

Jasper Water Treatment Plant Rehabilitation

City of Jasper, Georgia

Response to Bidder's Questions No. 1

Date: October 9, 2025

The following information should be considered by offerors in preparation of their Bids:

Bidder's Questions:

1. Will you accept a porous plate on top of our trilateral block in place of the IMS cap that Leopold uses, as this cap is patented?

No, porous plates will not be an acceptable alternative.

2. Drawings show 6 filters. How many are they replacing?

Refer to Sheet Number M.05 – Filter Section View for a description of the scope of work for each of the six (6) filters.

3. Dimensions of the filters?

Each filter is approximately 90 SF; Filters 1 & 2: 10.5' x 8.5' and Filters 3-6: 9' x 10'.

4. What type of flume do they have?

All six (6) filters are front flume filters.

5. How is the air entering the filter?

Refer to Sheet Number M.03 – Proposed Overall Ground Floor Plan and Sheet Number M.05 – Filter Section View for a depiction of the air piping and filter connection scope of work.

6. Do they want us to provide the filter media as well?

Yes, refer to Sheet Number M.05 – Filter Section View for a description of the scope of work for each of the six (6) filters.

7. Would you consider changing your valve selection from gate valves to butterfly valves?

Yes, refer to Addendum #2 for the revised Sheet Number M.03 – Proposed Overall Ground Floor Plan for revisions to actuated butterfly valves in lieu of actuated gate valves for the effluent valves.

8. Do you know the size of the mud valves?

Yes, the existing mud valves are 8-inch.

9. You don't say what type valves you want for the air scour. Will ball valves suffice?

Refer to Addendum #2 for clarification for the proposed air scour valves will be butterfly valves.

10. Your electric motor actuator spec. names Auma or approved equal. The jury is out on Auma being able to meet BABA. We would offer Limitorque. Will you accept them as an approved equal?

Yes, the City is amenable to alternate manufacturers (ie. Limitorque) if they meet the performance specifications stated.

11. You have a backwash control valve that is specified as a globe style pilot operated valve. The P&ID show a 4-20 mA signal for positioning this valve for control. I have supplied these valves for this application but I haven't had a customer that was happy with the result. I suggest a butterfly with a motor that would be similar to the effluent valves. If you want to stick with the globe valve (which I think is an excellent choice for control) you need to describe the valve more clearly. I expect only Cla and Singer can do this. Bermad can't meet BABA and they never have liked doing electronic control?

Refer to Addendum #2 for revisions of the proposed backwash control valve to an electric actuated butterfly valve.

12. You call for a flap valve on the 24" overflow pipe but show a duckbill on the plans. I suggest our DBF since the existing fitting is flanged (or similar by Proco or Red Valve-probably several others) the other 2 named vendors do not make such a valve. Our manufacturer is Onyx. Catalog cut accompanies.

Refer to Addendum #2 for revision of the proposed valve callout.

13. Can a copy of the pre-bid attendee list be provided?

Please see attached.

Bid Due Date: October 16, 2025 @ 1:00 PM.

End of Response to Bidder's Questions No. 1

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