



**Volo.net Internet+Tech**  
**Material Request for Proposals**  
Champaign County, Illinois

*January 8th, 2025*

**Addendum #1 – January 21st, 2025**

**Change to proposal due date**

- Proposals will now be due no later than 3 p.m. CST January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

**Changes to materials in RFP**

- The BDSO unit, which are equipment cabinets, are being removed from this RFP and will be included in a future RFP. Please leave the BDSO tab in the material pricing sheet blank.
- The picture included of the BM53 dome marker is for example only. Information to be printed on marker post will be clarified before ordering.

**Clarification to Buy American Preference**

This project is subject to Buy America Preferences stated in 2 CFR. BABA certificates are not required but if you do have them, please submit them with your proposals. If you have a product not made in America, we will require an explanation for why we should choose that product. We are required to choose products manufactured in America first but, if necessary, we can choose a product that is not. There must be a significant effort to Buy American first.

**Questions Submitted by Vendors**

**Question #1**

Can you tell me if pricing needs to be held for a certain amount of time? Where will materials be shipped?

**Response #1**

Pricing is to be held for 45 days. Please calculate shipping to Champaign County, Illinois.

**Question #2**

What glass is acceptable?

**Response #2**

We are open to suggestions in your proposals. Keep in mind that there is a buy American preference.

**Question #3**

Are ground rods 10 Mil or 13 Mil on the ground rod, threaded or non threaded?

**Response #3**

Ground rods are to be 5/8" x 8', copper bonded steel and include ground rod clamp(acorn). Not threaded.

**Question #4**

Did you want duct quoted with tape or empty?

**Response #4**

Duct should have pull tape included.

**Question #5**

What are the dimensions designations for the BHF handholes units?

**Response #5**

The dimensions are (Length, Width, Depth) in inches.

**Question #6**

Can we quote HDPE handholes?

**Response #6**

Please quote HDPE and/or polymer concrete, there is space in the pricing spreadsheet to quote both.