



CHARLOTTE

Department of General Services – City Procurement

Addendum # 4	Firefighting Turnout Gear ITB # 269-2020-031
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To: All Prospective Bidders

Date: 3/18/2020

Subject: Addendum # 4 – ITB # 269-2020-031 Firefighting Turnout Gear

Please note the specification changes/modifications below for the ITB

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1	10	1.8	How to Submit Bid Responses	<p>Modification: Change have been made regarding hand delivering bid packages to the Government Center and attending the bid opening. The second paragraph has been modified to read as follows:</p> <p>The Charlotte-Mecklenburg Government Center (CMGC) has been closed to the public. If the bid package cannot be mailed, please contact Shiela Bailey at 704-336-8084 and schedule a time for the bid package to be delivered. Bidder must call when they arrive at the building and the staff person will go outside to receive the bid. The bid package will need to be left on a table and the bidder can watch the staff person pick up the package. Please allow time for this process if delivering in-person to the CMGC.</p>
2	11	1.9	Bid Openings	<p>Addition: Add the following language to the ITB:</p> <p>Bid Openings will be conducted via WebEx video and teleconference line. To livestream the bid opening via WebEx, email Shiela Bailey at shiela.bailey@charlottenc.gov for an email link to join the Webex Meeting. Instructions to use WebEx are below. Bidders can also dial 704-336-5485 to attend via teleconference.</p> <p>Joining a WebEx Meeting:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You can join the meeting by clicking on the “Join WebEx Meeting” link in your email invitation • If this is your first-time using WebEx, there is a two-step process to follow: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Step 1: Whether the link opens in Google

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				<p>Chrome or Internet Explorer, you will be asked to install the WebEx application. You can either choose to install it or click “Run a temporary application” if you think you will rarely use WebEx.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ If you receive an error message about needing administrative rights to install the application, simply choose the “Run a temporary application” option. ▪ If you are still having difficulty, WebEx often works better in Google Chrome. Make sure that Java is installed. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Step 2: Enter your name and email address <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You will automatically join the meeting • To establish voice communication, click the ellipse (“...”) under “I Will Call In” <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Choose “I Will Call In” ○ Call in using the toll number (650 area code) and enter the access code and Attendee ID when prompted.
3	87	3	Barrier Hoods	<p>Modification: Separating the specifications for the Fire-Dex H-41 Barrier Hood and the PGI Barriaire Gold Hood requirements. The specifications for the PGI Barriaire Gold Hood are provided on revised specification sheets.</p>
4	112	4	Form 5	<p>Modification: Part Number added to Price Sheet for PGI Barriaire Gold Barrier Hood.</p>

In order to constitute a complete bid response you must acknowledge receipt of this addendum with the Addenda Receipt Confirmation Form in Section 4 of the ITB in your Bid. ***Any Bidder not acknowledging receipt of an issued addendum may not be considered.***

In the event additional changes or clarifications to this ITB are warranted, all Bidders are responsible for monitoring the City’s [Contract Opportunities](#) site or www.ips.state.nc.us or for additional addenda.

We appreciate your interest in doing business with the City and look forward to receiving a Bid from your company.

