



St. Johns River

Water Management District

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DATE: September 11, 2020

TO: Prospective Respondents

FROM: Amy Lucey, Contracts Administrator

SUBJECT: Addendum #1 to Invitation for Bids # 36060, Lake Apopka Duda Property Water Storage Improvements

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: On drawing C20 note 5 under silt fence, “Silt Fence is to be paid under the contract unit price for staked silt fence, (LF).” On the SOV there is no line item for Silt Fence Type III or Type IV. Also there is no locations of silt fence on any of the drawings. Will SJWMD be adding a line item to the SOV for silt fence, or is the contractor to assume these costs somewhere else in SOV.
- A1: Line items for silt fence, turbidity barriers or hay bales will not be included in the cost schedule. Erosion and turbidity control measures can or should be included in items 2, 9, and 11 through 16. Note that silt fence along Marsh Rabbit Road where work is limited to raising the levee and grading the side slopes is not anticipated because the adjacent quadrants of District land are isolated and do not directly drain offsite. The canals in the far east and west ends of the project drain off-site and must be protected from erosion and turbidity.
- Q2: On drawing C20 notes: under Staked Turbidity Barrier “.....However Payment will be under the pay item(s) established in the plans for floating turbidity barriers to be installed in a vertical position unless otherwise directed by the district.” Will SJWMD be adding a line item to SOV for Staked, Floating Type I, and Floating Type II turbidity barrier by LF.
- A2: See answer A1 above
- Q3: On Drawing C20 there is no note of where the costs for any needed hay bales are to be paid under. There is also no notes if any hay bales will be needed. Can SJWMD add additional line item to SOV for haybales or will the contractor need to assume costs in another line item of the SOV.
- A3: See answer A1 above
- Q4: Is SJWMD expecting a specific sequence of work for the tasks identified. If so, please provide
- A4: No, the contractor’s proposed schedule should be submitted and approved by the District before the pre-construction meeting. Multiple areas and segments may need to be worked at the same time to meet the July 30, 2021 deadline. The contractor should actively work an area/ section of the project until construction is complete in those areas. Additionally, the contractor should refer to the maintenance of traffic notes on sheet C2, specifically notes 4 - 7, when planning the work schedule and sequencing.

Q5: Is the contractor to assume that the majority materials excavated from the sump areas will meet the requirements for general fill?

A5: No, much of the excavated material may not meet the requirements. Please refer to the soil borings provided in the geotechnical report (Wood Environment and Infrastructure Solutions, June 2020) included in the bid package.

All excavated material from the central intersection (sheet C14) should be stockpiled on the upland site located within 500 feet of the central intersection at the northeast corner. The footprint of the stockpiled material should be minimized to the greatest extent possible and placed at least 20 feet away from adjacent wetlands and surface waters to minimize erosion and turbidity. All other material generated from grading or minor excavation activities should be placed along the side-slopes of existing upland levees near the point of excavation (within 500 feet). The District may provide more specific direction during construction.

Q6: How is the contractor to quantify these volumes that may be used as general fill, and to be disposed of as directed by the District project manager. Furthermore, how can the contractor make an assumption on the direction from the PM on disposal? Will it be onsite or offsite?

A6: Per answer A5 above, the contractor should plan on all general fill to be imported material. Disposal will occur onsite.

NOTE: The Bid Opening **remains** 2:00 p.m., **Tuesday, October 6, 2020**

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 alucey@sjrwmd.com.