

SAN ANTONIO WATER SYSTEM PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

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BID NO.: 11-0189

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**FORMAL INVITATION FOR BIDS
ANNUAL CONTRACT FOR WATER TREATMENT SERVICES
ADDENDUM 1**

Sealed bids addressed to the Purchasing Director, San Antonio Water System, 2800 US Hwy 281 North, P.O. Box 2449, San Antonio, TX 78298-2449 will be received until **3:00 p.m., November 23, 2011** and then publicly opened and read aloud for furnishing materials or services as described received herein below,

The San Antonio Water System Purchasing Department is willing to assist any bidder(s) in the interpretation of bid provisions or explanation of how bid forms are to be completed. Assistance may be received by visiting the Purchasing Office in the SAWS Main Office, 2800 US Hwy 281 North, San Antonio, TX 78212, or by calling (210) 233-3819.

This invitation includes the following:

Invitation for Bids
Terms and Conditions of Invitation for Bids

Specifications and General Requirements
Price Schedule

The undersigned, by his/her signature, represents that he/she is authorized to bind the Bidder to fully comply with the Specifications and General Requirements for the amount(s) shown on the accompanying bid sheet(s). By signing below, Bidder has read the entire document and agreed to the terms therein.

Signer's Name: _____ Firm Name: _____
(Please Print or Type)

Address: _____

Signature of Person Authorized to Sign Bid _____ City, State, Zip Code: _____

Email Address: _____ Telephone No.: _____

Fax No.: _____

Please complete the following:

Prompt Payment Discount: _____% _____days. (If no discount is offered, Net 30 will apply.)

Please check the following blanks which apply to your company:

Ownership of firm (51% or more):

___ Non-minority ___ Hispanic ___ African-American ___ Other Minority (specify) _____

___ Female Owned ___ Handicapped Owned ___ Small Business (less than \$1 million annual receipts or 100 employees)

Indicate Status: ___ Partnership ___ Corporation ___ Sole Proprietorship ___ Other (specify) _____

Tax Identification Number: _____

Addendum No. 1 is issued to provide the questions received and the responses to the questions.

1. It is stated 10% to 90% return. Does this fluctuate or can you offer a normal operating average condensate return?

Response: This does fluctuate constantly.

2. Two (2) 500 HP boilers. Do both boilers operate, or is this a “lead” / “lag demand operation?

Response: This is a Lag and Lead operation.

3. What % of the 1,000 total HP is normal operation load?

Response: Each Boiler operates at 85 to 90%.

4. As per #8:

1. Does cooling tower require biocide and inhibitors?

Response: Yes

2. Is acid/caustic being used to adjust pH now for make up to tower?

Response: Yes

3. Does the cooling tower cycle or is this “once thru water”?

Response: Cooling Towers cycle every day.

IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO RETURN THIS ADDENDUM WITH YOUR BID