

# Addendum No. 2 – April 17, 2023 Request for Proposals: Noise and Vibration Study RFP23066

## **QUESTIONS AND RESPONSES TO PROPOSER RFP INQUIRIES**

### 1. Explain the difference between Noise and Vibration study – What is the City of Fargo looking for?

The City is looking for a consultant to give us a professional evaluation of better locations for street performers and vendors to set up along with an acceptable level of tolerance of any noise or vibrations in the downtown area. Data collected will help the City write an educated ordinance.

#### 2. Is the Consultants goal to make recommendations to the City?

Correct. The City is looking for recommendations from the Consultant of like Cities or Communities, to get a better idea of locations for street performers and vendors along with what is a reasonable level of noise and vibrations. The City's current ordinance is outdated and the history of how the decibel level was initially set is unclear. A credible study of data is needed to move forward in writing an updated ordinance.

#### 3. What is the estimated budget for this project?

The budget has not and will not be established in advance of receipt of proposals. The budget will be determined and approved by the City Commission based on the responses from the proposals submitted.

#### 4. What is the timeline for the collection of data?

As much time as needed to form an accurate study. Looking to the vendor's professional advice as to how long it may take.