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PROJECT: Wastewater Collection System Rehabilitation of Lines – Group A
CIP ID: 2231.264
IFB No.: CLMC617

SUBJECT: Answers to Bidder's Questions as of the Date of This Letter, per 00100-IFB Article 1.(3)(C).

The following are answers to Bidder's questions on the above referenced project. These answers do not modify the Contract. Any modifications to the Contract will be through Addenda.

Q-1: Location 1 - No depth or slope shown on profile. Is the contractor permitted to open MH's at this location?

A-1: Yes.

Q-2: Location 2 - Plans show 6" pipe but the Pay Item is for 8". Please advise.

A-2: City video inspection shows pipe is 8".

Q-3: Location 12 - Plans show as PVC pipe. If PVC, then will this segment remain in the scope of work?

A-3: City video inspection shows material is VC. Segment to remain in the scope of work.

Q-4: Location 15 - Will all buried MH's be located, exposed and raised to grade by the City prior to contractor CI/TV mobilization? If no, then will the contractor be paid for a second CI/TV after having located them on the first mobilization? Is the contractor to assume that middle CO's shown on the plans are to be reinstated internally by remote device just like a service connection?

A-4: All existing manholes shall be raised by the City. Reinstating cleanouts will be addressed by Addendum #1.

Q-5: Location 23 - Will the Upstream MH be made accessible, raised and exposed as needed?

A-5: All existing manholes shall be raised by the City.

Q-6: Location 26 - Pay Item states MH 74402 to MH 74402. Please verify scope at this location. Assumed to be MH 77401 to MH 77403 at 582 LF total.

A-6: The answer to this question will be addressed by Addendum #1.

Q-7: Location 29 - 2 Possible MH's added as per GIS record. Will all buried MH's be located, exposed and raised to grade by the City prior to contractor CI/TV mobilization? If no, then will the contractor be paid for a second CI/TV after having located them on the first mobilization?

A-7: GIS and photographs indicate 197649 is a manhole. Record drawings indicate 224306 is a service connection. All existing manholes shall be raised by the City.

Q-8: Location 31 - Plan show 10" pipe but the Pay Item is for 8". Please advise.

A-8: The answer to this question will be addressed by Addendum #1.

Q-9: Location 46 - Upstream 64500 is likely a CO. Will City provide for excavated access to the pipe and restoration or install new MH' for all end of line CO's?

A-9: All existing cleanouts at the end of segments shall be replaced with a manhole by the City.

Q-10: Location 49 - Buried MH's and CO's.

A-10: All existing manholes shall be raised by the City. All existing cleanouts at the end of segments shall be replaced with a manhole by the City. Reinstating cleanouts will be addressed by Addendum #1.

Q-11: Location 54 - Buried MH.

A-11: All existing manholes shall be raised by the City.

Q-12: Location 55 - Middle CO's. Advise on reinstatement, as above.

A-12: Reinstating cleanouts will be addressed by Addendum #1.

Q-13: Location 56 - Middle CO's. Advise on reinstatement, as above.

A-13: Reinstating cleanouts will be addressed by Addendum #1.

Q-14: Location 60 - Please confirm that Pt. Rprs. and Obstr. Removals, if required, will be provided for apart from the pay item and separately for this and all other locations.

A-14: The answer to this question will be addressed by Addendum #1.

Q-15: Will traffic control plans be required from the contractor for any of the locations? If yes, then will they need to be stamped?

A-15: See Special Spec 5101 "Cured-in-Place Pipe Rehabilitation" Section SS5101.15.

Q-16: Will the contractor be required to pay for all permits and fees? Is this to be included in the pay item for each location?

A-16: See Section 00700 "General Conditions of the Contract" Article 6.6, Section 00810 Supplemental General Conditions Article 6.6, and Section 01010 Summary of Work, Page 1.

Q-17: Will the CIPP designs need to be stamped?

A-17: See Special Spec 5101 "Cured-in-Place Pipe Rehabilitation" Section SS5101.4.

Q-18: Can Video by the City be made available for the contractor to review for each of the locations? If yes, then please advise available dates and location for viewing or for downloading.

A-18: The City will not provide video for the Contractor to review.

Q-19: Can additional manholes be added at the contractor's option?

A-19: To be determined by owner on a case by case basis.

Q-20: Can the UV cured lining process be used on this project and a specific specification be added for its use?

A-20: The answer to this question will be addressed by Addendum #1.

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