



RFP-006-23 FOR FUEL DELIVERY SERVICES

Q&A for Answering Supplier Questions¹

No.	Questions	Answers	Additional Information
1.	Who is the incumbent referred to in the RFP?	Currently, RTA does not have a contracted fuel supplier. Every two weeks, RTA requests cost proposals to purchase fuel, selecting the provider offering the most competitive and advantageous offer.	
2.	If the award date is December 30, what would be the start date for this project?	The estimated project start date is February 2025 but is subject to change.	
3.	Can we be provided with a list of qualifying DBEs to reach out to?	RTA does not have a list of qualifying DBEs.	
4.	Does a veteran-owned small business count towards the DBE goal?	Please see the 49 CFR Part 26.	This is the <i>Code of Federal Regulations</i> section that outlines the requirements for the Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) program, administered by the U.S. Department of Transportation (USDOT).
5.	What are the DBE goals for this contract?	The DBE goal for this contract is (100%).	
6.	Do you consider common carriers to be subcontractors?	Yes, they may need to meet certain requirements (e.g., DBE participation, insurance, safety standards) for the contract.	DBE subcontractors must be identified as such, along with their specific work contribution and their percentage of the total

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			contract amount. A summary of the experience and expertise of each subcontractor, with at least one reference and contact person, shall also be provided.
7.	What is the average load size for gas and diesel?	The average load size is 7,500 gallons for diesel and 8,500 gallons for gasoline.	
8.	Will the bid award be split by product or awarded all to one bidder?	See addendum no. 1.	
9.	Will you accept up to 5% bio diesel in your diesel fuel?	No.	
10.	How and when will we be notified of the low bidder, and can we receive a copy of the bid tabulations?	The tentative award date is December 30, 2024, and RTA will notify bidders of the outcome via email, including a bid tabulation.	
11.	What are the delivery hours?	Delivery Window: Between 8:00 AM to 4:00 PM EST.	