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PROJECT NAME: Alarm Services
SOLICITATION NO: ITB 24-004
RE: ADDENDUM #2

To All Prospective Bidders:

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

Questions:

Question #1: *You list product code 96100 and ask for a Catalog # in the required documents. Is that your product code or just a generic "alarm services" code?*

Response: Product Code 96100 is our generic product code. Please disregard this area of the document.

Question #2: *After getting with my alarm manager, we cannot price anything without knowing what the panel types and models are at each location.*

Response: Given the vast length of the County, it may be difficult to go by location. As such, most of the alarm system panels are as follows:

1. **Honeywell Vista Models**
 - Vista 20P
 - Vista 128B
 - Vista 128BP
 - Vista 128PT
2. **Bosch Models**
 - B8512G
 - B6512
 - B4512
 - B5512

Please note that some locations may have older Vista Panels.

Question #3: *Are the fire alarm systems currently using cellular dialers for monitoring? Or just regular land line phone lines?*

Response: Some locations have both.

Question #4 *If the fire alarm panels are currently using cellular dialers, what type or brand of cellular dialers are installed currently?*

Response: All locations are using AES Intellinet Radios for Burglar Alarm System Communicators.

For Fire Alarm Communicators, locations are using:

- AES Intellinet Fire Radios (7)
- AES Intellinet Radios
- Bosch B465, Dual Path Communicators
- Alula Bat- Fire Communicators

Please note that a few accounts also have old Digital Communicators (Analog Telephone Lines).

Question #5: *Is this bid to monitor the fire alarm ONLY? Or will we be monitoring burglar alarm or security system as well?*

Response: Per the bid packet, this is a solicitation for monitoring several alarm systems. Some locations are for the fire alarm, some locations are for burglary alarm and others are for security systems.

Question #6: *How do we get a list of the type [of] alarm panels that are to be monitored? And how will you get the installer codes to use for programming the panels?*

Response: Please see the response for Question #2.

If you have any further questions regarding this bid, please address them to the representative listed below or contact the Purchasing Department at (409) 770-5371.

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

Sincerely,



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