

December 4, 2013

TO: All Interested Bidders

SUBJECT: Invitation for Bids #13-2222CD

Fort Hamer Park Expansion- Phase II

ADDENDUM #3

Bidders are hereby notified that this Addendum shall be acknowledged on page <u>00300-1</u> of the Bid Form and made a part of the above named bidding and contract documents. Bids submitted without acknowledgment 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.

1. CHANGE the Due Date and Time to Tuesday, December 10, 2013 at 3:00 PM.

The following questions have been presented by potential bidders after the issuance of Addendum #2:

QUESTION #1: Response #2 to Question #2, there is no such thing as SCH-40 PVC pipe with a bell and gasketed joint, schedule 40 PVC pipe is only available in solvent weld joints, will the use of solvent weld joint SCH-40 PVC be acceptable?

RESPONSE #1: Schedule 40 PVC pipe with a bell and gasketed joint is manufactured by Heritage Plastics in Tampa, FL and is available locally from HD Waterworks in Sarasota, FL and Melrose Irrigation in Ft. Meyers, FL.

QUESTION #2: Addendum Two clarifies televising the storm sewer pipe but, I need to know if we will be required to televise the 6-inch, 8-inch and 12-inch PVC pipe as most of this piping does not have adequate access for getting a camera in and out of, can we get a clarification about televising or not televising these size pipe?

RESPONSE #2: TV inspection is required only for pipe that is 15 inches in diameter or equivalent up to 48 inches in diameter or equivalent, no matter the material type.

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QUESTION #3: Regarding the Alternate Bid Items, the revised Measurement and Payment section for these Alternates shows pricing to be one of three (3) methods how are we to designate on the bid form the method of our Lump Sum price? Are we to make the deduction, in our alternate price, of the item or items that will not be performed when determining the Lump Sum price for the alternate? Or do we just show the value of the alternate bid item and let the County make the deduction from the Base Bid? Please clarify.

RESPONSE #3: As stated in Article 1.5 of the Revised Measurement and Payment section that was issued in Addendum #2, the Bidder shall indicate whether the lump sum price for the alternate bid item(s) is to be added to, or deducted from, the Contract Sum of the Base Bid or indicate No Change if the alternate does not affect the Contract Sum of the Base Bid. Additionally, the Bidder is responsible for determining from the Contract Documents the effects of each alternate on the Contract Sum of the Base Bid.

For any unit priced base bid items that will either be reduced or not performed as a result of accepting an alternate bid item, payment will be made for actual quantities installed per Article 1.3.A of the Measurement and Payment section.

END OF ADDENDUM #3

Bids will be received at Manatee County Purchasing, 1112 Manatee Avenue West, Bradenton, Florida 34205 until Tuesday, December 10, 2013 at 3:00 PM.

Sincerely,

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Purchasing Official