



September 29, 2021

ADDENDUM NO. 01
Invitation for Bid No. 21-03
Automated Electronic Tolling System & Roadway Improvements

Prospective Proposers and all concerned are hereby notified of the following changes/comments related to the Invitation for Bid (IFB) No. 21-03. These changes/comments shall be incorporated in and shall become an integral part of the IFB.

1. Replace Contract Specifications in their entirety with attached new Contract Specifications. (Attachment A)
2. Replace Contract Plans in their entirety with attached new Contract Plans. (Attachment B)
3. Responses to submitted questions are below:
 - Question: Clearing & Grubbing Item is listed as Lump Sum, yet there are no clearing limits shown on the plans
Answer: Plans have been updated to show the clearing limits.
 - Question: Confirming the Liquidated damages for not completing work by 12/10/21 completion date is your bid bond (10% of total bid)?
Answer: The specifications have been revised to clarify liquidated damages for this contract.
 - Question: On the General Plan Sheets, there are notations for 'Remove & Dispose Sign', but no item in the bid for this work
Answer: An item has been added to the contract for removal and disposal of signs.
 - Question: If the tolling contractor does not complete their work on-time in 'Stage 1' and that effects our completion of work, will Liquidated Damages be assessed on the roadway contractor?
Answer: No. Contractors will not be assessed liquidated damages due to justifiable delays.

- Question: There are multiple items ie; Gravel Borrow Subbase, Class 19.0 HMA, Compost Filter Tube, Cut Bituminous Rubble Strips with no indications on the plans where this work is to be performed.
Answer: Plans have been updated to show the items referenced in the question.
- Question: Please provide a detail for the item ‘, Cut Bituminous Rubble Strips’ and did you mean ‘Rumble’?
Answer: The detail for Rumble Strips has been added to the plans.
- Question: Is the MBE/WBE goal of 10% a requirement or goal?
Answer: This is a goal.
- Question: On ‘General Plan 2’, Sheet 7 – there is a ‘RPC’ notation, but no ‘RPC’ listed in the Symbols and Legends sheet. Please advise as to what the scope of work is for ‘RPC’.
Answer: RPC has been added to the legend in the plans and the removal limits of the plastic curbing has been delineated.
- Question: Having the item Gravel Borrow Subbase, usually means there is an ‘Excavation’ item and a ‘Fine Grade’ item, but none listed and no indication where the gravel borrow subbase is placed on the plans
Answer: The item for Gravel Borrow Subbase has been modified for this Contract to include excavation as well as fine grading.
- Question: Please provide the installation instructions or name of the existing plastic curb so we can determine the number of anchors and the type recommended for use to figure the repairs after removal.
Answer: The existing plastic curbing is Klemmfix 12. Pictures can be provided upon request.
- Question: Please consider adding pay items for the 20 EACH proposed epoxy pavement marking symbols (“DO,” “NOT,” “STOP,” etc.) as there are currently no pay items.
Answer: An item has been added to the plans and specifications to cover the referenced pavement marking symbols.

As a reminder, firms interested in submitting bids shall not make personal contact with any member of RITBA staff and/or Board of Directors. Questions concerning this IFB should be directed, via email to procurement@ritba.org. This addendum will be posted to RITBA’s website (www.ritba.org) and the State of Rhode Island’s Division of Purchasing website (www.purchasing.ri.gov).

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