



MANATEE COUNTY FLORIDA

December 16, 2011

TO: All Interested Bidders

SUBJECT: Invitation for Bid # 12-0441-DS
Perico Preserve Habitat Restoration Plan

ADDENDUM #2

Bidders are hereby notified that this Addendum shall be acknowledged on pages 00300-1 of the Bid Form and made a part of the above named bidding and contract documents. Bids submitted without acknowledgement of the Addendum will be considered incomplete.

The following items are issued to add to, modify, and clarify the bid and contract documents. These items shall have the same force and effect as the original bidding and contract documents, and cost involved shall be included in the bid prices. Bids to be submitted on the specified bid date, shall conform to the additions and revisions listed herein.

The deadline for clarification of questions had been extended to **December 16, 2011 at 9:00 AM.** This deadline has been established to maintain fair treatment of all potential bidders, while maintaining the expedited nature of the Economic Stimulus that the contracting of this work may achieve. Questions received after this date and time shall not be considered.

Attachment: A second and final guided site visit was made available to all interested on Wednesday the 14th of December (12/14/2011) at 12:00 PM at the project site. Attached please find a copy of the Attendee Listing.

As noted on the IFB, a site inspection is a requirement to submit a bid. See Article B.05 pages 00020-2 (Total 1 page)

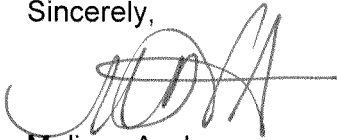
The responses to the submitted questions have been provided by Mr. Michael A.G. Burton, CEP, WilsonMiller Stantec dated 12/16/2011 (Total 1 page)

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The deadline for submitting sealed Bids at the Manatee County Purchasing Division, 1112 Manatee Avenue West, Suite 803, Bradenton, Florida 34205 is until 9:00 am on December 22, 2011

END ADDENDUM #2

Sincerely,



Melissa Assha
Interim Purchasing Official
/ds (Total 2pages attachment)

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To All Bidders:

The following information is provided in response to questions received by Manatee County Purchasing regarding IFB # 12-0441-DS (Perico Preserve Habitat Restoration Plan).

1. We are having difficulty quantifying the extent of the Spoil Berm Removal, 11 ea. Is it the intent to (a) remove all the berms identified on the drawings as Spoil Maintenance (13.82 AC) or (b) just a short portion of these berms in 11 places to permit waterflow, similar to the outfalls where the staked turbidity barriers are to be installed (sht 14)? Please clarify the requirement for Spoil Berm Removal.

There are 11 spoil removal sites (small segments) identified as R1 through R4 and S1 through S7 on sheets 6 and 7 of the Contract Drawings. Section R-R and S-S on sheet 10 provide details of the extent of the spoil berm removal. Refer to Section D.1.6.4.1.

2. Please clarify the scope of the required 3 yr. Warranty. Does it include plantings, drainage structures and piping, and earthwork. Is it also the intent to warrant against erosion?

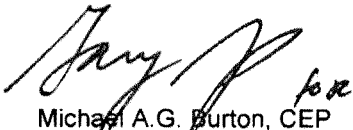
Planting warranty specification is described in Section D.1.8.6. Drainage, structures and piping warranty specifications are described in Section 00700 Article 9. It is not the intent for the Contractor to warrant against erosion for a three year period. The Contractor is responsible for erosion repairs until acknowledgement of successful establishment of seeded plants at which point the Contractor shall remove temporary erosion control measures. Refer to Section D.1.3.1.

3. Please clarify nuisance removal requirements. The bid documents call for herbicide treatment but the torpedo [sic] grasses are unlikely to be eliminated by such treatment.

Regarding areas of the site that contain torpedo grass (Panicum repens); the following language from the bid documents applies, "direct seeding areas shall be free of emergent weeds at the time of direct seeding as stated in Section D.1.8.5". The County is aware of the difficulty in eradication the exotic species present on this site. Ongoing maintenance including treatment of any remaining torpedo grass will be performed by the County. Inspections will be performed by the Project Ecologist during the seeding preparation herbicide applications to ensure work by the Contractor is being done to specifications. Previously treated biomass is to be removed as stated in Section D.1.5.1

Sincerely,

WilsonMiller Stantec



Michael A.G. Burton, CEP
Principal, Environmental Services

- C: Charlie Hunsicker, Director, Manatee County Natural Resources
Donna Stevens, Contract Specialist, Manatee County Purchasing

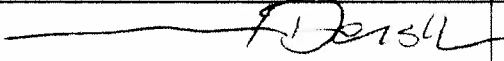

NON-MANDATORY SITE VISIT ATTENDANCE RECORD
SECOND AND FINAL GUIDED

Title: Perico Preserve Habitat Restoration Plan

Location: Perico Island in West Bradenton, on the north side of Manatee Avenue (SR64) with Sections 22, 26 and 27, Township 34 South, Range 16 East in Manatee County, Bradenton Florida

IFB #: 12-0441-DS

Site Visit: December 14, 2011 at 12:00 pm

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