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ADDENDUM No. Two (2)

Data Backup Expansion RFP No. 2016-186

Effective: April 11, 2016

You are hereby directed to make changes to the Request for Proposal in accordance with the attached information:

Delete:

Attachment C, Questions and Answers

Replace with:

Attachment C, Questions and Answers (Revised)

Please note all other terms, conditions, specifications drawings, etc. remain unchanged.

Sincerely,
Michalyn Rains CPPO, CPPB
Purchasing Agent

Data Backup Expansion
RFP No. 2016-186
Pre-Proposal Conference
Questions and Answers
April 5, 2016 at 2:00p.m.

Questions & Answers:

- 1) Can we run the backup jobs over the course of a weekend and have them complete in time?

Yes, the longest one would be exchange.

- 2) Does the County have long term retention schedules on Avamar that would need to be retained?

We do not have any long term retention scheduling setup.

- 3) Does the County have DPA?

Yes.

- 4) Is there any rack space free?

Yes.

- 5) When the County first completely moved to Avamar EMC performed the services, Is the County open to anyone performing the services this time?

Yes. However your company shall be an authorized EMC implementation partner in order to meet the criteria in Level 1 of the evaluation factors.

- 6) Will the current backup environment be left in place for the existing data to age out and the new DD2500 be put in place side by side? Or will you require the data to be migrated to the new DD2500?

Due to other projects which are either in flight or planned there is limited rack space available. Given that constraint the county would prefer the data to be migrated from the DD620 to the DD2500, if possible. We are looking to the vendor responses to provide options and recommendations based on industry best practices.

- a) If you will be migrating the data should this be part of the services proposal?

Yes

- b) If Yes, How many TB's need to be migrated?

Nearly all capacity on the DD620 is consumed, we currently have 30.268 TBs consumed and new data growth is increasing the consumption amount by approximately .5% per week.

- 7) What is the total amount of data to be backed up? Does the configuration attached to the RFP include future growth requirements or will growth be handled in a future RFP?

Both. The configuration attached should give us some room for short term growth and there are plans to request additional space

- 8) Are there any NDMP requirements for the existing CIFS/NAS data?

Yes, we currently have NDMP in place with our existing Avamar solution.