



MANATEE COUNTY  
FLORIDA

April 2, 2014

TO: All Interested Bidders

SUBJECT: **ADDENDUM #1– IFB #14-0850GE – Powder Coating Transit Bus Shelters**

**This information is issued to modify, and/or clarify the request for quotation document.**

The following are revised Technical Specification sections. They shall replace the original sections within the bid document.

**D.01 DESCRIPTION OF THE WORK**

The purpose and intent of this Invitation for Bid is to establish a firm, fixed price contract for the surface preparation, structural repair and powder coating of Manatee County Area Transit (MCAT) System's 75 transit bus shelters, approximately 1,200 map cases and approximately 150 bike racks. The shelter components are currently powder coated. The work shall include the pickup, preparation, powder coating and the reassembly of the shelter, bench and trash receptacle as a shelter group. The successful contractor shall furnish all necessary resources to fully accomplish surface preparation, repair, powder coating and logo stencil application services as specified herein. Only minimal, cosmetic damage should be expected for repair (small scratches, dents, or seam separation). Shelter components with structural damage will not be sent for powder coating. The Contractor and an MCAT representative will go over the items to be picked up for service and shall note any damage. Shelter components with structural damage may be repaired and powder coated outside of the terms and pricing of this agreement as a separate transaction.

**D.05 SURFACE PREPARATION**

This work includes the shelter structure, bench, trash receptacle, map holder and bike racks. All cosmetic damage shall be repaired using materials, workmanship and design conforming to the best practices per the guidelines of the Powder Coating Institute ([www.powdercoating.org](http://www.powdercoating.org)) for outdoor metallic structures in a coastal environment. To include but not be limited to corner seams of the roof structure that have separated; these shall be repaired to eliminate "creepage" under the powder coat. All cosmetic repairs will be inspected and agreed to by a representative of MCAT and the Contractor prior to the commencement of work. MCAT reserves the right to refuse any structural repairs that do not meet the specifications as listed in this IFB and remove those components from the work load. All surfaces shall be completely sandblasted or otherwise remove all coatings to prepare for the powder coating process. In addition, the surfaces shall be washed appropriately for the metal being powder coated. A zirconium acid based wash is acceptable at a minimum for the aluminum components. An iron phosphate wash is acceptable at a minimum for the steel components.

Rubber seals and gaskets in the roof panel should be considered as possibly needing to be replaced. They shall be reused only if in good condition. Shelter lighting must be disassembled using reasonable care and reassembled with reasonable care. The operability of the light will not be the responsibility of the Contractor. The Contractor shall cut-off or otherwise remove the cat logo from the top of the bike racks.

#### **D.06 POWDER COATING PROCEDURES**

- a. The current shelter components are aluminum or steel. The shelter components shall be powder-coated in one color and the stenciling shall be painted in a second color. MCAT's color codes shall be used, unless otherwise directed. They are as follows:

Logo stencil liquid paint color to be RAL 2009, orange, polyester TGIC weather resistant to be painted over the powder coat base.

Powder-coat color to be RAL 6027, light green, polyester TGIC weather resistant.

The map cases and bike racks shall only be powder coated in RAL 6027 with the clear coat application.

These coatings shall meet or exceed the American Architectural Manufacturers Association specification 2604 South Florida Weathering.

- b. The process shall be a powder-coat / clear coat application. The stencil will require an appropriate liquid clear coat application to be applied only over the logo stencil.
- c. The powder coating is to be applied over a clean, smooth, well prepared surface as required by these specifications and the powder coating system manufacturer. It shall be free of debris, lint and dust and the finished surface shall be free of dirt, runs, orange peel, and other imperfections, in, on, or under the powder coating. The finished surface must comply with the Powder Coating Institute (PCI) Class B: Used for parts that are less critical such as side panels, bottom panels, etc. Normally viewed at a 12" or more distance, for a period of 5-7 seconds, allowing 3 or so blemished per square foot.

#### **END OF SECTION D REVISIONS**

#### **Question and Answer**

Q.1 Question 2 of the Contractor's questionnaire requires that the contractor submitting a bid must have 3 years commercial powder-coating experience. We do not powder-coat ourselves, we have it done by reliable vendors. The powder coating vendors we use are not equipped or insured for the work required to dismantle or erect the shelters etc. We suggest this question be amended such that the bidding contractor is required to provide proof of his powder-coating vendor's experience.

