

Proposal#: 177459

TO: Laredo WWTP

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PROPOSAL DATE: December 11, 2024

PROJECT: LAREDO WWTP

## The following Notes apply to Aqua-Aerobic Systems' proposal:

- We are pleased to quote, for acceptance within 90 days of this date, prices and terms on goods listed below.
- Equipment will be furnished by Aqua-Aerobic Systems with unloading of goods and any civil work by the Buyer.
- This Proposal is for the controls upgrade of two (2) Aqua Aerobic Systems, Inc. Model ADFC 54 x 8E PC Disk Filters, that utilize a single panel, located at North Laredo, TX. Included are some actuator assemblies and a refurbished HMI to be used until the installation of the upgrade.
- Installation of the Controls Upgrade Components only, is included in this Proposal.

## **Cloth Media Filters**

## AquaDisk Valves

- 1 Set of Backwash Valve components consisting of:
- Actuator Assembly, RCI w receptacle, 12" leads

## AquaDisk Misc/Spare Parts

- 1 The following part consists of:
- Panelview 600 Refurbished PreProgrammed

## AquaDisk Controls w/Starters

- 1 Control Panel(s) consisting of:
- Compactlogix Processor.
- Power supply(s).
- Input card(s)
- Output card(s).
- Analog input card(s).
- Ethernet switch(es).
- Ethernet Cable
- PanelView Plus 7 7" color touch screen display(s).
- Panelview Plus Adapter Plate

## **AquaDisk Engineering**

- 1 Set(s) Documentation for the AquaDisk will be provided as described:
- Operation & Maintenance Manuals (English language) in electronic format.

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# TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF AQUA-AEROBIC SYSTEMS, INC. (A Metawater Company) Page 1 of 2

This offer and all of the goods and sales of Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. are subject only to the following terms and conditions. The acceptance of any order resulting from this proposal is based on the express condition that the Buyer agrees to all the terms and conditions herein contained. Any terms and conditions in any order, which are in addition to or inconsistent with the following, shall not be binding upon Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. This proposal and any contract resulting therefrom, shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Illinois, without regard to conflicts of laws principles. Resale of any products purchased from - Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc, is not permitted without prior written agreement with Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc expressly consenting to such resale. Any party who sells a product purchased from Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc, is subject to the terms and conditions included herein.

#### DURATION OF QUOTATION

This proposal of Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. shall in no event be effective more than 30 days from date thereof, unless specifically stated otherwise, and is subject to change at any time prior to acceptance.

### PROPRIETARY INFORMATION

This proposal, including all descriptive data, drawings, material, information and know-how disclosed by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. to Buyer in relation hereto is confidential information intended solely for the confidential use of Buyer, shall remain the property of Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. and shall not be disclosed or otherwise used to the disadvantage or detriment of Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. in any manner.

#### PAYMENT TERMS; ORDERS:

Unless specifically stated otherwise, quoted terms are Net 30 Days from invoice date. Past-due charges are 1.5% per month and will apply only on any past-due balance. Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. does not allow retainage of any invoice amount, unless authorized in writing by an authorized representative of our Loves Park, Illinois office. Terms of payment are within Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc's sole discretion, and unless otherwise agreed to by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc, payment terms must be accepted by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc prior to Aqua-Aerobic Systems acceptance of an order. Payment for the products must be made by approved credit card, check, wire transfer, or some other prearranged payment method unless credit terms have been agreed to by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. Invoices are due and payable within the time period noted on the invoice, measured from the date of the invoice. Orders are not binding until accepted by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc.

#### SECURITY

If at any time the financial responsibility of the Buyer becomes unsatisfactory to Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc., or Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. otherwise deems itself insecure as to receipt of full payment of the purchase price from Buyer hereunder, Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. reserves the right to require payment in advance or security or guarantee satisfactory to Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. of payment in full of the purchase price.

