



March 6, 2025

RESPONSE LETTER NO. 2 TO REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

Project Title: **Metromover Fire Panel Upgrade**

Project No.: **TP-0000018108**

A. Email from Mr. Gustavo Varela, from MAC 195 Engineering Corporation Inc; on March 5, 2025, at 10:09 PM (Email Attached).

Question No.1: In the ITB the calendar days for project completion are 914. But in the Special Provisions RPQ NO. TP-0000018108 the project duration is 365 days. What is the actual duration of the project?

Answer No.1: Duration of the Project is 914 calendar days as stated in Invitation-to-Bid (ITB) and Bid Form (2nd Page). However, in reference to Special Provisions text, in particular, *section 1. General Requirements, point 12.0 titled "Commencement, Prosecution and Completion of work", see Addendum no.1.*

Question No.2: According to ITB the project is set to start on Jan 20th, 2026. Is that when the NTP will be given?

Answer No.2: The date provided in Invitation-To-Bid is solely an estimate, and the actual date will depend on internal award logistics, including Committee, Citizen's Independent Transportation Trust (CITT), and Board of County Commissioners (BCC) meeting schedules.

Question No.3: Is the contractor expected to reuse the existing single mode fiber optic cable between stations, or replace it with new fiber?

Answer No.3: Yes, the contractor is expected to reuse the existing single mode fiber optic cable between stations. The contractor is not required to install or replace any fiber optic cable between the stations.

Question No.4: Is the existing fiber network already a ring topology?

Answer No.4: Yes. The existing fiber network that will be provided to the contractor will be a ring topology.

END OF REQUEST FOR INFORMATION No. 2

Sincerely,

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(RFI)**

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