

ADDENDUM NO. 1

DATE: January 15, 2021

TO: All Potential Bidders

FROM: Penny Owens, Purchasing Agent, City of Knoxville

SUBJECT: Addendum No. 1 – Old Broadway Sidewalk Improvements

BID DATE: January 22*, 2021, at 11:00:00 a.m. (Eastern Time)**

This addendum becomes a part of the Contract Document and modifies the original specifications as noted.

Bid Deadline*:**

The bid deadline is hereby extended until January 22, 2021 at 11:00:00 a.m. Eastern Time.

Correction:

The instructions on pages BD-3 and BD-4 to submit bids electronically were incorrect. Use the following instructions:

Bids may also be submitted electronically through the City's Procurement website. DO NOT EMAIL YOUR SUBMISSION. All proposers/bidders must register as a vendor in order to submit an electronic file.

Step One: Register as a City of Knoxville vendor (Vendors are encouraged to complete this step now to ensure seamless submission process prior to deadline.)

To register as a vendor: Visit the website at www.knoxvilletn.gov/purchasing
Click the "Vendor Registration" tab; then "Click here to register as a City of Knoxville Vendor"
Follow the prompts to complete online registration. Note: You will be asked for a PIN. This PIN will be emailed to you and may have been sent to your spam or junk folder. DO NOT WAIT UNTIL SUBMISSION DEADLINE TO REGISTER AS A VENDOR. The electronic submission link will be disabled at 11:00:00 a.m. Eastern time. Vendors will not have the ability to submit any electronic files once the deadline has passed and the City will accept no late submissions.

Step Two: Submit all materials electronically as two (2) files to City's Procurement website PRIOR to 11:00:00 a.m. (Eastern Time) on Friday, January 22, 2021.

To submit electronic file: Visit the procurement website at www.knoxvilletn.gov/bids
Click "ITB – Old Broadway Sidewalk Improvements"
Click "Submit Bid" (red button located at top of screen)
Follow the prompts to upload and submit electronic file. Submit only two (2) submission files, one for the Outside of the Envelope and one for your Bid. Files MUST be named as the firm's

name followed by the title of the project. Example: BobsBurgers – Old Broadway Sidewalk Outside of Envelope.pdf and BobsBurgers – Old Broadway Sidewalk Bid.pdf. Should you need to merge multiple documents into one PDF, please utilize Google to download a free software intended for merging pdf documents.

Questions. This section responds to the questions asked by potential bidders

Question #1: Please provide the size for the permanent signs.

Response: Sizes are listed as follows

Item 63.10, W11-2, Yield Here to Pedestrians	36 in x 36 in
Item 63.11, W16-7P, Ahead Plaque	24 in x 12 in
Item 63.12, W16-9P, Downward Diagonal Arrow Plaque	24 in x 12 in
Item 63.13, R10-15. Turning Vehicles Yield to Peds	30 in x 30 in

Question #2: Can you provide tabulated quantities for item 4.20, Common Excavation (Unclassified)?

Response: Bidders will need to use the project cross-sections to generate their own quantities.

Question #3: Can you confirm that the quantity for item 7.10, Tack Coat, is correct?

Response: The quantity is correct and includes the parking areas and at pipe excavations.

Question #4: What items are footnotes 12 and 13 meant to relate to?

Response: Footnote 12 should be omitted. Footnote 13 relates to Item 39.10, Pavement Marking (4" Line).

Question #5: "Manhole top to be adjusted" appears several times in the proposed layout sheets. How are these adjustments to be done and how will they be paid for?

Response: These adjustments are to be made by the respective utility company. Contactor will need to coordinate with utility company to get these adjusted.

Question #6: How will over/underruns for the items of work covered by Item 3.10, Removal of Structures and Obstructions, be addressed if plan quantities are found to be inaccurate?

Response: This item is paid for as a lump sum as defined in the Technical Specifications. The quantities provided in the plans are for informational purposes only; there will not be additional payment for any quantities found to be inaccurate.

Question #7: Will any longitudinal control joints be required in the wider sidewalk sections? If so, can you please provide that layout information?

Response: For bidding purposes assume sidewalk wider than eight feet will require a longitudinal joint. Layout will be provided during project construction.

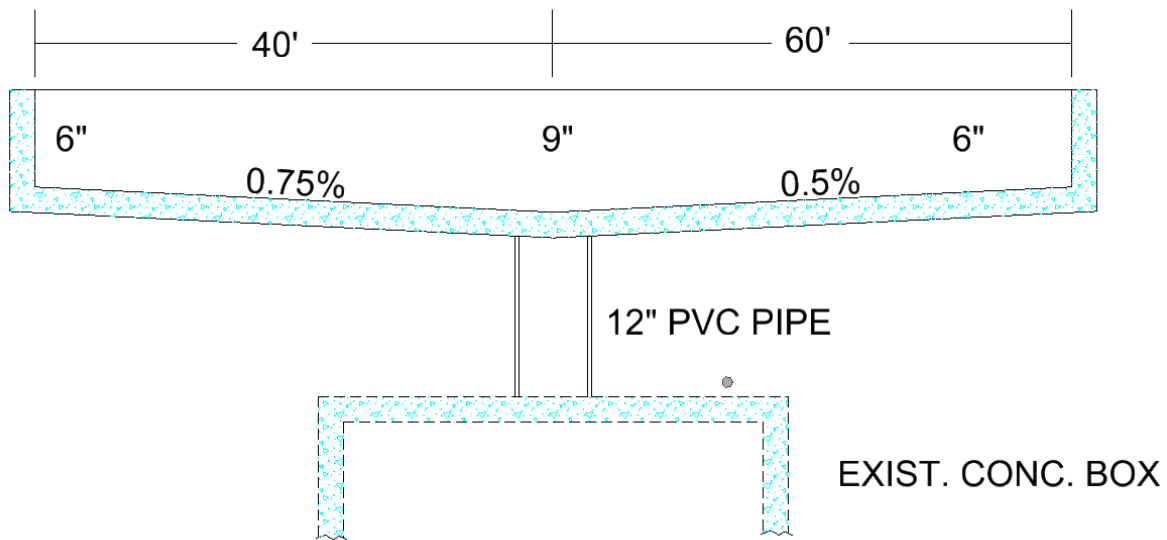
Question #8: Is the quantity for pipe removal correct?

Response: See the answer to question #6. Additionally, proposed sheets identify pipes labeled for removal or to be abandoned with flowable fill.

Question #9: How is the trench drain to connect to the box culvert? How is the connecting pipe paid for?

Response: Per TDOT Std Dwg D-TD-1, note 14 all materials are included in the unit price of the item.

The proposed design is that drains on either side of the culvert flow towards the low point over the culvert. A precast trench drain is acceptable for this application. Below is a general sketch.



END OF ADDENDUM NO. 1