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DATE: 10/17/16

ADDENDUM #1

BID NO.: 100279
OPENING: 10/24/16 at 3:00PM
COMMODITY: Meteorologist Consulting Services

Addendum #1 is being issued to answer the vendors' questions submitted during the question period. No other questions will be answered at this time.

Vendor A

Q: How many individual email addresses and cellular telephone numbers (for text delivery) do you anticipate will be receiving the weather information?

A: Unlimited. The current forecast is sent to a list service and the University can add as many recipients as needed.

Q: Is it possible to get a sample of the current Forecast(s) that is received and used by the University so we can understand the desired format?

A: See attached for samples of Daily AM Forecast and Storm Forecast

Vendor B

Q:

1.) scope of work, 1st page it says not exceeding \$20,000.. does that mean not to exceed \$20,000 per year or not exceed \$20,000 for the 3 year period: 11/1/16 to 10/31/19?

A: for all three years

Q:

2.) Which weather service provided this service to URI last or current contract period?

A: The previous bid/award information can be found online:

<http://www.purchasing.ri.gov/RIVIP/ExternalBids/QuasiPublicAgencies/URIQuotes/2496.pdf>

Q:

3.) What did the above service in #2 charge per month or per year?

A: The previous bid/award information can be found online:

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Ryan Pincince, Assistant Purchasing Agent
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Fwd: Precision Weather Forecasting Daily AM Forecast

Jerome Sidio <sidio@uri.edu>
To: Ryan Pincince <ryanpincince@uri.edu>

Mon, Oct 17, 2016 at 10:57 AM

Here is a daily one. The other one was a storm warning.

JERRY
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----- Forwarded message -----
From: **Precision Weather Forecasting** <bounces2@snowandice.com>
Date: Fri, Oct 14, 2016 at 3:35 AM
Subject: Precision Weather Forecasting Daily AM Forecast
To: PRECISIONWEATHER@listserv.uri.edu

Daily AM Forecast

Date: 10/14/2016
Time: 2:01 AM
By: Mike Reddin



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URI - Kingston, RI
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PWF-CALL)
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Weather Headlines

A FINE BUT COOLER STRETCH OF WEATHER...BUT MILDER TIMES AHEAD...

New England Weather Story

A cold front has slid offshore this morning with little fanfare. A ridge of high-pressure centered over Ohio will build eastward, providing bright sunshine with cooler but seasonable temperatures right through the balance of the weekend.

As the high shifts offshore by Sunday, the wind will swing to a more southerly direction which will import milder temperatures into the region by Sunday afternoon.

A cold front will slide toward southern New England on Sunday night but should be devoid of any significant moisture. The front will retreat northward as a warm front by Tuesday morning.

A more potent cold front will approach later Wednesday with some showers.

The forecast for URI - Kingston, RI Sunset - 6:03PM

This AM: Plenty of sunshine with some patchy fog in spots early.

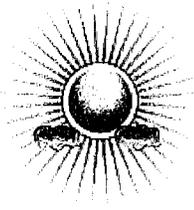
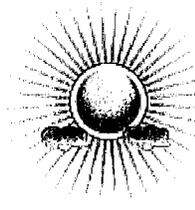
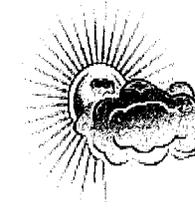
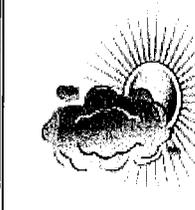
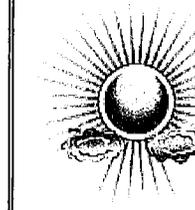
This PM: Mostly sunny skies. The wind will blow in from the north at 6 to 9mph.

Tonight: Starry skies, cold with some frost likely.

Saturday: Plenty of bright sunshine and seasonably mild.

Sunday: Sunshine yields to increasing clouds late in the day, otherwise unseasonably mild for October.

The 5-Day Forecast

Today	Saturday	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday
				
BEAUTIFUL	WEATHER	Milder	Pleasant	Bit Cooler
60°F	60°F	67°F	69°F	66°F
	36°F	41°F	49°F	51°F

Fwd: Precision Weather Forecasting Storm Warning

Jerome Sidio <sidio@uri.edu>
To: Ryan Pincince <ryanpincince@uri.edu>

Mon, Oct 17, 2016 at 10:56 AM

Here is a sample

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----- Forwarded message -----
From: **Precision Weather Forecasting** <bounces2@snowandice.com>
Date: Sat, Oct 15, 2016 at 2:00 AM
Subject: Precision Weather Forecasting Storm Warning
To: PRECISIONWEATHER@listserv.uri.edu

RAIN & WIND Storm Warning

Date: 10/15/2016
Time: 2:01 AM
By: Jim Manning



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Rain by:
Duration of the storm:
Post-storm conditions:

TODAY (Saturday)	Weather	Amount (inches)	Temp. (°F)	Wind
Mid. - 6am	Clear		30 - 36	N 1 - 4
6am - Noon	Mainly sunny		33 - 50	N 3 - 6
Noon - 6pm	Mainly sunny		50 - 60	N 3 - 6
6pm - Mid.	Clear		50 - 55	N 4 - 8
Special Notes				

TOMORROW (Sunday)	Weather	Amount (inches)	Temp. (°F)	Wind
Mid. - 6am	Mainly clear		48 - 53	N 5 - 6
6am - Noon	Good deal of bright sun		49 - 62	N 1 - 4
Noon - 6pm	Clouds mixing with sun		60 - 70	SE 5 - 6
6pm - Mid.	Mostly cloudy		57 - 64	S 3 - 6
Special Notes	Watch for a few light hit or miss showers in the area after midnight.			

Monday	Weather	Temp. (°F)
Overall Forecast	Clouds break to sunshine	52 - 68

Next Update: