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To all holders of the specifications, the following corrections are hereby made. All other items shall remain unchanged. This addendum shall become part of the Contract Documents for the above referenced project.

| Acknowledgement of Addendum |
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| Name: |
| Company: |
| Date: |
| Signature: |
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| Q1) What are the hours for working on the state road? |
| A1) The hours for working on MD Rt22 will be SHA standard of 9am - 3pm Monday-Friday. |
| Q2) What is the paving restoration requirement for the state road repairs on Northern Parkway? |
| A2) Paving on MD RT22 roads shall conform to SHA Standard 578.03-01 |
| Q3) Are there any prevailing wages required for the project? |
| A3) No prevailing wages are required for this project. |
| Q4) Will you establish a mobilization item for the project as a lump sum bid item? |
| A4) Mobilization and Engineering, etc. have been itemized under Addendum 3. |

Q5) Pursuant to GP-1, 1.2 – Is it the intent of the City for bidders to use the quantities stated in the

Exhibit Drawings and the Bid Form to establish Lump Sum Pricing?

A5) Yes, the quantities stated in the to establish lump sum pricing.

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- Q6) GP-7 5 states no weekend or night work is allowed. What work hours should bidders assume for Monday through Friday and will Saturdays be allowed for make-up due to inclement weather?
- A7) Work hours shall consist of 7am 5pm Monday Friday. No weekend, holiday or night work is permitted. Weekends, holidays and nights shall not be used for makeup due to weather.
- Q8) SP1.4 states that the Owner will offer a Staging Area prior to the Start of Construction. Should bidders assume that this Staging Area will be within the City limits and will be at no cost to the Contractor? Please also provide an anticipated acreage of the Staging Area that can be expected.
- A8) A staging area can be arranged at the pre-construction meeting. Typically the area is a parcel of City-owned property close to the job site. The staging area is provided at no cost. For this particular there is a 5,500 square foot area of City owned land that is about 1500 ft away from the job site.
- Q9) What is the sequence of construction, or will the Contractor be allowed to construct multiple exhibits concurrently?
- A10) The Contractor will be permitted to work on multiple sections to the extent allowed by the process of installing and testing a new waterline. Construction must be sequenced in such a way as to minimize service outages to customers. Specific phasing can be confirmed during the pre-construction meeting after the project is awarded.
- Q10) What type material are the existing Mains?
- A10) The existing 6" & 8" water mains are un-lined cast-iron with heavy tuberculation inside. The 2" mains on Cindy Ct and Robbie Ct are galvanized steel, also heavily corroded.
- Q11) What is required of Existing Hydrants along those existing mains to be abandoned?
- A11) Existing hydrants, connected to mains that are to be abandoned, shall be connected to the new water main. Hydrants that are specified on the drawings to be reused, shall be connected to the new main with new lateral and gate valve at the location where they currently exist. Hydrants shown to be replaced shall be installed at the same location as the previous hydrant.
- Q12) It can be obvious to include Curb Replacement at those locations where a WHC or Hydrant Lead will cross, however it is not obvious if curb replacement can be avoided where the new mains are to be installed along and adjacent to the face of existing curbs. (ex-Exhibit 001 Roberts Way). Should bidders assume curb replacement in these locations or will the City pay for curb replacement here? Perhaps the City will consider adding contingent items for curb and sidewalk replacement to the bid form?

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- A12) Curb and sidewalk shall only be replaced where it has been removed as a necessary part of the project scope. (lateral crossings, service lines, etc.) The intent is to install the new main between the one main and the curb without disturbing the existing curb. At the time of Submittals, after the project is awarded, a schedule of values for change orders will be established in the event that additional curb work is required due to unforeseen circumstances.
- Q13) It is not clear on any of the Exhibit drawings where the new main is intended to replace an existing main in-kind. (ex-Exhibit 001 Roberts Way). Will the City please offer better information with regard to the existing Water main replacements and abandonments?
- A13) The attached drawings are highlighted where the new main is to replace an existing main that is to be abandoned. Please also see example configuration drawings on page 50 of the bid package for a better idea of the utility layout.









