Transportation Investment Corporation
Intermediate Advisors - Major Projects
Request for Qualifications No. RFQ26-TIC-006
ADDENDUM #1 – Questions and Responses No.1
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Q1:
In terms of the scope of this Intermediate Advisor, for Archaeological Services in Section 5.1.12 of the TIC MULRFQ document, it states "Technical support for archaeological assessments, guidance on leading practices, mitigation of archaeological risks, and reporting and compliance".

In other parts of the MULRFQ document, specifically in Section 8, it states that the Multi-use List of Qualified Suppliers will also be used to send out Competition Notices to Qualified Suppliers. My interpretation of this is that those selected to be on the Qualified Suppliers list will then be contacted when future opportunities arise for specific projects.

Does this mean the position is for an administrative advisory role and allows for future opportunities to provide archaeological assessment services in addition?

A1:
Respondents that are successfully shortlisted through this MULRFQ will be added to a Multi-Use List of Qualified Suppliers for future competitions with specific scopes of work. A future competition notice will define the specific opportunity, including whether the successful proponent would be precluded from future involvement with teams competing in any related selection process and /or if the proponent is responsible for complying with the conflict of interest requirements defined in the competition.

Q2:
Can proponents respond both for individual streams and also as part of a larger team responding to streams?

A2:
No, proponents can respond either as an individual consultant OR as part of a consulting team responding to streams.

Q3:
We would like to know if/how our involvement in this work would pose conflict of interest issues for the delivery of the actual projects. More simply put, could we create an ethical wall so that we would not be precluded from future opportunities?

A3:
Respondents that are successfully shortlisted through this MULRFQ will be added to a Multi-Use List of Qualified Suppliers for future competitions with specific scopes of work. A future competition notice will define the specific opportunity, including whether the successful proponent would be precluded from future involvement with teams competing in any related selection process and /or if the proponent is responsible for complying with the conflict of interest requirements defined in the competition.

All questions submitted by July 10, 2025, are included in this document.

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