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Re: Request for Proposals (RFP) – Orthophotography

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Public Works Request for Proposals (RFP) – Orthophotography – Addenda No. 1

Questions and answers may be paraphrased for the sake of brevity, clarity, or to combine similar questions from multiple Respondents.

Question 1

Item VI. A. mentions ‘targeting of ground control’. Does the county accept photo-identifiable ground control where the contractor thinks this may be appropriate?

Answer 1

Photo-identifiable ground control will be accepted provided that all required documentation and accuracy requirements are fulfilled. Provide detailed information within the proposal on how this will be achieved.

Question 2

What is the coverage and the specifications of the available LiDAR dataset?

Answer 2

Whitman County does not have any LiDAR data to provide the only LiDAR project we are aware of is the 2010 Columbia River LiDAR Project. The contractor must specify how and if it would be capable of using this data in their proposal, and if they are aware of other public data that could be leveraged for this project.

Question 3

Has the County had digital imagery acquired in the past? If so, what vendor collected the imagery?

Answer 3

No.

Question 4

Is there is a shapefile or project bounding that is available to plan and price the County imagery?  
This can be .shp, .kml, or CAD files.

Answer 4

There is not, the project limits are as described in section B. Project Area and Geographic Perspective.

Question 5

On page 12 of the bid, under B. Project Data, the last paragraph alludes to “the vendor”. The terms and definitions on page 2 don’t describe what a vendor is in the County’s terms. Can you clarify what the County’s definition of a “vendor” is?

Answer 5

The terms “Vendor” and “Contractor” are interchangeable.

