



**ADDENDUM #1**

**To:** All Companies Interested in Submitting a Bid  
**From:** Rebecca Johnson, CPPB, Purchasing Agent  
**Bid:** Welding Gases & Supplies (RFB #PUR0816-030); Dated: October 4, 2016  
**Subject:** Addendum #1 (2 page)  
**Date:** October 10, 2016

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The following questions and/or clarifications were asked relative to the above-listed Request for Bid. This memo is sent for clarification to all companies to whom the bid was sent.

**Question:** Is this an all or nothing bid?

**Answer:** The City will accept partial bids and consider them if in the best interest of the City, but the preference will be to have one vendor for all gases and supplies.

**Question:** Does the vendor need to have local stores or trucks to service the City?

**Answer:** Delivery is required and must be included in the pricing for gases and supplies. No additional charges for shipping or delivery will be allowed. It is up to the vendor how this will be accomplished. In accordance with the City’s buy local policy, preference will be given to certified local businesses as explained in the Request for Bid (Section 5.6 and Attachment C)

**Question:** Do you have a description for any of the products (i.e. welding gloves, silver pencil, etc.)? Part numbers? Currently used products? Preferred products or manufacturers?

**Answer:** The items listed below are supplied under the City’s current contract. Bidders shall supply pricing for these or equivalent products.

Gloves, welding	Tilman 1080 /1018
MAPP cylinder, small	Victor 09160122
Mask with large viewing window	Jackson HSL100
Propane cylinder, small	Part #6830002298946
Silver pencil	Sanford #SFD-753
70s6 Welding wire, 0.030, 11# spool	Pinnacle Wire
Welding wire, 0,030, 44# spool	Pinnacle Wire
Welding wire, 0.045, 44# spool	Pinnacle Wire

**Question:** Can you supply me with the most recent awarded bid contract for welding gas and supplies for the City of Cedar Rapids, or the web site I can access this public information?

**Answer:** The City's current contract pricing is provided on pages 3 through 5 of this Addendum.

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The Purchasing Services Division will accept written questions regarding the Request for Bid until 3:00 p.m. CDT on Thursday, October 13, 2016. Fax (888) 815-3659 or e-mail ([r.johnson2@cedar-rapids.org](mailto:r.johnson2@cedar-rapids.org)) all questions to Rebecca Johnson. Any and all questions will be responded to in the form of written addenda to all Bidders. All addenda that you receive shall become a part of the contract documents and shall be acknowledged and dated on the bottom of the Signature Page (Attachment C). The deadline for bid submittal is Thursday, October 20, 2016 before 3:00 p.m. CDT.

**MATHESON PRICING FOR WELDING GASES & SUPPLIES**  
**EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1, 2015 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 2016**

