

ADDENDUM ONE

(please sign and return with the submittal)

CHANGES

Change 1 – Remove and Replace pages 72 – 75 of the RFP, EXHIBIT B – FEE SCHEDULE, with REVISED EXHIBIT B – FEE SCHEDULE listed in this addendum.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS:

Note: Spelling, grammar, and punctuation of the questions are shown exactly as submitted by the potential respondents.

No.	Question	Answer
1.	Is it the intent to award both contracts to the	See RFP Section 1. Instructions 1.1
	same firm? Can a firm bid on one of the two	Introduction, 1.1.1 Summary and 1.26
	contracts only?	Contract Award.
2.	With regard to background screenings, if our	See RFP Section 2. Agreement, 2.8.23
	company screens during the initial employment,	Background Screening, item B.
	will this be sufficient?	3,
3.	Within the past year, how often has the current	Approximately, no more than twice in the
	consultant been on site at the city?	past year.
	Is that the norm or expectations from the City	Yet to be determined.
	moving forward?	
4.	All of the information in Exhibit D is in addition to	Yes.
	the Questionnaire?	
5.	Please confirm and specifically clarify that the	See RFP Section 1. Instructions, 1.8
	City will accept reasonable limits on liability and	Exceptions
6	indemnification language within your contract.	Coo DED Cootion 1 Instructions 1.0
6.	Please confirm that the City will agree to mutual indemnification, including agreeing to a capped	See RFP Section 1. Instructions, 1.8 Exceptions
	limit of liability and limits of liability are not and	Exceptions
	will not be unlimited.	
7.	What is driving the timing of issuing an RFP at	The City of Phoenix conducts competitive
	this time?	procurement processes for the procurement
		of goods and services in accordance with
		Phoenix City Code, Chapter 43 –
		Procurement, generally on a five-year cycle
8.	What is the current tenure of the incumbent	See the City's Public Records website:
	benefit consultant?	https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerk/services/p
		ublic-records-search
		Vandar: Faster & Faster
		Vendor: Foster & Foster
		Agreement #: 153644 and 154877
		Vendor: Segal Company
		Agreement #: 157693
9.	How is the current benefit consultant	See response to question #8.
	compensated? i.e. insurance carrier	



	commissions direct fee billed combination of	
	commissions, direct fee billed, combination of both direct fee and commissions?	
10.	What are the top 3 issues/challenges the City is currently facing and anticipates facing in the next three (3) years?	Question is too broad as it relates to this solicitation.
11.	What are the top 3 employee benefit program objectives/goals of the City?	The City considers these the top three objectives in no particular order: 1) Cost containment, 2) Compliance, and 3) Sustainable, quality benefits.
12.	What communication resources does the incumbent benefit consultant provide for open enrollment (print, digital, mobile app, social media, video, etc.)? Please confirm if the benefit consultant pays for these communication resources with insurance carrier commissions or does the City budget for these on their own?	See RFP, Exhibit A – Scope of Work, Section 1. Introduction, paragraph 3, J. No, the benefit consultant does not pay for the print production or mailing.
13.	What employee engagement strategies does the City utilize to educate and inform the workforce about effective use of the benefits program?	Annual, multiple, live, hosted, open enrollment webinars. Recorded webinars, and a resource library.
14.	What resources does the City use for employee benefit benchmarking?	See RFP, Exhibit A – Scope of Work, 3.1 Scope of Services – Deliverables, Item E.
15.	When was the most recent claims administration audit performed, both medical and pharmacy? How often is this performed?	2023. Annually (External)
16.	Do you currently have a patient advocate? If so, who is the provider and does the City budget for this on their own?	Not applicable.
17.	Could you break down the # of benefit eligible employees?	This information is not available.
18.	Does prefer a type of pricing structure regarding the scope of work? Such as Annual fee? Commissions + Fees (not to include contingencies)? Per Employee Per Month Fee?	See RFP, Exhibit A – Scope of Work, Section 1. Introduction, paragraph 2.
19.	As respects the bonding requirements on page 14, we are not of the belief our services qualify for bonding requirements. Our evidence of appropriate insurance limits and types is appropriate for the professional services provided. Can you please provide clarification on this section?	See RFP Section 1. Instructions, 1.8 Exceptions
20.	We are requesting an extension until January 8, 2025.	An extension is not available.
21.	Will the City consider separate bids for Benefits Consulting, Actuarial Services, and Employee Pharmacy Benefit Management Consulting Services?	No.
22.	Does the current consultant track hours or time commitment? If yes, please provide.	Question is too broad as it relates to this solicitation.
23.	Please provide the current consultant Fee Schedule.	See response to question #8.



