Group 32100 – Snow & Ice Control Agents (Statewide)

Invitation for Bids #23451 - Bidder Inquiries and Responses (Revised 7/23/26)

Number	Solicitation Document Name	Document Section (Name or Number)	Comment / Question / Bid Deviation	Response
1	IFB Main Document	1.3 Estimated Quantities	If a vendor provides pricing on this bid, are they REQUIRED to ship the products they price? Is there a limit to the amount (tons) that must be shipped?	Yes, if a Bidder is awarded a Contract and an Authorized User places an order, the Bidder/Contractor is required to provide the products at or below the price bid. Per Invitation for Bids 23451, Section 1.3 - Estimated Quantities, "There is no guarantee of quantities to be purchased, nor is there any guarantee that demand will continue in any manner consistent with previous purchases. No, there is no limit, it's an estimated quantity contract. Contract pricing that is lower than anticipated could result in a higher quantity of purchases by Authorized Users than anticipated. Contract pricing that is higher than anticipated could result in a lower quantity of purchases by Authorized Users than anticipated."
2	IFB Main Document	Section 6.24, VI. Request for Waiver	Per Solicitation Page 36 Section VI we are to contact Designated Contacts regarding a waiver of the MWBE. Do you want form BDC 333 prior to bid submission or with bid submission along with Utilization Plan	A Bidder may submit the request for waiver at the same time it submits its MWBE Utilization Plan. Per Invitation for Bids #23452, Section 6.24, VI (B), "In accordance with 5 NYCRR § 142.7, a Bidder/Contractor who is able to document good faith efforts to meet the goal requirements, as set forth in clause VII below, may submit a request for a partial or total waiver on Form BDC 333.1, accompanied by supporting documentation."

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3	Attachment 10 – Snow & Ice Specifications	2.6 Lots 7 & 8 - Calcium Chloride Flake & Pellet	Can the calcium chloride pellets be delivered in pails instead of bags?	No, pails cannot be provided instead of bags. Per Invitation for Bids 23451, Section 1.2 *Scope,* Calcium Chloride (to be offered in 50 lb. bags of flake or pellet form). Per Attachment 10, Section 2.6.1 - *Calcium Chloride Flake & Pellet*, the calcium chloride shall be delivered in moisture proof bags containing 50 lbs. (22.679 kg) each.
4	Attachment 10 – Snow & Ice Specifications	Section 2.3	We were advised that the specifications would be adopted for Group 01800. The changes are reflected in section 2.5.2 for treated salt but are not properly listed for section 2.3.	Attachment 10 – Snow & Ice Specifications, Section 2.3 has been revised to include the following information: a) Product must contain no less than 25% Divalent Chloride Concentration (MgCl2+CaCl2) (w/v). b) Product must contain no less than 19% Magnesium Chloride Concentration (w/v).