## ADDENDUM No. 02: November 27, 2024

**Project:** Jefferson Parish Economic Development Commission (JEDCO)

New Orleans Food & Beverage Incubator

700 Churchill Parkway Avondale, LA 70094

Churchill Parkway in Avondale, LA (26-A1-A)

**JEDCO RFQ #:** 24-1211

From: JEDCO

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## To all Firms/Individuals Responding:

This Addendum forms a part of the RFQ Documents and modifies the original RFQ Documents dated 11/06/2024. Changes made by this Addendum take precedence of the original RFQ Documents of earlier date.

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## **RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS:**

1. Is the applicant expected to include Pre-Construction and Construction Management Services in addition to A/E services listed above?

**ANSWER:** Yes, please include all three.

2. Is the applicant expected to include kitchen and equipment design services in their proposal?, or Will this service be contracted separately by the client?

**ANSWER:** Yes, it is expected to include kitchen equipment and design services for kitchens.

3. Is the applicant expected to include FF&E design services in their proposal?

**ANSWER:** The design related to FF&E kitchen spaces is included.

4. Considering a 15,000sf facility, has the user group identified the average size or min. space requirement for each of the proposed program components?

**ANSWER:** Below is an initial estimate of the breakdown of the building, however it is not final. See Page 7 of the Food & Beverage Incubator Recommendations Report. All spaces are subject to change as work progresses.

Kitchens 3 @ 1,000 sq ft each = 3,000 sq ft

Reception & 3 offices, Show kitchen / Breakroom, Computer / Copy room = 946 sq ft

Training room = 536 sq ft

Restrooms = 920 sq ft

Storage (3 times kitchen space) = 9,000

Total 14,402 sq ft. (Before adding loading dock and halls)

5. What's the estimated FF&E budget?

**ANSWER:** The initial budget is \$850,000

6. Is Kitchen Equipment excluded or included in the FF&E budget?

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**ANSWER:** It is both included and not included. Mounted equipment such as hoods should be included in the kitchen equipment. Portable equipment (on wheels) should not be included in kitchen equipment, it will be FF&E.

7. Are you able to provide a site plan or have the project area identified?

ANSWER: Yes, see attached.

- 8. Is there a limit to the number of projects (references) we can submit?

  ANSWER: It is preferred to include 3 projects.
- 9. Please clarify if both hard copy AND electronic submittals are required? If hard copies are required, please specify how many? If hard copies are required, please specify maximum page limit?
  ANSWER: You may submit electronically on Central Bidding or in person at JEDCO. Either is acceptable. If submitting hard copies, only one copy will be needed and there is no page limit on the package.
- 10. Please confirm that the solicitation is NOT exclusively looking for a response from a firm who must provide all (3) services – Design & Engineering, Pre-Construction Services and Construction Management?

**ANSWER:** It is expected that the selected firm can provide all three (3) services.

11. Please clarify if a firm specializing in Design / Engineering, can submit individually, as well as additionally partner with firms specializing in Pre-Construction and Construction Management? (i.e. provide multiple submittals)

**ANSWER:** It is expected if the firm cannot provide all services, the firm partner to fulfill the scope of the RFQ.

- 12. Please clarify if a Design-Build Firm can submit a response applicable to address all (3) requirements?

  ANSWER: A design-build firm may submit a proposal as requested in the RFQ, however this is not a design-build project.
- 13. Please confirm that a professional / licensed Architect is acceptable in lieu of an engineer?

  ANSWER: Yes, a professional/licensed architect is acceptable.
- 14. Please clarify if the TEC Form is supposed to be utilized exclusively for the response, or in combination with other submittal criteria as indicated under Section 8.0.

**ANSWER:** Please use the TEC Form exclusively for the response, additional pages may be added to the TEC form to fulfill the firm's response.

15. Please identify the limits of additional / supplemental information that may be included with the TEC response and maximum number of pages.

**ANSWER:** There is no total page limit on the response.

16. Please clarify if the TEC form is to be utilized only and additionally, if consulting engineer must submit a completed TEC form, or if they can be included within the Architect's submission?

**ANSWER:** If a firm plans to you a consulting firm, the consulting firm should submit on the prime contractor's TEC form.

17. Can a more definitive location be provided.

**ANSWER:** Yes, see attached site map.

18. Is there a survey of the property that can be shared.

ANSWER: Yes, see attached. Please note that the subject property shares the same parcel as the

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JEDCO administrative complex.

19. Is their soil boring / engineering data available.

**ANSWER:** No, not for this specific site.

20. Is parking / loading / storm water management and retention all considered in the reflective budget?

ANSWER: Yes, this is part of the overall project budget.

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