To: All Vendors Bidding on The College of New Jersey
Trash Removal/Recycling Services (AB160006)

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ADDENDUM NO. 1

REFERENCE: The College of New Jersey
Trash Removal/Recycling Services
Bid No. AB160006

Date of Original Bidding Documents: August 20, 2015

ISSUE DATE: August 31, 2015

INTENT: This Addendum forms a part of the Contract Documents and modifies the original Bidding Documents and Prior Addenda, if any, as identified above.

VENDOR QUESTIONS:

Question 1: After reviewing the specifications, it states that a bid bond is required but does not give any details as to the amount. Standard NJ bid bonds are usually 10% of the total bid price not to exceed $20,000 but that is not always the case. Please provide the specific amount required. Also, I see a term but no effective date. Please provide a contract start date. We are not able to receive a bond without these details.

Response: A bid bond is not required for this bid.

Question 2: We noticed you are requesting a statement of security, which likely means you will want a performance bond if awarded. We will need the specifics on the performance bond in order to get a Consent of Surety. (i.e. “100% of the annual value of the contract value”)

Response: No security is required for this bid.

Question 3: Specifications require contractor to provide the repair services of compactors and compactor containers. Are the existing repairs for compactors and their containers billable? If not, please provide how many times service requested in the last 2 years.

Response: We will not hold the contractor responsible for the repair of the compactor units themselves but would require that they be capable of providing a contractor to affect repair as required. The financial responsibility will be with the College. The dumpster repair itself is the responsibility of the contractor unless upon inspection the dumpster fails due to deterioration associated with age and or rust.
Question 4: Your specifications require the contractor to present a Food Recycling Plan. Is this a current service provided today? If so, please provide the volumes generated. If not, please provide anticipated volumes based on your current operation.

Response: We currently do not have a food recovery/recycling program. However, it is estimated that approximately 1500 pounds of food waste is generated at the Eickhoff facility on a daily basis.

Question 5: Alternate I - Please provide the existing volumes for all the wastes requesting proposal for in this section. Also, please provide the existing service container sizes and frequencies.

Response: Please remove Alternate 1 from specifications.

END OF ADDENDUM NO. 1