

# QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

## *Invitation for Bids, City of Vallejo Plumbing Supplies*

1. Page 12, Lines 119-124: Requesting Mueller Insulating Meter Spuds (H-10871 & H-10871-00) but the Ford part numbers are for standard Meter Spuds. Did they mean to ask for Mueller part number H-10890 for Standard Meter Spuds?

***Standard Meter Spuds Ford or Mueller***

2. Page 14, Lines 211-214: Requesting Apco Air Release & Vacuum Valves. Can we quote Crispin brand instead?

***Apco or A.R.I.***

3. Page 16, Lines 270 & 279: Requesting 14" Megalugs in the description but the EBAA part numbers provided are for 16" Megalugs. What size do they want quoted? Do they want us to quote both 14" & 16"?

***14" Megalugs***

4. Pages 17-20, Lines 310-399: Requesting Smith-Blair Only. Can we quote Ford brand instead or as well? They have the header above line 310 that reads "Ford Style FS1 #" but then put "Smith-Blair Only" below it on all of the items.

***Smith-Blair or Ford***

5. Page 20, Lines 407-421: Requesting Mueller brand 2300 Series Gate Valves. Can we quote Clow instead or as well?

***Clow is acceptable***

6. Pages 21-24, Lines 440-567: Requesting Domestic Ductile Iron Fittings. Vallejo has always accepted Import DI Fittings. Is that a typo? Can we quote Import instead of Domestic?

***Imported is acceptable***

7. Pages 25-26, Lines 608 (second 608)-631: Requesting Wilkins Backflows. Can we quote Watts or Febco as well on the small diameter (3/4"-2") and Ames or Febco on the large diameter (4"-10") backflows and Setters?

***Wilkins or Ames***

8. Does the bid need to be handwritten at any location or can all pricing be converted and inputted into an excel spreadsheet?

***It can be converted to excel***

9. Are bid items being awarded per line item or are the totals from each section (ie saddles, gate valves) being summed and awarded as an entire group?

***Bids will be awarded per line item***

Bronze Service Saddles, Double Strap

10. Are any equivalents to Ford/Mueller being accepted?

***Only Ford or Mueller are accepted***

EBAA Iron Megalug MJ Pipe Restraints

11. Are alternate/equivalents being accepted in place of the EBAA Megalug, for example the Stargrip?

***Stargrip is accepted***

Gate Valves

12. For standard connections styles, not including AFC Alpha Joint style, are other manufacturers being considered other than Mueller? IE AFC/Clow?

***Clow / AFC are acceptable***