



**City of Tacoma
Finance Department**

**Asbestos Abatement and Lead Based Paint Removal
Specification No. CT14-0554F**

QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

All interested parties had the opportunity to submit questions in writing to Joe Parris, Purchasing Division, by Thursday, April 23, 2015. The answers to the questions received are provided below and posted to the City's website at www.TacomaPurchasing.org. This information IS NOT considered an addendum. Respondents should consider this information when submitting their proposals.

Question 1: I would like some clarification on the statement about bidders need to be able to provide certified lead abatement workers. Could you expand on that requirement? Would a RRP Certificate be sufficient to meet those requirements?

Answer 1: An RRP Certificate is acceptable if the City is doing Renovation, Repair and Painting (RRP program) for minor work such as painting, but this does not certify the worker(s) to do abatement. Lead Abatement requires a 32 hour trained supervisor and 16 hour trained Lead Workers, all certified. The occasions where certified lead abatement workers would be needed is anticipated to be rare.