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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

**DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION
NORTH KINGSTOWN, RHODE ISLAND**

DESIGN / BUILD RYAN PARK SOFTBALL BACKSTOP REPLACEMENT

ADDENDUM #1

ISSUED: APRIL 7, 2023

PLEASE REVIEW THE FOLLOWING CHANGES CAREFULLY:

Bidding Period Questions & Responses

The following responses/clarifications are based on questions raised during the bidding period and at the pre-bid meeting conducted on April 3, 2023. A list of attendees at the April 3, 2023 pre-bid meeting is attached.

1. Is the 8' chainlink going below the netting and attached to the poles (making the netting 32' high with 8' chainlink below)?
Yes, the chainlink will go below the netting; it is up to the designer if an overlap is required or if the netting can be attached to the top of the chainlink. Per the specifications, "netting layout shall be designed such that foul balls do not get trapped in the netting. Netting shall terminate as high as possible (to prevent access/tampering with) while also discharging foul balls in a controlled manner back to the ground."
2. Are soil borings available?
No.
3. Can removed dirt be disposed of onsite or does it have to be hauled off-site?
The material removed from digging the posts can be disposed of onsite at a location to be coordinated with the Department of Recreation. Note that the location will not be immediately adjacent to the backstop but may be near an upper field at Ryan Park. Alternatively, there is an area off-site, on Oak Hill Road (approx. 0.5 miles away) where material can be hauled.
4. Are there any utilities in the area?
There is electrical that feeds the small shed behind the backstop and may be water lines in the area. Please coordinate locations with Dig Safe and North Kingstown Water Department.

5. What is the anticipated schedule for this project?

We are looking for the project to be completed as soon as possible (Spring 2023) but anticipate that the schedule will depend on lead time of materials and estimated number of days onsite. Please include estimate for completion (including estimated lead time and time for design) and estimated number of days onsite where indicated on the bid form.

6. Is the irrigation hookup still active?



Photo:

No, this line is abandoned.

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**PRE-BID CONFERENCE
MONDAY, APRIL 3, 2023 / 11:00 AM
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