



**ADDENDUM #1**  
**REQUEST FOR INFORMATION**  
**No. 2019-008**

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**Project:** DPW Vehicle Wash System

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The purpose of this Addendum is to publish the questions submitted by Bidders in response to the Request for Information and the City's answers thereto. The City is not responsible for the content of the questions and has provided the most comprehensive answers based on the interpretation of the questions.

The following questions were received in writing.

- Q 1. Is this intended for a truck wash supplier, or is this a true Design Build team, ie, Design firm, contractor, wash supplier? Ryan Seymore, Whitman, Requardt & Associates, LLP**
- A. This project is intended to be a true Design Build team.
- Q 2. Can you provide additional information on size of largest of vehicles to be washed (Picture, Size, Width, Height)? William Linzy, Dubois Chemicals**
- A. The largest size vehicle will be a tandem dump truck. It measures approximately 28 ft. in length, 11 ft. in width, and 14 ft. in height. Attached to this Addendum is a picture of the largest size vehicle.
- Q 3. Are side brushes desired? (Would have on/off switch) Usually used on school buses and large vehicles with flat sides. William Linzy, Dubois Chemicals**
- A. No, side brushes are not desired.

**Q 4. Would the second bay be able to be used for equipment room? William Linzy, Dubois Chemicals**

A. Yes, the second bay has the ability to be used for equipment.

**Q 5. There would be a need for a centerline drain and clarifiers/separating tanks to support a reclaim system. Is this already in your plans for the project? (We do see you have drains and a catch basin in your RFI but need to ensure it is adequate for a reclaim system). William Linzy, Dubois Chemicals**

A. There are no plans currently designed. This aspect will be addressed during the design phase.

**Q 6. Is it possible for a site visit prior to submittal of a Portfolio? William Linzy, Dubois Chemicals**

A. No, since there is not another opportunity to answer questions, a site visit will not be possible. Refer to dimensions and specifications within the RFI.

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