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DATE: August 14, 2018

TO: Prospective Respondents

FROM: Amy Lucey, Contracts Administrator

SUBJECT: Addendum #3 to Invitation for Bids # 33203-1, Second Call: 96B Rehabilitation

As a result of inquiries, the following clarifications/changes are provided for your information. Please make all appropriate changes to your bid documents. Note: changes are reflected with original language shown with strike-through and new language is underlined.

- Q1. Would you consider changing the time frame in the qualifications to 10 years? Please note that these type of specialty projects are difficult for a construction firm to achieve in a 5 year period as frankly the scope of work is not all that common.
- A1: The minimum qualifications have been changed as listed below

Page 5, 8. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS, paragraph a. has been changed as follows:

a. Respondent (or a combination of the firm, individual, <u>superintendent</u> or project manager assigned to the work) must have successfully completed at least three projects of a similar nature (similar in size and scope to this project) within the <u>five-</u> ten years immediately preceding the date for receipt of Bids. Each project must have had a project value of at least \$500,000.00.

NOTE: The Bid Opening remains 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, August 28, 2018.

Please acknowledge receipt of this Addendum on the **BID** FORM provided in the bid package.

If you have any questions, please e-mail me at <u>alucey@sjrwmd.com</u>.

Attachments: Page 5 revised Addendum 3 Page 20, revised Addendum 3 Pre-bid Meeting recording – separate cover District staff are not authorized to orally interpret the meaning of the specifications or other Agreement documents, or correct any apparent ambiguity, inconsistency, or error therein. In order to be binding upon the District, the interpretation or correction must be given by the Procurement Specialist and must be in writing. The Procurement Specialist may orally explain the District's procedures and assist Respondents in referring to any applicable provision in the Invitation for Bids documents, but the Respondent is ultimately responsible for submitting the Bid in the appropriate form and in accordance with written procedures.

Every request for a written interpretation or correction must be received at least nine days prior to opening of Bids in order to be considered. Requests may be submitted by fax at 321-722-5357 or by email at ALucey@sjrwmd.com. Interpretations, corrections, and supplemental instructions will be communicated by written addenda to this solicitation posted by Onvia DemandStar and Vendor Registry to all prospective Respondents (at the respective addresses furnished for such purposes) no later than five days before the opening of Bids.

Submission of a Bid constitutes acknowledgment of receipt of all addenda. Bids will be construed as though all addenda had been received. Failure of the Respondent to receive any addenda does not relieve Respondent from any and all obligations under the Bid, as submitted. All addenda become part of the Agreement.

7. BUDGET

The estimated budget for the Work is \$1,805,000.00. The above amount is an estimate only and does not limit the District in awarding the Agreement. Respondents are cautioned to not make any assumptions from the budget estimate about the total funds available for the Work. The District retains the right to adjust the estimated budget in awarding the Agreement. The District also reserves the right to reject all Bids if subsequent negotiations with qualified Respondents result in costs over this estimated budget amount. In addition, the District reserves the right to increase, decrease, or delete any class, item, or part of the Work in order to reduce costs for any reason. The District may discuss alternatives for reducing the cost of the Work with Respondents and make such modifications as it determines to be in its best interest.

8. MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Respondent must use the "Qualification" forms (General, Similar Projects, and Client References) provided in these documents to document the minimum qualifications listed below. Failure to include these forms with the Bid may be considered non-responsive.

- a. Respondent (or a combination of the firm, individual, superintendent or project manager assigned to the work) must have successfully completed at least three projects of a similar nature (similar in size and scope to this project) within the five ten years immediately preceding the date for receipt of Bids. Each project must have had a project value of at least \$500,000.00.
- b. Respondent must have no less than five years of experience on projects of the nature specified above.
- c. Respondent must provide three client references. Up to two of the client references may be from the similar projects listed in response to subparagraph (a), above. No more than one of the references may be from completed District projects. If a District project is cited, do not request a letter from District staff.

Irrespective of the minimum qualifications stated above, the District may make such investigations as it deems necessary to determine the ability of the Respondent to perform the Work. The District reserves the right to reject any Bid if the evidence submitted by such Respondent and/or the District's independent investigation of such Respondent fails to satisfy the District that such Respondent is properly qualified to carry out the obligations of the Agreement and complete the Work in a manner acceptable to the District within the time period specified.

QUALIFICATIONS — SIMILAR PROJECTS

Include this form in the response

Respondent (or a combination of the firm, individual, superintendent or project manager assigned to the work) must have successfully completed at least three similar projects within the five ten years immediately preceding the date set for receipt of the response, as described in the INSTRUCTIONS TO RESPONDENTS. Each project shall have had a project value of at least \$500,000.00. (Add additional sheet for optional additional completed projects.) **Completed Project 1:** Agency/company: _____ Current contact person at agency/company:
 Telephone:

 Email:

Address of agency/company: _____ Name of project: Description: Project value: _____ Start date: _____ Completion date: _____ (month/year) Name(s) of assigned personnel: Project manager: Others: **Completed Project 2:** Agency/company: _____ Current contact person at agency/company:
 Telephone:

 Email:

Address of agency/company: Name of project: Description: ____ Project value: _____ Start date: _____ Completion date: _____ (month/year) Name(s) of assigned personnel: Project manager: _____ Others: