



1. Instructions to Bidders §10.3 says an approved equal must be submitted to the Project Manager "so that it may (or may not) be approved as an equal by the Project Manager at least two (2) weeks prior to the bid opening." Specification Section 01 25 00, §1.01.A.1 says "Application for such acceptance will not be considered until after the Effective Date of the Contract." Please confirm whether approved equal requests are to be submitted before the bid or after award.

RESPONSE:

See forthcoming Addendum No. 1.

2. I would like to request that Envirodyne Systems be added by addendum as an approved clarifier manufacturer alongside Kusters and WesTech for the replacement of the two Primary and two Secondary Clarifier mechanisms. The specified scope is a complete clarifier system—not simply replacement components—and Envirodyne is well suited to provide that responsibility. Envirodyne can furnish the complete engineered package including the center drive, center column, collector mechanism, skimmer and scum box, scum baffles, effluent troughs, assembly hardware, anchor bolts, controls, and all accessories required for a complete and properly operating installation. Envirodyne can meet the specified performance requirements while providing the Contractor and Owner another competitive option for equipment selection, pricing, lead time, and long-term support.[link to web: Envirodyne Clarifiers](#) We are not requesting any reduction in the specified performance, materials, installation requirements, or supplier responsibility. Envirodyne can meet the same specification requirements as Kusters and WesTech and would take responsibility for providing a complete system that integrates with the existing basins and results in four properly operating clarifiers. I would appreciate your consideration of adding Envirodyne Systems as an approved manufacturer by addendum. We can quickly provide qualifications, references, drawings, or any additional technical information needed to support the request.

RESPONSE:

See forthcoming Addendum No. 1. Complete information required for consideration of an approved equal clarifier manufacturer should be emailed to kbreard@lakehavenwsd.gov and procurement@lakehavenwsd.gov.