Addendum #1

RFP Number: AA15-PR-4949
Title: Review Physical Plant Lock shop, Keying systems, Policies and Work flow

The attention of the bidders submitting proposals for AA15-PR-4949 is called to the following addendum to the specifications and drawings. The items set forth herein, whether of omission, addition, substitution, or clarifications, are all to be included in and form a part of the proposal submitted.

The number of this Addendum (1) must be referenced on the proposal.

Question 1: It states under Field B: Section 4 That the successful bidder is to review the current card access installation specification and update them to reflect the C-Cure system and operating guidelines. Is that the portion of this proposal that is to be related to card access? It says throughout the RFP that they want a review of the card access system, but then under services required it is just this one note. If you can further explain what the university is looking for in relation to the card access portion of this proposal that would be much appreciated.

Answer: The current card access system is a Software House product C-CURE. There are several ways installing and wiring the system. To ease maintenance and troubleshooting the system we would prefer all doors, power supplies, etc. to be installed the same way. (Please note there will be several standards written - ex. Single door with power assisted operator, without power assist, double door etc.) This would require the successful bidder to interview the UMASS staff, review the C-CURE installation requirement, and create specifications and wiring diagram as well as hardware preferences.

Question 2: If a manufacturer (Stanley/BEST, IR, etc...) bids and wins this consultant role, do they lose the ability to recommend and provide their own products?

Answer: Yes, the vendor that is awarded this RFP cannot bid on any recommendations made.

End of Addendum #1

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