

April 18, 2023

TO: All Bidders under Invitation to Bid No. 23-101562
FROM: Department of Purchasing and Contracting, DeKalb County, Georgia

ADDENDUM NO. 6

Invitation to Bid (ITB) No. 23-101562 Residential Single-Stream Recycling Materials, Commercial Cardboard & Mixed Paper, is hereby amended as follows:

A. Bid Opening date is Monday, May 2, 2023, at 3:00 PM EST via zoom teleconference:

Zoom Link: : <https://dekalbcountyga.zoom.us/j/81570774217>

B. The following questions were submitted and received pertaining to this ITB; the County's responses are as follows:

Question 1: Please provide the current processing or tip fee per ton charged to the County. If the fee is derived by a formula, please provide the formula. The County's responses are as follows:

Response: **Weekly residential collections service includes recycling. The residential curbside recycling program is Single-Stream. All collected recycling items are transported to DeKalb Sanitation, Central Transfer Station whereas the recycling items are loaded in DeKalb Sanitation tractor trailers and transported to the awarded vendor processing facility. Commercial customers with commercial recycling containers (cardboard) the same process is utilized.**

Question 2: Page 25 of the ITB, are these Tonnages from the County's scale reports or from the processor's scale reports?

Response: **The tons accepted/processed by the awarded processor**

Question 3: Please provide the tonnage reports for tons of recycling rejects delivered to the Seminole Road Landfill during the calendar year 2022?

Response: **Not applicable, the recycling rejects are handled by the processor.**

Question 4: Please provide material composition data for calendar year 2022. This is the % of each grade of recycling materials by weight. Also, provide any and all reporting currently being produced by the current processor.

(a) % of OCC

Response: **25%**

(b) % of Mixed Paper

Response: **25%**

(c) % of PET Bottles

Response: **15%**

(d) % of HDPE Bottles

Response: **15%**

(e) % of Aluminum

Response: **5% - 10%**

(f) % of Steel/Tin Cans

Response: **5% - 10%**

(g) % of Mixed Glass

Response: **0%**

(h) % of Residual

Response: **5%**

Question 5: Please provide total residual tons, trash tons, reported by the processor.

Response: Page 25 provides the total tons accepted/processed by the awarded processor.

Question 6: Should the processor expect delivery from the County of any recycling materials that are source separated. Meaning clean separated materials, not in single-stream form? Example, clean loads of paper only recycling materials.

Response: The DeKalb County Sanitation residential recycling program is Single-Stream. All collected recycling items are transported to the awarded processor.

Question 7: Please explain the variation in 2022 tonnage, varying from 279 to 775 tons..... a few years ago the County was generating ~1,500 tons per month?

Response: The DeKalb County Sanitation residential recycling program is Single-Stream. All collected recycling items are transported to the awarded processor.

Question 8: Can responses to ITB be delivered electronically?

Response: No.

Question 9: Are there any bagged recycling materials?

Response: The DeKalb County Sanitation residential recycling program is Single-Stream.

Question 10: Please confirm that all materials will be delivered by the County in walking floor trailers.

Response: Yes.

Question 11: Do the single-stream recycling materials include mixed glass?

Response: No.

It is the responsibility of each bidder to ensure all awareness of all addenda issued under this ITB. Please sign and return this addendum. You may email Kehinde Bodunrin, Procurement Agent, at kbodunrin@dekalbcountyga.gov; before the bids are due to confirm the number of addenda issued.

All other conditions remain in full force and effect.



Kehinde Bodunrin
Procurement Agent
Department of Purchasing and Contracting

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Date: _____

The above Addendum is hereby acknowledged:

(NAME OF BIDDER)

(Signature)

(Title)