A.1 The County will now require all Subcontractors to be listed on the revised Contractor's Questionnaire page 23 included with this addendum.

#### **END OF QUESTION AND ANSWER SECTION**

Manatee County will provide to the successful bidder an .eps file for sign shop use in cutting the stencil.

Attached to this addendum are three pages of dimensional specifications: bike rack photo with dimensions, map case photo with dimensions, and Sun Logo dimensions and placement.

Alterations have been made to the Bid Form, page 22, of the Bid. The altered form is included herein and must replace the original form.

The bid submittal deadline date and time remains unchanged.

	<u>April 2, 2014</u>
Dennis Wallace	Date
Contracts and Buyer Manager	

**Attachments:**

Bike Rack photo with dimensions

Map Case photo with dimensions

Sun Logo dimensions and placement

Financial Management Department, Purchasing  
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## **BID FORM**

**For: IFB #14-0850GE, POWDER COATING TRANSIT BUS SHELTERS  
(SUBMIT IN TRIPLICATE)**

We, the undersigned, hereby declare that we have carefully reviewed the bid documents, and with full knowledge and understanding of the aforementioned do submit this bid, meeting each and every specification, term, and condition contained in the Invitation for Bids.

We understand that the bid documents in its entirety shall be made a part of any agreement or contract between Manatee County and the successful bidder. Failure to comply shall result in contract default, whereupon, the defaulting contractor shall be required to pay for any and all re-procurement costs, damages, and attorney fees as incurred by the County.

COMPANY'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE(S): \_\_\_\_\_

PRINTED NAME/TITLE OF SIGNER: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE OF INCORPORATION \_\_\_\_\_ (if applicable)

TELEPHONE: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ FAX: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

ITEM	DESCRIPTION	UNIT OF MEASURE	ITEM PRICE	EXTENDED PRICE FOR BID AWARD
1	Disassemble, Remove, Prepare, Powder coat and Stencil, and Reassemble the shelter, bench and trash receptacle	Each Shelter Group	\$ X 75 =	\$
2	Remove, Prepare, Powder coat and Reassemble Map Cases	EACH	\$ X 1200 =	\$
3	Remove, Prepare, Powder coat and Reassemble Bike Racks	EACH	\$ X 150 =	\$
<b>TOTAL BID PRICE FOR AWARD PURPOSES: (sum of extended price for items 1 thru 3)</b>				<b>\$</b>
Ability to powder coat ten (10) shelter groups within thirty calendar days (check Yes or No)			YES	NO
Warranty period of three years for materials and workmanship (check Yes or No)			YES	NO

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## **CONTRACTOR'S QUESTIONNAIRE**

(Submit in Triplicate)

The Bidder warrants the truth and accuracy of all statements and answers herein contained.

### **THIS QUESTIONNAIRE MUST BE COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED WITH YOUR BID/QUOTE.**

1. BUSINESS LICENSE #:

\_\_\_\_\_  
COMPANY'S NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

STATE of INCORPORATION (IF APPLICABLE) \_\_\_\_\_ (ZIP CODE) \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ FAX (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Number of years you have been in business under this name: \_\_\_\_\_

**The Awarded Contractor must have three (3) years commercial powder-coating experience under this company name to be considered for award.**

\_\_\_\_\_ **Years experience powder coating under this company name.**

**List all Subcontractors you plan to use for this agreement:**

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3. Have you ever been assessed liquidated damages under a contract during the past five (5) years? If so, state when, where (contact name, address, and phone number) and why.

