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Answers to Proposed Questions
TO
Request for Proposal
Waste Disposal Services

TO: ALL PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS

Original Date: 5/2/2024

Updated: May 2, 2024

- Will the winning bid be solely based on the lowest cost, or will other factors be taken into consideration?
 - **No. Factors will include price, experience, equipment, and if they are able to meet our terms and conditions.**
- What is the current pricing offered by the existing supplier?
 - **Approximately \$20,000 annually.**
- Will there be multiple companies awarded the contract, or will it be a single provider for all locations?
 - **No. We prefer one company.**
- Aside from the attached forms included with the bid, are there any additional documents such as insurance or tax certificates that need to be provided as attachments?
 - **Yes. The RFP requires a copy of the vendor's certificate of insurance.**
- Who is the current vendor and are you able to provide current pricing?
 - **Waste Management. See pricing above in question 2.**
- Will alternatives to the scope of service be accepted?
 - **No**
- What is the initial term of the contract, and are there any additional terms to be considered?
 - **It's a year to year contract starting July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025.**
- Is the service to be provided exclusive?
 - **Yes.**
- Will cost of living increases be considered? CPI to include fuel, landfill increases and costs out of contractor control.
 - **Yes.**
- Who pays the disposal costs?
 - **Contractor**
- What is the current rate for disposal at the Habersham County land fill and what will the rate be for the initial contract term?
 - **You are not required to use the Habersham County Landfill for disposal. However, their rates are \$55 per ton and \$15 minimum charge.**
- Are there any specific route times/ hours that must be followed?

- There are several locations that are behind locked gates. We will need a purposed schedule to make sure we have employees available for unlocking locations.