



City of Watsonville

"A Community of Opportunities"

October 12, 2020

SUBJECT: ADDENDUM TO Green Infrastructure Implementation Plan RFQ

Please see below for corrections to:

1. Dates for deadline to submit questions and addendum issuance:

Last Day to submit written questions is October 16, 2020. Addendum will be posted by October 19, 2020 (COB).

2. Questions received by Project Manager that written and verbal responses were provided to prospective consultant.

October 9, 2020

City of Watsonville

Green Infrastructure Plan

RFP Questions

- 1) Does the City have a GIS system? Does this include the storm drain system and drainage basins?
A: Yes. Once project is awarded the layers will be made available to consultant.
- 2) Does the City have a Storm Drain Master Plan? Does this include a model of the 100-year storm? Does this reflect projected sea-level rise?
A: No.
- 3) Does the City have an inventory of existing Low-Impact Development or other stormwater treatment measures, including full trash capture measures?
A: Yes.
- 4) Has the City developed a Storm Drain Trash Reduction Plan as required by the State Water Resources Control Board?
A: Yes.
- 5) Did the City receive the Urban Forestry Grant (\$894,477, City Council Reso. 46-20) and, if so, have the funds been allocated to a specific project?
A: This is a different department of the City. If awarded the project manager for the Green Infrastructure Plan will help the consultant coordinate with the other project manager in the City.
- 6) For the Community Outreach effort, will the Consultant be responsible for including associated costs in the project fee? This would include printing flyers, announcements, etc., postage, and other outreach costs. Does the City have a list of names and addresses to receive the survey?
A: Yes. And yes, the City has a list.
- 7) Does the City have a preferred or standard calculator for Climate Change Impacts?
A: Unsure. Please refer to information in the 2015 City Climate Action Plan.
- 8) Is the GI Plan being developed as a requirement of the City's MS4 Phase 2 Stormwater Permit or other Central Coast Regional Board requirements, or is it strictly voluntary?
A: Completely voluntary. But it will benefit a variety of programs.
- 9) The deadline to submit the RFP is 10/21. The dates for the deadline to submit questions and for the addendum issuance appear to have been transposed. Have these dates been determined?
A: The dates are incorrect. Dates to submit questions is 10/16/20. Addendum will be posted by October 19, 2020.
- 10) The Resiliency Grant schedule shows that work must commence by December 31, 2020. A services agreement and notice to proceed will not likely be in place until December. Is the December 31 start deadline a firm deadline or can it be adjusted?
A: Can be adjusted based on when contract is approved and awarded through City Council.