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### ADDENDA 1

To:All Interested VendorsFrom:Blanca Güereca, Procurement Data AnalystDate:October 3, 2019Subject:Bid 20-001 Lubricants (Oils, Grease, and Antifreeze) and Cleaners for the County<br/>of El Paso (re-bid)

#### The Purchasing Department has received the following questions:

1. What is the reason for Re-Bid?

## **RESPONSE:** Specifications were revised.

2. How do we receive a copy of the original bid results (summary or bid tab)?

**RESPONSE:** The bid tabulation and other updates regarding this bid can be found in the County's website <u>www.epcounty.com</u> select: Directory, Purchasing, List of Bids.

#### **SCOPE OF WORK:**

 Page 7 – Item 1: Petroleum products are subject to one (1) to several price increased per year. Not only the unrefined crude oil but additives, packaging materials, and shipping cost caused several increases the last two (2) years. Will the County allow percentage increases equal to an announced manufacture increase?

# **RESPONSE:** No, the requirements are as written in the specifications, no price increase is allowed

4. Page 7 – Item 6: Would the County allow a local distributor certified to repackage a national brand by that national brand be allowed to repackage specified products?

# **RESPONSE:** No the requirements are as written in the specifications, no repackaging is allowed.

## **TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS FOR LUBRICANTS:**

 Page 10 – Item 1: Engine Oil 15W-40: Does this specification adhere to Item 5: SAE 15W-40 Diesel Full Synthetic Oil listed on the Bid Price Sheet page 13? (Most Major Oil Companies do not produce a Full Synthetic 15W-40 Diesel Engine Oil. Synthetic Blend 15W-40 Diesel Engine Oils are produced.)

## **RESPONSE:** The requirement is for 15W-40 Full Synthetic, <u>however</u> <u>15W-40 Synthetic Blend is acceptable providing the vendor(s) clearly</u> <u>identify this in their bid response.</u>