



MANATEE COUNTY
FLORIDA

email

November 4, 2011

TO: All Interested Bidders

SUBJECT: Invitation for Bid #11-2873DC
SW Water Reclamation Facility Clarifier 1 & 2

ADDENDUM #2

Bidders are hereby notified that this Addendum shall be made a part of the above named bidding and contract documents. 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.

1. See attached information as prepared by Carollo Engineers.
2. As stated in Addendum 1, this contract is subject to the prevailing Minimum Wage, Davis –Bacon Act. The Wage Decision applicable to this contract is the (Manatee County, Heavy Construction) Wage Decision Number FL100264 dated 10/08/2010, and as modified up to ten days prior to Bid Opening, is made a part of this bidding document.

Bids will be received at Manatee County Purchasing, 1112 Manatee Avenue West, Suite 803, Bradenton, Florida 34205 until **November 16, 2011 at 3:00 P.M.**

Sincerely,

Deborah Carey-Reed
Contract Specialist

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November 4, 2011

Mr. Anthony Benitez
Manatee County Government
1022 26th Avenue East
Bradenton, Florida 34208

Subject: SWWRF Clarifier 1 and 2 Rehabilitation Bidding Questions

Dear Mr. Benitez:

This letter includes Carollo Engineers' responses to questions submitted by prospective bidders.

1. Clarify Question/Answer 1 on Addendum 1.

RAS Pump No. 2 is existing but NO existing VFD.

2. Per S-02 Section B, this detail calls for the launder slab to be thickness of 1'-4". Please confirm this thickness is uniform for the entire circumference of the tank. If this thickness is the same, please also confirm the thickness of the launder drop box is 1'-0" (see sections A and C on S-02).

The 1'-4" launder slab thickness is as shown in Section-1 of Section-B on Drawing S-02. This 1'-4" slab thickness is only in the area of the scum pipe penetration. The remaining launder slab thickness is 1'-0".

3. Per D-01, note 5, states to remove the existing walkway, stairs, and light poles. This is not required for the installation work for the equipment or concrete. Please advise if it is acceptable to not remove and protect only

Bidders shall complete the demolition according to all requirements on Drawing D-01.

4. Please provide a copy of the Lead & Asbestos Surveys for both Clarifiers so we determine how to estimate the demolition activities

No lead paint or asbestos surveys were completed.

Sincerely,

CAROLLO ENGINEERS, INC.



Eric Peters, P.E.

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General Decision Number: FL100264 10/08/2010 FL264

Superseded General Decision Number: FL20080264

State: Florida

Construction Type: Heavy

County: Manatee County in Florida.

HEAVY CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS (Including Sewer and Water Lines)

Modification Number	Publication Date
0	03/12/2010
1	07/23/2010
2	10/08/2010

ELEC0915-003 12/01/2009

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN.....	\$ 24.16	34%+\$0.22

* ENGI0925-008 07/01/2010

	Rates	Fringes
POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATOR: Crawler Cranes; Truck Cranes; Pile Driver Cranes; Rough Terrain Cranes; and Any Crane not otherwise described below...\$ 27.91		10.59
Hydraulic Cranes Rated 100 Tons or Above but Less Than 250 Tons; and Lattice Boom Cranes Less Than 150 Tons if not described below.\$ 28.91		10.59
Lattice Boom Cranes Rated at 150 Tons or Above; Friction Cranes of Any Size; Mobile Tower Cranes or Luffing Boom Cranes of Any Size; Electric Tower Cranes; Hydraulic Cranes Rated at 250 Tons or Above; and Any Crane Equipped with 300 Foot or More of Any Boom Combination.....\$ 29.91		10.59
Oiler.....\$ 21.38		10.59

IRON0397-006 07/01/2010

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER, STRUCTURAL.....	\$ 26.67	11.16

LABO0517-002 05/01/2008

	Rates	Fringes
LABORER: Grade Checker.....	\$ 17.20	5.47

PAIN0088-008 07/01/2008

	Rates	Fringes
PAINTER: Brush, Roller and Spray.....	\$ 16.00	6.85

SUFL2009-161 06/24/2009

	Rates	Fringes
CARPENTER.....	\$ 14.95	2.92
CEMENT MASON/CONCRETE FINISHER...	\$ 14.77	3.50
LABORER: Common or General.....	\$ 10.90	0.38
LABORER: Landscape.....	\$ 7.25	0.00
LABORER: Pipelayer.....	\$ 13.75	2.06
LABORER: Power Tool Operator (Hand Held Drills/Saws, Jackhammer and Power Saws Only).....	\$ 10.63	2.20
OPERATOR: Asphalt Paver.....	\$ 11.59	0.00
OPERATOR: Backhoe Loader Combo.....	\$ 16.10	2.44
OPERATOR: Backhoe/Excavator.....	\$ 15.00	0.52
OPERATOR: Blade/Grader.....	\$ 16.00	2.84
OPERATOR: Bulldozer.....	\$ 17.00	0.00
OPERATOR: Loader.....	\$ 14.75	0.00
OPERATOR: Mechanic.....	\$ 14.32	0.00
OPERATOR: Roller.....	\$ 10.76	0.00
OPERATOR: Scraper.....	\$ 11.00	1.74
OPERATOR: Trackhoe.....	\$ 20.92	5.50
OPERATOR: Tractor.....	\$ 10.54	0.00
TRUCK DRIVER: Lowboy Truck.....	\$ 12.73	0.00
TRUCK DRIVER: Off the Road Truck.....	\$ 12.21	1.97
TRUCK DRIVER: Dump Truck.....	\$ 11.00	0.00

WELDERS - Receive rate prescribed for craft performing operation to which welding is incidental.

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Unlisted classifications needed for work not included within the scope of the classifications listed may be added after award only as provided in the labor standards contract clauses (29 CFR 5.5(a)(1)(ii)).

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In the listing above, the "SU" designation means that rates listed under the identifier do not reflect collectively bargained wage and fringe benefit rates. Other designations indicate unions whose rates have been determined to be prevailing.

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WAGE DETERMINATION APPEALS PROCESS

1.) Has there been an initial decision in the matter? This can be:

- * an existing published wage determination
- * a survey underlying a wage determination
- * a Wage and Hour Division letter setting forth a position on a wage determination matter
- * a conformance (additional classification and rate) ruling

On survey related matters, initial contact, including requests for summaries of surveys, should be with the Wage and Hour Regional Office for the area in which the survey was conducted because those Regional Offices have responsibility for the Davis-Bacon survey program. If the response from this initial contact is not satisfactory, then the process described in 2.) and 3.) should be followed.

With regard to any other matter not yet ripe for the formal process described here, initial contact should be with the Branch of Construction Wage Determinations. Write to:

Branch of Construction Wage Determinations
Wage and Hour Division

U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

2.) If the answer to the question in 1.) is yes, then an interested party (those affected by the action) can request review and reconsideration from the Wage and Hour Administrator (See 29 CFR Part 1.8 and 29 CFR Part 7).
Write to:

Wage and Hour Administrator
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

The request should be accompanied by a full statement of the interested party's position and by any information (wage payment data, project description, area practice material, etc.) that the requestor considers relevant to the issue.

3.) If the decision of the Administrator is not favorable, an interested party may appeal directly to the Administrative Review Board (formerly the Wage Appeals Board). Write to:

Administrative Review Board
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

4.) All decisions by the Administrative Review Board are final.

END OF GENERAL DECISION