

GENERAL QUESTIONS

1. In order to fully answer question Section IV, question 4j, I need the data for Cameron County for the tax years 2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010 expressed as requested by this question. Can you please provide me with this information?

Answer: See A/D Column for Attachments

2. Are there any addendums to this RFP?

Answer: NO

3. RFP pg 5 states that confidential information should not be made a part of proposal, as it will be subject to Open Records requests. Page 17 requires us to submit our financial statement for the most recent year. We consider our financials as proprietary and confidential information, and they are protected from disclosure under Texas state law and relevant TX Attorney General opinions. Does the RFP statement on page 5 preempt the requirement on page 17? If not, will our financials be maintained as confidential documents and not subject to open records or any other type of disclosure if they are submitted in a separate envelope and marked Proprietary and Confidential Information?

Answer: Cameron County Civil Legal Attorney will consider our financials as proprietary and confidential information and are protected from disclosure under Texas state law and relevant Texas Attorney General opinions.

4. The RFP on page 17 (item j.) asks for collection data on large clients for tax year 2010, but data for that tax year will not be available until July 1, 2011. Please confirm that Tax Year 2010 is not required for the purposes of a response to item j.

Answer: For Tax Year 2010 the information requested is delinquent taxes for 2009 and prior from 7/1/2010 thru 3/10/2011 (see attachment – A) under heading **Beginning Tax Balance** delinquent total as of 7/1/2010 was \$10,063,168.74 and the remaining balance under the heading **Receivable Tax Balance** as of 3/10/2011 was \$6,647,471.03.

5. The RFP on page 17 (item j.) also asks for fiscal year collection data for some of our largest clients. Would you like to see just the specific fiscal year (as an example Sept 2007 through August 2008) for each year listed (2007, 2008, 2009 and 2010) for each entity or should we provide the cumulative total current and delinquent taxes, penalties and interest collected from the beginning of the fiscal year for each entity through to July 2010?

Answer: See A/D Column for attachments

6. RFP pg 4 under Governing Law section states: “Sign the Vendor’s Affidavit Notice, complete answers to Attachments A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H and return all with your RFP.” Please verify the “Vendor’s Affidavit Notice” referred to above is Attachment B and there is no other affidavit required in the proposal submission.

Answer: Yes

7. RFP pg 5, Item 1 discusses the 1 original and 6 copies of the proposal. It states: “Each RFP shall be placed in a separate envelope completely and properly identified...” Please verify if all 7 copies of the proposal should be together in one sealed envelope, or if each proposal should be in its own separate, sealed envelope

Answer: In separate envelopes