24.	How many hours a year does the current consultant devote to the Solicitation Services requested in the Fee Schedule? Please provide a breakdown of hours / calls / meetings for the most recent five solicitations performed.	This information is not available.
25.	Does the incumbent vendor complete the	See response to question #8.
	analysis for the Virta company each year? Please describe that process and time commitment. 2024 - https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerksite/PublicMeetings/ 240222001R.pdf 2023 - https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerksite/PublicMeetings/ 230126006R.pdf	The City is unable to answer the second question as processes are specific to the Consultant.
26.	 a. How much assistance does the current consultant provide regarding stop loss reimbursements? b. Are all appeals and data requests managed by a consultant? c. If the current consultant tracks hours to provide this service, please share this information. 	 a. The City does not track how much assistance the current consultant provide regarding stop loss reimbursements. b. The question is too vague. c. This is not a deliverable that the City pays for on an hourly basis.
27.	How will unscheduled RFPs be handled?	See RFP, Section 2 Agreement, 2.7.8 Contract Changes and Exhibit B – Fee Schedule, Hourly Rates for Work Outside of Exhibit A, Scope of Services and Solicitation Services.
28.	Without an understanding of the reports provided to all the various committees and task forces, determining an All-Inclusive Fixed Price is difficult. Would you please provide all reports and presentations the current consultant has presented since inception that relate to all Solicitation Services requested?	For sample reports, please visit the City Clerk public meetings link: https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerk/publicmeeting s
29.	How many meetings occurred in 2022 - 2024 for the following: Committee/Board Health Task Force Health Care Trust Compliance Calls Weekly Agenda Finance City Manager	The Health Care Trust shall meet at least four times per year, or more frequently as the Chairperson of the Board deems necessary, or upon request of the City Manager. Please visit: https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerk/publicmeetings.
	 Open Enrollment Strategy Vendor Calls with City	For all other items listed, too vague, ambiguous and overbroad.



•	Stop Loss Management	
•	Open Enrollment Guide	

30.	How many hours did the current consultant devote in 2022 - 2024 for the following: Committee/Board Health Task Force Health Care Trust Compliance Calls Weekly Agenda Finance City Manager Open Enrollment Strategy Vendor Calls with City Stop Loss Management Open Enrollment Guide	This is not a deliverable that the City pays for on an hourly basis.
31.	Does this RFP request unlimited actuarial services? Could the City request any actuarial study related to health, benefits, or trust?	See RFP, Exhibit A Scope of Work.
32.	 a. Please describe the Open Enrollment guide development process. b. Does City consultant manage all aspects of the design and production process? c. What software is used and expected moving forward? d. How many meetings/edits are required to finalize? 	 a. Collaboration between the Consultant and City; discuss structure, data, content, organization, and graphics. See RFP, Exhibit A Scope of Work b. The Consultant through City approval applies updates, designs to draft benefit guides. c. Open Enrollment drafts guides provided through MS Word redline versions. d. To be determined.
33.	 a. What is the City's strategy as it relates to employee wellness? b. What initiatives must the consultant support that are already in place, ongoing, or planned in the future? 	The City is always looking for opportunities to improve benefits and employee health. The City offers a number of wellness programs and initiatives to include, but not limited to annual mammograms and prostate screenings, onsite vision exams and dental screenings.
34.	What are the COBRA rates?	The COBRA Rates can be found at: COBRA 2025 Rates.pdf
35.	 a. How many Open Enrollment meetings is the consultant expected to attend? b. Do employees receive a call back guarantee when enrolling in voluntary benefits? 	a. Too vague and too broad. b. Not applicable
36.	a. How many team members are expected to attend each meeting?b. How many weekly agenda calls have occurred since the current consultant was hired?	a. Too vague and too broad.b. Too vague and too broad.