#### SHIPMENT

Shipping dates are not a guarantee of a particular day of shipment and are approximate, being based upon present production information, and are subject to change per the production schedules existing at time of receipt of purchase order. Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. shall not be responsible for any delay in shipment for causes beyond its control including, but not limited to, war, riots, strikes, labor trouble causing interruption of work, fires, other casualties, transportation delays, modification of order, any act of governmental authorities or acts of God. Quoted shipment dates in this proposal are approximate dates goods will be shipped and, unless agreed to in writing by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc., Buyer may not postpone or delay the dates of shipment of goods from our plant or from our supplier's plants beyond the dates set forth in this proposal. Buyer is required to notify Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc within 7-days of any discrepancies with shipment.

SHIPPING CHARGES; TAXES and OTHER RELATED FEES. Separate fees for shipping and handling will be charged on all purchases unless specifically stated otherwise. Prices quoted do not include any taxes, customs duties, or import fees. The Buyer is responsible for sales use and all other taxes and fees associated with the purchase. If aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. is required by any taxing authority to collect or to pay any such tax, duty or fee, the Buyer shall be separately billed at such time for the amounts Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc is required to pay

## TITLE AND RISK OF LOSS

F.O.B. Destination - Delivery of goods to the destination shall be deemed delivery to the Buyer, and upon such delivery, title to such goods and risk of loss or damage shall be upon Buyer.

F.O.B. Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc's plant at Loves Park, Illinois - Delivery of the goods sold hereunder to the carrier shall be deemed delivery to the Buyer, and upon such delivery, title to such goods and risk of loss or damage shall be upon Buyer.

## INSURANCE

Unless the goods are sold on a CIF basis, the Buyer shall provide marine insurance for all risks, including war and general coverage. Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc will provide evidence of coverage upon request. At no time will Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc issue a certificate of insurance listing Buyer as additional insured unless under fully executed contract and Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc is providing start-up services.

## LIMITATION OF ACTION

No action shall be brought against Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. for any breach of its contract of sale more than two years after the accrual of the cause of action thereof, and, in no event, unless the Buyer shall first have given written notice to Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc., of any claim of breach of contract within 30 days after the discovery thereof.

## CANCELLATION CLAUSE

No acceptance of this proposal, by purchase order or otherwise, may be modified except by written consent of Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. nor may it be canceled except by prior payment to Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. the following sums as liquidated damages therefore: 1) If cancellation is prior to commencement of production and prior to the assumption of any obligations by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. for any materials or component parts, a sum equal to 15% of the total purchase price; 2) If cancellation is after the commencement of production or after the assumption of any obligations by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. for any materials or component parts, a sum equal to the total of the direct, out-of-pocket expenses incurred to the date of cancellation for labor, machine time, materials and any charges made to us by suppliers for cancellation, plus 30% of the total purchase price. All charges and expenses shall be as determined by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. In the event any items are used by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. to fill a subsequent order, then upon receipt of payment for such order, Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. shall pay the Buyer a sum equal to the direct out-of-pocket expenses previously charged and received from Buyer.

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## QUALIFIED ACCEPTANCE AND INDEMNITY

In the event the acceptance of this proposal by Buyer either is contingent upon or subject to the approval by any third party such as, but not limited to, a consulting engineer, with respect to goods, parts, materials, descriptive data, drawings, calculations, or any other matter, then upon such approval by any third party, Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. shall have no liability to Buyer or to any third party so long as the goods sold and delivered by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. conform to this proposal. In the event any such third party requires modifications in the proposal prior to the approval thereof, Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. may at its sole option and without liability to any party elect to cancel this proposal or return the purchase order to Buyer. In the event Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. elects to modify this proposal to conform to the requirements for approval by any third party, Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. in such event shall have no liability to Buyer or to any third party so long as the goods sold and delivered by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. conform to this proposal as modified.

Buyer agrees to indemnify and save harmless Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. from and against all costs and expenses and liability of any kind whatsoever arising out of or in connection with claims by third parties so long as the goods sold hereunder conform to the requirements of this proposal as approved by any third party.

