

**University of Massachusetts, Amherst  
RFB# AA10-RH-3579  
Aeration System for the Campus Pond  
Addendum # 1 – Dated 11-04-09**

Below is a listing of vendor questions that were submitted prior to the deadline on RFB # AA10-RH-3579 – Aeration System for the Campus Pond

Due to the nature of these questions the bid opening date will be changed to:  
**Tuesday, November 10, 2009 @ 1:00 p.m.**

**Question # 1: What length of wire does each of the two aerators on Line # 1 need to have any is one of the wires listed on Line # 2?**

**Answer # 1: From the first vendor purchase, the first 50 feet is feet. We need a total of 150 for each fountain. 200 is the total feet of cable needed to allow for placement of fountains. From this vendor, we would get 50 feet of cable free per fountain plus the needed 100ft. So 150 ft per fountain.**

**Question # 2: Are the nozzles specified on Line # 4 for the aerators on Line # 1? If not, what nozzles do you want in the bid for the aerators on Line # 1?**

**Answer # 2: Yes**

**Question # 3: Does the panel on Line # 3 need to have lighting circuits built-in and if so, how many light sets (# of lights) per aerator and lamp wattages will be panel need to be built to handle?**

**Answer # 3: No**

**Question # 4: What HP, phase and voltage aerators will the control panel on Line # 3 need to control?**

**Answer # 4: ½ HP (120 volts) as outlined in Line 1. We are bidding 2 – ½ HP fountains, single phase (120 volts)**

**Question # 5: Does the bid include supplying mooring rope and anchors? If so, how will the unit be moored and what length or ropes and types of anchors are required?**

**Answer # 5: Completed by Physical Plant Staff. Not part of bid.**

**Question # 6: The minimum operating depth for the 1/2HP units is 2.5 Ft. What will be the minimum operating depth be?**

**Answer # 6: 2 feet as stated in the spec's of the bid.**