37.	Does the City anticipate any onsite clinic	No.
	consulting services? Should we include a	1.00
	medical director and/or clinician in our proposal?	
38.	Please let us know if future meetings will be	See RFP, Exhibit A – Scope of Work.
	virtual or in-person, and what percentage will be	·
	in-person?	
39.	a. What compliance work is anticipated in	a. Compliance work yet to be determined.
	the future and has the current consultant	b. Too vague and too broad.
	completed a Mental Health Parity /	
	Addiction Study?	
	b. How many compliance calls occur each	
	year?	
40.	Please describe the data warehouse services	No data warehouse services. Data feeds
	requested and any reports that have been	established between vendor and consultant.
	produced. How are data feeds	
	sent/received? How is quality control performed?	
41.	How will points be allocated in terms of	The Procurement Officer will review the Fee
7 '.	cost? There are 300 points available and how	Schedules that are submitted and calculate
	will they be assigned based on our financial	the score using the following formula:
	quote?	(Lowest Cost Submitted/Vendor's Cost
		Submitted) * (300 points). Proposals with
		the lowest cost will receive the maximum
		points.
42.	Please describe any special pharmacy	No special pharmacy consulting or analytics
	consulting or analytics projects that the city has	projects outside the Scope of Work. The
	requested from their current consultant over the	contract that can be found at
	last 3 years.	https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerk/services/p
	Annuaring state to be accompanied in the least	ublic-records-search.
	Approximately how many hours did it take to	This is not a deliverable that the City nave
	perform those analytics?	This is not a deliverable that the City pays for on an hourly basis.
43.	Describe the scheduled reporting provided form	Scheduled reporting has included, but not
45.	the consultant to the city.	limited to IBNR, PCORI, Assumption
	the consultant to the city.	Modeling, Rate Setting Modeling, and
		Quarterly, bi-annually, annual Reporting.
		See RFP, Exhibit A – Scope of Work.
44.	Identify all meetings where pharmacy	Exact number unknown.
	consultants attended (live or remote) during	
	each of the last 3 years (weekly touch base,	
	vendor management, task force). How many	
	hours on an annual basis are involved?	
45.	Provide details on the PBM contract monitoring	Too broad and too vague.
	service provided to the city.	
46.	Can you describe how much time the consultant	This is not a deliverable that the City pays
	spent on the PBM RFP for the City including	for on an hourly basis.
	preparation, approvals, distribution, data	
	collection, analysis, decision including BAFO	
	rounds and contract review until signature.	



