# **REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS**

for

Municipal Solid Waste, Recycling and Yard Waste Collection Services

Addendum #2 — October 1, 2021



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Proposal Deadline: 4:00 p.m. CST, October 15, 2021

Addendum #2 being issued to modify, supplement or replace information contained in the original RFP. This addendum is hereby made as part of the contract documents. The red text on the additional pages reflects these changes and must be used for bid submission. Unless specifically listed in Addendum #1 or Addendum #2, all other terms of the original RFP shall remain effective.

Each bidder shall acknowledge receipt of each addendum in its proposal to have its bid read and considered.

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1.34 <u>Set Out:</u> Shall mean the action, event, or instance comprised of the proper placement of the Approved Receptacles of Solid Waste, Recyclable Material, or Yard Waste for collection at the Eligible Residence. Proper placement also applies to bulky waste and appliances for collection at the Eligible Residence.

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3.2.3 <u>Yard Waste</u>. The Contractor shall provide weekly collection of Yard Waste that is in Approved Receptacles placed in the proper Set Out location for collection as determined by MWA and municipality to all Eligible Residences within the Designated Collection Area. The Contractor may only refuse to provide service to an Eligible Residence in the event and to the extent that the material is not Yard Waste Material and/or that has not been properly Set Out. Proper Set Out shall mean MWA branded cart, MWA Compost It! bag or generic bag with an MWA Compost It! sticker, or bundles of twigs and branches with a Compost It! sticker not to exceed eighteen inches (18) in diameter and four (4) feet in length.

MWA shall obtain and distribute to retail points within the MWA service area the appropriate yard waste bags and stickers. All revenue from the sale of yard waste bags and/or stickers will be retained by MWA.

If a household Set Out consistently contains unacceptable materials such as garbage or recyclables, the driver should use document the contaminants, note the household location, and report such occurrences to MWA. Yard waste season generally runs April through November, and for two weeks following the Christmas holiday, but is subject to change at the sole discretion of MWA. In the event MWA elects for yard waste season to start early or be extended, timing and reasonable compensation would be negotiated with the hauler.

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3.10 <u>Natural Disaster.</u> In the event an act of God or disaster, such as flood, tornado, fire, or the like causes significant damage in a Participating Member Community, MWA may arrange for special collection of debris from the Participating Member Community or Eligible Residences identified by the Participating Member Community as being significantly affected by the act of God or disaster event. Contractor shall prioritize placement of containers, collection vehicles, or personnel for special collection in the affected Participating Member Community. MWA will work with the Contractor and Member Community to determine appropriate, reasonable fees for required services rendered in response to the act of God or disaster.

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#### **SECTION 9 - REPORTING REQUIREMENTS**

The Contractor shall prepare and maintain proper, accurate, and complete records and accounts of all transactions related to the services provided in a manner consistent with standard industry practices, including any records that may be required by the State. All quantities of Solid Wastes, Recycling, Yard Waste, and Bulky Wastes from Clean-up Events shall be reported in tons.

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Fees for collection of Member Community facilities in the event collection occurs less than three business days apart.

Container Size	\$/Service
48 gallon	
96 gallon	
2 cubic yards	
3 cubic yards	
4 cubic yards	
6 cubic yards	
8 cubic yards	
<del>20 cubic yards</del>	
<del>30 cubic yards</del>	
40 cubic yards	