
ADDENDUM NO. 3
TO THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS
for the construction of

Date: December 19, 2017
Project No.: 664737

Friar's Branch – South Chickamauga Creek 5 Interceptor Rehabilitation
Contract No. W-15-002-201

To All Planholders and/or Prospective Bidders:

The following changes, additions, and/or deletions are hereby made a part of the Contract Documents for the construction of **Friar's Branch – South Chickamauga Creek 5 Interceptor Rehabilitation** as fully and completely as if the same were fully set forth therein:

- A. Change of Bid Date: Sealed Bids for furnishing all materials, labor, tools, equipment and appurtenances necessary for the construction of the Friar's Branch - South Chickamauga Creek 5 Interceptor Rehabilitation will be received at the City of Chattanooga at City Hall, Purchasing Department, Suite G13, 101 East 11th Street, Chattanooga, TN 37402, until 2:00 p.m., local time, on January 18, 2018, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud.

- B. Clarification: Section 01 51 43 - Temporary Bypass Pumping.

1.02: The Contractor shall employ the services of a Specialty Contractor (Firm) who can demonstrate to the Engineer that it specializes in the design and operation of temporary bypass pumping systems. The Firm shall provide at least five references of projects of a similar size and complexity as this Project performed by his company within the past three years.

Question: Would it be correct to interpret the experience requirement in 1.02 as the Specialty Contractor firm must submit five references of projects in the last three years with similar flow (MGD) only for each bypass they intend to perform? Example the 42" sewer is 22 MGD therefore five references of similar flow, the 60" sewer is 58 MGD so five references of similar flow, the 66" sewer is 80 MGD so five references of similar flow for projects performed within the last three years?

Answer: Yes

- C. Clarification: Section 01 51 43 - Temporary Bypass Pumping.

3.02: B. Where bypass pipelines cross Friars Branch Creek, piping shall be anchored to the bottom of the creek to prevent the pipes from moving. Creek banks shall not be disturbed or altered during installation or maintenance of the piping system. Installation shall be such that passage of recreational boaters, canoeists, and kayakers is

maintained. Provide adequate signage and marking of piping so that recreational users can navigate past the piping.

Question: Due to the shallow depth of the creeks the bypass discharge pipe could potentially impede boat traffic. Another item of concern is the pipe could become an obstacle for debris to collect on, which during a rain event could be catastrophic. Would it be more prudent to cross the creek at the creek bank level to reduce the reduce the chances of high water damaging the discharge pipe?

Answer: General Note 18 on sheet C-004 permits the Contractor to submit alternate methods of crossing creeks with bypass piping. It is the Contractor's responsibility to protect the pumping equipment and piping from damage during construction.

All Bidders shall acknowledge receipt and acceptance of this Addendum No. 3 in the Bid Form or by submitting the Addendum with the bid package. Bid Forms submitted without acknowledgment or without this Addendum will be considered in nonconformance.

END OF ADDENDUM