



MANATEE COUNTY FLORIDA

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TO: All Interested Bidders

SUBJECT: Invitation for Bid #09-0246DC
Parrish Old School House Windows and Doors Replacement

ADDENDUM #2

Bidders are hereby notified that this Addendum shall be acknowledged on the Bid Form and 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 and to document responses to questions raised at the pre-bid and site meetings. 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. Bid Opening Date is corrected to read **January 6, 2009 at 10:00 A.M.**
2. Question: The window portion of the specification is not clear as to what type of product is requested for this project. It appears the intent to replicate the existing double hung windows with a fixed double hung window.

Response: The window system specified clearly address the aluminum window frame system series IR 501 and 1600 aluminum wall system as manufactured by the Kawneer Corporation. In section 08520 B.1 states that other standard systems of a similar and equivalent nature will be acceptable provided they meet the design concept and intended performance. Section 08520 B.2 states that the new windows shall be designed to resemble, as closely as possible, the existing area, section, and profile.

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3. Question: We recommend changing the window specification from the Kawneer model to the Graham model.

Response: We do not have any structural data on the Graham produce to warrant this request.

4. Question: The exterior trim at the window opening is not completely addressed.

Response: It is the manufactures responsibility to address these issues for their product.

5. Question: The grids in the top sash call for vinyl caps to replicate the putty bead and will deteriorate in a short time.

Response: In Section 08520 Products, A. states all window components shall be aluminum.

6. Question: The grids are not called out at the interior, are they required?

Response: Yes, grids are required on both sides of the window lite.

7. Question: What interior trim is desired to finish the opening?

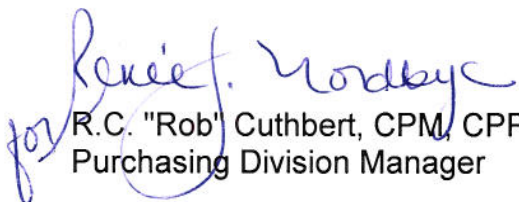
Response: The window frames are to be finished to the existing cement plaster rough opening.

8. Contract days (as specified in the IFB Document) will not begin until after delivery of the materials. Bidder shall include lead time required for their materials delivery in their bid submittal.

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 Manatee County Purchasing, 1112 Manatee Avenue West, Suite 803, Bradenton, Florida 34205 until **January 6, 2009 at 10:00 A.M.**

Sincerely,


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