



# Department of Purchasing & Contract Compliance

**October 24, 2014**

**Re: 15ITB94692C-DR, Testing & Repair of Backflow Devices**

Dear **Proposer(s)**:

Attached is one (1) copy of Addendum 1, hereby made a part of the above referenced **15ITB94692C-DR, Testing & Repair of Backflow Devices**.

Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions in the **15ITB94692C-DR** referenced above remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

Sincerely,

*Donald R. Riley*

**Donald R. Riley, CPPB  
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This Addendum forms a part of the contract documents and modifies the original ITB documents as noted below:

**Attached hereto are responses to questions submitted in reference to the above ITB.**

Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions in the bid referenced above remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

Failure to return a signed copy of this addendum could render your bid non-responsive.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDUM NO. 1**

The undersigned proposer acknowledges receipt of this addendum by returning one (1) copy of this form with the proposal package to the Department of Purchasing & Contract Compliance, Fulton County Public Safety Building, 130 Peachtree Street, Suite 1168, Atlanta, Georgia 30303 by the ITB due date and time **October 29, 2014 at 11:00 A.M.**

This is to acknowledge receipt of Addendum No. 1, \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Legal Name of Bidder

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Authorized Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title

1. If I have zero employees I am normally exempt from E-Verify, will Fulton County be able to honor that?

**Response:** No. The Georgia E-Verify law requires contractors and all sub-contractors on Georgia public contracts (contracts with a government agency) for the physical performance of services<sup>3</sup> over \$2,499.99 in value to enroll in E-Verify, regardless of the number of employees. A contractor or sub-contractor may be exempt from this requirement if the contractor or sub-contractor has no employees and does not hire nor intend to hire employees for the purpose of completing any part of the public contract.

For a public contract, contractors must sign the Contractor E-Verify Affidavit, all subcontractors must sign the Subcontractor E-Verify Affidavit and all Sub-subcontractors must sign the Sub-Subcontractor Affidavit. The government agency is required to ensure that the Contractor E-Verify Affidavit is part of the contract; however, the contractor is responsible for all subcontractor affidavits and the subcontractors are responsible for the sub-subcontractors affidavits.

2. If I have zero employees I do not qualify for workers compensation insurance in the State of Georgia, will Fulton County be able to honor that?

**Response:** No. The Ga. Workers Compensation Act indicates that an employer with fewer than 3 employees is not required to procure workers compensation insurance; however, the County requires workers compensation insurance for **ALL** contractors/vendors regardless of the number of employees.

3. I received notification of the bid for proposal and wanted to find out more about it. Please provide some information of the quantity of work involved and what requirements you will be asking for. If there is anything I need to do please let me know.

**Response:** I have provided the link below for your review of the backflow prevention devices bid for Fulton County Government.

See the link below concerning additional information concerning the scope of work and special conditions for this solicitation:

[http://fultoncountyga.gov/county/bidss/index.php?table\\_name=bids&function=details&where field=ID&where value=4779](http://fultoncountyga.gov/county/bidss/index.php?table_name=bids&function=details&where field=ID&where value=4779)