IFB ADDENDUM #1

Reference – Invitation for Bid:
GMU-1451-18

Title:
License Plate Recognition System

Dated:
November 15th, 2017

For Delivery To:
George Mason University

The following changes are hereby incorporated into the aforementioned IFB:

Please make sure to sign and include this addendum and all other addendums issued under this IFB with your bid.

REVISED: Please complete and submit the Revised Pricing Schedule/Bid Form below with your bid. Failure to complete the bid tab/pricing schedule below may result in rejection of your bid. We have revised the pricing schedule/bid form to include a line item for the Four (4) Year Extended Warranty. Mason reserves the right to opt in or out of the Four (4) Year Extended Advanced Replacement Warranty and the Annual Maintenance (which is maintenance for the hardware and software). The extended four (4) year warranty price and annual maintenance will not be considered as part of the award total as Mason may chose not to procure these line items. For award purposes GMU is only considering the grand total price of the Cameras, Software, Installation, and One (1) Year warranty (Mason will award to the lowest, responsive, responsible bidder for these items).

VII. REVISED PRICE/BID TAB: Must be completed and returned with Bid and a firm delivery date or weeks ARO must be provided and may impact award decision (Mason’s preferred delivery is six (6) weeks ARO).

Cameras: $ ______________________________

Software: $ ______________________________

Installation: $ ___________________________

Minimum One (1) year return and repair hardware warranty must be included in equipment price above.

TOTAL: $______________________________

(Award will be made based on the low bid total of the items above)

Annual maintenance (Optional): $ ______________________________

For Hardware and Software listed above.

Extended Warranty (Optional): $
For AU-K-UXX kit with Advance Replacement coverage - 4 Years additional coverage. Does not Include update to advanced replacement for year 1 (warranty cannot extend past 5th year after purchase). This includes coverage of AutoVu vehicle hardware, Patroller software upgrades and Benomad updates. Does not cover invehicle PC.

Delivery Date/Weeks ARO: __________________

*Minimum one (1) year return and repair hardware warranty must be included in equipment price.
*Must include Security Center license for 5 user connections
1. **Question:** Can companies from outside the USA apply for this?
   **Answer:** Yes, companies from outside the USA may bid on this IFB as long as you can fulfill the scope of work including delivery and installation.

2. **Question:** Whether we need to come over there for meetings?
   **Answer:** Yes, installation of the equipment/system, on site, at George Mason University’s campus is a requirement.

3. **Question:** Can we perform tasks related to the IFB outside of the USA?
   **Answer:** No, our campus is located in the USA in Fairfax, VA. Installation is a requirement of this Scope of Work and the vendor must come on site to perform installation.

4. **Question:** May we submit proposals/bids via email?
   **Answer:** No, all bids must be submitted in a sealed envelope, box, container, etc. No electronic or emailed bids will be accepted.

5. **Question:** In the bid request you specify that this has to be a Genetec LPR package. Are you considering the Panasonic Toughpad as part of the package? Because we use the Datalux Tablet which is manufactured in Winchester, VA with all of our Genetec LPR systems as it is all made within the US, all of the parts come from one distributor, not like the Panasonic Toughpad which uses a Panasonic toughpad, the Gamber Johnson docking station and the RAM mounts? This tablet is also less in price than the Panasonic Toughpad.
   **Answer:** Yes, we are considering the Panasonic Toughpad as part of the package. This was the recommended configuration from Genetec and no substitutes will be accepted.

6. **Question:** What is the year make and model of the vehicle in which the LPR system will be installed on?
   **Answer:** The vehicle is a Ford Fusion, Year 2014.

7. **Question:** Does the vehicle have a full light bar? If so what is the make and model of the light bar?
   **Answer:** No, there is no light bar on this vehicle.

8. **Question:** There are a few different types of installations that can be done. If you are using a car with a flat trunk they can be mounted as a transportable unit on the trunk of the vehicle. If not we can permanently mount them to the roof of a vehicle or SUV? Are there any restrictions in regards to drilling into the roof of the vehicle to mount the LPR cameras?
   **Answer:** No, we are not aware of any restrictions regarding drilling into the roof of the vehicle and we would prefer a roof install.
9. **Question:** Under B – you list the LPR system must come with a 1 year Return & Repair warranty, but under optional you list the pricing for the 4 year additional advanced swap warranty. In the first year you only get the 1 year Return & Repair warranty – are you looking for a price in this BID to upgrade from the Return & Repair warranty to Advanced Swap warranty for the 1st year which is an additional charge from Genetec?

