



September 15, 2022

RESPONSE LETTER NO. 2 TO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

Project Title: **Roadway Improvements to SW 268 St from SW 139 Ave to SW 119 Ave**
Project No.: **20210224 (Capital)**

E-mail from Mr. Yassir El-Khamlichi, MCM Co.; dated September 7, 2022, 2:53 P.M. (attached)

QUESTION: 1) Please confirm that all utilities are scheduled to be relocated prior to NTP.

RESPONSE: 1) All utilities have been notified and all relocations are schedule to be done prior NTP.

QUESTION: 2) Please confirm that an Engineer's Field Office is Mandatory for this project.

RESPONSE: 2) Yes, a field office is required for this project. Refer to Special Provisions, Article 2.01 Field Office.

QUESTION: 3) Please confirm that all permit fees are reimbursable by the Department?

RESPONSE: 3) Yes, permits are reimbursable at invoice cost. Refer to the General Requirements, Article 1.05 Legal Requirements and Responsibility to the Public, C. Permits and Licenses, 1. General, sub article d.

QUESTION: 4) Is there any indication of any contaminated water or soils in this project?

RESPONSE: 4) Yes, there is a petroleum contamination area shown on the water main plans P-8 of 40 from Station 262+00 to 263+00. The Contractor is referred to the WASD specifications provided for this project, Section 01018.

QUESTION: 5) Please confirm that all cost for materials & density testing is the responsibility of the Department.

RESPONSE: 5) Yes, The County will pay for the first test, any re-testing due to failure, will be the responsibility of the contractor. Refer to Supplementary Conditions, Article 1.12 Acceptance Tests.

QUESTION: 6) Please indicate the anticipated start date for this project.

RESPONSE: 6) DTPW is anticipated to issue an NTP by beginning of March, 2023.



QUESTION: 7) Please provide the bid item list in an excel format.

RESPONSE: 7) DTPW is providing the bid form in excel format under this RFI only to facilitate your calculations. However, contractor must submit the bid proposal on the PDF form provided under Section 2 of the Solicitation Documents or any PDF Bid Form provided under any subsequent addendum. Contractor is responsible for checking the accuracy of the calculation within the provided Excel sheet. Failure to submit your bid form as instructed in this response may deem your proposal nonresponsive. For any additional clarifications, on procedure regarding this response, please contact Mr. Alfredo Munoz at 305-375-4891.

E-mail from Mr. Harry J. Lubitz, United Gilsonite Laboratories Com.; dated September 11, 2022, 8:58 A.M. (attached)

QUESTION: 1) Regarding the upcoming bid for the Roadway Improvements Project, the specification for Hydraulic Cement Grout as described in Section 02000 "Technical Specifications", Page 40, Paragraph 5.02 E. 4. Is shown below. It cannot be bid by a contractor as it is written.

RESPONSE: 1) Refer to Addendum No. 2.

E-mail from Mr. Rogers Arguello, Acosta Tractors, Inc.; dated September 12, 2022, 10:52 A.M. (attached)

QUESTION: 1) Is the County aware that the current lead time for DIP for the watermain portion of this project is 46 weeks after receipt of order and approved shop drawings? Please clarify.

RESPONSE: 1) DTPW is aware of the lengthy lead time for ordering of materials. However, 46 weeks don't sound reasonable. Ductile Iron Pipe is not installed on the entire length of the project. Contractor is responsible to schedule work in accordance with available resources. If contractor encounter excessive delays on material orders, DTPW may consider, upon review to grant for additional non compensable time via change order.



E-mail from Ms. Hamill Andrade, Ric-Man International, Inc.; dated September 12, 2022, 5:44 P.M. (attached)

QUESTION: 1) Confirm Substantial and final completion days.

RESPONSE: 1) Refer to Addendum No. 1. Substantial completion to be achieved 700 calendar days after NTP and final completion 60 calendar days later.

QUESTION: 2) Volume I in the "General Contract Conditions" section 12 "miscellaneous Provisions" Letter J "Insurance" says **"The Contractor shall maintain the insurance set forth in the Special Provisions throughout the performance of this Contract until the Work has been completed by the Contractor and accepted by the Owner"** we don't find "special provisions"
We have found "1.18 ADDITIONAL INSURANCE TO BE CARRIED BY CONTRACTOR" in the "Supplemental Conditions" Please Provide all insurance coverages required for this contract.

RESPONSE: 2) The Insurance Requirement for this Contract is found under Article 1.18 Additional Insurance to Be Carried by Contractor of the Supplementary Conditions, Page 14 of the Supplementary Conditions or, Page 202 of 524 of the PDF file of Volume 1 of the electronic file.

QUESTION: 3) In volume I "Supplementary conditions"
1.07 ADDITIONAL SBE-CONST CONTRACT MEASURE REQUIREMENTS A. a 14.32% Small Business Enterprise-Construction (SBE-CONST) Contract Measure has been established for this Project. and a 0.11% Small Business Enterprise Services (SBE-S) Goal. However, the cover page & SBD PROJECT WORKSHEET of Volume I shows Small Business Enterprise-Construction Program (SBE-CONST.): 8.83% SBE-CONST Goal Small Business Enterprise-Goods and Services Program (SBE-GS.): 0.62% SBE-S Goal Confirm SBE goals for this contract.

RESPONSE: 3) SBD goals have been clarified under Addendum No. 1. There is an SBD Construction Goal of 8.83% and a SBD goal for goods and services of 0.62%.



