



THE COUNTY OF GALVESTON

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July 3, 2023

PROJECT NAME: Aerial Adulticide Application Services
SOLICITATION NO: RFP #B232020
RE: ADDENDUM #1

To All Prospective Proposers:

The following information is being provided to aid in the preparation of your RFP submittal(s):

Question #1: *What is the adulticide to be used, and what is the per acre product dosage rates? (Number of fl. Ounces per acre – i.e. 0.66).*

Response: Dibrom at 0.666

Question #2: *Who provides the adulticide – Galveston County or the Contractor?*

Response: Contractor.

Question #3: *Would Galveston County consider providing the adulticide product to the Contractor?*

Response: Yes.

Question #4: *Can the Contractor store the chemical inventory at the Galveston County facility? Is a forklift and truck available to handle pallets and transport to the airport base of operation?*

Response: The contractor can store the chemical at the hangar, but no forklift is available.

Question #5: *How many gallons of adulticide product would be required in inventory for spray mission readiness?*

Response: Will be determined by mosquito population.

Question #6: *Can prices for alternative products to Dibrom, EPA registered for aerial application, be submitted with our proposal?*

Response: No.

Question #7: *What were the actual number of callouts/missions during each of the past three calendar years (2020, 2021, & 2022)?*

Response: 0.

Question #8: *What were the actual acreage treated with adulticides during each of the past three calendar years (2020, 2021 & 2022)?*

Response: 0.

Question #9: *What is the expected response time (in hours) to be operational after notification & contract activation?*

Response: 2-5 days.

Question #10: *What is the minimum acreage sprayed per callout?*

Response: 20,000 acres.

Question #11: *How many acres are typically treated per callout/mission?*

Response: 20,000 acres.

Question #12: *What is the spray window for adulticiding missions? (i.e. dusk to midnight)*

Response: Dusk to midnight.

Question #13: *From what airport does Galveston County prefer spray operations be conducted?*

Response: Scholes Field (KGLS).

Question #14: *Who is Galveston County's current provider of aerial adulticiding services, not including chemical?*

Response: Galveston County.

Question #15: *What is the price per acre currently being paid for aerial adulticiding service?*

Response: Done in house.

Question #16: *What is the term of the contract to be awarded for aerial adulticiding services (base plus renewal years)?*

Response: One (1) year initial contract term with three (3) one (1) year extensions.

Question #17: *Are price escalations permitted during the term of the contract (i.e. increases in the cost of Jet-A fuel), and what is the process for having prices escalations approved? Can a Jet-A fuel surcharge be included with our proposal?*

Response: Price increases during the contracted year will have to be approved by Commissioners Court. Any pricing considerations (surcharges) are to be fully explained and included with submittals.

Question #18: *Can Galveston County provide a sample spray zone map (PDF) of a typical mission?*

Response: Attached you will find maps that were provided after Hurricane Ike. There may be additional areas added as needed.

If you have any further questions regarding this bid, please address them to:

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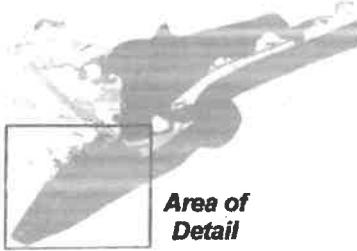
Please excuse us for any inconvenience that this may have caused.

