



**ADVANCED DATA ANALYTICS SOLUTION FOR PIPELINE
LIKELIHOOD OF FAILURE**

BID NO: 18-18073

Addendum No. 1

May 31, 2018

This Addendum extends the submittal deadline and provides a response to the questions received regarding the referenced RFP.

Change to the RFP

Section IV. Submitting a Response A. Deadline:

Deadline for submission of bids is changed from June 15, 2018 to **June 22, 2018** at 3:00 PM.

Questions and Answers

- 1. Question:** Will the Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid meeting on June 4, 2018 at 10:00 AM CT be onsite only, or will you have a line to dial in via phone?

Response: *The pre bid meeting is non mandatory and it is not required that respondents attend. If respondents would like to call in to listen to the meeting please use the following information: Audio Connection Phone Number (210) 233-2550 and Access Code 996-078-279.*

- 2. Question:** Can companies from outside USA, such as from India or Canada, apply for this?

Response: *Yes, a foreign owned company can bid on this project.*

- 3. Question:** Can we perform the tasks (related to RFP) outside USA?

Response: *Potentially, yes tasks could be performed outside of the U.S. However, all respondents are required to submit Exhibit H Software as a Service Provider Information Security and Privacy Assessment Questionnaire with their bid for SAWS final approval.*

4. **Question:** Can we submit the proposals via email?

Response: *No. Please reference Section IV. Submitting a Response B. Submission #3 on page 7 of the RFP.*

5. **Question:** Would you consider extending the deadline by 1 week?

Response: *Refer to the Change to the RFP section above in this addendum.*

6. **Question:** We plan to bid as subcontractors, proposing to integrate our Advanced Analytics and ML platform with industry-standard product of master contractor. Is it feasible or you are looking for one product that suits all needs?

Response: *This RFP will result in one contract agreement awarded to a prime contractor. Subcontractors are encouraged to work with primes to participate. If assistance is needed in filling out Exhibit B the Good Faith Effort Plan please contact Marisol Robles at (210) 233-3420.*

Our primary focus is on likelihood of failure for water pipes, as outlined in the scope of work in the RFP. However, additional forms of analysis that suit a broader range of needs can be submitted with responses for SAWS review.

7. **Question:** Will you publish the list of bidders?

Response: *Our website has a link to view the names of the firms who have obtained the RFP bid package. To view the list please use the following link:*

https://www.saws.org/business_center/ProcBids/interestedfirmslist.cfm?id=3194

End of Addendum
