



**ENGLEWOOD WATER DISTRICT**

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To: Prospective Bidders  
Date: December 4, 2020  
Re: **Addendum #2** to RFB 2021-122 Beach Rd & Swepston Bridge Forcemain Replacement  
Bid Due Date and Time: 2:15 p.m. (EST), December 16, 2020

Bidders are notified that this Addendum will be made part of the bid documents. The intent of the Addendum is to add to, modify, or clarify the documents. Should any of these items have an effect on price, such changes shall be included in the bid price. These items have the same force and effect as if contained in the original documents.

**Questions and Answers**

Q1. At the 12x12 tie in to the existing forcemain on the East end of the project, does it need to be restrained? If so, how many feet back?

A1. *No.*

Q2. What is the contract completion time for this project?

A2. *Time of completion is 90 days from the Notice to Proceed to substantial completion.*

Q3. What is the engineer's estimate amount for this project?

A3. *Refer to Addendum #1, Question 7.*

Q4. What is the liquidated damage amount?

A4. *Refer to Addendum #1, Question 8.*

Q5. As/Addendum #1 the new connections will be performed during the night. What will be the duration of time for the connections? (6 hrs, 8 hrs, 10 hrs, etc.)

A5. *The duration of time for the connections should be between 4-6 hours. It is preferred that the contractor has two independent crews on site to perform the connections simultaneously.*

Q6. Will the contractor be required to clean/vac the bridge hung pipe prior to dismantling/disposing?

A6. *The contractor will need to have vacuum trucks on site to drain the pipe once the line has been shut down.*

Q7. Will a 5% Bid Bond be required along w/100% Performance after project award?

A7. *Refer to page 6 of 101, #10 for clarification.*

Q8. Referencing special provisions- "1A" states, for subcontractors to be considered (3) references for each subcontractor is required. Does this apply for subcontractors who perform pre-construction videos, survey / as-builts, concrete work? Can 1A be revised to state something along the lines of any contractor whose subcontractor's total cost is (X %) of the contract will need (3) references submitted for approval. All other subcontractors shall be listed for review/approval?

A8. *Per this Addendum only subcontractors who perform force main pipeline and appurtenances installation will need (3) references submitted for approval. All other subcontractors shall be listed for review/approval in the forms included in the bid documents.*

Q9. Can a bid alternate be added to construct this project utilizing (1) drill from Sta#1+13 to 16+00? This would minimize project costs, reduce the project duration and minimize impacts on vehicular & pedestrian traffic.

A9. *No.*

Q10. When is the anticipated start date for this project?

A10. *Refer page 16 of 101, #5. It is anticipated, the recommendations of award for the project will take place at the regular meeting of the Englewood Water District Board of Supervisors on January 7, 2021. Once approved, a PO will be issued within 7 days.*

Q11. Are there any minority participation goals that need to be met for this project?

A11. *No.*

Q12. Is "builders' risk" insurance required for this project?

A12. *Yes. Refer to page 34 of 101.*

Q13. Bid items #4 specifies 1,520LF of 16" DR11 DIPS HDPE FM by HDD that will connect back to existing 12" FM. Can 12" DR18 Fusible PVC pipe be approved as an equal to the specified HDPE pipe? The application of Fusible PVC pipe for this application would provide the following advantages:

- a. Material Consistency – all PVC
- b. Equivalent Dimensionality and Pressure Capacity – equivalent OD, ID and pressure capacity
- c. Utilize standard Waterworks fittings – no special fused or sleeve connections
- d. Eliminate need for Reducer fittings – fittings savings \$\$
- e. Smaller bore hole – 40% less bore hole volume – lower installation cost and construction risk.

A13. *No.*

**Bidders are required to acknowledge receipt of this addendum in their bid forms.**

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