

Questions and Answers

Streets Initiative 2 (SI2) – Outreach and Communication – REBID RFP Specification No. PW23-0325F

All interested parties had the opportunity to submit questions in writing by email to Carly Fowler, Senior Buyer by February 2, 2024. The answers to the questions received are provided below and posted to the City's website at <u>www.TacomaPurchasing.org</u>: Navigate to <u>Current</u> <u>Contracting Opportunities</u> / Public Works and Improvements Solicitations, and then click Questions and Answers for this Specification. This information IS NOT considered an addendum. Respondents should consider this information when submitting their proposals.

Question 1: What is the budget? Is it increasing since the first bid posting?

Answer 1: Since the time of the first bid posting, the scope of consultant work has changed, and additional funding has been made available for this project as it was recognized that \$50,000 was not adequate to cover the scope of activities as originally advertised.

The information provided in the Cost Summary Sheet to be submitted with the proposal will be considered as part of the selection process, and the City will add additional funds as needed to cover the revised scope of this REBID RFP.

Question 2: How much expected engagement activity with the city and county is expected under the scope of work?

Answer 2: Engagement activity work with the City is anticipated to be a substantial portion of the work to be completed.

Engagement activities with Pierce County are anticipated to be limited to include submittal of the bond measure, and potential discussions as part of a larger group of community partners as identified in the RFP (Section 3.00 SCOPE OF WORK, pages 1-2).

Question 3: Why is the project being re-bid? Did the city receive no bids with the original rfp, were the original bids deemed non-responsive, or was there another reason?

No bids were received with the original RFP.