



**ADDENDUM NO. 1  
REQUEST FOR QUOTATION 2025-005  
KITSAP COUNTY**

**TO:** All Respondents

**FROM:** Glen McNeill. Purchasing Supervisor

**CLOSING DATE:** 02/27/2025 @2:30 pm [**Unchanged**]

**REF NO.:** 2025-005 HOT MIX ASPHALT FOR 2025

**DATE:** 02/27/2025

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Addendum 1 to Request for Quotation 2025-005 is to answer questions received.

1. Is the HMA producer supplying the fiber delivered at their owned site? Or is it to be delivered to a Kitsap owned facility? How many lbs. of fiber should supplier assume?

**ANSWER: Yes. / No, Not to be delivered to a Kitsap County Owned Facility. / ~ 5908 units per ASTM D8395-23 "STANDARD SPECIFICATION FOR ARAMID FIBER FOR ASPHALT MIXTURES"**

2. Is the County going to be supplying the labor to be introducing the fiber to the HMA per their spec and needs? Or is it on the supplier to supply the labor/mixing machine for blending?

**ANSWER: No, County Forces will not be available to assist in the manufacture of Fiber Reinforced HMA. / The supplier is requested to provide all necessary means to furnish the composite material from their HMA Facility Silo.**

3. Will the HMA supplier have sufficient time to procure the fiber in the quantity that the county demands per plant?

**ANSWER: Yes, Kitsap County Public Works believes this to be so, Bidding date vs. Furnishing time of ~ 90 days.**

4. As with most material procurement, the more you buy, the cheaper it gets. Aramid Fiber is not typical in our day-to-day HMA so not knowing how much the County will purchase from each plant could increase/decrease the unit price based off of an assumption of quantity and make each supply proposal dissimilar.

**ANSWER: KCPW forecasts ~ 5908 from any one vendor in 2025.**

5. How many tons of aramid fiber HMA does the county plan to have the suppliers manufacture? Is this broken out per region within the county (North, Central, South)?

**ANSWER: / ~ 5908 units per ASTM D8395-23 “STANDARD SPECIFICATION FOR ARAMID FIBER FOR ASPHALT MIXTURES” (NORTH AND SOUTH KCPW MAINTENANCE DISTRICTS)**

6. If HMA supplier is to procure the fiber as well as pay for the labor/machine to introduce fiber to the HMA, how many “shifts” of “fiber HMA production” shall the supplier(s) assume for bidding purposes? In other words, what kind of production does the county anticipate (on average) per day of the aramid fiber HMA?

**ANSWER: Item #4 states “During peak paving operations, Kitsap County may require upwards of 2,000 tons of HMA per day” – However, Historical Daily Shifts amounts varied from ~ 300 – 900 Tons.**

END OF ADDENDUM NO. 1