47.	How often is a PBM market check performed for	See response to question #8.
	the City of Phoenix?	

48.	Are special projects and research such as when	See response to question #8.
	a consultant meets with vendors that can provide	·
	additional cost cutting pharmacy services	
	included within the retainer or billed	
	separately? How many hours annually on	
	average does this involve?	
49.	How many hours does the city require for special	This is not a deliverable that the City pays
	reporting and communication outreaches	for on an hourly basis.
	associated with formulary or plan changes?	,
50.	Describe the responsibility and time commitment	This is not a deliverable that the City pays
	of the consultant to create custom	for on an hourly basis.
	communication pieces upon request from	To on an mounty sucie.
	healthcare task force or benefits personnel?	
51.	How many meetings are there on an annual	See RFP, Exhibit A – Scope of Work.
•	basis that the pharmacy consultant must attend?	222.11., 27.11.21.71. 33000 31 173111.
52.	Please share the current fee schedule for the	See response to question #8.
02.	current scope of work and confirm if the	des respenses to question no.
	requested scope of work differs from the current	
	scope. Please include the full breakdown of	
	current fees in a calendar year.	
53.	Please provide the most recent renewal and	Too vague and too broad.
00.	marketing report to help us understand the	100 vagao ana too broad.
	financials presented and the level of detail	
	provided in the report.	
54.	Exhibit A – Scope of Work, Section 1	
J-7.	Introduction	Paragraph B: None other known, at this
	B: Beyond IBNR reserve calculations, please	time.
	describe any additional "accrued liability	timo.
	valuations" that are expected.	
	J: Will the City require hard copy of Open	
	Enrollment communications materials and/or	
	home mailings? Should Offeror include these	Paragraph J: No.
	costs in pricing, or will City accept "pass-through	Taragraph 6. 146.
	pricing" for these services as needed?	
55.	Exhibit A – Scope of Work, Section 3 Employee	
00.	Benefits Consulting and Actuarial Services	Paragraph N: Data feeds will come from
	N: Does the City currently utilize a claims data	contracted carriers.
	warehouse or will utilization reports for analysis	Contracted carriers.
	come from the carriers? If data in data	Paragraph II: Yes. See RFP, Exhibit A –
	warehouse, will Contractor have access to the	Scope of Work
	reporting?	Coope of troin
	II: Does the City expect the Contractor to	Paragraph JJ: See RFP, Exhibit A – Scope
	conduct claims audits or support the City's	of Work, item K.
	selection and oversight of a third-party vendor to	or violit, item it.
	conduct claims audits?	
	JJ: Please describe the actuarial functions	
	needed as it relates to GASB?	
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56.	Exhibit A – Scope of Work, Section 3.2 Service	Paragraph C: No, detailed staff time
	Requirements	reporting for fixed fees is not required.
	C: If Offeror is billing for services on a fixed fee	
	basis, will detailed staff time reporting be	Paragraph I: No, the City is not utilizing a
	required with invoicing?	Marketplace for Medicare retiree programs.
	I: Is the City utilizing a Marketplace for Medicare	The City offers a Medicare billing program
	retiree programs? Is a third-party vendor	for eligible retirees. The contract that can be
	involved in managing this program and providing	found at the City Clerk:
	Medicare retirees with enrollment support?	https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerk/services/public
	Medicare retireds with enhanced eapport.	-records-search
57.	Exhibit B – Fee Schedule	Offeror should complete Exhibit B – Fee
	Is the City open to the Offeror including the	Schedule, to include the second table for
	pricing for the various vendor solicitations as part	Solicitation Services, as listed.
	of the all-inclusive pricing?	Conortation oci vices, as listed.
	Confirm the City will award all vendor solicitation	Yes.
	projects to the Consultant performing the	163.
	Benefits Consulting and Actuarial services.	
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58.	Please provide the hours and annual fee budget	See response to question #8.
	associated with work performed by the	
	incumbent for years 2023 and 2022.	0 ': "7
59.	Why are the services going out to bid?	See response to question #7.
60.	Are there any improvements in current services	See response to question #7.
	that the City is aiming to address with this RFP?	
	Please describe those improvements.	
61.	Can you share a copy of the most recent Health	Not available.
	Care Task Force report prepared by the current	
	consultant that was presented?	
62.	Regarding the onsite clinic,	
	a. Is the Employee Health Clinic only for	a. The City offers employees' access to an
	City of Phoenix employees, or are	Employee Health Clinic. The facility is open
	there other groups that have access to	to other groups.
	the Employee Health Clinic?	
	b. What is the approximate funding	b. See response to question #8.
	budget for the clinic to include	
	providers, management and physical	c. Yes.
	supplies/facilities?	
	c. Is there an outside vendor who	
	operates the clinic?	
63.	Can you provide more detail on the rubrics that	See RFP Exhibit D, Submittal Instructions
30.	will be applied to evaluate the three criteria,	and Evaluation Requirements for Evaluation
	including	Criteria 1 and Criteria 2. See response to
	a. Qualifications, Experience and	Question 41 for Evaluation Criteria 3
	References. Please indicate the	
		(Pricing).
	weight of formula applied for each	
	area.	



