



**ITB #2019-010 2020 TSPLOST-Asphalt Patching, Leveling & Resurfacing of Various County Roads
QUESTIONS & ANSWERS
CLARIFICATION ON SPECIFICATIONS
ADDENDUM 1**

Return to: Lumpkin County Board of Commissioners
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Bid Closing Date: **January 21, 2020** at 2:00 PM, EST
Bid Issue Date: December 18, 2019
Addendum Issue Date: January 14, 2020 at 5:00 PM, EST
Pages: **3**
By: Ryan McDuffie, Purchasing Agent

Vendor Name: _____
(A copy must be attached to the Addenda Acknowledgement)

QUESTIONS

1. Will the line item for 19MM be used for patching? If so, will another line item be included for milling?
 - a. Yes 12.5 will be used for patching. Patching item includes milling, material and labor.
2. Based on the measurements in the TSPLOST ITB, our calculations show an estimated 15,500 TN to complete the overlay. The line item for 12.5 MM has 17,000 TN. How will the county plan to use the remainder?
 - a. That is intentional. It will be used on driveway aprons, side road paving and cul-de-sacs.
3. Do you anticipate extending the due date?
 - a. No.
4. What additional details are you willing to provide, if any, beyond what is stated in bid documents concerning how you will identify the winning bid?
 - a. Winning bid will be awarded to the lowest bidder.
5. Was this bid posted to the nationwide free bid notification website at www.mygovwatch.com?
 - a. No.
6. Other than your own website, where was this bid posted?
 - a. The Dahlonega Nugget newspaper and Georgia Procurement Registry.



7. Could the County please provide exactly which roads an MTV will be required on?
 - a. Long Branch extension and Post White Hill roads will require an MTV.
8. Will stop bars be replaced only on roads with "stop bars" listed under the required striping, or are they to be replaced on all roads included in the proposal?
 - a. Just on roads that require a centerline.
9. Will stop bars be thermoplastic paint?
 - a. Yes, thermoplastic is required on stop bars.
10. Can the County tell us what the allowable work hours will be on this project?
 - a. Daylight hours.
11. Does the County intend to use 9.5MM TP1 for the Leveling in prior years?
 - a. Yes, most areas will be type I but there may be areas that require type II.
12. Will the County allow the contractor to use portable advance warning signs on tripods or will the County require the use of post mounted signs?
 - a. Tripod signs will be allowed during construction.
13. Will the County require the contractor to pave back to the radius points at side roads and driveways or are we to pave straight through them?
 - a. You cannot pave straight through them. Most drives can be done with an extension run out but some of the side roads may have to be paved back to the radius.
14. Will the county require the use of an MTV on any of the roads listed in the proposal?
 - a. Yes, see question #7.
15. Will the Contractor be allowed to pave the roads that are 14'-16' wide in one (1) pull instead of two (2)?
 - a. Yes.
16. Since there is not a bid item for shoulder grading, Can the County confirm that no shoulder grading or grassing will be required by the contractor?
 - a. No shoulder grading or grassing will be required on this project.
17. Will the contractor be required to perform any Milling on any of the streets listed in the proposal?
 - a. Yes, the streets with deep patching.
18. Will the County keep the Low/Soft Shoulder signs?
 - a. Yes.
19. The specifications mention Trackless Tack. However, the Bid Item for tack is 413-1000 Bitum. Can the County confirm Trackless tack is not required for this project?
 - a. Trackless tack is not required but recommended.

Bidder's Certification with signature page included

BIDDER'S CERTIFICATION

ITB #2019-009 2020 LMIG Asphalt Leveling and Resurfacing Various County Roads

Date of Bid _____

I certify that this Bid is submitted without prior understanding, agreement or connection with any corporation, firm or person submitting a Bid for the same goods/services and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. I understand that collusive bidding is a violation of State and Federal law and can result in fines, prison sentences and civil damages awards. I agree to abide by all terms and conditions stated of this bid document and certify that I am authorized to sign this bid for the bidder.

I acknowledge that this Project will be constructed in English units.

I certify that I have carefully examined the Plans for this Project and the Standard Specifications, 2013 Edition, the Supplemental Specifications, Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices, and Special Provisions included in and made a part of this Bid, and have also personally examined the site of the work. On the basis of the said Scope of Work and Specifications, I propose to furnish all necessary machinery, tools, apparatus and other means of construction, and do all the work and furnish all the materials in the manner specified.

I understand the quantities mentioned are approximate only and are subject to either increase or decrease and hereby propose to perform any increased or decreased quantities of work or extra work on the basis provided for in the Specifications.

I also hereby agree that Lumpkin County would suffer damages in a sum equal to at least the amount of the enclosed Bid Guaranty, in the event my Bid should be accepted and a Contract tendered me there under and I should refuse to execute same and furnish bond as herein required, in consideration of which I hereby agree that, in the event of such failure on my part to execute said Contract and furnish bond within fifteen (15) days after the date of the letter transmitting the Contract to me, the amount of said Bid Guaranty shall be and is hereby, forfeited to Lumpkin County, as liquidated damages as the result of such failure on my part.

I further agree to execute a Contract prepared by Lumpkin County as soon as the work is awarded to me, and to begin and complete the work within the time limit provided. I also propose to furnish the Bonds as required by the Bid Documents and laws of the State of Georgia. Such bond(s) shall not only serve to guarantee the completion of the work on my part, but also to guarantee the excellence of both workmanship and materials until the work is finally accepted, as well as to fully comply with all the laws of the State of Georgia and Lumpkin County.

Name & Title of Person Authorized to Sign

Name

SIGNATURE

Title

Sworn to and signed before me, a Notary Public, this _____ day of _____, in the year

_____. Notary Public in and for the county of

_____, State of _____.

Notary Public Signature and Seal: _____

My Commissioner Expires: _____

Bids not signed shall be declared as "Non-Responsive" and may not be considered for award.