

# THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA®

## Procurement and Contracting Services

### Request for Proposals for Solar Panel Installation and Commissioning

#### Addendum #1

Please mark all proposal submission  
envelopes with the following information

**Sealed RFP # S051004**  
**Closing on September 25, 2009 at 2:00 PM, MST**



This addendum is issued to answer questions received prior to the September 11<sup>th</sup> deadline.

1. Where is the nearest Ethernet connection located, and how far away is it from the proposed location for the PV Array and its associated equipment?

The nearest Ethernet connection is located in Casita 100 (where the pre-bid meeting took place) approximately 200 ft away from the array.

2. (Our) electrical engineer noticed that each panel has a different output which means we will have to group panels with same range of output together; hence we may end up with up to 10 invertors.

Yes, it is true there are a variety of outputs in the donated panels.

3. What is the weight for each panel.

The average weight of the panels is 46.11 lbs, with a standard deviation of 0.33 lbs, sample size 5 panels.

4. Were the two slopes constructed by cutting the hill or by fill?

The bottom slope is cut away and the top slope is fill.

5. Do you have a soil report which was used during the hills construction?

No, we do not have a soil report.

6. What is the http site we can download the surveying for the hills?

This was provided in an email dated 9/3/09 at 2:17 PM MST.

7. How can I get a copy of the sign in sheet?

Copies of the sign in sheets are included as "Attachment A" to this addendum.

8. The University has made the decision that proposal responses including alternative mounting systems (other than cable suspension) will be accepted.

**Bid opening date has been extended until September 25, 2009 at 2:00 PM MST.**

All else remains the same.