Sincerely,

Lenore Bishop
Procurement Officer

cc: ITB Team
ITB File

<p style="text-align: center;">PGI</p> <p style="text-align: center;">BARRIAIRE GOLD HOOD</p> <p style="text-align: center;">3979471-7</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">INSERT BIDDER'S PROPOSED ALTERNATE PRODUCT/BRAND/MODEL NUMBER:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">_____</p>		
REQUIREMENTS:			
<p>NFPA COMPLIANCE / REQUIRED CERTIFICATIONS: UL Classified to NFPA 1971 Standard on Protective Ensembles for Structural Fire Fighting and Proximity Fire Fighting – Current Edition. Certification to the NFPA 1971, 2018 Edition Option for Particulate Protection. All materials and construction will meet or exceed NFPA Standard 1971, current edition.</p>	YES	NO	EXCEPTIONS:
<p>PARTICULATE (CARCINOGEN) BLOCKING: The hood shall incorporate a particulate blocking media that has a filtration efficiency of at least 90% for each particle size ranging from 0.1 to 1.0 microns. The Nomex® Nano Flex particulate barrier shall provide filtration throughout the entirety of the hood, including top of head, around the elastic face opening, and complete coverage of the bib. Particulate coverage shall extend throughout entire head area and front & back bib.</p>	YES	NO	EXCEPTIONS:
<p>CONSTRUCTION: Hood shall be constructed of a 3-layer quilted composite fabric with a particulate barrier of Nomex® Nano Flex sandwiched between interior and exterior layers of a 5.5-ounce jersey knit fabric with a 55% mechanical stretch. Particulate coverage shall extend throughout entire head area and front & back bib. Panel at crown shall be one continuous piece of quilted composite extending from top of face opening and shall be seamed from top of face opening to the bib seam.</p> <p>Face opening shall be circular and serged with x-heavy duty ½" wide elastic around the perimeter. Elastic shall be folded under ½" and cover-stitched. Face opening shall stretch to approximately 15". Bottom hem of hood shall be bound with self-material bias.</p> <p>All stitching shall conform to Federal Standard 751 with all major seams flat seam assembled with stitch type 607. Elastic around face opening shall be serged in with stitch type 504 and reinforced with bottom cover-stitch type 406. All binding shall be applied with bottom cover-stitch type 406.</p>	YES	NO	EXCEPTIONS:

<p>DESIGN: Hood shall be offered in universal sizing. The panel at the crown shall measure approximately 4” in width at top of face opening and extend approximately 20” in length from top of face opening to top of rear bib seam. The circular face opening shall measure approximately 5” in diameter. Measurement from top edge of left shoulder cap continuing around bottom of bib to top edge of right shoulder cap shall be approximately 29”. Width from top outer edge of each shoulder cap shall measure approximately 20.5”. Width from top inner edge of each shoulder cap shall measure approximately 12.5”. Front length of hood from top to bottom shall measure approximately 22”. Back length of hood from top to bottom shall measure approximately 22”. Width of hood above face opening to back shall measure approximately 10.5”. Width of hood mid-face opening to back shall measure approximately 9.25”. Width of hood 1" below bottom of face opening to back shall measure approximately 11.5”. Length of hood at mid-crown to mid-bib from top to bottom shall measure approximately 20.5”. Length of hood from center upper edge of face opening to bottom center edge of bib shall measure approximately 12.5”.</p>	YES	NO	EXCEPTIONS:
<p>MATERIALS: Exterior layer shall be a 5.5-ounce jersey knit blend of meta-aramid, para-aramid, high tenacity nylon & anti-stat. A DWR (Durable Water Resistant) finish shall be applied to reduce build-up of toxic residue, enhance the release of contaminants during washing, and enable hood to dry 2x-3x faster.</p> <p>Interior layer shall be identical in composition to the exterior layer, but without the DWR application so moisture may be pulled from the wearer’s skin and transferred toward the exterior layer to evaporate.</p> <p>Particulate barrier used throughout hood shall be Nomex® Nano Flex.</p> <p>CRAQ SPUN® AR Teijinconex® thread shall be used throughout the hood to further enhance the particulate barrier durability.</p>	YES	NO	EXCEPTIONS:
<p>COVERAGE: The hood shall incorporate the particulate barrier filtration Nomex NanoFlex throughout the entirety of the hood, including top of head, around the elastic face opening, and complete coverage of the bib.</p>	YES	NO	EXCEPTIONS:

<p>LABELING AND USER INFORMATION: Each hood shall be labeled to identify material contents, NFPA acceptance, UL Classification, Date of Manufacture, Lot Tracking Number, Style Number, Statement of Made in USA and care instructions.</p> <p>The UL Certified FR label shall facilitate tracking and identification through barcoding, sequential numbering, and personalization with a permanent identification with a laundry marker.</p> <p>Each hood shall include a complete user information guide.</p>	YES	NO	EXCEPTIONS:
<p>WORKMANSHIP AND QUALITY CONTROL: All hoods shall be made in a craftsman-like manner and shall be inspected during manufacturing, final trimming, and packing to ensure consistent quality and adherence to this specification.</p>	YES	NO	EXCEPTIONS:

PRICING SHEET

ITB # 269-2020-031

FIREFIGHTING TURNOUT GEAR

The undersigned proposes to furnish the following items in strict conformance to the bid specifications and bid invitation issued by the City of Charlotte for this Bid. Any exceptions are clearly marked in the attached copy of bid specifications. Please do not include taxes in your Bid.