QUESTION: 4) Item 200-1-10 Limerock Base 8" Thick Primed There is a note with this item stating this item contains 4,620 S.Y. of WASD Item No.42. There is no item No. 42.

RESPONSE: 4) The note is for references purposes, indicating that portion of the Water and Sewer Work contains 4,620 SY of limerock for cost participation purposes between WASD and DTPW. Therefore, quantities for item No. 42 of WASD are already included on the bid form under pay item number 200-1-10 Limerock Base 8" Thick Primed. Please ignore the comment.

E-mail from Mr. Raul Cabrera, Florida Engineering & Development, Corp.; dated September 13, 2022, 11:56 A.M. (attached)

QUESTION: 1) How should the Contractor submit the bid, in person or online?

RESPONSE: 1) Please refer to Advertisement Notice. Sealed Bids must be submitted in person or by regular mail to the Office of the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners, Stephen P. Clark Center, Room 17-202, 111 NW 1st Street, Miami, FL 33128, before 2:00 p.m., Local Time, Wednesday, September 21, 2022, or as modified by addendum. Late submittals will not be accepted.

QUESTION: 2) Is the Field Office mandatory?

RESPONSE: 2) Yes, refer to answer to question Number 2 above to MCM Inc.

QUESTION: 3) Does the 0.25% of the Office of the Inspector General apply to this project?

RESPONSE: 3) Yes, the 0.25% of the Office of the Inspector General apply to this project. Please refer to Instructions to Prospective Contractor Appendix A, Article 21.

QUESTION: 4) Does the 2 % of the UAP apply to this project?

RESPONSE: 4) Yes, the 2% of the UAP apply to this project. Please refer to Instructions to Supplementary Conditions, Article 1.143 Miami-Dade County's User Access Program (UAP).



END OF REQUEST FOR INFORMATION No. 2

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "A/E Muñoz".

Alfredo E. Muñoz, P.E.
Chief, Capital Improvements Division
Department of Transportation and Public Works (DTPW)

AM:jbp

c:

Jean Bernard Philippeaux, DTPW
Fernando Mardones, DTPW

Rene Idarraga, P.E., DTPW
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Clerk of the Board
Project File

Philippeaux, Jean Bernard (DTPW)

From: Yassir El-Khamlichi <yassir@mcm-us.com>
Sent: Wednesday, September 7, 2022 2:53 PM
To: Philippeaux, Jean Bernard (DTPW)
Cc: Clerk of the Board (COC)
Subject: PROJECT NO.: 20210224 - Roadway Improvements to SW 268 St from SW 139 Ave to SW 119 Ave,

EMAIL RECEIVED FROM EXTERNAL SOURCE

Good Afternoon Jean Bernard,

We have some RFI's for the above referenced project:

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- 3- Please confirm that all permit fees are reimbursable by the Department?
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- 6- Please indicate the anticipated start date for this project.
- 7- Please provide the bid item list in an excel format.

Thank you,



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From: Harry Lubitz <Harry.Lubitz@ugl.com>
Sent: Sunday, September 11, 2022 8:58 AM
To: Philippeaux, Jean Bernard (DTPW)
Cc: Clerk of the Board (COC)
Subject: RFI: Inconsistencies in Products Specified for Hydraulic Cement Grout - Roadway Improvements to SW 268th St. from SW 139 Ave. to SW 119 Ave, Proj.#20210224
Attachments: drylok-fast-plug-pds.pdf

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Good morning, JeanBernard :

Regarding the upcoming bid for the Roadway Improvements Project, the specification for Hydraulic Cement Grout as described in Section 02000 "Technical Specifications", Page 40, Paragraph 5.02 E. 4. Is shown below. It cannot be bid by a contractor as it is written.

4. Nonshrink hydraulic cement grout shall be **Waterplug**, Thoro Products, BASF Building Systems, or approved equal.

The product as specified does not exist as it is currently named and described or are incorrectly specified.

- The Waterplug product brand was discontinued.
- Thoro Products no longer exists.
- BASF Building Systems no longer manufactures products of this type.

Consequently, there is no hydraulic cement grout product reference standard for contractors to base their bid.

The acceptable equivalent and locally commercially available product for your specified need manufactured by UGL is **"DRYLOK FastPlug Hydraulic Cement"**. I have attached information on this product. Please consider accepting **DRYLOK FastPlug Hydraulic Cement** as an **"or-equal"** for this project to allow contractors to bid a readily available equivalent.

DRYLOK PRODUCTS ARE PROUDLY MANUFACTURED IN SCRANTON, PA. AND JACKSON, MS.

I respectfully request you consider **DRYLOK FastPlug Hydraulic Cement** as an equivalent and include in an upcoming Addendum.

Best regards,

Harry J. Lubitz, CSI, CDT, IIBEC, ASTM, AIA Allied

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Sent: Monday, September 12, 2022 10:52 AM
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Attachments: ATI RFI No.1.pdf

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Good morning, Mr. Philippeaux,

Attached you will find RFI No. 01 from Acosta Tractors Inc. Please review the RFI and provide a response as soon as possible.

Thank You,

Roger Arguello
Estimating Department

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Company:	Miami Dade County - DTPW	Date:	09/12/2022
Fax:		Email:	JeanBernard.Phillippeaux@miamidade.gov
Re:	Roadway Improvements to SW 268 th St. from SW 139 th Ave. to SW 119 th Ave.	CC:	clerkbcc@miamidade.gov
	Project No. 20210224		

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Thank You,

Ms. Hamill Andrade

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