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## ADDENDUM # 1 Drinking Water - Water Treatment Plant Chemicals May 12, 2020

This Addendum # 1 - Answers various questions posed by potential bidders.

The City request for chemicals is for DRINKING WATER - water treatment plant currently being built to meet State Water Board standards and quality.

**1.** <u>Current Information</u> - Who are the current suppliers and their price?

ANSWER: We currently are in the process of building a drinking water treatment plant and do not have a supplier for a majority of the chemicals. City well treatment is currently supplied by Univar for Sodium Hypochlorite 12.5% Liquidchlor charged \$1.51 per gallon for mini-bulk at 1,000 gallons.

**2.** Taxes – Is the City exempt from sales tax?

ANSWER: The City is not exempt from state sales tax. The City sales tax rate is charged at 7.25%.

**3.** <u>Pricing Terms</u>: Is the City expecting firm pricing? If so, for how long? What are the terms/conditions for price adjustments within the 3 year term?

ANSWER: Pricing Terms are: First (1<sup>st</sup>) year pricing should be stated on Form. In the Comments you may list an estimated expectation of the high for each of the four (4) Chemicals over a three year term, as is possible. There is an industry history and projection that should provide a pattern projection for the City's Budget requirements. You may also make a percentage (%) not to exceed statement for each chemical.

**4. NSF Certification**: Is it required?

ANSWER: The City will require NSF Certification where required in the industry for Drinking Water and all MSDS sheets as required by industry.

5. Special Delivery Instructions: Are there any?

ANSWER: The two plants operate 24 hours per day, delivery would be within typical business hours. Entity may be requested to also fill liquid chlorine tanks at other sites. That will be considered after the plant is operational and we have usage history for necessity of the current well system usage.