b.	Method of Approach	
C.	Pricing	

64.	In the criteria for evaluating the proposals, how will the 300 points for Pricing be allocated when comparing bids from the competing vendors? What formula will be used to determine the amount of points allocated to a consultant submission for this RFP?	See response to question #41.
65.	For the scope of services under 3.1B, please provide a copy of the same report that started the current agreement with the incumbent. Also, please confirm the date expected that data and information will be shared related to the commitment of the report within 45 days of the contract start.	This specific deliverable was not required in the current contract.
66.	For the scope of services under 3.1G, please confirm the number of meetings to include for the two professionals to attend. For future years, what is expected in terms of the proportion of meetings in person or virtual?	The Health Care Trust Board shall meet at least four times per year, or more frequently as the Chairperson of the Board deems necessary, or upon request of the City Manager. Visit: Details - Boards and Commissions. For the Health Care Task Force meetings, refer to Exhibit A – Scope of Work. Unknown at this time.
67.	For the scope of services under 3.1L, please provide a copy of the said presentation delivered by March 1, 2024.	Visit the City Clerk public meetings link: https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerk/publicmeeting s.
68.	For the scope of services under 3.1Q and R, please provide a schedule of the upcoming renewals by line of coverage/carrier.	See response to question #8.
69.	For the scope of services under 3.1Q and R, please indicate by line of coverage when the last full RFP or RFI was conducted and whether the City has plans and suggested dates to conduct a market check on any particular line of coverage during the contract period.	The last solicitation issued was RFP 24- 0435 for COBRA Administration Services. No, the City does not intend to conduct a market check at this time.
70.	For the scope of services under 3.1Q and R, please indicate how the fee quote process will work for such non-recurring work. Please confirm whether we are to include fee quotes in 2025 dollars for conducting full RFP versus RFI in our proposal.	Non-recurring work relative to solicitation services may be handled through the contract amendment process. See RFP Section 2. Agreement, 2.7 Standard Terms and Conditions, item 2.7.8 Contract Changes.



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71.	With respect to procurement services to evaluate	a. Confirmed.
	administration, please provide details on the	b. No current data warehouse.
	following:	c. Yes, if the City proceeds with the
	a. ACA Administrative Services – Please	solicitation(s).
	confirm if this relates to generation of 1095	
	and 1094 submissions. Please describe	
	any other ACA services to consider.	
	b. Data warehouse –	
	i. Please confirm the current	
	platform and vendor	
	ii. Please confirm the estimated	
	number of users and their roles	
	iii. How often is the data currently	
	updated? Monthly?	
	Quarterly? Daily?	
	iv. Please confirm that the data	
	warehouse includes	
	Medical/Rx/Dental/Vision/labs/	
	clinic and other?	
	c. For those administration services that have a	
	"TBD" for the timing, please confirm that the	
	work will be done during the term of the	
	agreement by the responding actuarial/benefits	
	consulting firm.	
72.	For Exhibit B, please confirm whether or not the	No. The solicitation fees should be listed in
	Solicitation Fees are to be included in the fees in	the second table, named Solicitation
	the first table. If included, for those with TBD	Services.
	date, does the City prefer for us to assume that	
	the work is conducted in a given year? For	
	example, we could assume that those with TBD	
	are completed in year 2027?	
73.	For Exhibit B, under Pharmacy Benefits	Please refer to the updated EXHIBIT B –
	Management, please clarify what is meant by	FEE SCHEDULE in this addendum.
	"Fee must be listed separately and combined".	
74.	For the HIPAA training, how many attendees	The number of attendees has yet to be
	generally are there?	identified.
75.	a. For the retiree marketplace training, how	a. The number of attendees is not
	many attendees on average and do the	known. However attendees, will
	attendees have the ability to ask	have the ability to ask questions.
	questions at each session?	b. Confirmed.
	b. Please confirm that these are in English.	
76.	For the performance guarantees, please	All encompassing; computational, verbiage,
	describe the formula or metrics used to	formatting, etc.
	determine 99.9% accuracy and whether this	



		relates to computational, verbiage, formatting or other determinations.	
7	7.	For the performance guarantees, please share current performance guarantees in place.	See response to question #8.

