



DATE: 2/20/23

ADDENDUM #1

BID NO.: 101238
OPENING: 3/2/23 @ 12pm
COMMODITY: Kitchen Equipment

This addendum was generated to answer the following question submitted for BID 101238 by the question period deadline 2/20/23 at 12pm. No other questions pertaining to this bid will be accepted or answered moving forward.

1. What is the timeline of install for these items?
 - A. Equipment is needed as soon as possible and should be delivered and installed as pieces arrive. It is anticipated that all pieces will be delivered and installed by early May. The winning bidder will coordinate with Mike McCullough in Dining Services as pieces arrive to schedule delivery and installation.
2. What does the delivery site look like? Are there any stairs, dock, etc.?
 - A. Delivery is to a loading dock with an elevator
3. Please describe the access to the site. Is this something that can be accomplished with just two delivery men? Are there stairs or elevators that would necessitate additional staff?
 - A. Delivery is to the 2nd floor from loading dock. Elevator and stairs available.
4. Please identify the equipment that is to be removed and disposed of. Is the university responsible for any disconnections of old equipment?
 - A. The equipment in the bid is replacing identical equipment in the facility. The existing equipment will be used up to the day that the replacement equipment is installed. The winning bidder will need to disconnect the existing equipment, which may include plumbing and/or electrical shutdowns to completely remove the existing and set the new equipment in place.
5. Please advise the expected time frame for delivery.
 - A. See answer to #1 above.
6. Will you require a local sales person do a usage demonstration once installed and functional?
 - A. No
7. Do you need copies of installation manuals for your utilities trades people?
 - A. Yes. Normal instruction manuals are expected.

8. Item 1. What equipment is this Bain Marie water heater expected to be attached to? Is the needed hot water bath rethermalizer an existing piece of equipment? Will the universities' trades people do the connecting to the existing unit? The Hatco spec sheet indicates:

The Hatco FR series heating unit is specifically made to be used for food rethermalizing, however, the heating unit is designed to be incorporated into a hot water bath rethermalizer. Hatco does not supply the vessel that contains the water, nor the system which determines how food is placed and held in the vessel. The Hatco FR2 unit simply attaches to the bottom of the vessel and supplies hot water to the vessel.

- A. The existing rethermalizer will be retained and the new Hatco unit will attach at the bottom. Bidders responsibility is to remove old unit. Unit will be attached by others.
- 9 Do you want any additional options/accessories for Item # 4 – Montague 2-115A convection oven? I normally recommend following options, let me know if they should be included or not:
- > Electric Ignition, Qty 2 (Per oven deck, two would be required for double stacked ovens)
 - >2-speed fan motor, Qty 2 (Per oven deck, two would be required for double stacked ovens)
 - >Full stainless steel oven interior, Qty 2 (Per oven deck, two would be required for double stacked ovens)

A. Yes, additional options/accessories for Item #4 to include the following:

- 1 ea Gas Manifold for single point connection
- 2 ea Electric igniton add suffix "E1" to Model no., per deck
- 2 ea 2-speed fan motor, per deck
- 2 ea Oven interior, full stainless steel to include fan baffle, per deck
- 1 ea casters with 5" wheel 6" OA (set of 4)

If you have already submitted a bid and need to make changes based on the information within the addendum, please submit a new bid response and indicate that the submission supersedes the prior.

Sincerely,

Kristen Bellotti
Purchasing Department
The University of Rhode Island

***Vendor must sign and submit a copy of this addendum with your bid submission:

Signature

Date