## WARRANTY; LIMITATION OF LIABILITY; AND DISCLAIMER

In return for purchase and full payment for Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. goods, we warrant new goods provided by us to be free from defects in materials and workmanship under normal conditions and use for a period of one year from the date the goods are put into service, or eighteen months from date of shipment (whichever first occurs). If the goods include an "Endura Series" motor, the complete Endura Series unit shall be warranted by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc to be free from defects in materials and workmanship under normal conditions and use for three years from the date the product is put into service or 42 months from the date of shipment (whichever occurs first).

OUR OBLIGATION UNDER THIS WARRANTY IS EXPRESSLY AND EXCLUSIVELY LIMITED to replacing or repairing (at our factory at Loves Park, Illinois) any part or parts returned to our factory with transportation charges prepaid, and which our examination shall show to have been defective. Prior to return of any goods or its parts to our factory, Buyer shall notify Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. of claimed defect, and

Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. shall have the privilege of examining the goods at Buyer's place of business or where the goods have otherwise been placed in service. In the event this examination discloses no defect, Buyer shall have no authority to return the goods or parts to our factory for the further examination or repair. All goods or parts shall be returned to Buyer, F.O.B. Loves Park, Illinois. This warranty shall not apply to any goods or part which has been repaired or altered outside our factory, or applied, operated or installed contrary to our instruction, or subjected to misuse, chemical attack/degradation, negligence or accident. This warranty and any warranty and guaranty of process or performance shall no longer be applicable or valid if any product, including any software program, supplied by Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc., is modified or altered without the written approval of Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. Our warranty on accessories and component parts not manufactured by us is expressly limited to that of the manufacturer thereof.

THE FOREGOING WARRANTY IS MADE IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESS OR IMPLIED, AND OF ALL OTHER LIABILITIES AND OBLIGATIONS ON OUR PART, INCLUDING ANY LIABILITY FOR NEGLIGENCE, STRICT LIABILITY, OR OTHERWISE; AND ANY IMPLIED WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY OR FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE IS EXPRESSLY DISCLAIMED; AND WE EXPRESSLY DENY THE RIGHT OF ANY OTHER PERSON TO INCUR OR ASSUME FOR US ANY OTHER LIABILITY IN CONNECTION WITH THE SALE OF ANY GOODS PROVIDED BY US. THERE ARE NO WARRANTIES OR GUARANTEES OF PERFORMANCE UNLESS SPECIFICALLY STATED OTHERWISE.

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES, INCLUDING ANY CLAIM OF NEGLIGENCE, STRICT LIABILITY, OR OTHERWISE, SHALL AQUA-AEROBIC SYSTEMS, INC. BE LIABLE FOR ANY INCIDENTAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES, COSTS OF CONNECTING, DISCONNECTING, OR ANY LOSS OR DAMAGE RESULTING FROM A DEFECT IN THE GOODS. LIMIT OF LIABILITY: AQUA-AEROBIC SYSTEMS, INC.'S TOTAL LIABILITY UNDER THE ABOVE WARRANTY IS LIMITED TO THE REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT OF ANY DEFECTIVE PART. THE REMEDIES SET FORTH HEREIN ARE EXCLUSIVE, AND OUR LIABILITY WITH RESPECT TO ANY CONTRACT OR SALE, OR ANYTHING DONE IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, WHETHER IN CONTRACT, IN TORT, UNDER ANY WARRANTY, OR OTHERWISE, SHALL NOT, IN ANY CASE, EXCEED THE PRICE OF THE GOODS UPON WHICH SUCH LIABILITY IS BASED.

Final acceptance of this proposal must be given to Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc. at their office in Loves Park, Illinois. Please acknowledge acceptance by signing the proposal and returning it to Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc.

Accepted by:		Offer Respectfully Submitted,
Company:		75 Mangione
Ву:	Date:	Thomas Mangione, AMS Senior Sales Engineer Aqua-Aerobic Systems, Inc.