

**FLINT HILLS AREA TRANSPORTATION AGENCY, INC.**

**Procurement Type: Invitation to Bid**  
**Procurement ID: (RB)FY19-03-TIRES**

**ADDENDUM I: ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS FROM VENDORS**

The following is a list of all firms requesting a copy of the IFB and their questions submitted (any questions received after this date will not be answered). All questions indicate whom is asking the question, our responses to all of the vendors will not identify inquiries by vendor:

*Received from Goodyear Commercial (7/10/2019)*

1. Is there any requirement to provide mobile balancing machine, or is it acceptable to balance tires at the Vendor's location?:

*Response:* Mobile balance is not required and can be done at the vendor location.

2. Tire removal and disposal: Will tires be removed at the time new tires are delivered?:

*Response:* Removal and disposal of tires at time of new delivery is acceptable but it is not required.

3. If the Agency has an on the road tire blowout or other service need will the Vendor be responsible for bringing tires to the site of the blowout?

*Response:* We have an inhouse maintenance department who will handle road calls, we do not expect the Vendor to be called for road calls.

4. Who will call and let the vendor know when Agency needs tire in inventory? Is it acceptable for a weekly call check?

*Response:* It is acceptable to setup a weekly call check or another method in order to determine need for orders. The maintenance intends to always have at a minimum 6 tires on hand, so we would intent to refill inventory when the tire inventory reaches 6 or below. If we reach that in between call in's our maintenance department will be responsible for contacting the vendor.

5. Requested change in contract language: Part G Contract Terms and Conditions, Article 15, Insurance – Self Insurance. Are changes acceptable to include additional language regarding contactor's self insurance coverage?

*Response: We will consider changes in the language related to vendor's self-insurance.*

6. Requested change in contract language: Part G, Contract Terms and Conditions, Article 15, Subcontractors and Additional Insured. Can language be changed if there will be no subcontractors used?

*Response: We will consider changes in the language if there are no subcontractors to be used related to this contract.*

7. Requested change in contract language: Part G Contract Terms and Conditions, Article 10, Prohibited Interested, and Article 16, Interest of Congress. Goodyear request language changing with respect to publicly held company's and the Goodyear does not track nor, can it warrant the employment status of its shareholders or their relatives or the relatives of our associates, and, that Goodyear does not track whether our associates are themselves or are related to public officials.

*Response: We will consider changes in the language as it relates to publicly held company. The current language indicates "This shall not be construed to prevent any such person from owning stock in a publicly owned corporation."*