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Via Email to Plan Holders, Contractors and Builders Exchanges

RE: THIRD AVENUE CULVERT (LOP 208) MPM 0.60, RDS 17-32 AND THIRD AVENUE BRIDGE (LOP 209) MPM 1.75, RDS 17-33, FEMA PA-09-CA-4193, PW-00155 -ADDENDUM No. 1

Dear Prospective Bidders:

Enclosed herein is Addendum Number 1 for the above referenced project. Addendum Number 1 forms a part of the contract documents, and modifies OR clarifies the original plans and specifications and shall be acknowledged in the Addendum Acknowledgement page. **All other conditions remain the same.**

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Response to Bidders' Questions:

Question #1: What are the requirements for traffic control during construction.

Answer #1: During drilling work, Contractor is allowed to have a full road closure for the duration of the drilling operation. Otherwise, the Contractor shall keep the road open for emergency vehicles. With the full road closure, the Contractor shall:

1. Open the road after day shift
2. Provide public notification 2 weeks in advance via CMS boards and door hangers
3. Provide advanced warning signs. "Roads Closed Ahead" signs shall be placed at the intersections of 3rd Ave/North Ave (facing 3rd Ave), 1st Ave/North Ave, 3rd Ave/Hagen Road, and 1st Ave/Hagen Road.

Contractor shall give the County 48-hour advanced notice prior to scheduling full road closure and send out notification to the public and other service providers. Contractor shall submit a traffic control/detour plan for review and approval five working days prior to mobilization.

Question #2: Is a portable solar signal system required for traffic control at Third Ave LOP 209?

Answer #2: Yes, portable solar signal system is required. The contractor should take into account the 'shade' factor and have a back-up generator. Contractor shall also take security of equipment into account.

Question #3: With removal of the 2-south retaining and wingwalls, it appears that the 2-trees will require removal. Please provide clarification.

Answer #3: The two trees may need to be trimmed for construction work or during drilling operation. In order to avoid conflict with the existing trees, the conflicted pile location will need to be

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adjusted in the field as directed by the engineer. With this field adjustment, the two trees can be protected in place.

Question #4: Is work required on the east side of the road?

Answer #4: No, work is only on the west side of the road as shown on the plan.

Question #5: How much tree trimming is permitted?

Answer #5: Trees can be trimmed to the extent needed to perform construction work but no more than 1/3 of the canopy of the tree in order to prevent tree mortality.

Question #6: What is the construction schedule for Third Ave LOP 208 and 209?

Answer #6: The construction is tentatively scheduled to begin in July 2020 after the County receives a NEPA clearance from FEMA. 40 working days are allowed to finish construction. Work in the creek is not allowed after October 15, 2020. Work in the roadway is allowed after October 15, 2020.

Question #7: When do we submit the Good Faith Effort (GFE)?

Answer #7: Contractor is required to submit proof of Good Faith Effort (GFE) which include, but not limited to, DBE solicitation documents and/or forms, phone logs, and email. Contractor shall comply with "Special Provision – FEMA Federal Provisions", Section XVIII "MBE/WBE Requirements" and submit "Exhibit B, DBE Subcontractor Utilization Form" with the bid. If Contractor does not meet MBE/WBE goal, Contractor must submit GFE with the bid. If GFE documentation is not submitted with the bid, it must be submitted by 4 pm on the 4th business day after bid opening. The submittal must include the name of the contractor, the project name and other relevant information.

END ADDENDUM NUMBER 2

Please complete the Addendum Acknowledgement in the Proposal Form acknowledging receipt of this addendum.

Thank you for your interest in this project. If you have any questions regarding this addendum, please feel free to contact Dewey Phan (Dewey.Phan@countyofnapa.org) or Graham Wadsworth (Graham.Wadsworth@countyofnapa.org) at Napa County Public Works, 1195 Third St. Suite 101, Napa, CA 94559, Fax # 707- 253-4627.

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