**PRICING IS ALL INCLUSIVE – NO ADDITIONAL CHARGE FOR RENTAL OF CYLINDERS**

Description	Item #	Refill Frequency	Own/ Rent	Size	Unit Price
<b>WELDING SUPPLIES</b>					
Gloves, welding, each	TIL 100 1B	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$3.81
MAPP cylinder - small, each	BNZ MG9	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$9.53
Mask with large viewing window, each	MSG3002620MS	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$23.92
Propane cylinder - small, each	VIC9160004	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$5.47
Silver Pencil, each	SFD753	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$0.79
70s6 Welding wire, 0.030, 11# spool	PIN03070S6M11	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$15.55
Welding wire, 0.030, 33# spool	PIN03070S6M33	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$43.89
Welding wire, 0.045, 44# spool	PIN04570S6M44	n/a	n/a	n/a	\$52.21
<b>WELDING GASES</b>					
<b>AIRPORT - 2515 ARTHUR COLLINS PARKWAY, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52404</b>					
Argon/CO2 (75%-25%) - medium	AR 150	2-3 times/yr	own	155 CF	\$9.58
Oxygen - medium; own cylinder	OX 80	2-3 times/yr	own	80 CF	\$4.25
Oxygen - large; own cylinder	OX 200	2-3 times/yr	own	251 CF	\$5.20
Propylene - medium; own cylinder	FG 26	2-3 times/yr	own	26#	\$26.00
Propylene - large; own cylinder	FG 65	2-3 times/yr	own	65#	\$58.81
<b>FIRE DEPARTMENT – 713 1<sup>ST</sup> AVENUE SE, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52403</b>					
Acetylene - medium	AC SMN	as needed	own	135 CF	\$22.73
Argon - medium	AR 150	as needed	own	155 CF	\$9.58
Argon/CO2 - medium	AR 150	as needed	own	155 CF	\$9.58
Oxygen - medium	OX 150	as needed	own	155 CF	\$4.95
Oxygen - D size	OX MDAL	as needed	own	15 CF	\$7.70
Oxygen - 40 CU FT	OX 40	as needed	own	46 CF	\$4.26
Acetylene - 40 CU FT	AC B	as needed	own	40 CF	\$7.99
<b>GOLF DIVISION – 500 15<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE SW, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52404 (MAIN OFFICE)</b>					
<b>Ellis Golf Maintenance - 1405 Zika Avenue NW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52405</b>					
Acetylene - large	AC SMN	as needed	rent	135 CF	\$22.73
Oxygen - large	OX 200	as needed	rent	251 CF	\$5.20
<b>Gardner Golf Maintenance - 5101 Golf Course Road, Marion, IA 52302</b>					
Acetylene - large	AC SMN	as needed	rent	135 CF	\$22.73
Oxygen - large	OX 200	as needed	rent	251 CF	\$5.20
<b>Jones Golf Maintenance - 3000 Fruitland Blvd SW, Cedar Rapids, IA 52404</b>					
Acetylene - small	AC SMN	as needed	rent	135 CF	\$22.73
Argon - small	AR 150	as needed	rent	155 CF	\$9.58
Oxygen - small	OX 125	as needed	rent	125 CF	\$4.50
<b>Twin Pines Maintenance - 3900 42nd Street NE, Cedar Rapids, IA 52402</b>					
Acetylene - hand carry	AC MC	as needed	rent	10 CF	\$8.25
Oxygen - hand carry	OX 20	as needed	rent	21 CF	\$4.14
<b>PARKS DIVISION – 500 15<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE SW, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52404 (MAIN OFFICE)</b>					
Acetylene - smalls	AC 75	as needed	own/rent	75 CF	\$12.42
Acetylene - larges	AC SMN	as needed	own/rent	135 CF	\$22.73
Argons	AR 150	as needed	own/rent	155 CF	\$9.58
Oxygen - smalls	OX 80	as needed	own/rent	92 CF	\$4.25
Oxygen - larges	OX 200	as needed	own/rent	251 CF	\$5.20

