



October 22, 2020

ADDENDUM No. 1

**Invitation to Quote CS-20-18
SUPPLY OF WATER BLADDERS AND HOSES**

*The addendum is being issued prior to the closing of the invitation to quote (ITQ) to provide further information, make changes to, or to clarify the ITQ documents and is to be read, interpreted and coordinated with all other parts of the ITQ documents. In the case of a conflict with the balance of the documents, this Addendum shall govern. **Bidders shall attach a signed copy of this addendum to their quote submission, failure to do so may result in a non-compliant quotation.***

This addendum is being provided in clarification to ITQ CS-20-18 released October 15, 2020.

QUESTION 1: Is Angus the only acceptable hose or are other makes such as Mercedes Textiles hose acceptable as long as they meet the 300-psi rating?

ANSWER 1: Angus is preferred because of the abrasion protection not because of the PSI rating. If Vendors choose to quote on other suppliers, they must prove that the hose can meet or exceed the Angus specs and high quality.

QUESTION 2: Line 9 lists COATED 5/8", do you want RUBBER coated hose or a URETHANE protective coating?

ANSWER 2: Urethane coating is acceptable.

QUESTION 3: The tanks are specified Firetak, is the invitation open to a model by another supplier if demonstrated to be an equivalent or better?

3. a) If so, what is the flange/inlet-outlet measurement required for the tanks for line item 1, 3, and 5? What is the tank flange sex (male/female)?

3.b) Would it be acceptable to have a different sized flange but with adapters for each tank included that would meet the 1.5" and 5/8" hoses that are supplied?

ANSWER 3: Yes, other models by another supplier is acceptable if it is demonstrated to be an equivalent or better product.

3.a) The water bladders/tanks should have a 3" (76mm) NPT female flange so adapters can be used to reduce to different hose size.

3.d) Yes, the different size flange with adapters may work but adapters would have to be included at no extra charge.



QUESTION 4: Please advise colors and the thread spec for tank outlets and colors of hose?

ANSWER 4: Colors are not specific and can be discussed after award of bid.

QUESTION 6: Foam Eductors are available with either 60gpm, 95gpm or 125gpm. The gpm is set and not adjustable. The foam percentage is adjustable from .25% to 6%. Is this description correct?

ANSWER 6: Yes, this description is correct, the foam Eductor to flow at 95 GPM.

I/We hereby verify that we have considered this addendum in our proposal submission.

Proponent's Signature

Date

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