

GREATER NEW HAVEN WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY YALE CAMPUS TRUMBULL STREET AREA SEWER SEPARATION PHASE 2

Project CWF 2012-04

ADDENDUM #2

July 01, 2022

BIDDERS MUST ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS ADDENDUM # 2 AND ALL PREVIOUS ADDENDA IN THEIR PROPOSAL

Bidders are hereby informed that plans and specifications for the above-mentioned project are modified, corrected, and or supplemented as follows and that Addendum #2, complete with the enclosures, becomes part of the Contract Documents.

A. BID DUE DATE REVISED TO JULY 19, 2022 AT 10:00 AM LOCAL TIME:

- Sealed Bids for project CWF 2012-04 are due no later than 10:00 AM Local Time on Tuesday July 19, 2022 at GNHWPCA Headquarters, 260 East Street, New Haven, CT 06511, at which time they will be opened in a virtual bid opening. Be advised the GNHWPCA offices are not open to the public and Bidders are solely responsible to make certain their bids are received in a timely manner.
- The Bid Opening will be held virtually via Microsoft Teams. To attend the bid opening, you may click on the following link: <u>Click here to join the meeting</u> at the time of bid opening. All bidders will be provided an email with the unofficial bid results shortly after the bid opening.
- B. CLOSING DATE FOR QUESTIONS EXENDED UNTIL NOON JULY 6, 2022.

C. QUESTIONS SUBMITTED:

- 1. The Specifications call for up to 130 pre-construction photos and up to 20 progress photos per month. Can High-Resolution, 9 x 12, Digital Images, Labeled with the Project Number, Date, View provided in a text box be considered acceptable?
 - i. RESPONSE: The use of high-resolution digital images that have been labeled can be considered equivalent to the specified hard prints. The exact information to be included in the labeling and the format of the file names will need to be determined during construction.



- 2. Bid Items 58, 59, & 60 are called out as Point Repairs for various sizes of pipes. What is the anticipated location of these repairs? What is the MPT required, the depth of pipe, sewer flows, etcetera? What is included in these items such as shoring, excavation, bedding, pipe, paving, etcetera?
 - i. RESPONSE: The Point Repair Items are covered in Standard Specifications Item 521, Point Repairs. The item is related to the cleaning and CCTV inspection of existing pipes prior to Cured In Place Pipe (CIPP) Lining. The repairs will be done as needed to properly install the CIPP Lining. There are currently two locations identified for Point Repairs. One is shown on Sheet 21, Pearl St at approximate Station 10+66. The second is shown on Sheet 23, Whitney Av near Bradley St. The Point Repair Items will include all costs per lineal foot of pipe repaired, up to and including the temporary pavement repair. The installation of Permanent Pavement Repair and the Milling and Bituminous Concrete Overlay will be measured and paid for under the appropriate items.
- 3. What are the payment limits for beam and lagging, both temporary and permanent?
 - i. RESPONSE: The measurement and payment limits for temporary sheeting is provided in Standard Specification Item 714. The Permanent Sheeting will be measured in the same manner as the Temporary Sheeting. There will be no extra allowance for sheeting below the bottom of excavation, but that cost is to be carried in the square foot cost for Permanent Sheeting.
- 4. Whitney Av Sanitary Sewer between MH 2 and 3, is this intended to connect laterals to the south?
 - RESPONSE: The Replacement Sanitary Sewer on Sachem Street, Sheet 16, is to connect laterals from the north side of Sachem St. Laterals on the south side flow south.
- 5. How are Wye Branches paid for on the 12" sanitary sewer?
 - i. RESPONSE: Reference Page SS-50 of the Specifications
- 6. Will a Pre-Construction Inventory be included for the current trees?
 - i. RESPONSE: Reference Plan Sheets 83 and 84.
- 7. Will the Excavation Limits be used as the Root Pruning Limit along the entire excavation route?
 - i. RESPONSE: The Tree Preservation Section 1513 identifies a series of protective measures to be incorporated by the Contract Arborist in consultation with the Project Arborist. The use of Supersonic Air Tool (SSAT) methods for pruning roots would occur beyond the extent of any temporary or permanent shoring or excavation.



- 8. Is treatment with a Growth Regulator necessary on all trees?
 - RESPONSE: Reference Plan Sheets 83 and 84 for the Tree Preservation
 Table which identifies various Recommended Preservation Measures. Growth Regulator is one of those recommendations.
- 9. The contractor is required to pay for all meter bag fees as part of the MPT. Can this be assigned as an allowance item?
 - i. RESPONSE: The payment of Meter Bag Fees will remain part of the Maintenance and Protection of Traffic Item. No separate allowance item is included in the bid items.
- 10. How will the City of New Haven handle permits, especially as they relate to the bioswale locations?
 - RESPONSE: The work shown in Specifications Appendix C which includes bioswales, and infiltrating catch basins, are to be done on a Blanket Permit for all locations. The balance of the sewer separation work will be permitted on a street-by-street basis.

END OF ADDENDUM 2

ENCLOSURES:

NONE