

February 8, 2012

TO:

All Interested Bidders

SUBJECT:

Invitation for Bid # 12-0768-DS

Riverview Boulevard Bridge over McLewis Bayou

ADDENDUM # 2

Bidders are hereby notified that this Addendum shall be acknowledged on pages <u>00300-1</u> 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 was <u>February 8, 2012 at 3:00 pm.</u> This deadline had 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.

Response to submitted RFI; there is no Minority Participation requirement for this project.

Attachment: Responses to questions posed during the clarification period, letter dated February 6, 2012 provided by Mr. Lawrence I. Josephson, Project Engineer, Wade Trim Inc. (1 page)

The deadline for submitting sealed Bids at the Manatee County Purchasing Division, 1112 Manatee Avenue West, Suite 803, Bradenton, Florida 34205 has been changed. The date and time is <u>until 2:00 pm on February 21, 2012</u>.

END ADDENDUM # 2

Sincerely,

Melissa W. Assha, CPPO Interim Purchasing Official

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February 6, 2012

Ms. Donna M. Stevens Manatee County Purchasing Division 1112 Manatee Avenue West, Suite 803 Bradenton, FL 34205

Re: Riverview Boulevard Bridge over McLewis Bayou, Project 402-6013260

Dear Ms. Stevens:

This letter is to provide responses to comments submitted by bidders and for your use in preparing Addendum #2.

Comment 1: I know this question has already been asked about the Prime Contractor having a GC License; however we construct bridges for FDOT and other local municipalities and only carry a building license. We are an FDOT certified contractor in bridge and roadway work and would like the opportunity to bid this project for you. Is this something that you can look into having changed? I think you will also get a larger response.

Response 1: As stated in the Bld Documents and Addendum 1, contractors submitting a bid for this project shall have a General Contractor license.

Comment 2: We are requesting that the requirement of a General Contractors license be removed as there is not a building over 4 stories involved. We are a road/bridge and utility contractor and have all the necessary qualifications to construct this project, but we do not have this license.

Response 2: As stated in the Bid Documents and Addendum 1, contractors submitting a bid for this project shall have a General Contractor license.

Comment 3: I am in receipt of Addendum 1, and am still unclear of why there is a requirement for a General Contractor's license. Who is requiring this license and why? Is this coming from the EOR?

Response 3: As stated in the Bid Documents and Addendum 1, contractors submitting a bid for this project shall have a General Contractor license.

Please contact us if you have any questions.

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Sincerely,

WADE TRIM, INC.

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