

Purchasing Department 530 Water Street Oakland, CA 94607

October 27, 2016

### **ADDENDUM No. 1**

## Bid No. 16-17/03, Regenerative Air Sweeper with Conventional Cab Chassis

This Addendum modifies the original Bid Documents for the above referenced Bid. **Acknowledge receipt of this addendum in the space provided on the Bid Form (Attachment 2).** 

# The following correction has been made to the above referenced Bid:

### A. Correction:

On the Product Specification, page 1 of 2, second paragraph, where it reads "Bidder must be an authorized dealer or reseller." This is a typo error and the correct reference should be:

- Bidder must be an authorized manufacturer, dealer, or reseller.
- B. Deletion and Clarification:
  - On the Product Specification, page 1 of 2, item A. Brand and Model Specification, 2.
    Conventional Cab Chassis Model, under Base Specification where it reads 152" Wheel
    base; 84 Cab to Axle. Delete this reference for the reason it could be different based on
    the Air Sweeper and Cab Chassis proposed configuration. As noted, Bidder is required to
    submit a complete chassis specification for review and approval.

There are no other changes to Bid No. 16-17/03.

## The following questions were submitted by the deadline and are answered in this addendum:

1. Question: Will the Port of Oakland consider changing the specification to read [Tymco Model 500x Regulative Air Sweeper] or Schwarze Model A8 Twister and change a Key Standard Equipment/Features to read [Broom Assist Pick-Up Head] or Gutter Extension Over-Ride (GEO) system? We believe it would be in the best interest of the Port of Oakland to pre-approve the Schwarze A8 Twister, creating a competitive bid environment.

Answer: After careful consideration, the Port will not change its product specification to read as requested or pre-approve the suggested equipment. However, all interested bidders may submit a similar product and category for evaluation and consideration. As noted in the Brand and Model Specification, "the Port will accept approved equivalents but the Port reserves the right to determine equivalency. If bidding an equivalent product, bidder shall submit all manufacturer specifications, warranties and other relevant information for consideration. The Port will be the sole determinant if the proposed equipment will meet the Port's operational needs and specifications." Please also refer to item 28 of the Instruction to Bidders, Special Brand Names, for additional information.

2. Question: It is to our best knowledge that there are only two (2) manufactures of Chassis Mounted Regenerative Air "High Dump" Street Sweepers, the Schwarze (Model A8 Twister) and the specified TYMCO 500x. Further to that point there is only one TYMCO authorized Dealer in Northern California.

Answer: The Invitation for Bid is open to all authorized suppliers (Manufacturer/Dealer/Reseller) with no local or geographic preference.

There are no other changes to Bid No. 16-17/03.