

City of Spartanburg
Procurement and Property Division
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Legal Notice
Request for Proposal for
Butterfly Branch Pedestrian Bridge Project

Addendum I

January 9, 2017

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN: The City of Spartanburg is issuing the following addendum:

A. Geo-technical report will be posted to the City procurement web site or can be acquired from ARC, formally Imaging Technologies, located at 7092 Howard Street #K, Spartanburg, SC (864) 585-8388.

B. Questions:

Both the drawings and specs do call out AASHTO LRFD design but the spec calls out a 3/16" min. For an AASHTO design the material thickness is normally 1/4" minimum. Should this be changed?

Reference AASHTO LRFD Guide Specifications for the design of the pedestrian bridge.

1) The drawings call out an H-5 (10,000 lb) vehicle but the specifications say 6,000 lbs. Which vehicle load would be correct?

10,000 lbs

2) The drawings call out a 3 coat/layer paint system, the specification calls out both a 3 coat paint system and a section 8.3) calls out Galvanizing? With the 3 coat paint system will the bridge be required to be galvanized also?

3 paint system

3) Per section 10 Foundations 10.1) states the anchor bolt embedment shall be the responsibility of the bridge manufacturer. Typically whom ever does the foundation design will determine the anchor bolt the embedment and the bridge manufacture will give the recommended diameter and protrusion above the foundation. Will the foundation designer or bridge manufacturer be required to be responsible for anchor bolt embedment?

This RFP is a turnkey project. Bridge manufacturer is responsible for all aspects of site work and bridge erection.

- 4) In section Part 11-Delivery and Erection 11.2) states Bridge manufacturer us solely responsible for off-loading and the equipment for offloading. This is normally the responsibility of the contractor. Is the Contractor or Bridge Manufacturer truly responsible for this?

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- 5) In the same respect as number 5) above section 11.3 and 11.5 say that install is by the Bridge Manufacturer and None of the site work shall be subbed out and by the bridge manufacturer. This is something we would not be able to comply with since we only fabricate and deliver, as a supplier, the bridge to the site. Will the contractor or the bridge manufacturer be responsible for this?

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- 6) On the drawings it also states that the Bridge Manufacture shall design and construct the abutments. We can do the foundation design but would not do the install of the foundations. Will the Bridge manufacturer be required to install the foundations or will this be the responsibility of the Contractor?

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- 7) The drawings show a 4” concrete deck. With an H-5 vehicle and AASHTO’s requirement for a 2” cover over the deck reinforcement the deck thickness is closer to 6”. Should the Concrete deck thickness be the 4” called out?

Reference AASHTO LFRD Guide Specifications for the design of the pedestrian bridge.

Proposal No. 1617-01-17-01

Questions regarding bid procedures should be directed to Carl Wright, Procurement and Property Manager at 864-596-2790 or cwright@cityofspartanburg.org. Technical questions regarding the scope of services should be directed to Jay Squires, Streets and Storm Water Manager, and (864) 596-2089 or by email at jsquires@cityofspartanburg.org

A Mandatory Prebid will take place on January 10, 2017 at 10:00 AM at the bridge site adjacent to #267 Farley Street.

Sealed Proposals shall be submitted to Carl Wright, Procurement and Property Manager, on or before **January 17, 2017** 3 p.m. at City Hall, 145 W. Broad Street, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud in the Training Room, same location. Complete proposal package also available at www.cityofspartanburg.org by following the links for **bid opportunities**.

For further information and complete Proposal Package, please contact the Procurement and Property office at (864) 596-2049. Complete proposal package also available at www.cityofspartanburg.org by following the links for Invitations for bids. The following Proposal Number must be placed on the left corner of the outer envelope in order for the bid to be stamped in as accepted on time: **Proposal No: 1617-01-17-01**

Proposals can be hand delivered or mailed to the following address:

City of Spartanburg
P. O. Box 5107
Spartanburg, S. C. 29304

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