

# MEMORANDUM

To: All Interested Bidders

Date: May 19, 2016

Subject: IFB16-08290V, Force Main 31A Replacement,  
48<sup>th</sup> Avenue West, Bradenton, FL  
**ADDENDUM #2**



**Bidders are hereby notified that this Addendum shall be acknowledged on page 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 document, 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 to submit all inquiries concerning interpretation, clarification or additional information pertaining to this bid was April 22, 2016 at 5:00 pm.** This deadline has been established to maintain fair treatment for all potential bidders, while maintaining the expedited nature of the Economic Stimulus that the contracting of this work may achieve.

**Bidders Note 1:**

**Bid Opening is Revised to May 27, 2016 at 3:00 PM**

**(WAS: May 20, 2016 at 3:00 PM**

**Bidders Note 2:**

Bidders: Please note that there are no additional revised plans forthcoming. The project shall be bid based on the plans and specifications originally presented to the bidders in the original solicitation, including responses provided to in Addendum #1.

The following question was inadvertently omitted when replying to Addendum #1 questions.

**Question 1:** Can we directional drill 2 – 3 feet below the main trunk elevations to avoid interference with the sewer laterals going to the homes?

**Response 1:**

In general, the County always wants the mains installed as shallow as possible for ease of accessibility for any future maintenance. We understand that existing subsurface conditions and existing infrastructure typically play an important part in determining the appropriate alignment and depth of the installation.

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The County is in the process of conducting a sanitary sewer lateral inspection that will determine the locations and depths of the existing sanitary sewer laterals crossing 48<sup>th</sup> Ave E and 18<sup>th</sup> St E. The County will provide all resulting data/reports to the successful Contractor to assess the proposed bore path. Prior to installation of the HDPE force main, the successful Contractor shall meet to discuss any proposed revisions to the designed alignment and depth of the proposed bore path to reduce the potential for any conflicts with the existing underground sanitary sewer lateral infrastructure.

If you have submitted a bid prior to receiving this addendum, you may request in writing that your original sealed bid be returned to your firm. All sealed bids received will be opened on the date stated.

Bids will be received at the Manatee County Purchasing Division, 1112 Manatee Avenue West, Suite 803, Bradenton, FL 34205 **May 27, 2016 at 3:00 PM.**

Sincerely yours,



Melissa M. Wendel, CPPO, Purchasing Official  
Manatee County Purchasing Division

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