

## DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

## REQUEST FOR BIDS ABERDEEN MARC STATION CONNECTIVITY ENHANCEMENT PROJECT BID NO. 20-02

State Contract No. HA092B51

## **ADDENDUM NO.3 (dated 11-4-21)**

F.A.P. No.: TAP-3(732)E

To Bidders:

This Addendum No. 3 is hereby made a part of the Request for Bids for the Aberdeen MARC Station Connectivity Enhancement Project, Bid No. 20-02 and all contract documents on which the contract will be based, and is issued to modify, explain and/or correct the original contract documents.

Any further questions concerning this project **MUST** be submitted by **November 5, 2021, at 2:00 PM**. The bid opening has been **RESCHEDULED** to **Monday November 15, 2021, at 2:00 PM**. The bid opening will be held at City Hall, City of Aberdeen.

Please attach this Addendum to your contract documents and submit bids and be otherwise governed accordingly. Receipt of this Addendum must be acknowledged on Page 2 of 7 of the Bid Form (page 25).

1. Please provide a definition for item #2002 – "Common Borrow."

<u>Response</u> – Please refer to the MDOT SHA Standard Specifications for Construction Materials "SHA 916.01.04"

2. Regarding item #7006, 18" Concrete Seat Wall – Sheet #30 of #38: Layout information box indicates that points C and D radius is 28.50'. Should the radius be 28.50 degrees?

Response – The radius is 28.50 feet as noted.

3. Regarding Lighting Plan - Reference Sheet #34 of #38 - General Note #2 provides contact information for BGE to schedule the installation of the service wiring from the service pole #172629 to embedded service pedestal. The Contractor is responsible for all BGE Fees associated with this work." There is no BGE contact information for pricing of their work. Can the City identify an Allowance Amount as part of the bid form or provide relative information for bidders?

<u>Response</u> – BGE permitting, and fees will be the responsibility of the City of Aberdeen and not the contractor.

4. Regarding the "Notice of Actions Required for Affirmative Action to Ensure EEO (Ex. Order 11246)." Reference is made to "The Goals and Timetables for minorities and female participation as noted in Appendix A and B." Appendix A has a Goal of 6.9% for Female Utilization and Appendix B has a Goal of 23.0% for Minority Utilization (Harford County). Are these goals required to be met? Or are these goals superseded by the DBE Participation Goal of 14.0%?

<u>Response</u> – Yes, the goal to achieve for DBE is 14% as clarified on page #77 and #78 in the contract special provisions IFB. There is 0 subgoals to be achieved.

5. Just wanted to confirm that no Bid Security Form is included in the RFP package, and if AIA format will be used?

Response – Yes, a bid security is required and yes, a bid bond in the form of AIA shall be required.