

**ARLINGTON COUNTY, VIRGINIA
OFFICE OF THE PURCHASING AGENT**

INVITATION TO BID NO. 21-DES-ITB-298 Repair and Upgrade Watermain at Key Boulevard

ADDENDUM NO. 3

The following are answers responses to the questions received in response to the above referenced ITB:

1. Question: Drawing sheets C021.1 – C021.3 (DEMOLITION PLAN-1 thru DEMOLITION PLAN-3). Are the limits of the work included in Master Item # 02550-C6-00650 or Item # 02550-C6-00640 limited to the LOD? Demolition pages show the LOD. Areas beyond the curb & gutter are not included in the LOD. Our assumption is that water meter setting replacement is not included in Master Item # 02550-C6-00650 or Item # 02550-C6-00640 because the meter settings are behind the curb & gutter and outside of the LOD.

Answer: Limits of work included in Master Item # 02550-C6-00650 and Item # 02550-C6-00640 is not limited to the LOD. Areas beyond the LOD up to the water meter are within County's ROW. Water meter setting (Service taps and re-taps) as described in the above-mentioned line items beyond the LOD will be the part of this project.

For water meters installed as part of this contract, the taps, pipe fittings, meter box and accessories from the water main to the existing building service line including reconnection to the private property, shall be furnished and installed by the Contractor. Water meters will be provided by the County. Please refer Arlington County DES Construction Standards and Specifications 2020, Section 02550 Water mains and Appurtenances, 3.4 Construction Standards, Section E. Water Service Connections & bullet # 2 and Arlington County standard detail # W-8.0

2. Question: Drawing sheets C021.1 – C021.3 (DEMOLITION PLAN-1 thru DEMOLITION PLAN-3). Please confirm that meter setting replacements and any water service piping or tubing, outside of the LOD shown on the DEMO drawings, are not included in the scope of work.

Answer: As stated in the response above service taps and re-taps for line item # 02550-C6-00650 and Item # 02550-C6-00640 beyond the LOD is included in the projects scope of work. Please refer Arlington County Standard detail # W-8.0.

3. Question: Master Item # 02550-C6-00640. The quantity seems quite high given our assumption that the water service connections to existing are confined to the limits of the LOD.

Answer: See responses above. Note that if the existing service line is galvanized pipe, the contractor shall remove and replace entire length of galvanized pipe (up to the meter) with line item # 02550-C6-00650 and Item # 02550-C6-00640.

The balance of the solicitation remains unchanged.

Arlington County, Virginia

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Procurement Officer

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