November 25 December 2, 2020	Sonoma Water's Responses to Questions Due
December <u>29</u> , 2020	Proposals Due (See Section H)
January 2021	Proposals Evaluated by Sonoma Water
March 2021	Award Contract(s) (subject to delay without notice to Suppliers)

F. Questions

F.1. No changes.

G. Corrections and Addenda

G.1. No changes.

H. Proposal Submittal

- H.1. Modify Paragraph H.1 as follows:
 - 1. <u>Form</u>: Suppliers must submit one electronic copy and one signed original <u>of</u> proposal. Submit proposals to:

I. Selection Process

I.1. No changes.

J. General Information

J.1. No changes.

K. Question(s)/Answer(s)

Sonoma Water responses to questions are for the purposes of interpretation and clarification of the Request for Proposals and shall not be construed as changing, superseding, or

contradicting any express term in the Request for Proposals. Questions received are listed below.

1. Question: Are fire damaged logs acceptable?

Answer: Attachment A to RFP, Large Woody Debris (LWD) Procurement Specifications, Paragraph 4, indicates that fire damaged logs are not acceptable.

2. Question: What is the difference between LWD "snags" and LWD logs, besides length? (attachment A, #9.)

Answer: Attachment A to RFP, Large Woody Debris (LWD) Procurement Specifications, Paragraphs 7 and 9, provide specifications for snags and logs.

3. Question: My initial question is on the first line describing the size at brest height. It says 1.4m which I assume is meters. This is quite large and continuing on further it appears that number is in conflict with the chart below. Did I miss something here?

Answer: Attachment A to RFP, Large Woody Debris (LWD) Procurement Specifications, Paragraph 1, indicates the definition for diameter at breast height (DBH), which is the diameter 1.4 meters above the ground when the tree is standing. DBH for each log type are specified in Paragraphs 7, 8, and 9.

4. Question: I'm reaching out to find out if there is an estimated budget for the Large Woody Debris for Dry Creek Habitat Enhancement project?

Answer: Sonoma Water will not be releasing budget information.

5. Question: Do I need to hand deliver a hard copy of our Proposal to you today in Santa Rosa in addition to submitting a copy through Supplier Portal or can I submit a copy through Supplier Portal and email you a copy. Please advise as soon as possible.

Answer: Answered in this Supplement, above.

Sincerely,

James Jasperse, P.E.
Chief Engineer/Director of Groundwater Management

c: Greg Guensch Rochelle Mueller