Description	Item #	Refill Frequency	Own/ Rent	Size	Unit Price
<b>PUBLIC WORKS FACILITY - 500 15<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE SW, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52404</b>					
Acetylene - small	AC MC	as needed	own	10 CF	\$8.25
Oxygen - small	OX 20	as needed	own	21 CF	\$4.14
<b>STREETS - 500 15<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE SW, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52404</b>					
Acetylene - 10 CU FT	AC MC	weekly	own	10 CF	\$8.25
Argon/CO2 (75%-25%) - 382 CU FT	AR 300	weekly	own	384 CF	\$15.18
Oxygen - 92 CU FT	OX 80	weekly	own	92 CF	\$4.25
Oxygen - 156 CU FT	OX 150	weekly	own	155 CF	\$4.95
Oxygen - 282 CU FT	OX 200	weekly	own	251 CF	\$5.20
<b>TRAFFIC ENGINEERING (TED) - 500 15<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE SW, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52404</b>					
Acetylene, dissolved - #3	AC 75	2-4 times/year	own	75 CF	\$12.42
Argon/CO2	AR 150	2-4 times/year	own	155 CF	\$9.58
Oxygen - 92 CU FT	OX 80	2-4 times/year	own	92 CF	\$4.25
Oxygen - 125 CU FT	OX 125	2-4 times/year	own	125 CF	\$4.50
<b>FORESTRY - 500 15<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE SW, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52404</b>					
Acetylene – small	AC 75	as needed	rent	75 CF	\$12.42
Argon - medium	AR 150	as needed	own	155 CF	\$9.58
Oxygen - medium	OX 150	as needed	rent	155 CF	\$4.95
<b>WATER DISTRIBUTION - 707 J AVENUE NE, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52402</b>					
<b>Garage</b>					
Acetylene #4 Flat Tops	AC SMN	monthly	own/rent	135 CF	\$22.73
Oxygen 150s	OX 150	monthly	own/rent	155 CF	\$4.95
Oxygen 251s	OX 200	monthly	own/rent	251 CF	\$5.20
Stargon 150s	MX WM24150	monthly	own/rent	150 CF	\$9.48
<b>Trucks</b>					
Acetylene #3 Flat Tops	AC 75	monthly	own/rent	75 CF	\$12.42
Acetylene #4 Flat Tops	AC SMN	monthly	own/rent	135 CF	\$22.73
Oxygen 60s	OX 80	monthly	own/rent	92 CF	\$4.25
Oxygen 80s	OX 80	monthly	own/rent	92 CF	\$4.25
Oxygen 251s	OX 200	monthly	own/rent	251 CF	\$5.20
<b>WATER POLLUTION CONTROL (WPCF) - 7525 BERTRAM RD SE, CEDAR RAPIDS, IA 52403</b>					
<b>Maintenance Building</b>					
Acetylene - 4x15 inches	AC B	wkly, as needed	rent	40 CF	\$10.25
Acetylene - 8x43 inches	AC SMN	wkly, as needed	rent	135 CF	\$22.73
Argon - 9x55 inches	AR 300	wkly, as needed	rent	336 CF	\$15.18
Argon/CO2 - 9x55 inches	MXAWSC25300	wkly, as needed	rent	384 CF	\$15.01
Argon/CO2/Helium - 9x55 inches	HE HELISA 108S	wkly, as needed	rent	150 CF	\$33.65
Oxygen - 5x15 inches	OX 20	wkly, as needed	rent	21 CF	\$4.14
Oxygen - 7x43 inches	OX 125	wkly, as needed	rent	125 CF	\$4.50
<b>IE Shop</b>					
0.46% O2 in N2 - 9x52 inches	SG SPCMLW425J	wkly, as needed	rent	208 CF	\$69.82
10 ppm Cl2 in N2 - 3x11 inches	HXGMT10202TH	wkly, as needed	rent	29 L	\$220.00
10 ppm H2S in N2 - 4x15 inches	HXGMT10207TH	wkly, as needed	rent	58 L	\$102.94
10-15 ppm methane in O2 - 9x52 in	HXG2684133	wkly, as needed	rent	208 CF	\$170.00
104 ppm CO in N2 - 9x52 inches	SGSPCMLW438C	wkly, as needed	rent	144 CF	\$76.01
2.5% methane in air - 9x52 inches	SGSPCMLW226	wkly, as needed	rent	208 CF	\$75.39
25 ppm H2S in N2 - 4x15 inches	HXGMT10209TH	wkly, as needed	rent	58 L	\$102.94
25 ppm NH3 in N2 - 3x11 inches	HXGMT10519TH	wkly, as needed	rent	29 L	\$216.33
50ppm CO,25ppm H2S,2.5%Methane, 18%O2,balanceN2 4x15"	HXGMT10576TH	wkly, as needed	rent	58 L	\$147.45

<b>Description</b>	<b>Item #</b>	<b>Refill Frequency</b>	<b>Own/ Rent</b>	<b>Size</b>	<b>Unit Price</b>
6.9% O2 in N2 - 9x52 inches	SGSPCMLW431E	wkly, as needed	rent	208 CF	\$73.16
99.99% O2 - 9x52 inches	SG SPPULW101	wkly, as needed	rent	337 CF	\$66.23
Nitrogen - 9x52 inches	NI 200	wkly, as needed	rent	230 CF	\$5.70
41-43% hydrogen balance nitrogen - 9x52 in	SG SPCMLW430	wkly, as needed	rent	199 CF	\$72.50
<b>Lab Building</b>					
Acetylene, AA Grade 353 CU FT	SG SPPULW205	wkly, as needed	rent	353 CF	\$61.16
Air, UPC Grade 311 CU FT	SG SPPULW700	wkly, as needed	rent	310 CF	\$31.49
Argon, Dewar Grade 160L	AR 160LMP	wkly, as needed	rent	160 L	\$185.63
Argon, Industrial Grade 336 CU FT	AR 300	wkly, as needed	rent	336 CF	\$15.18
Helium, UHP/UPC Grade 293 CF	SGSPPULW800	wkly, as needed	rent	293 CF	\$92.41
Hydrogen, HP Grade 291 CU FT	SGSPPULW500A	wkly, as needed	rent	291 CF	\$25.14
Nitrogen, Dewar Grade 160 L	NI 160LMP	wkly, as needed	rent	160 L	\$40.12
Nitrogen, Industrial Grade 304 CF	NI 300	wkly, as needed	rent	304 CF	\$5.84