Sincerely,



Rufus G. Crowder, CPPO CPPB
Purchasing Agent
Galveston County

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Galveston County, Texas

Aerial Adulticide Application Date:
September 17, 2008



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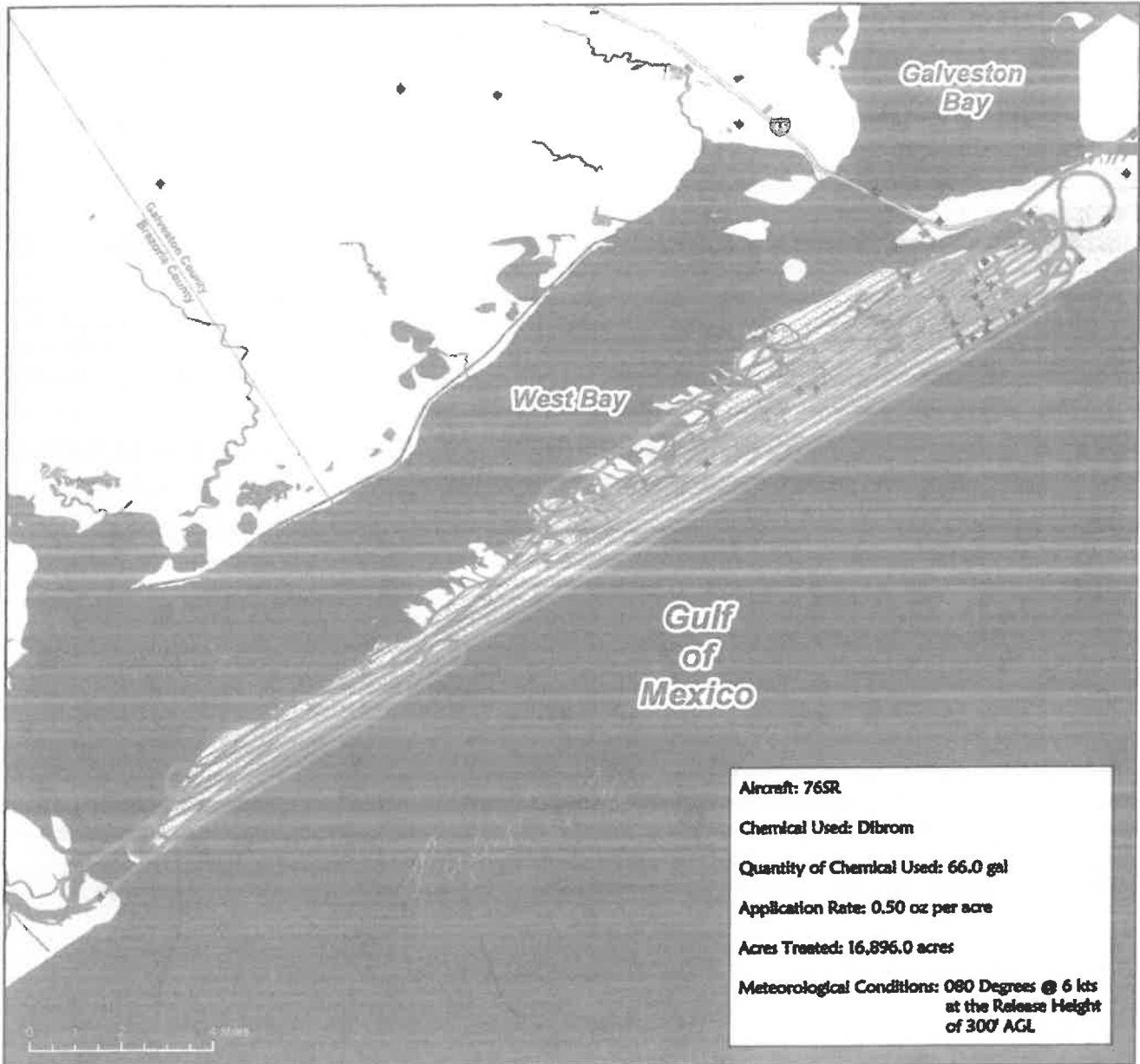
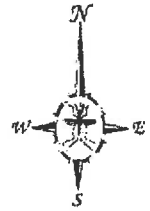
