

REAL ESTATE TITLE SERVICES (RFQ) Solicitation No. Q-23-004-RL

ADDENDUM NO. 1 August 2, 2023

To Respondent of Record:

RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS

1. Question: Is it acceptable to use a SBE, WBE, and/or MBE firm that is not currently certified with South Central Texas Regional Certification Agency or the Texas Historically Underutilized Business "HUB" Program, however was initiated/initiates the certification process now? The firm is currently already certified by other agencies and have an office in Texas. We can provide any documentation/evidence that show that the firm is undergoing review/evaluation if not certified by the proposal due date.

Answer: SAWS will only recognize Small, Minority, and Woman-owned Businesses (SMWBs) that are certified by the South Central Texas Regional Certification Agency or the Texas Historically Underutilized Business "HUB" Program, and are certified at the time that the RFQ is due. Companies recognized as SMWBs by SAWS must also have a business presence in one of the following counties: Bexar, Comal, Guadalupe, Hays, Kendall, Travis, or Williamson. (P.O. Boxes and telephone answering services do not count as a business presence.)

2. Question: Does the Table of Contents also count as a page count?

Answer: No, the Table of Contents does not count as a page count.

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