

Addendum No. 3
Alameda Unified School District
Solid Waste Disposal, Organic Waste and Recycling Services
RFP No. 023-077-03

Following are the clarifications, interpretations, corrections and/or changes to RFP No. 023-077-03 received by the deadline of January, 27.

1. Question: What is the estimated service frequency for both 30yd debris boxes? (Bay Farm School & Singleton maintenance yard)

Answer: For bidding purposes assume 2x monthly for the Singleton Maintenance Yard, no debris boxes are required for the Bay Farm School. Please see updated Addendum No.2 with updated site/schedule requirements posted on 2/2/2023.

2. Question: What is the content/commodity in the debris box located at Bay Farm School?

Answer: N/A per question #1 above.

3. Question: What is the service frequency for the District Office (organic and trash bins), Wood Middle School (organic bins)

Answer: Once per week for each. Please see Addendum No. 2 for frequencies.

4. Question: Will any of the bins be pre-staged for service? or is push/pull service required?

Answer: Site dependent, majority are pre staged, push pull service performed by AUSD Custodian except for District Holidays observed.

5. Question: Do we have access to service early hours in non-residential neighborhoods? For example, prior to 7am.

Answer: Keys for access at all sites will be provided. All sites except the District Office are located in residential neighborhoods. We adhere to City ordinances and regulations.

6. Question: For route efficiency and carbon footprint reduction, can we change service days for carts and/or bins?

Answer: Yes, please propose a more efficient route if possible but maintain the frequency.

7. Question: Which locations require swivel wheels on FEL bins and are there any bins without wheels? In addition, some bins are described as having skids, please provide details on the configuration of these skids.

Answer: All bins are on wheels except for the 30-yard containers. Skid configuration will be determined by the Contractor.

8. Question: Does the district own any of the containers or will they all need to be provided by the contractor?

Answer: All bins to be provided by contractor.

9. Question: For safety reasons, on a 1-man route, drivers do not push/pull wheeled bins larger than 4yd for trash and recycle, nor do drivers push/pull organic bins larger than 2-yds. Are there any sites that do not currently conform to this standard?

Answer: See Addendum #2 for School Site & Size of Containers for reference.

10. Question: Are there any bins that customer sizing to fit unusual spaces? (ie, non-standard bin configurations)

Answer: No, the contractor will provide standard size bins as required.

11. Question: Are there any vehicle clearance limitations at any site which would require that collection service be provided by smaller collection vehicles? Or can standard front-end loader, automated side-loader, and roll-off vehicles access all sites without issue?

Answer: No

12. Question: Aside from the 7am limitation for servicing locations close to residential areas, are there any other time of service limitations at any site?

Answer: No

13. Question: Is AUSD staff available for face-to-face site reviews with ACI staff prior to February 17 in order for ACI staff to fully understand the needs of each service location?

Answer: Unfortunately, no, however after receiving and reviewing proposals, the district may schedule interviews with bidders the week of February 20th.

14. Question: Is unique container labeling required by AUSD aside from SB1383 labeling standards?

Answer: No.