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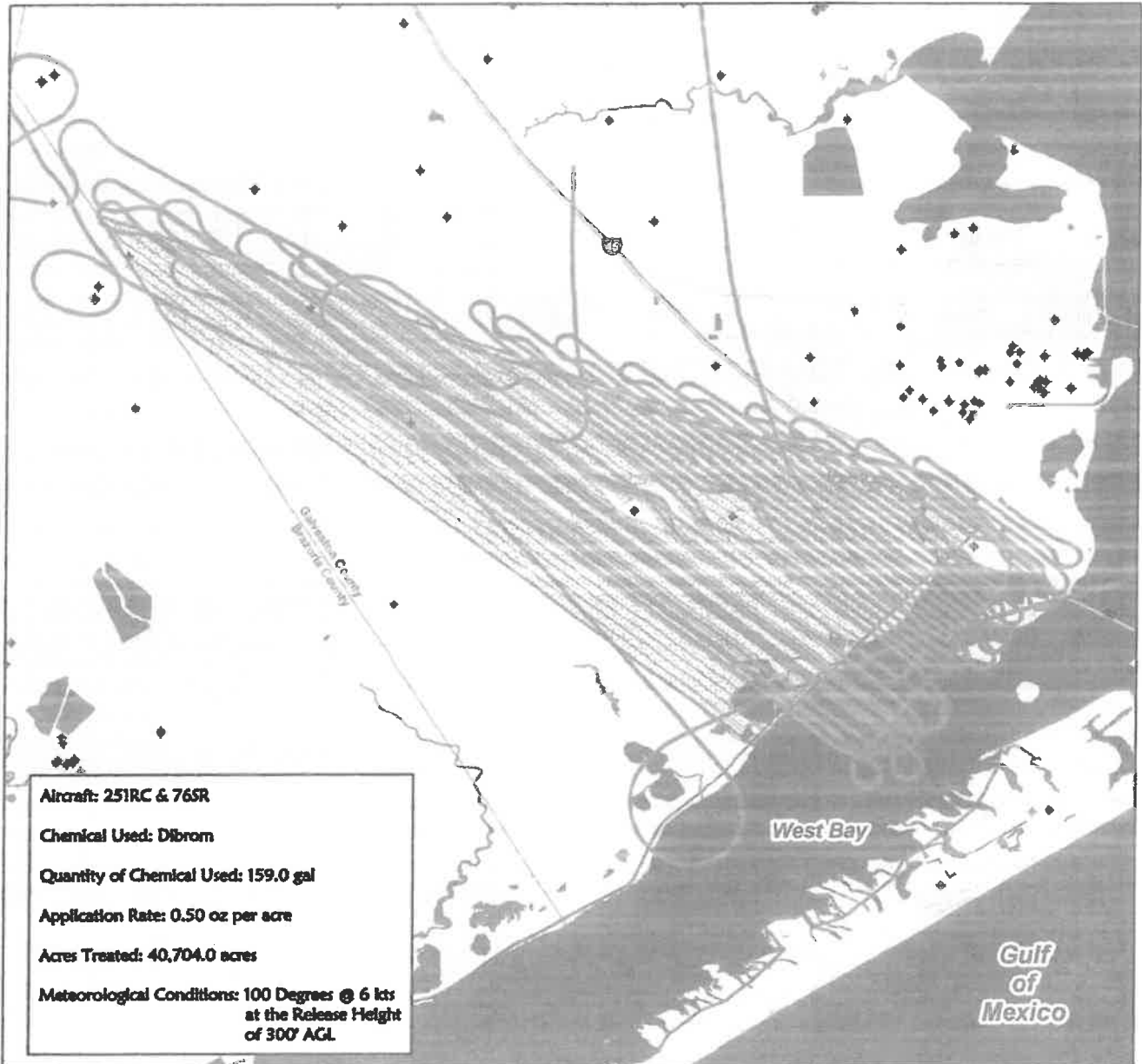
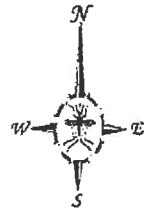
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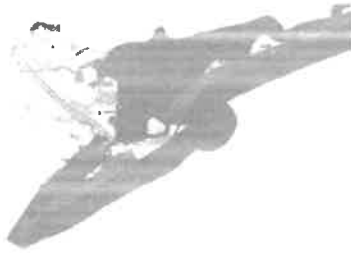
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Galveston County, Texas

Aerial Adulticide Application Date:
October 2, 2008



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