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BID # 2015-62
ROOFTOP MOUNTED PHOTOVOLTAIC INSTALL RFP

ADDENDUM 3
SEPTEMBER 15, 2015

We received the following questions regarding this RFP:

Question # 1: Could you please send me the Tax Affidavit form for the solar RFP? We couldn't find it in the bid docs and it appears to be mentioned a few times.

Response # 1: Please see attached form and include in your response.

Question # 2: Can you please provide a list of attendees at the optional walkthrough that was held on September 8?

<u>Name of Attendee</u>	<u>Business Name</u>	<u>Address</u>
Dave Schrock	WPC Solar	1057 Shore Road, Naperville, IL 60563
Al Busano	WPC Solar	1057 Shore Road, Naperville, IL 60563

Question # 3: The RFP estimated that the facilities identified could support up to 4 MW of solar photovoltaic. Our initial estimate are that good design practices would result in significantly less than the indicated 4 MW. Is the county willing to accept proposals for smaller amounts? Also, if cost is less of a consideration, we could propose installing solar carport and shade structures in other areas. If those are available, could you please identify them? Also, with the County be willing to accept a higher price for electricity to achieve a higher offset?

Response # 3: The County identified a maximum threshold of solar generating capacity in the Request for Proposals. As such, the County anticipates receiving proposals for amount less than that maximum threshold. At this time, the County is only seeking proposals for rooftop-mounted projects on the roofing surfaces identified in the RFP.

Question # 4: The Part V Technical Proposal requires the use of PVWatts to calculate estimated production results. Will the County accept more advanced solar PV modeling estimates from our design software? If not, the current version of PV Watts (version 5.1) does not include an option to set the "DC-to-AC Derate Factor". There are options for changing the "System Losses (%)", "DC to AC Size Ratio:", "Inverter Efficiency" and "Ground Coverage Ratio". If PV Watts is required, please provide the settings that you would like to use in the current version of the tool.

Response # 4: The County requires that submittals utilize the PVWatts tool in order to facilitate project comparisons according to a single standard. Respondents may provide additional product or design information that they believe to be relevant to their proposal to the County by attaching and clearly identifying such information to their proposal.



TAX CERTIFICATION AFFIDAVIT

Date: _____

Name of Organization:

Principal Officer Name and Title: _____

Federal Identification Number: _____

I hereby certify that [Name of Organization] is in compliance with the applicable tax filing and payment requirements of Will County, and that no outstanding payments, penalties or fees are due to Will County as of this date.

Signature of Principal and Title