

ADDENDUM #1

Date: 04-19-2024

TOWN OF ISLIP DEPARTMENT OF PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DIVISION OF ENGINEERING AND CONTRACTS

SUPPLY AND INSTALL LOW VOLTAGE WIRING FOR TOWN FACILITIES PROJECT NO. DPD 1-24

Acknowledge receipt of this Addendum No. 1 by filling out and signing the acknowledgment at the end of the document. The signed Addendum shall be attached to the Form of Bid. Failure to do so may subject the bidder to disqualification. This addendum forms part of the Contract Documents and modifies them as follows:

THE BID OPENING DATE HAS BEEN CHANGED TO MAY 2, 2024

ANY ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY APRIL 24, 2024

CHANGES TO SPECIFICATIONS:

PLEASE ADD SPECIFICATION PAGES **102 A and 102 B** to the bid book.

CHANGES TO ITEMIZED BID PAGES:

ITEMIZED BID PAGES FB-a & FB-b **ARE TO BE REPLACED WITH ATTACHED REVISED ITEMIZED BID PAGES FB-a & FB-b**

CHANGES TO FORM OF CONTRACT:

PAGE 130 FC-2 OF THE FORM OF CONTRACT **SHOULD BE RELACED WITH ATTACHED REVISED PAGE 130 FC-2**

QUESTIONS AND CLARIFICATIONS:

1. Question: Is the term of contract included in the bid book?

Answer: The term of contract was accidentally omitted from the bid book. The term is one (1) year which may be extended at the Town's option by Town board resolution for up to an additional two (2) years via separate one (1) year renewals. (see "Changes to Form of Contract")

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2. Question: Can the bid due date be postponed allowing an extension of time?

Answer: A **one-week extension** of time has been granted. The bid due date has changed from 11:00 a.m., prevailing time on Thursday, April 25, 2024 to **11:00 a.m., prevailing time on Thursday, May 2, 2024.**

3. Question: Does the Town have a list of facilities?

Answer: The contract includes all Town owned facilities and additional buildings that the Town leases. Also included are Town parks, pool facilities and beaches. There are approximately thirty (30) sites and we may have more to come.

NOTE: The Airport and fire rescue building at the airport are open 24 hours a day and may require after hour emergency work. The airport may also require credentials, a background check and badges may be required for certain jobs. This could be a barrier for certain employees. Please keep that in mind.

4. Question: Are all projects restricted to one month?

Answer: In most cases. Larger jobs may take longer. Emergencies will be required to be addressed immediately. Certain jobs may need to be completed within a week.

5. Question: Are we required to use CAT5E for outdoor as stated in the contract?

Answer: We prefer to use CAT5E for outdoor cables. The preferred outdoor cable, Ubiquiti Tough Cable is only 5E. Indoor can be either 6 or 6A

6. Question: Would there be trenching or boring?

Answer: Yes, this could be needed in parks.

7. Question: Will a bucket truck be required?

Answer: Yes.

8. Question: Do we require certification?

Answer: For Fiber – yes.
For Copper – not typically.

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9. Question: Do we require an OTDR test?

Answer: Yes.

10. Question: Do we have a standard for fusion splice?

Answer: Industry Standard – Max loss of .1 dB

11. Question: Are the quantities on the bid specific? Is the number based on a medium?

Answer: The bid quantities are estimated based on our best guess regarding expected demand over a year. However, due to the uncertainty of exact demand, the quantities stated in the bid are for bid-comparison purposes only.

12. Question: Since there is no real indication of the immediate number of cable installations needed, what would be the amount of cable needed to be ordered and delivered to owner once the project is awarded. Would it be the entire amount indicated on bid sheets or would they just require a certain amount to be kept on hand?

Answer: The Town will contact the successful bidder for each task, who will estimate the necessary materials and provide a quote accordingly. The quantity of materials required will be determined by the Town's service request at the time.

13. Question: Miscellaneous work at an hourly labor rate I would assume among other things could mean the installation of EMT conduit or other conduit types to secure and protect cables in exposed areas which is not all that uncommon. How should the cost of that material be figured in if needed? It's understood in 4. BASIS OF PAYMENT, that all cable pulls above ceilings should be in support hardware and not laying on the ceiling and that hardware would naturally along pull lines for future pulls be part of the additional equipment necessary for proper installation

Answer: Essential materials such as EMT will be quoted based on the specific requirements of each project requested by the Town. For instance, if the Town requests a 900ft fiber run between two wiring closets at the airport, with the path above ceiling tiles, the contractor will assess the job's specifications and use the agreed pricing or time and materials to determine the quote. Please refer to contract page 130 (FC-2) item 9.3(B) Extra Work for additional information.

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The responses to the questions in this Addendum represent the official position of the Town. In the event of any conflict between an oral response given at the walk through and the responses in this Addendum No. 1, this Addendum shall control.

The undersigned hereby acknowledges receipt of the following Addenda:

Addendum No.1 **Dated: 04-19-2024**

Signature of person, firm or corporation making this Proposal:



(Contractor)

Owner

(Title)

P.O. Address: **418 Broadway STE N**

Albany NY, 12207

Phone No.: **970-646-2706** Dated: **04/23/2024**

The full name and address of all persons interested in the Proposal, or principals, are as follows:

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