



**Request for Proposal
#22-01**

Water Meter Replacement Project Phase II

ADDENDUM No. 2

February 28, 2022

Any and all changes to the Request for Proposal are valid only if they are included by written addendum to all potential respondents, which will be emailed prior to the proposal due date to all who are known to have received a complete Request for Proposal. Each respondent must acknowledge receipt of any addenda by indicating in its submission. Each respondent, by acknowledging receipt of addenda, is responsible for the contents of the addenda and any changes to the bid therein. Failure to acknowledge receipt of addenda may cause the submission to be rejected. If any language or figures contained in this addendum are in conflict with the original document, this addendum shall prevail.

This addendum consists of the following:

1. Addendum No. 2 is attached and consists of a total of three (3) pages including this cover sheet.

Please contact me at 847-866-2971 or jostman@cityofevanston.org with any further questions or comments.

Sincerely,

Jillian Ostman
Purchasing Specialist



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This addendum forms a part of the RFP Documents for RFP #22-01 and modifies these documents. This addendum consists of the following:

Clarifications:

1. Disregard Addendum #1 dated February 14, 2022.
2. On August 27, 2021 Gov. JB Pritzker signed into law the Lead Service Line Replacement and Notification Act, making Illinois the third state (Michigan and New Jersey) in the nation to require full replacement of lead drinking water pipes. The effective date of Public Act 102-0613 was 1/1/2022.
3. Public Act 102-0613 states the following: *“Partial lead service line replacements are expressly prohibited. In the event of an emergency repair that affects a lead service line or a suspected lead service line, a community water supply must contact the building owner to begin the process of replacing the entire service line”*.
4. Contractor must use the utmost care to prevent damage or leak to the lead service line while performing a water meter replacement.
5. If the contractor encounters a situation that could cause damage to the lead service line, the contractor must notify the City’s representative immediately prior to commencing with the meter replacement. If the contractor does not notify the City prior to performing the installation and the lead or galvanized water service line is damaged, the contractor will be determined to have been negligent and must replace the entire lead or galvanized service line to the water main or existing copper service line.
6. If the contractor operates and damages a buffalo box/curb-stop valve in the parkway, the contractor will be responsible for replacing the entire lead or galvanized water service line to the water main or copper pipe. Only the City of Evanston shall be permitted to operate the outside curb-stop valve in the parkway.

7. During the previous water meter replacement project phase I, approximately 5,500 water meters were replaced. During this project the contractor damaged the lead service line at two locations. The phase I project was completed in 2018.

Note: Acknowledgment of this Addendum is required in the Submittal.