



August 8, 2014

TO: All Interested Bidders

SUBJECT: **ADDENDUM #1- IFB #14-0895GE – Furnish and Install Pre-manufactured Transit Passenger Shelters**

This information is issued to modify, and/or clarify the request for quotation document.

- Q.1. Are the concrete pads where the shelters will be installed existing or are they part of the scope of work? If they are part of the scope how should the bidder's price this?
- A.1. The concrete pads are not part of this contract and are only mentioned for the bidder's information in the design of the shelter and shelter components.
- Q.2. Could you please confirm that there is no bid or performance bond needed?
- A.2. Manatee County confirms that no bid or performance bonds are required for this contract.
- Q.3. Would the agency please consider removing the requirement for engineered drawings at the time of bid submission per section D.4-A of the IFB? This is an extremely expensive upfront requirement for all bidders. Since the drawings would still need the client to review any changes it would mean the engineered drawings would need to be revised adding more costs to the project. The ideal scenario would be for bidders to submit their proposed shelter specification and the successful bidder would provide full shop and engineered drawings after award and client review.
- A.3. The bidder may provide signed, sealed drawings for pre-manufactured transit passenger shelters using a "prototype " or current "off-the-shelf" design, even if the prototype has different dimensions from those specified.

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Q.4. Will the agency consider 3'x3' square tubing versus the round tubing as seen in the pictures for the shelter supports?

A.4. Any shape of tubing in acceptable as long as it meets wind load and all other requirements.


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