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July 19, 2023
Subject: Supply & Delivery of Rectangular
Rapid Flashing Beacons
State WIN: 025501.00
Location: **Statewide**
Amendment No. 2

Dear Sir/Ms.:

CHANGE on page 20 "NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS", the bid opening date in the first paragraph from "July 19,2023" to read "**July 26, 2023**". Make this change in pen and ink

The Bid Opening date for this contract has been changed to **July 26, 2023**. Any Bidders that have previously submitted Bids may choose to revise or not to revise their Bids. If the Bidder chooses to revise their Bid, they must resubmit a complete Bid Package including a Bid Bond and all other documents required. Upon request, the Bidder will have the original Bid returned to them otherwise it will be discarded. The Bid Package with the latest (newest) date shall replace all previously submitted packages.

Question: It has become a common attribute of RRFB assemblies to be programmable via Bluetooth, and include cellular connectivity to remotely monitor battery/solar health and system status via cloud-based software. Bluetooth programming being permanent, and the cellular connectivity is for a user-specified term. Would the project consider adding these requirement to the specifications, with perhaps a cell connectivity term of 1 to 3 years, so that the state can benefit from these advancements?

Response: We are not looking for these features with this contract.

Consider these changes and information prior to submitting your bid on **July 26, 2023**

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "George Macdougall".

George M. A. Macdougall P.E.
Contracts & Specifications Engineer