

**TOWN OF GLASTONBURY  
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL  
RPGL-2023-03  
TRIPLE COMBINATION RESCUE PUMPERS  
ADDENDUM NO. 1  
AUGUST 9, 2022**

The attention of respondents submitting proposals for the above-referenced project is called to the following Addendum to the specifications. The items set forth herein, whether of omission, addition, substitution or other change, are all to be included in and form a part of the proposed Contract Documents for the work. Respondents shall acknowledge this Addendum on the Proposal Response Page (Attachment I).

***Question 1.** As per CT State general statute 14-51a you have not required any dealer that is selling or repairing vehicles to have a Connecticut dealer license. As this is state law and a requirement, we respectfully request that this be added to your RFP.*

**Answer** The selected respondent would be required to obtain a Connecticut Dealer License prior to award.

***Question 2.** Section 2.6 Low Voltage Electrical: Please clarify "Conditioner/Inverter" Are you looking for a battery conditioner and a sperate invertor? These are two different things?*

**Answer** No. The Town requires only the Kussmaul Auto Power 3000W Inverter Charger.

***Question 3.** Section 3.4.4 Spotter Mirrors: Please clarify what you are looking for? The term "spotter" is unknown to us.*

**Answer** The round convex mirror which is attached to regular mirror.

***Question 4.** Section 6.1.1.1 Radio: Please provide your preferred local radio vendor. Contact name, e-mail, number etc... so we can work with them directly on installing the radios.*

**Answer** Historically, the Town has worked with Either Marcus Communications, LLC and/or Goosetown Enterprises, Inc.

***Question 5.** Section 11 Fire Pump: Will a Hale Q-Max fire pump be acceptable?*

**Answer** No. As per the specifications, the Town requires a Waterous model CSU 1500 GPM single stage centrifugal midship pump.

**Question 6.** *Section 11.3.6 Pump Intakes: Please provide the preferred make and model of the driver's side gated valve for the master pump intake.*

**Answer** The following manufacturers will be acceptable: Elkhart, Harrington or Kochek. The master pump intake valve needs to have a pressure relief built in, and be able to accept a 5" large diameter hose with a Storz fitting.

**Question 7.** *Section 2.6.2.8 Siren: Listed part number for Whelen electric siren (WS-295HFS1) cannot be found on their website. Please clarify.*

*There is no single 200-watt Whelen speaker for the electronic siren. Two (2) 100-watt speakers would be required. Do you want two 100-watt electronic siren speakers with the corresponding driver or a single 100-watt speaker and driver?*

**Answer** One (1) 200 watt speaker is preferred by the Town for optimal integration into the front bumper. Respondents may propose an comparable substitution and shall specify the manufacturer. In the event that one (1) 200 watt speaker is not available, Respondents may propose two (2) 100 watt speakers and shall specify the manufacturer.

**Question 8.** *Section 17.1 Warranty: CT State Statute mandates that a two-year warranty be provided as minimum on new fires apparatus purchases. (~~Please see attached~~). If the town wishes a one-year warranty with the bid, please provide written authorization asking us to take exception to state mandate.*

**Answer** Respondents shall comply with the State of Connecticut Chapter 743s – Section 42-355 New Emergency Vehicle Warranties (Attached).

**Question 9.** *Section 5.1.2.2: Please provide manufacturer for the poly removable tool mounts? The key word is "removable". I am not aware of a vendor that makes removable tool mounts that are installed on the compartment rear walls. If you could please provide more details, manufacturer, and part number, of what you desire I would appreciate it. A photograph might assist also.*

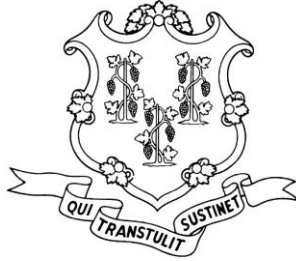
**Answer** If available, the Town prefers a flexible solution that includes the ability to easily remove the poly board if not needed. For example, a design solution such as fastening the poly board to a piece of Unistrut with bolts. No photograph is available.

**Question 10.** *Section 11.1.6: Please clarify the trident primer. "3 position switch". Are you indicating you want the "Trident Auto Primer"?*

**Answer** As per the Specifications, the Town requires a Trident 3 Position Air Primer: Auto Prime, Off, Prime.

**END OF ADDENDUM NO. 1 TEXT**

**GENERAL STATUTES  
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*Revised to January 1, 2019*



**CHAPTER 743s\***

**NEW EMERGENCY VEHICLE WARRANTIES**

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**Sec. 42-355. New emergency vehicle warranties.** (a) As used in this section:

(1) "Emergency vehicle" means any new motor vehicle used as (A) firefighting apparatus, (B) an ambulance, or (C) a rescue vehicle, that is purchased or leased by a department on or after July 1, 1999. An emergency vehicle purchased or leased on or after October 1, 1999, is deemed purchased upon acceptance of delivery and payment. An emergency vehicle is deemed leased upon acceptance of delivery and payment of the first lease payment;

(2) "Department" means any (A) agency of the state, (B) municipality, (C) fire department of a municipality, including a volunteer fire department, or (D) volunteer ambulance company, as the case may be;

(3) "Municipality" means any town, city, borough, fire district or other political subdivision of this state; and

(4) "Final stage equipment manufacturer" means a manufacturer that assembles an emergency vehicle from one or more components supplied by other manufacturers.

(b) If an emergency vehicle or any firefighting or emergency equipment permanently installed in an emergency vehicle does not conform to all applicable express warranties and (1) such emergency vehicle or equipment is subject to a safety-related recall campaign to correct such nonconformity, or (2) such nonconformity is or arises from a manufacturer's defect and the department reports such nonconformity, in writing, to the final stage equipment manufacturer of such emergency vehicle, or its agent or authorized dealer, during the period of two years following the date of acceptance of delivery of such emergency vehicle to the department, such final stage equipment manufacturer, or its agent or authorized dealer, shall make such repairs as are necessary to conform such emergency vehicle or equipment to such express warranties or shall reimburse the department for the cost of such repairs, notwithstanding the fact that such repairs are made after the expiration of such two-year period.

(c) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection may adopt regulations, in accordance with chapter 54, to carry out the provisions of this section.

(d) Nothing in this section shall in any way limit the rights or remedies which are otherwise available to a department under any other law