

City of Dripping Springs: RFP Solid Waste Services-- Response #1 to Questions March 13, 2020

Answers are in Red.

- 1) In order for Waste Management to fully analyze, prepare and receive approval for necessary capital and equipment, we would need a minimum of at least another 14 days to make a well-researched and competitive bid. Therefore, we are requesting that the bid due date be pushed back to at least Friday, April 10, 2020. **A decision will be made on Monday, March 16th regarding an extension.**
- 2) Upon reviewing the RFP documents, there does not appear to be a clear start date for services. Can you please provide the start date that services would begin for the city? **The start date will be negotiated with the selected vendor and is anticipated to be within the next 60-90 days.**
- 3) To accurately assess capital costs and route times for commercial customers, can you please provide a detailed list of the number of commercial customers, the size of container at each location and the service frequency of each container? **See document spreadsheet also linked after this document.**
- 4) Can you please clarify how both the residential and commercial customers will be billed? (summary or individual) **The selected vendor will be responsible for billing the customers individually.**
- 5) Can you please clarify if temporary and permanent roll off services are going to be part of the exclusive franchise or if they will be excluded? **While pricing is desired for all types of roll-off dumpsters, it is expected that the franchise ordinance will exclude temporary roll-off dumpsters.**