78.	Was the Pre-Proposal Meeting recorded, and if so, may we receive a link to the recording?	No, the Pre-Proposal meeting was not recorded. The presentation from the meeting has been provided on the City's solicitation's web page.		
79.	In order for us to more clearly understand the labor requirements of the project and provide our most competitive pricing proposal, are you able to provide the total billed hours worked and/or total amounts paid to the consulting benefits broker over each of the last three years?	See response to Question #77.		
80.	The background information indicates HCTF and HCBTB meetings are standardly held virtually. Can you please advise on approximately how many meetings in a given year will warrant in-person attendance?	See response to question #3.		
81.	Please confirm that page 73 (within Exhibit B) "Solicitation Services" is requesting any additional fees to be charged by consulting for facilitating requests for proposals or requests for quotation and/or requests for information as discussed throughout the scope of services and at the cadence described in section 3.1. bullet S.	Yes. The solicitation fees should be listed in the second table, named Solicitation Services.		
82.	The chart of solicitations in Scope of Services Section 3.1 bullet S (pdf pages 58-59) indicates a potential solicitation for Data Warehouse. Does the City currently have an agreement with a data warehouse, or would that be pursuing a new service? If the City currently has a data warehouse vendor, please advise who that vendor is and confirm consultant would be granted access to utilize for data analytics.	No, the City does not currently have an agreement with a data warehouse.		
83.	The RFP states in a couple of places that "firm fixed pricing" is preferred, however there are sections (3.2 bullet C and Exhibit B) that indicate tracking of billable hours. While hourly rates are fixed, the resulting aggregate spend will vary. a. Is it the City's preference to have billable hours or would a single all-in annual fee be allowable as an alternative? b. If allowed and/or desired, would the City still require Section 3.2 Bullet C requiring hours be invoiced and approved monthly?	 a. Single annual fixed fee inclusive of all consulting and actuarial services included in Exhibit A, Scope of Work. b. Hourly billable rates for work outside of Exhibit A, Scope of Work and Solicitation Services. 		



84.	Exhibit D Submittal Instructions seems to indicate including Attachment 1 as a part of "Section 2 – Cover Letter" and then again in Section 4 it states, "In addition to these requirements, please complete the RFP Questionnaire (Attachment 1)". Section 8 is then listed as being "Attachment 1 - RFP Questionnaire" please confirm if Attachment 1 should be included with Cover Letter in Section, in Section 4, or solely included in our response as Section 8.	Complete the Questionnaire (submit it in Excel and PDF) and include it as your response to Section 8.
85.	Attachment 1 – RFP Questionnaire includes questions that are repetitive in concept or substance to submittal prompts in Section 4-Qualifications, Experience & References and Section 5- Method of Approach of the submission requirements. Further, the substance of some of the prompts in Attachment 1 often requires more than the 1500-character limit to be adequately addressed. Is it the City's desire that respondents address all of Section 4/5 as well as all of the questionnaire? If so, is the intent that Section 4/5 provided added detail/context while Questionnaire is more abbreviated to fit within the character limit? Just further clarification on how to thoroughly, yet concisely respond to the RFP while meeting your intent would be appreciated	Complete the Questionnaire while adhering to the 1500-character limit. The intent is to receive an abbreviated response in the Questionnaire. The Proposer should provide greater detail and context in their proposal, especially in section 4 (Qualifications, Experience and References) and section 5 (Method of Approach).
86.	Are sections 2.10.4 Automobile Liability and 2.10.5 Worker's Compensation and Employer's Liability applicable to the resulting contract as we are providing only professional services and will not be utilizing (nor do we own) any vehicles or performing physical labor?	Yes, these are applicable to the resultant contract. Please also refer to RFP Section 1. Instructions, 1.8 Exceptions.
87.	Please provide recent copies of reports provided by the current consultant, such as annual stewardship report, MHPAEA comparative analysis report, audit reports, OPEB valuation report under GASB74/75, financial projections, etc.	See response to question #8.



