

## **ADDENDUM NO. 1**

Date: December 21, 2023

From: City of Grand Junction Purchasing Division

To: All Offerors

RE: Parks and Recreation Private Security and Lockup Services, RFP-5366-24-KF

Offerors responding to the above-referenced solicitation are hereby instructed requirements have been clarified, modified, superseded, and supplemented as to this date as hereinafter described.

Please make note of the following clarifications:

1. **Q:** Section 4.2.1.1 states the offeror must have five years in business. Tho my company has not been in operation that long I the owner have over 16 years of relevant experience (military, law enforcement, security, etc.). Would the owner accept these types of relevant experience in lieu of years of company foundation?

**A:** The City will consider relevant years of experience in place of five years of business operation. The experience must be closely related in terms of training, crowd control, and deescalation. Additionally, firms must also be able to demonstrate experience in an environment similar to the City system.

2. **Q:** Section 4.2.2.15 states security officers are not to be armed while on duty. As we are an armed-only agency and bring a higher quality of service as such, would the owner be open to the idea of accepting bids from armed agencies?

**A:** While the City is open to receiving a proposal utilizing armed guards, please be advised that this is not the traditional model we have utilized. We would prefer both options for consideration and evaluation.

The original solicitation for the project noted above is amended as noted.

All other conditions of the subject remain the same.

Respectfully,

Kathleen Franklin, Senior Buyer City of Grand Junction, Colorado