

ADDENDUM #1 PROJECT: West Hills Community College District Audit Services

Notice to Bidders on the Above Project:

This addendum forms a part of the contract documents and modifies the original bidding documents as noted below.

This addendum consists of:

General Clarifications

Questions and Reponses:

1. Would your preference be to have a remote, in-person or combination approach to audit fieldwork for the 2023 audit?

The district preference is a combination of remote and in-person.

2. Has the incumbent firm been invited to bid on this RFP? How many years has the incumbent been service to you?

Yes, the incumbent firm has been invited to bid. The firm has been contracted with WHCCD for 15 plus years with a change in the audit partner every five years.

- 3. What do you like about the service provided by your current auditing firm? What don't you like?
 - Quick responses on any questions/concerns with detail rationale.
 - Items needed listing is requested well in advance of due date.
 - Submission of documentation is uploaded through a secured portal.
- 4. What factors would you like to see improved in the audit process?

N/A

5. Do you mind sharing the prior year's fees broken down as requested in the RFP?

FY2022:

District Audit - \$57,500 Foundation Audit- \$13,000 Bond Audit- \$11,300 IPEDS - \$5,000 West Hills College 9/6/2023

6. Were there any major changes in the engagement requested in the RFP compared to last year's engagement?

None

7. Who typically drafts the financial statements, management, or the audit firm?

The audit firm drafts the financial statements.

8. Have there been or are the anticipated to be any significant operational changes from the prior year?

None anticipated.

9. How many audit adjustments were proposed by the auditors during the prior year?

None

10. How many audit adjustments did you propose after the start of fieldwork?

None