



**ADDENDUM #2**  
**Commissioners' Office**  
**Environmental Evaluation of Acoustic/Noise, Air Quality, and Visual Impacts**  
**associated with the Expansion of Gross Reservoir**  
**RFP # 7284-21**

January 25, 2022

The attached addendum supersedes the original Information and Specifications regarding RFP # 7284-21 where it adds to, deletes from, clarifies or otherwise modifies. All other conditions and any previous addendums shall remain unchanged.

**Please note: Due to COVID-19, BIDS will only be accepted electronically by emailing [purchasing@bouldercounty.org](mailto:purchasing@bouldercounty.org).**

1. Question: Boulder County Sample Contract, Item 45. Insurance, paragraph g. Requirements. Will each of the following requirements be deleted from the consultant contract for this project? vi. Pollution Liability; vii. Third Party Commercial Crime Insurance; viii. Privacy / Cyber Liability Insurance; ix. Sexual Abuse and Molestation Coverage.

**ANSWER: The insurance requirements for this RFP are on page 9 and 10 of the RFP document. The following insurance coverages are required: Commercial General Liability, Automobile Liability, Workers' Compensation and Employer's Liability, Professional Liability (Errors and Omissions), as well as additional insured information.**

2. Question: What exactly is intended for an "ambient noise survey"?

**ANSWER: It is anticipated that in order to adequately understand the noise impacts associated with the Gross Reservoir Expansion Project a study of the current noise levels in the area will be necessary.**

3. Question: Will the County provide a list/database of noise receptors?

**ANSWER: Boulder County does not have a list or database of noise receptors.**

4. Question: What GIS and other data will the County provide?

**ANSWER: Boulder County will work with the selected consultant to provide GIS mapping information, including public and private property boundaries and roadways, which the county has in its existing GIS database.**

5. Question: Will the consultant facilitate public meetings?

**ANSWER: If appropriate, the consultant may be asked to participate in a public meeting or meetings facilitated by Boulder County.**

6. Question: What is the project consulting budget?

**ANSWER: Boulder County requests that the respondents include a project budget in the response.**

7. Question: Is there a page limit? If so, what all is excluded from the page limit?

**ANSWER: There is no page limit on proposals. As stated below, please note that email responses to this solicitation are limited to a maximum of 50MB capacity.**

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8. Question: The evaluation criteria (pg. 12) mentions a proposed methodology, but the submittal section (pg. 11) does not include it. Please clarify if a proposed methodology is required for proposal submittals.

**ANSWER: The list on page 11 includes information that should be submitted as part of the submittal package along with the proposal. A proposed methodology should be included as part of the proposal itself.**

9. Question: Would consulting firms or individuals who has done environmental work for Denver Water in the past, including work on the Environmental Assessment or Impact Statement associated with Denver Water's applications for various federal permits, be considered a conflict of interest which would disqualify work on this project?

**ANSWER: Prior work for Denver Water, including on its federal permitting processes, would not in and of itself disqualify a potential respondent from work on this project.**

**Submittal Instructions:**

Submittals are due at the email box only, listed below, for time and date recording on or before **2:00 p.m. Mountain Time on February 1, 2022.**

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**Electronic submittals must be received in the email box listed below. Submittals sent to any other box will NOT be forwarded or accepted. This email box is only accessed on the due date of your questions or proposals. Please use the Delivery Receipt option to verify receipt of your email. It is the sole responsibility of the proposer to ensure their documents are received before the deadline specified above. Boulder County does not accept responsibility under any circumstance for delayed or failed email or mailed submittals.**

Email [purchasing@bouldercounty.org](mailto:purchasing@bouldercounty.org); identified as **RFP # 7284-21** in the subject line.

All proposals must be received and time and date recorded at the purchasing email by the above due date and time. Sole responsibility rests with the Offeror to see that their bid is received on time at the stated location(s). Any bid received after due date and time will be returned to the bidder. No exceptions will be made.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids, to waive any informalities or irregularities therein, and to accept the bid that, in the opinion of the Board, is in the best interest of the Board and of the County of Boulder, State of Colorado.



**RECEIPT OF LETTER  
ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

January 25, 2022

Dear Vendor:

This is an acknowledgment of receipt of Addendum #2 for RFP #7284-21, Environmental Evaluation of Acoustic/Noise, Air Quality, and Visual Impacts associated with the Expansion of Gross Reservoir.

In an effort to keep you informed, we would appreciate your acknowledgment of receipt of the preceding addendum. Please sign this acknowledgment and email it back to [purchasing@bouldercounty.org](mailto:purchasing@bouldercounty.org) as soon as possible. If you have any questions, or problems with transmittal, please call us at 303-441-3525. This is also an acknowledgement that the vendor understands that **due to COVID-19, BIDS will only be accepted electronically by emailing [purchasing@bouldercounty.org](mailto:purchasing@bouldercounty.org).**

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter. This information is time and date sensitive; an immediate response is requested.

Sincerely,

Boulder County Purchasing

**Signed by:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of Company** \_\_\_\_\_

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