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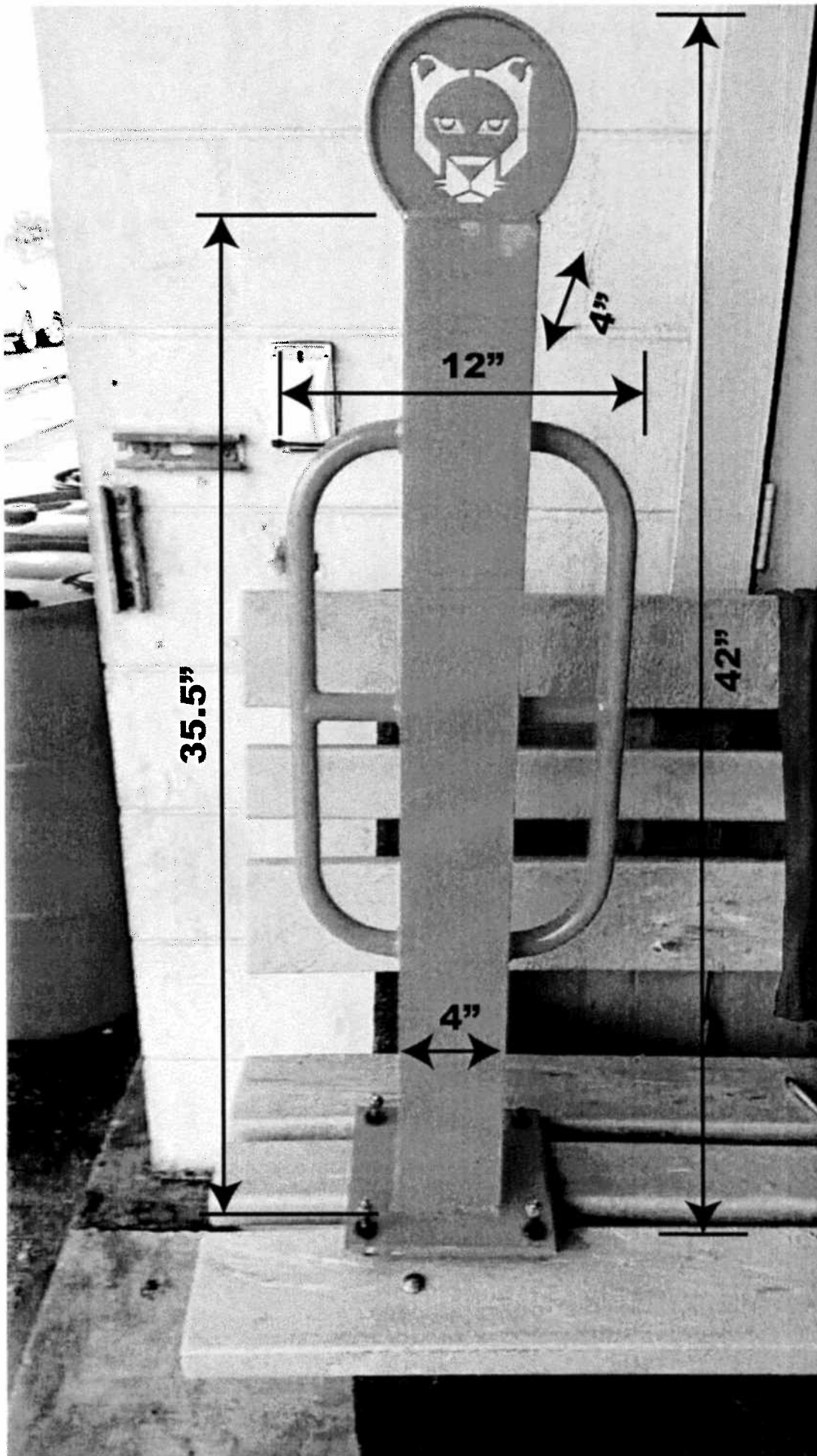
4. Have you ever failed to complete work awarded to you? Or provide projects not completed within contract time. If so, state when, where (Contact name, address, phone number) and why?

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BIDDER: \_\_\_\_\_



MANATEE COUNTY AREA TRANSIT

1108 2<sup>ND</sup> AVE. EAST  
BRADSTON 335 5408  
813-747-3621

COMMUNITY SERVICE WORKER  
PROGRAM INFORMATION

Hours of Operation: 8:00am - 5:00pm  
A free community program

Participants must be at least 18 years old and a resident of Manatee County. Participants must be signed up by 3:00pm, 7 days in advance.

