



City of Tacoma

Questions and Answers

2024 WASTEWATER CURED-IN-PLACE PIPE REHABILITATION PROJECT IN VARIOUS TACOMA LOCATIONS

RFB Specification No. **ES24-0032F**

All interested parties had the opportunity to submit questions in writing by email to Stan Rowden, Senior Buyer, by December 12, 2024. The answers to the questions received are provided below and posted to the City's website at www.TacomaPurchasing.org. Navigate to [Current Contracting Opportunities / Public Works and Improvements Solicitations](#), and then click [Questions and Answers](#) for this Specification. This information IS NOT considered an addendum. Respondents should consider this information when submitting their proposals.

1. Question: Is UV Cured Fiberglass Reinforced CIPP allowed?

Answer: No. This project is specified for installation of thermal-cure, resin-impregnated flexible felt tube with a styrene barrier and pre-liner.

2. Question: Would you consider United Felts an approved CIPP Liner manufacturer per Section 7-21.2?

Answer: The Contractor must conduct its due diligence to verify United Felts meet the Statement of Qualifications which states: "The manufacturer of thermal-cure CIPP shall have a minimum of 150,000 linear feet of thermal-cure CIPP successfully installed within the last five years in accordance with the Reference Specifications, Codes, and Standards listed in Section 7-21.1(1). Manufacturers using standards other than those listed in Section 7-21.1(1) shall demonstrate that the standards followed produce a product that is, at a minimum, equal to the quality of product developed using the listed standards."

3. Question: Would you consider specifying use of the VeriCure for temperature monitoring of the CIPP cure per Section 7-21.3(2)A-3?

Answer: Yes, per the technical specifications of this system, it appears it meets the requirements of this section.