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88.	Are there any specific communications	Challenges involve a diverse, distributed
	challenges with the City's diverse and distributed	workforce, i.e. office, field, varying shifts,
	workforce that should be considered? (3.2 A in	demographics, etc.
	Scope of Services)	
89.	PBM Questions	See response to question #8.
	Are any PBM services outsourced to 3rd party	
	vendors (i.e., Diabetes management, Copay	
	assistance programs, PA/Formulary	
	management, etc)	
90.	PBM Questions	See response to question #8.
	What is the PBM contract year?	
91.	PBM Questions	See response to question #8.
	Are there more detailed examples of the ongoing	
	reporting and written reports being asked for in	
	sections 4.1.C, 4.1.D, and 4.1.E?	
92.	Pharmacy Audit Questions	2023. Visit the City Clerk public meetings
	When was the last audit conducted? What was	link:
	the outcome and was there any specific	https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerk/publicmee
	concern?	tings.
93.	Pharmacy Audit Questions	A trust audit performed through the Finance
	What type of audit? Financial, Benefit	Department by an external auditor.
	Administration, Clinical Utilization, pre or post	
	implementation, or Manufacturer Rebate Audit?	
94.	Pharmacy Audit Questions	See response to question #8.
	Are there any audit restrictions with the City's	
	vendor(s) that would limit sample size, scope	
	dates, or methodology for the audit?	
95.	Pharmacy Audit Questions	Trust audits are conducted annually.
	How frequently are audits conducted (i.e.,	
	annually, biannually)	
96.	Pharmacy Audit Questions	Visit the City Clerk public meetings link:
	What's your estimated annual drug claim spend?	https://www.phoenix.gov/cityclerk/publicmeeting
		<u>s</u> .
97.	Medical Claims Audit Questions	See response to question #92.
	When was the last audit conducted? What was	
	the outcome and was there any specific	
	concern?	
98.	Medical Claims Audit Questions	See response to question #93.
	What type of audit? Financial, Benefit	
	Administration, Clinical Utilization, pre or post	
	implementation?	
99.	Medical Claims Audit Questions	See response to question #94.
	Are there any audit restrictions with the City's	
	vendor(s) that would limit sample size, scope	
	dates, or methodology for the audit?	
100.	Medical Claims Audit Questions	See response to question #95.
	How frequently are audits conducted (i.e.,	
	annually, biannually)	
101.	Medical Claims Audit Questions	The City does not have a schedule.

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For all audits – does the City have a schedule	
that needs to be considered in proposing a	
, ,	
retainer?	

The balance of the specifications and instructions remain the same. Bidder must acknowledge receipt and acceptance of this addendum by signing below and returning the entire addendum with the bid or proposal submittal.

Name of Company:	
Address:	
Authorized Signature:	
Print Name and Title:	



REVISED EXHIBIT B - FEE SCHEDULE

Most Favored Nations: If the Contractor enters (or has previously entered) any written agreement that has the effect of establishing Fee Schedule benefitting another Client with a similarly sized and risked employee pool in a manner more favorable in any material respect to Fee Schedule set forth herein, the Contractor shall furnish to the City as soon as reasonably practicable, a compendium containing the more favorable Fee Schedule (an "Election Notice"). The City may elect to receive the more favorable Fee Schedule set forth in such Election Notice that are reasonably applicable to the City upon written notice to the Contractor within thirty (30) days of receipt of a copy of such Election Notice.

All-Inclusive Pricing

Pricing shall be all-inclusive, including any ancillary fees and cost required to accomplish all solicitation services and all aspects of the required services for each solicitation listed below and as detailed in Exhibit A, Scope of Work. Details of services not explicitly stated in the Scope of Work, but necessarily a part of the required services are deemed to be understood by Contractor and shall be included herein.

All administrative, reporting, or other requirements, all overhead costs, profit, and any other costs toward the accomplishment of the requirements in the Contract shall be included in the pricing listed in the table below. Re-solicitation fee may apply if the resolicitation is due to not fault of the Contractor. The Solicitation pricing includes implementation support (i.e., reviewing vendor implementation timeline(s), holding vendors accountable for meeting deadlines and participation in the day-to-day execution of implementation).

