



**City of Tacoma  
Transmission & Distribution  
25kV Pole Mount Gang-Operated Distribution Switches  
RFB Specification No. PT24-0200F**

**QUESTIONS and ANSWERS**

All interested parties had the opportunity to submit questions in writing by email to Sr Buyer Hailey Erichsen by November 4, 2024. The answers to the questions received are provided below and posted to the City's website at [www.TacomaPurchasing.org](http://www.TacomaPurchasing.org): Navigate to *Current Contracting Opportunities / Services / Supplies / Public Works and Improvements*, 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.

**Question 1: Please clarify the approved part numbers for the switches on this bid. Section 2.02.4 lists only one of the approved switch part numbers. Please confirm the other two approved part numbers for the other MIDs.**

Answer 1: Items listed under 2.02.4 are intended as a reference. Engineers advise that part numbers may change depending on the approved item. Please submit any item with a different part number with a Substitution Request Form.

**Question 2: Manufacturer supplies Tacoma their 15kV gang op switches but is not listed as an approved supplier for the 25kV switches. The switch used for 15kV applications is rated at 25kV and the only difference between the 15kV and 25kV units is the insulators. Given this information, will a bid from this manufacturer be accepted?**

Answer 2: Same answer as number 1.

**Question 3: Insert Question**

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**Question 4: Insert Question**

Answer 4: Insert Answer

**Question 5: Insert Question**

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**Question 6: Insert Question**

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