**Answer:** Yes, we would like the bidders to provide a pricing to update from the standard 1 year Return and Repair Warranty (which should be built into the price of the equipment on your bid) to a Four (4) year advanced warranty. We have updated the pricing schedule above to allow the vendor to provide a price for the four (4) year Advanced Swamp Warranty. We may opt out of this Advanced Swap Warranty and the price of this Four (4) year Advanced Swap Warranty will not factor into the award.

10. **Question:** Under optional do you also want pricing on the 4 year additional Return & Repair warranty if you decide not to go with the Advanced Swap warranty?

**Answer:** No, we only want to see pricing for the Four (4) Year Advanced Swap Warranty and we require the 1 year return and repair warranty to be included in the equipment bid price.

11. **Question:** Under optional are you also looking for the cost to renew the warranty annually both for Return & Repair and Advanced Swap?

**Answer:** No. Please fill out the Revised Bid Form as requested above. We require that bidders include a one (1) year Return and Repair Warranty (which should be built into the price of the equipment) and that bidders provide a price for the Four (4) Year Extended Warranty.

12. **Question:** Under optional are you also looking for the cost to renew the warranty annually both for Return & Repair and Advanced Swap?

**Answer:** Not at this time.

13. **Question:** Are you looking to purchase any of these products that are on our Virginia State HIRE contract? All of the Genetec LPR products except the Panasonic ToughPad and the Genetec Hosted services are on our Virginia State Contract.

**Answer:** Not at this time. This is an invitation for bid and award will be made under a George Mason University (GMU) contract. The vendor may offer equal or better pricing that they are offering other Virginia state entities under their existing contract vehicle but award will be made to the low bidder who meets the requirements of the IFB.

14. **Question:** How many mobile LPR units does GMU want pricing for?

**Answer:** Only one (1) LPR unit.
15. **Question:** Is the vehicle year, make, and model known that the LPR system will be installed on?  
**Answer:** Yes, 2014 Ford Fusion

16. **Question:** Does GMU have a Pay by Plate environment and require integration to any 3rd party permit management, pay station, or mobile payment vendors?  
**Answer:** Not currently. Must integrate with T2 Flex enforcement software-using T2 enforcement mobile app. As initial use is only scofflaws and time zone enforcement. Future phases for a future contract would include pay by plate integration as Mason purchases pay by plate enabled pay stations.

17. **Question:** How will LPR be used? Data Collection? Time Enforcement? Permit Enforcement?  
**Answer:** LPR will be used for Data Collection although images not associated with citations will be deleted after seven (7) days. It will be used for Time Enforcement. It will not be used for permit enforcement at this time but in the future we may look into this option.

18. **Question:** Is integration with the existing permit management system required? What other integrations to GMU systems are required?  
**Answer:** Yes, integration with the existing permit management system is required. AutoVu must (and does) integrate with T2 Flex.

19. **Question:** The requested date is 6 weeks for delivery. Does this include both hardware and software?  
**Answer:** Yes, the six week delivery is for both hardware and software. If you are unable to meet that requested ARO please cite what your available delivery/ARO is on your bid.

20. **Question:** Will the LPR be integrated with GMU’s existing handheld enforcement equipment?  
**Answer:** Yes, the LPR will be integrated with GMU’s existing handheld enforcement equipment. Enforcement staff will use the T2 Flex Mobile App for enforcement.

**Please sign and include this addendum as part of your bid.**

In Compliance With this IFB And To All The Conditions Imposed Therein And Hereby Incorporated By Reference, The Undersigned Offers And Agrees To Furnish The Goods/Services required by this IFB at the prices indicated in the pricing schedule/bid tab, and the undersigned hereby certifies that all information provided below and in any schedule hereto is true, correct, and complete.

Name and Address of Firm: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________

__________________________________________ By: ____________________________

__________________________________________ Title: ____________________________

Fed ID No: ____________________________________ Signature: ____________________________
Sincerely,
Katherine Sirotin
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