APPROPRIATE DRESS IS REQUIRED for all working conditions at all times.

Do not:

- No jewelry, piercings, or body modifications
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RESTRICTED AREAS: Top and bottom of the program are restricted areas.

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COMUNIDAD DEL TRABAJADOR DE SERVICIO  
PROGRAMA DE INFORMACIÓN

Horario de atención: 8:00am - 5:00pm  
Un programa de la comunidad

Los participantes deben ser al menos 18 años de edad y residentes de Manatee County. Los participantes deben estar inscritos antes de las 3:00pm, 7 días antes.

VESTIDO APROPIADO ES NECESARIO para todas las condiciones de trabajo en todo momento.

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ZONAS RESTRICTADAS: Las zonas superior e inferior del programa son zonas restringidas.

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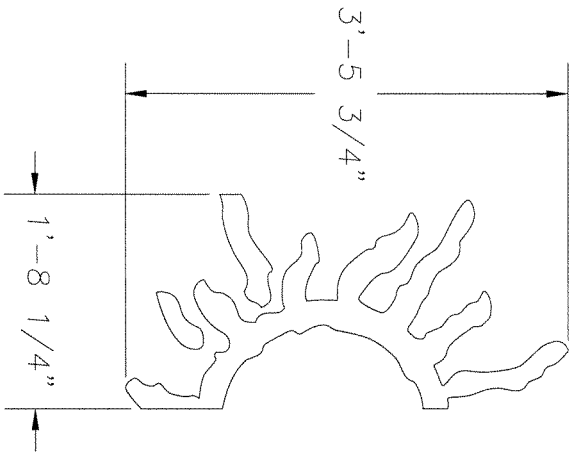
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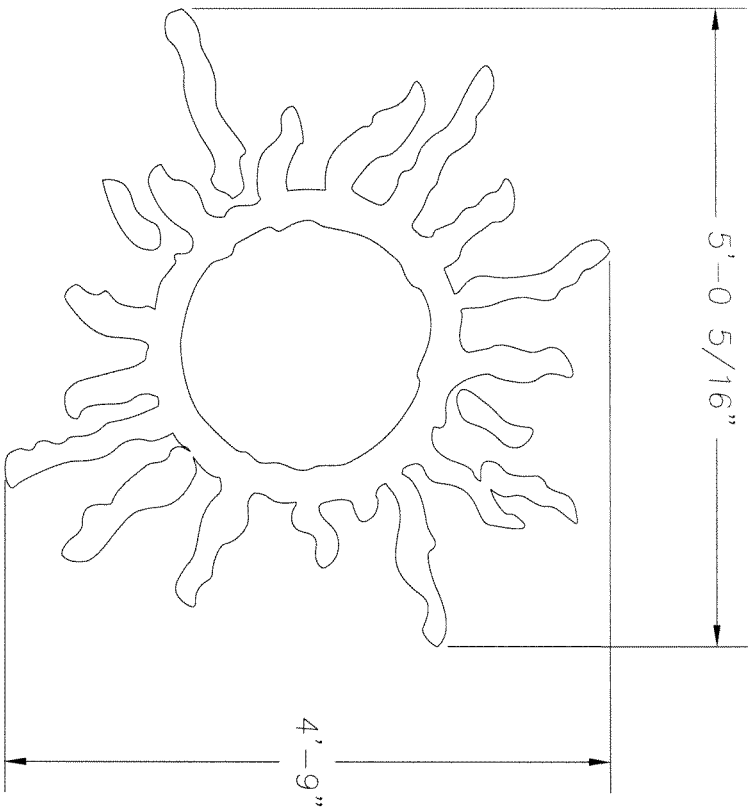
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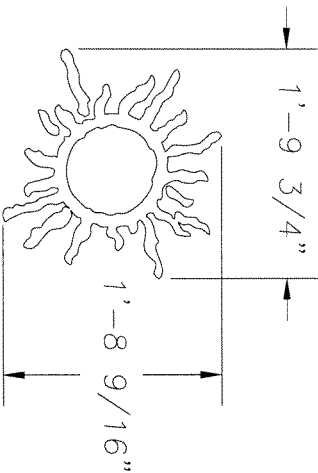



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