

**REQUEST FOR QUALIFICATIONS #2021-031**  
**Technical Assistance for Southeast New England Program Network: Watershed**  
**Management, Stormwater Management and Restoration Efforts**  
**RESPONSE ADDENDUM #1**  
**March 29, 2021**

**CLARIFICATION**

**QUESTIONS**

**Q1:** Section 1.1.3 of the RFQ notes the following: NOTE: Consultants/Firms that were deemed qualified during Phase 1 of this RFQ process are invited to apply for additional services outlined in Section 1.14 below and Appendix F. Could you verify if firms that were not prequalified during the Phase 1 process (RFQ2020-040) are eligible for consideration in the Phase 2 RFQ (2021-031)?

**A1:** Yes, firms that were not prequalified during the Phase 1 process (RFQ2020-040) are eligible for consideration in the Phase 2 RFQ (2021-031).

**Q2:** Our firm was prequalified for the 2020 SNEP list. Are we required to re-submit? If not, when is the next time we need to requalify?

**A2:** A firm prequalified for the 2020 SNEP list is not required to re-submit an application in the Phase II process. However, if a prequalified firm is interested in applying to provide additional services as outlined in Section 1.14 and Appendix F, a new response must be submitted.

**SNEP Requalification process:** Firms/Individuals deemed qualified for services outlined in the 2020 process are not required to re-submit a RFQ response. However, if these previously qualified firms/individuals are selected for a new project, there will be a requirement to confirm there were no staff changes that would affect their ability to deliver these services.

**Q3:** Is the submission deadline April 8th or April 9th? Date is April in the body of the RFQ.

**A3:** The submission deadline is April 9<sup>th</sup>. The RFQ document was updated.

**Q4:** If a consultant is currently working with a SNEP partnership recipient, is the consultant precluded from being eligible as a consultant under this RFQ?

**A4:** No, consultants currently working with a SNEP Network partner on any Non-SNEP Network Project is not precluded from being eligible as a pre-approved consultant under this RFQ.