BIDS ARE DUE NO LATER THAN 11:00 A.M., on MARCH 26, 2020

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	BRAND NAME	STYLE NUMBER	UOM	EST ANNUAL QTY	UNIT PRICE	EXTENDED PRICE	BIDDER'S EQUIVALENT	EQUIVALENT UNIT PRICE	EQUIVALENT EXTENDED PRICE
1	Kombat Flex Turnout Coat	Globe	D2257G	EA	250					
2	Athletix Turnout Coat	Globe	A42NG10	EA	250					
3	Nomex Coat	Globe	D0757G	EA	10					
4	GPS Turnout Pants	Globe	F2257G	EA	250					
5	PBI Max 7oz. Turnout Coat	FireDex	FXRCTPBI7EF	EA	250					
6	PBI Max 7oz. Turnout Pants	FireDex	FXRPTPBI7EF	EA	250					
7	Tecgen 71 Turnout Coat	FireDex	FXRCTTG71EF	EA	250					
8	Tecgen 71 Turnout Pants	FireDex	FXRPTTG71EF	EA	250					
9	Tecgen 51 Technical Rescue Coat	FireDex	TECGEN 51	EA	100					

Section 4 - Required Forms
Form Five

10	Tecgen 51 Technical Rescue Pants	FireDex	TECGEN 51	EA	100					
11	Energy Turnout Coat	Innotex	Energy	EA	250					
12	Energy Turnout Pant	Innotex	Energy	EA	250					
13	Particulate Barrier Hood	FireDex	H-41	EA	1200					
14	Particulate Barrier Hood	PGI	BarriAire Gold 3979471-7	EA	1200					
15	Particulate Blocking Hood	Innotex	Gray 35	EA	1200					
16	Asheville - Turnout Gear Coat	Morning Pride	LTO-4li3TB	EA	50					
17	Asheville - Turnout Gear Pant	Morning Pride	LTO-4li3PB	EA	50					
						TOTAL:			TOTAL:	
PRICING OPTIONS:										
18	Guard Jacket Component	Globe								
19	Guard Pant Fly Component	Globe								
20	Guard Pant Cuff Component	Globe								

Total Bid Price must include all equipment, labor, delivery, installation, consultation, vendor profit and all other costs associated with this project. No additional costs will be allowed.

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1. Administrative Fees:

The Company shall submit a **minimum** of one (1) percent of overall CCPA Program spend by the City and Participating Public Agencies during the term of the Contract to the City as an Administrative Fee. The Administrative Fee shall be paid no later than thirty (30) days after both parties mutually agree to the quarterly report outlining the CCPA spend. The Company shall indicate their Administrative Fee below:

_____ %

2. Non-Core Items – Fixed Percentage Discount

The Company shall provide a fixed percentage discount from the List Price (list price less discount) included in the Company’s most current full line catalog identified in the Specifications for all other items (Non-Core) included in the catalog for the life of the Contract.

- a. Insert the verifiable catalog name/edition: _____
- b. Insert the fixed percentage discount for Non-Core Items: _____

3. Pricing Incentives and Rebates:

Please identify any incentive and rebates offered based on volume, dollar amounts, core credits or other criteria below:

Rebate Description	Amount or Percentage

Payment Terms: _____

Delivery After Receipt of Order: _____ The undersigned hereby certifies the Bidder has read the terms of this Bid document, including the sample Contract (Section 5) and is authorized to bind the firm to the information herein set forth.

Date: _____ **Company:** _____

By: _____ **Signature:** _____
 Print name and title of signatory