

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
Project: IL 4/15 over the Kaskaskia River Bridge Replacement Project
District 8, St. Clair County, Contract No.: 76N42
Responses to Requests for Clarifications (RFCs) – March 3, 2026

The following Requests for Clarifications (RFCs) were received from prospective Proposers for the above captioned project. The responses provided by IDOT may be relied upon by Proposers when submitting a Statement of Qualifications (SOQ) in response to the Request for Qualifications (RFQ) issued on February 10, 2026. Where indicated, Addendum No. 1 to the RFQ has been issued to provide Proposers with any changes to the RFQ resulting from IDOT’s responses to these RFCs.

No.	RFQ Section	Addendum	Request for Clarification	IDOT Response
5	RFQ Section 2.4	N/A	RFQ Section 2.4 states that, "Each RFC is required to be submitted using Form 10 – RFC Submittal Form. Only one RFC is permitted on each form. Consistent with the RFC Submittal Form, ..." This creates some inefficiencies for both the proposer and IDOT utilizing a separate form for each individual question. We suggest using a log format to ask and answer Requests for Clarification (RFC's). The log method has been used extensively on alternative delivery projects successfully and IDOT returns the responses in a similar log form.	No change will be made to the RFC process provided for in Section 2.4.
6	RFQ Section 4.2	N/A	RFQ Section 4.2 bullet 1 states that maximum PDF file size for emailing is 20 megabytes. Please allow for 25-megabyte file size or the ability to break up the proposal into smaller files to be emailed separately.	The maximum pdf file size will remain as identified in Section 4.2 due to file size restrictions with attachments.
7	RFQ Section 4.2	N/A	RFQ Section 4.2 bullet 5 states that 12-point font is required for the SOQ except for 10-point font on the organizational chart and Forms 7 and 8. Please allow 10-point font for graphics, tables or photo captions.	No change will be made to Section 4.2, the 10-point font size can only be used for organizational chart, and Forms 7 and 8.
8	RFQ Section 2.8.1	Addendum 1	RFQ Section 2.8.1 lists the anticipated prequalification categories that will be required to execute the CMGC contract. Section 2.8 states that all Proposers must satisfy IDOT's general prequalification requirements prior to submittal of the SOQ. Please clarify that we don't need to name subcontractors for each prequalification category listed in Section 2.8.1 for the SOQ submission as these won't be known until the preconstruction phase.	Section 2.8.1 Prequalification for Contractors has been revised. IDOT anticipates 009 – Structures (Highway, Waterway) prequalification category will be required for Contractors to receive authorization to execute the CMGC Contract. All others listed are anticipated to be required for Contractors to receive authorization to execute the GMP Amendment and proceed with the Construction Phase.

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9	Form #2	N/A	Regarding Form #2, please confirm proposer only needs to list affiliates and/or subsidiaries that have an envisioned or potential role on this project. As a standard course of business, potential proposers may have a variety of affiliates to cover anything from office property leasing to special purpose entities for past projects or pursuits.	As mentioned in the RFQ Section 3.2.2.A, "An Affiliate is considered as any business entity that is so closely associated to another business entity that one entity controls or has power to control the other entity either directly or indirectly; or, when a third party has the power to control or controls both; or where one business entity has been so closely allied with another business entity through an established course of dealings, including but not limited to the lending of financial wherewithal, engaging in joint ventures, etc. as to cause a public perception that the two firms are one entity. Firms which are owned by a holding company or a third party, but otherwise do not meet the above conditions and do not have interlocking directorships or joint officers serving, are not considered to be Affiliates." All companies that fulfill this requirement have to be listed on Form 2 by the Proposer.
10	Form #6	N/A	Regarding Form 6, please confirm if each employee from each firm shown on the organizational chart are required to complete and sign the form or if the intent is to have one form completed for each firm or entity, signed by the Proposer's team member who has contracting authority, to cover all the employees of the firm.	Form 6 only needs to be filled out by each firm or entity once, signed by a person from that firm with a contracting authority. Each employee shown on the organizational chart by a firm does not need to fill Form 6.
11	RFQ Section 3.6.1	N/A	Does the certifier need to sign Form 6 for each team member? Also - for individuals filling out a Form 6 that are not direct employees of the Proposer, should the certifier be from the Proposer or should it be from that individuals employer?	Form 6 only needs to be filled out by each firm or entity once, signed by a person from that firm with a contracting authority. Each employee shown on the organizational chart by a firm does not need to fill Form 6.