



RFP-25-606 Addendum No.1

Responses to Proposers' Questions

This document contains the questions received on or before 10/24/2025, along with the corresponding answers.

1. On page 6 of the RFP, in Section C. Contract Cost Proposal, the last sentence of that section reads "Proposed prices, except for shipping costs, shall be effective for the term of the contract. However, the proposer may propose an "up to" price escalator applicable at contract renewal." How would NREN like bidders to address the potential for tariff-driven price volatility during the term of the contract?

The possibility for the proposer to present a yearly price escalator offers an avenue to mitigate price volatility.

Additionally, during the contract term, the vendor may seek RCEA's explicit approval to alter kit contents. RCEA acknowledges that an unforeseen price increase to a specific product is a valid reason vendor may request RCEA's approval to alter contents of the kit.

2. [2-sided tape 90 feet long and 1/3" wide] Can you provide more details as to what specifically is being requested for this item?

[2- sided tape 90 feet long and 1/3" wide] was mistakenly presented as an item on its own, whereas it is expected to be part of a *Window Insulation Kit*, intended to be presented along with [Clear Shrink Film 64"x210" (thickness = 3/4mil .6ml)]

For greater clarity, Exhibit A has been amended. Kindly refer to Addendum #02 for edits to Exhibit A as well as the revised RFP per Addendum #02.

3. It might be my suggestion to narrow down the packaging you want as the pricing can vary widely (plain corrugated boxes with a sticker logo, mailer boxes with a sticker logo, fully branding boxes with logo/design pre-printed).

RCEA invites the respondents to take advantage of the possibility of offering up to three options to present their most compelling offers with what they consider to be the best combinations of costs and content including packaging and packaging cost considerations.

RCEA, in its evaluations of proposals, will factor potential cost savings for RCEA associated with prebanded boxes - should these be part of an option presented by a respondent.

Respondents are also invited to submit any supporting documentation they deem suitable and pertinent for RCEA's evaluation.

4. [Clear Shrink Film 64"x210" (thickness = 3/4mil .6ml)] Could you provide more detail on how this item is intended to be used?

Additionally, could you please provide a specification sheet and maybe a photo of the product that would help determine what needs to be quoted for this item?

This item is used as an interior window insulation kit, which slows window condensation and keeps the heat in. It usually is clear plastic, heat shrink film.

Also refer to Question #2 above as well as Amended Exhibit A in Addendum #02 and in the revised RFP.