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**Request For Proposal**

**05-0081**

**FIRE ALARM TESTING AND INSPECTION  
SEDGWICK COUNTY ADULT DETENTION FACILITY  
ADDENDUM 1**

November 21, 2005

Several questions have been presented concerning this Request for Proposal. This addendum provides answers to those questions.

Carefully review this Request for Proposal, it provides specific technical information necessary to aid participating firms in formulating a thorough response. Should you elect to participate, submit one (1) original and two (2) copies of the entire document with any supplementary materials **NO LATER THAN 1:45 p.m. CST, Tuesday, November 29, 2005**. Responses must be in a sealed envelope and marked on the lower left-hand corner with the firm name and address, proposal number, proposal due date, and proposal opening time. Late or incomplete responses will not be accepted and will not receive consideration for final award.

**PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS ADDENDUM ON YOUR PROPOSAL RESPONSE FORM.**

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Carol Bevelhymer, C.P.M.  
Purchasing Agent

Questions are in bold and answers are in italics.

1. **Who is the manufacture of the fire alarm system?**  
*Simplex*
2. **What is the model number of the fire alarm panel?**  
*Both 4020 and 4100U panels are in use*
3. **Will the test and inspection be permitted to be done during normal work hours?  
Are all services to be conducted between 8am and 5 pm?**  
*No, the majority of the work must be performed after 5PM and before 6AM.*
4. **What is the ceiling height of the cells and corridors?**  
*Halls and rooms; 8-1/2 to 10-1/2 ft.  
Pods; 18 to 19 ft  
Pod gyms 20 ft.  
Dorm gyms 26-1/2 ft*
5. **Will a lift be required?**  
*Use of Sedgwick County lift can be arranged.*
6. **Are there detector guards over the 1200 smokes?**  
*No*
7. **If there are detector guards do they require a special tool to access them?**  
*No*
8. **Are the guards metal or plastic?**  
*Some devices do have hinged plastic covers. No tools are required.*
9. **What model smoke detector head and base are you requesting?**  
*Simplex smoke detector head model 4098-9714  
Simplex smoke detector base model 4098-9792*
10. **Are all of the detector heads addressable?**  
*Yes*
11. **If the detector heads are addressable who pays for the programming changes to the Fire Alarm Panel?**  
*If required, the successful bidder pays for the programming changes.*
12. **Are the 100 smoke heads and 20 bases to be (re) installed in an existing location that has the necessary wire, conduit, etc. to connect these devices to the existing system?**  
*The smoke heads and bases are replacements for existing units. No new wiring will be required. In the event that less than 100 existing heads and 20 existing bases require replacement, the balance will be delivered to Sedgwick County as maintenance inventory.*