

## RFB – Streetlights in Distressed Communities Service Provider (21-16)

## ADDENDUM NO. 2

TO: All Respondents

FROM: Engineering Division, City of Aurora

DATE: February 26, 2021

## THIS ADDENDUM FORMS A PART OF THE BIDDING AND CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.

Please incorporate the following revisions to the above referenced RFB:

- 1. Due to factors discussed below, the due date for submitting bids has been extended. Sealed bids must still be mailed to the Purchasing Division Office, 44 E. Downer Place, Aurora, IL 60507, but will now be accepted until **2:00 P.M., March 10, 2021.** At that time they will be opened and read publicly via non-mandatory teleconferenced and live streamed bid opening.
- 2. It has come to the attention of the City that in addition to the Sentry Retrofit kits requested in the original RFB, several other post top retrofit kits may be available for installation in the 1,031 historic ornamental and 108 tall ornamental fixtures identified in this RFB. Since installing these kits in the existing fixtures typically costs less and is eligible for a larger incentive than the LV and Cyclone equivalent replacement fixtures the City originally requested, it is the expectation that inclusion of these kits in-lieu of full fixture replacement will result in significant cost savings to the City through Com Ed's Streetlights in Distressed Communities program. While full fixture replacement would be ideal, **respondents are encouraged to propose installation of retrofit kits** as necessary to meet the City's primary objective of low or even no overall program cost.
- 3. The City would also now like to review and pre-approve any proposed retrofit kits and/or alternative fixtures not listed in the original RFB. Any bidder planning to submit pricing for such alternatives much now present the relevant information (including a specification (cut) sheet) to the City by no later than Wednesday, March 3, 2020. This will allow time for the City to review the alternative(s), make a determination of suitability, and include those approved in the Revised Schedule of Pricing to be included in Addendum 3 late next week. Proposed alternatives may be submitted to Ian Wade, the City's Capital Projects Manager, via email (iwade@aurora-il.org).

Sincerely,

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Ian Wade, P.E. City of Aurora Engineering Division

## **INCLUSION OF ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF THIS ADDENDUM IS NOT REQUIRED**