



Addendum 1 – Issued April 16, 2026

RFB 2601 – Refuse Services

Questions Submitted 4/14/26

Q1 - Subcontracting - If a hauler were to bid on all locations, could said hauler subcontract any of the remote learning center locations to another hauler that is closer?

A1 - Any Contract resulting from this bid shall not be, in whole or in part, subcontracted, assigned, or otherwise transferred to any Subcontractor without prior written approval by Western, participating agencies or the Customer. See section 3.6 Assignment or Subcontract for more information.

Q2 - Can any of the locations be sized up to larger containers to reduce frequency of service?

A2 – Yes, there may be opportunity to increase/change container sizes.

Q3 - Is any preference given to bidders that bid all locations?

A3 - No

Q4 - Will the La Crosse campus be awarded to one hauler, or is there a possibility that different parts of the La Crosse campus could be awarded to multiple haulers?

A4 - It is the intent to award the La Crosse Locations to one service vendor. However, Western reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids that may be in the best interest of the College.

Q5 - If students/faculty place additional material around any of the containers, is the hauler to clean this up and charge accordingly? Or does this service need to be included in the monthly pricing of the container service?

A5 - Yes- The selected vendor should collect waste/recycling around containers within 24 hours of receiving notice from Western staff or upon discovery by selected vendor. Collection of refuse outside of containers should be billed separately from the established monthly costs. See section A.3.6 No Surcharges/Fees/Additional charges: for more information

Q6 - On the RFB, only "Recycling" is listed, can you clarify is this single stream recycling or paper/cardboard only recycling?

A6 - Commingled; not single

Q6.1 - If it is single stream currently, is there potentially opportunity to place paper/cardboard only containers on site along with smaller carts for commingled recycling?

A6.1 - Western reserves the right to contract for additional waste, recycling, and shredding services that are not included in the scope of this RFB. Use the Cost Summary Form-page 3 to describe additional/optional services. See section 1.8 Additional Services for more information.