



**MISSOULA COUNTY
REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL ADDENDUM**

**RFP NAME: Fire Needs Assessment RFP
DUE DATE: May 22,2026**

ADDENDUM NUMBER: 04-2026-02-A

To All Offerors:

Attached are written questions received in response to this RFP. These questions, along with the County's response, become an official amendment to this RFP.

All other terms of the subject "Request for Proposal" remain as previously stated.

Acknowledgment of Addendum:

The offeror for this solicitation must acknowledge receipt of this addendum. This page must be submitted at the same time as the proposal or the proposal may be disqualified from further consideration.

I acknowledge receipt of Addendum No. 04-2026-02-A

Signed: _____

Company Name: _____

Date: _____

Questions:

Introduction – p.2 & 3

- It is understood that the study should project infrastructure, facilities, apparatus, staffing, and capital investments to support anticipated development over a 20–50-year period. This is an extraordinary request for a projection that will produce a very low percentile of confidence. The fire and EMS service of today is currently very dynamic and will look and function very differently in the future. Attempting to anticipate service delivery models 20+ years into the future will be nothing more than an educated guess. Based on this, how much emphasis will be placed on the 20–50-year projections by the reviewers/readers?

Response: Thank you for your question and comment. We are open to suggestions from respondents regarding a more appropriate projection or approach for this type of study.

Contact Period – p. 3

- The RFP notes that the contract period will end December 31, 2027. Is this the anticipated project completion date? What is the anticipated timeline for this project?

Response: We expected the final study to be completed and delivered to the County by December 31, 2027, closing out the contract. However, we are open to an earlier completion date if possible.

Project Description/Description of Services – p. 8 & 9

- Where can we obtain a copy of the Wye TEDD and Wye II TEDD reports?

Response: Yes. A copy of the Comprehensive Development Plans for the Wye I and Wye II TEDDs can be found on our website here: <https://www.missoulacounty.gov/departments/community-economic-development/tedds/>

Additionally, the Wye Infrastructure plan, adopted in 2025, can be found here: [Wye Infrastructure Plan - Reduced 10_2025](#)

- Are both Missoula Rural Fire District and the Frenchtown Rural Fire District dispatched by the same 9-1-1 PSAP / Dispatch Center?

Response: Yes, both are dispatched by the same 911 center.

- What is the ability to access response data from the fire and EMS agencies? Will specialized software like ESRI or Darkhorse be needed to analyze response data?

Response: The Missoula County Office of Emergency Management 911 Manager confirmed that both Missoula Rural Fire District and Frenchtown Rural Fire District use Image Trend, and data can be pulled from that data source.