



DOE and SMUD Biogas Project Update

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1. Bid Period

Four addenda were issued and bid date was moved to Dec. 15, 2011. A fourth addendum was issued to clarify the Insurance Requirements, make a few revisions to the tank specification and add some electrical components not listed.

2. Bid Results - 12 Bids were received as follows:

Table with 5 columns: Bid Number, Contractor, Total, Optional SS Tanks, Total with SS Tanks. Lists 12 contractors and their respective bid amounts.

Made contact with Western Water Constructors (Josh McGarva) and the company will review estimate one more time on 12/19/2011 but indicated they felt comfortable moving forward.

The pumps and tanks shown on the bid form will not meet spec. He indicated the tanks would not be a problem and for the pumps, the cost difference was about \$100,000. He had been guaranteed by the pump distributor that the pumps met the spec but I told him the pumps had a key system for the rotor and that was specifically eliminated by the spec. He said this would be worked out when the time came. I told him specification requirements would be enforced.

I also indicated there was a \$1 rounding error in the bid response. Not aware of any bid protests yet (keep fingers crossed).

3. Award Project Award

Award scheduled for the SRCS D Board Meeting on 01/11/2011. Notice to Proceed expected about 30 days after award. Construction completion scheduled is scheduled for October 30, 2011.