## **ADDENDUM ONE, QUESTIONS and ANSWERS**

Date:

July 27, 2016

To:

All Bidders

From:

Jason Walters, Buyer State Treasurer's Office

RE:

Addendum for Request for Proposal Number NST062416Z1

to be opened August 30, 2016 at 2:00 p.m. Central Time

## **Questions and Answers**

Following are the questions submitted and answers provided for the above mentioned Request for Proposal. The questions and answers are to be considered as part of the Request for Proposal. It is the Bidder's responsibility to check the State Purchasing Bureau website for all addenda or amendments.

Question Number	RFP Section Reference	<u>RFP</u> <u>Page</u> <u>Number</u>	Question	State Response
1.	Attachment A, Form A.2, #43	Pg 8 of Attachment A	Please provide further clarification of the question. Can an example or scenario be provided where this solution would be required?	All transactions must be authorized through the vendor's system. Does the vendor's system provide controls that allow for point of sale transactions authorization by a PIN (card assigned or driver assigned) validation?
2.	Attachment A, Form A.3, #3 & 4	Pg 12 of Attachment A	2-U units and what information does it collect?	Data 2-U units gather fuel transaction data. (See Fuel Transaction Record Layout attachment.) This data is transmitted to the State by the vendor for processing into the State Gas System.
3.	IV. Project Description and Scope of Work, F. 1. e.	Pg 30 of RFP	Please provide an example of what is meant by privatizing for internal transaction processing?	Privatization is using the vendor provided fuel card to activate University or State owned fuel pumps. The transactions are not validated or processed through the vendors system.
4.	Section II - N 2a	6	This RFP is for fuel card services which is a credit agreement (line of credit) between the State of Nebraska and the awarded issuing bank. This contract has no treasury bank specific products or holding of	State law requires that the bidder must be a bank as defined in State Statute, having a qualifying office in the State of Nebraska. This requirement cannot be removed.

			deposits requirements and as such we request the requirement requiring a qualifying office in the State of Nebraska be removed.	
5.	Section II - N 2a	6	Does being registered to do business in Nebraska qualify as the bidder as having a physical location in the State?	Being registered to do business in Nebraska does not qualify as having a physical location in the State of Nebraska.
6.	Section IV - F 1a	30	How many tax exempt numbers does the State of Nebraska have? If only one or a few, can the State provide these numbers for the purposes of responding to this RFP?	According to Form 13, NE Resale or Exempt Sale Certificate, Governmental units are not assigned exemption numbers, but are exempt from sales tax. The University has a tax exempt number and it will be provided with the completed contract.
7.	Section IV - F 1d	30	Are other Fleet Management Systems (FMS) currently being used by the State other than Faster (UofN) and Lucity AMS (Dept. of Roads)?	No.
8.	Section IV - F	30	For private site transactions today, is the State currently using the fuel cards to activate the private site pumps and then conducting all transaction data capture through the GasBoy system or is the State using the Fuel Card to access a network to gain authorization through the State's current fuel card provider (like a regular retail transaction)?	For private site transactions today, the Department of Roads is currently using the fuel card Agency account number to activate the private site pumps and then conducting all transaction data capture through the Data 2-U or GASBOY system, then uploading directly to the State Gas System and to Lucity. The University uses the fuel cards to activate the private site pumps and then conducts all transaction data capture through the GASBOY system, then uploading directly to FMS.
9.	Section IV - F 1d	30	How many private site fueling locations in Nebraska currently have card readers installed and how many total card readers is the State currently operating with fuel cards today?	101 sites located in Nebraska.
10.	Section IV - F 1e	30	Can the State please clarify what is meant by "Card must be capable of privatizing (for internal transaction processing)? Does this mean using a fuel card for private	The State and University desire to utilize the fuel card to activate State and University owned fuel pumps, and upload the transaction data directly to our agency specific Fleet

			site transactions? If so, as stated in question #4, are these transaction processed locally through the GasBoy System/State's System or are they going out through the fuel card provider's network?	Management Systems. These transactions would not be processed through the fuel card provider at this time. However, the Department of Roads may possibly explore the option of sending transactions out through the fuel card provider's network in the future. Should the Department of Roads decide to pursue this option, it would be addressed as a separate REP.
11.	Section IV - F 2a & 3b	30	The State is requesting both 5 and 6 digit ID Numbers in the RFP. Is it acceptable for a leading or trailing 0 (or number of the State's choosing) be added to the current 5 digit ID Numbers to accommodate both 5 and 6 digit ID numbers?	addressed as a separate RFP Due to the State and University using different systems, the State cannot accept adding a zero to the ID number to increase digits. The University system can accept leading and/or trailing 0 (zero's) for the driver's ID number.
12.	Exhibit 1-6	38 - 43	In addition to spend, can the State please provide the 1) total number of gallons of unleaded fuel purchased, 2) total number of gallons of diesel fuel purchased and 3) total number of overall gallons purchased (2015-2016 totals are fine) at retail locations?	State: Unleaded: 1,970,986.86 Diesel: 416,632.73 Alt: 9,228.54 Total: 2,396,848 University: Unleaded: 183,991 Diesel: 31,636 Natural Gas: 248 Total: 215,875
13.	Attachment A Form A.3 # 3	12	Can the State please clarify what the current level of fuel card integration is with each system and what the function of each system listed in this requirement is?	All sites are 100% privatized to fuel card use.
14.	Attachment A Form A.3 #4	12	What is Data 2-U Information and how are cards currently used to trigger an upload of it?	Fuel Transaction Record layout (attached) applies to Data 2-U and GASBOY transactions. Data is transmitted to the vendor by the unit when: a designated card is used to trigger transmission or the unit memory is approaching capacity.

This addendum will become part of the proposal and should be acknowledged with the Request for Proposal.

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