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SUBJECT: Letter of Clarification No 2, Animal Control Trucks for Health
& Human Services Department

REFERENCE: Bid Invitation No. S38-N23037
Bid Due Date: October 23, 2008 at 10:30 a.m.

TO: All Prospective Bidders:

This Letter of Clarification is issued for the following reason:

To revise the above referenced solicitation as follows:

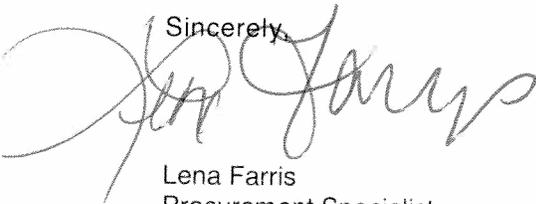
1. Item No. 1C, Extended Warranty for Roof Top Air Conditioning Unit, has been deleted from the electronic online bid form.
2. On Page 15 of 24 of the Bid Document, Delete Technical Specification Provision 4.2.2.

This clarification is hereby incorporated in this bid document and all bidders are directed to bid accordingly.

When issued, Letter(s) of Clarification shall automatically become a part of the bid documents and shall supersede any previous specification(s) and/or provision(s) in conflict with the Letter(s) of Clarification. It is the responsibility of the bidders to ensure that they have obtained any such previous Letter(s) associated with this solicitation. By submitting a bid on this project, bidders shall be deemed to have received all Letter(s) of Clarification and to have incorporated them into this Bid.

If you should have any questions or if further clarification is needed regarding this Invitation to Bid, please contact me at lena.farris2@cityofhouston.net, or 832-393-8729.

Sincerely,


Lena Farris
Procurement Specialist

Attachment: Bid Document, Technical Specifications, Page 15 of 24, marked Revised October 17, 2008

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cc: Solicitation File S38-N23037

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SECTION B - PART II TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS (Continued):

ITEM NO. 1: ANIMAL CONTROL TRUCK FOR HEATH & HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT (Continued):

3.0 ANIMAL CONTROL UNIT (Continued):

3.3 Safety Equipment:

3.3.1 Digital Thermometer shall be mounted on the dash of the vehicle with the probe located inside the animal unit to monitor temperature while vehicle is in use.

3.3.2 Temperature monitor/alert system:

3.3.2.1 Plugs into the power outlet

3.3.2.2 Terminals on the rear for permanent wiring

3.3.2.3 Pager system built into the control box

3.3.2.4 Pager transmitter with antenna

3.3.2.5 Digital pager with audible and vibrating modes up to 1 mile

3.3.2.6 Activate car horn and lights

3.3.2.7 System Components

Manufacturer	Item No.	Description
Whelen	SA315P	Speaker, Black Plastic
Whelen	SAK1	Mount Universal Kit
Whelen	ALPHA12M	100 watt remote siren four tone and hands free
Whelen	L53RP	LED BEACON, RED, PERM
Havis-Shields	KK-K9-HA-2000	Heat alarm
Havis-Shields	KK-K--HA-RBM-I	Remote pager/beeper module

4.0 WARRANTY:

4.1 Cab & Chassis:

4.1.1 A minimum of 36-month/36,000 mile bumper-to-bumper warranty with no deductible on both materials and workmanship shall be provided for basic coverage.

4.1.2 Five (5)-year/50,000 miles on emission controls.

4.1.3 Three (3)-year/36,000 miles, no deductible on power train.

4.1.4 Five (5)-year/100,000 miles on corrosion rust through.

4.2 Animal Control Unit:

4.2.1 A minimum twelve (12) month warranty on both materials and workmanship shall be provided. The warranty period shall commence the date the City officially accepts the completed item(s). When extended warranties are available as standard, they shall be included as a part of the bid for the benefit of the City. Any and all documents necessary to effect warranty shall be properly applied for and submitted by the Prime Contractor/Supplier.

5.0 DELIVERY:

5.1 The item(s) specified herein, with delivery tickets and/or other required documents shall be delivered Prepaid F.O.B. Destination to the location(s) shown on the purchase order(s) within **150 calendar days** after receipt of the City of Houston Purchase Order.