The rates and fees listed in the table below, shall be guaranteed for five years, from November 1, 2025, through October 31, 2030.

The City shall have the right to terminate without penalty if the pricing terms are not industry competitive.

Fee Sche	edule, Guarantees Plan Year
	2025-2030

BENEFITS MANAGEMENT CONSULTANT AND ACTUARIAL SERVICES FEE SCHEDULE Fixed fee schedule is inclusive of all consulting and actuarial services included in Exhibit A, Scope of Work.								
	2025 (Nov- Dec)	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030		
Benefits Consulting Services and Actuarial Services	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$		

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SOLICITATION SERVICES	ALL-INCLUSIVE FIXED PRICE
AFFORDABLE ACT ADMINISTRATION (ACA) SERVICES	\$
EMPLOYEE MEDICAL PLANS ADMINISTRATION SERVICES	\$
EMPLOYEE AND RETIREE DENTAL PLANS ADMINISTRATION SERVICES	\$
EMPLOYEE AND RETIREE VISION PLANS ADMINISTRATION SERVICES	\$
EMPLOYEE HEALTHCARE CLINIC SERVICES	\$
EMPLOYEE GROUP LIFE INSURANCE (Including OCC AD&D and Voluntary Optional)	\$
EMPLOYEE FLEXIBLE SPENDING ACCOUNT (FSA) ADMISTRATION SERVICES	\$
COBRA ADMINISTRATION SERVICES	\$
EMPLOYEE PHARMACY BENEFIT MANAGEMENT ADMINISTRATION SERVICES	\$
EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (INCLUDING ELDER SERVICES, SAP, ARS 38-673)	\$
EMPLOYEE AND RETIREE LEGAL PLAN SERVICES	\$
BROKER OF RECORD – MEDICARE SUPPLEMENTAL AND PHARMACY PART D	\$
MEDICARE BILLING AGREEMENT SERVICES	\$
HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT (HSA) ADMINSTRATION SERVICES	\$
EMPLOYEE AND RETIREE PET INSURANCE	\$
EMPLOYEE AND RETIREE GYM MEMBERSHIP DISCOUNT	\$
WELLNESS PLATFORM ADMINISTRATION SERVICES	\$
MEDICAL/RX STOP LOSS (EXCLUDING RENEWALS)	\$

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EMPLOYEE BENEFITS CONSULTANT SERVICES

HOURLY RATES FOR WORK OUTSIDE OF EXHIBIT A, SCOPE OF SERVICES AND SOLICITATION SERVICES

Fixed fee schedule is inclusive of all consulting and actuarial services included in Exhibit A, Scope of Work

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	2025 (Nov-Dec)	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	
Senior Consultant	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Consultant	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Other*	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	
Other*	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	

^{*} Please add other classifications not listed above.

EMPLOYEE BENEFITS ACTUARIAL SERVICES

HOURLY RATES FOR WORK OUTSIDE OF EXHIBIT A, SCOPE OF SERVICES AND SOLICITATION SERVICES

Fixed fee schedule is inclusive of all consulting and actuarial services included in Exhibit A, Scope of Work.

	2025 (Nov- Dec)	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Senior Actuary	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Actuary	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Other*	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Other*	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

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PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGEMENT CONSULTING SERVICES

ALL SERVICES LISTED IN EXHIBIT A, SCOPE OF WORK (EXCEPT FOR SOLICITATION SERVICES PRICED SEPARATELY) ARE EXPECTED TO BE INCLUDED IN THE FEE SCHEDULE

	2026 (May – Dec)	2027	2028	2029	2030 (Jan- Oct)
Pharmacy Benefits Consulting Services	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGEMENT CONSULTING SERVICES

HOURLY RATES FOR APPROVED ADHOC WORK OUTSIDE OF EXHIBIT A, SCOPE OF SERVICES AND SOLICITATION SERVICES

	2026 (May – Dec)	2027	2028	2029	2030 (Jan- Oct)
Senior Consultant	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Consultant	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Other*	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Other*	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$

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