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<u>ADDENDUM NUMBER 1</u>

NOTIFICATION DATE:	BID TITLE:	BID NUMBER:	BID OPENING DATE & TIME:	
06/12/14	Wastewater Treatment Bar Screens Replacement	14-046	06/20/14 2:00PM	

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS HEREBY INCORPORATED INTO, AND MADE AN OFFICIAL PART OF THE ABOVE REFERENCED BID.

The following clarifications are issued for the referenced solicitation:

- 1) Please provide a cost estimate associated with the referenced bid.

 ANSWER: The estimate for the project is \$225,000 or \$450,000 depending if we do one or both of the screens.
 - 2) Does the City of Naples plan on enforcing the requirements of Section 11331, Paragraph 1.02 A? If so the second named supplier (Aquilitec) should be removed from the specification because they cannot meet these experience requirements i.e. 'at least fifteen (15) independent installations in the U.S. same size or larger in operation for at least five(5) years.

ANSWER: The City intends to enforce all the specifications, including Section 11331, Paragraph 1.02(A). Named supplier will be required to submit their qualifications per Section 11331, Paragraph 1.02 and if they cannot meet the all the requirements they will be deemed unresponsive.

- 3) Due to the lack of detail specified for the chain and chain guides to be supplied here the following sections should be added to Specification Section 11331 in order for John Meunier to participate with the ContFlo ER specified.
- Each side frame shall include separate roller tracks to guide the rakes. The roller tracks shall be bolted to the frame so that they can easily be replaced. The roller tracks shall be made of 10/64" (4 mm) thick L-profiles.
- Drive chains for the rakes shall be roller type chains and shall have links made from 316 stainless steel. The chain bushes and pins shall be made from Duplex Stainless Steel. Each chain shall be rated for a maximum load of 106,000 N (24,000 lbs.f). Drive chains, chain guides, sprockets and their bearings shall be replaceable without the need for removing the screen from the channel. Screens utilizing drive chains constructed from alternative materials will not be acceptable for this project due to the corrosive nature of waste water. Drive chains other than roller type chain will not be acceptable for this project.

- Chain rollers shall be made of same material as chain links and shall have a minimum diameter of 2-3/4 inch (70 mm) and shall be a minimum of 1-1/4 inch (32 mm) wide.
- The bottom chain guiding shall be done by a revolving adjustable round guide.
- Each screen shall be provided with two identical sprockets with a reference minimum diameter
 of 13 inches (327 mm). The sprockets shall be made of minimum 1-1/8" (29 mm) thick plates.
 Screen designs that utilize sprockets constructing of differing materials will not be acceptable
 for this project. Screens that utilize plastic wear shoes instead of sprockets are specifically not
 acceptable. Screens that do not employ sprockets and allow the rakes to contact the bars are
 not acceptable.
- Upper bearings shall be flange bearings, and shall be provided with grease nipples for easy lubrication. The bearings shall be designed for use with biodegradable grease. Their diameter shall be a minimum of 2 inch (50mm). The casing shall be made of paint coated cast iron.

ANSWER: The City acknowledges your request to change the specifications and we do not feel the changes are warranted.

4) Will the city allow Fairfield Service Company to be listed as an approved manufacturer for specification sections 11331 (mechanical screening system)?

ANSWER: No.

Exhibit A – Pre-Bid Attendees List

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