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DATE:

February 9, 2011

TO:

All Prospective Bidders

SUBJECT:

Response to Bidders' Inquiries No. 8

Green Valley Road at Tennessee Creek Bridge Replacement

Project

(Contract No. PW 09-30407, CIP No. 77109)

ITEM NO.	LOCATION, PAGE OR DRAWING NO.	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
8.01		Question: With regards to RTBI #6, if the Engineer is determining the need for advance flaggers in the field, will this be paid for as extra work?
		Answer: No. Payment will be made in accordance with Section 12-2.02 "Flagging Costs" of the Standard Specifications. Only flagging associated with extra work will be paid for as extra work.
8.02	SP-13, SP-14, and SP-139	Question: It appears that work window of 4-days for Stage 2 is not enough time to complete this work. We suggest a 10 to 7-day work window.
		Answer : Our quantity calculations indicate that the quantities for AC, AB, and roadway excavation can be constructed/installed in the time period provided.
8.03	SP-147, P-3, and C-11	Question: The bid quantity for item #14 "Temporary Crash Cushions" seems over inflated. Quantity should be 6 each.
		Answer: As stated in the last paragraph of Section 10-1.34 "Temporary Crash Cushion System on SP-147, the quantity is per element per stage.
8.04	Cover sheets and N-1	Questions: Please delay the bid opening one additional week to allow more to time a complete our UDBE good faith effort. The goal is very high on this project and more time is required to complete our UDBE GFE.
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8.05	Questions: Did you mean to have "DRAFT" watermark on page 13 of 13 of subject Addendum 3?
	Answers: Yes. This page replaces C-13 in the "draft" Agreement.

Holders who have already mailed their proposal can contact Janel Gifford at (email: Janel.Gifford@edcgov.us) to arrange return of their proposal.

Inform all suppliers and subcontractors as necessary.

The DOT is only sending this addendum by posting on the following website: http://www.edcgov.us/Government/DOT/Bids.aspx.

Responses to bidder inquiries, unless incorporated into formal addenda to the contract, are not a part of the contract, and are provided for the bidder's convenience only. In some instances, the question and answer may represent a summary of the matters discussed rather than a word-for-word recitation. The availability or use of information provided in the responses to bidder inquiries is not to be construed in any way as a waiver of the provisions of Section 2-1.03, "Examination of Plans, Specifications, Contract, and Site of Work," of the Standard Specifications or any other provision of the contract, the plans, Standard Specifications, or special provisions, nor to excuse the contractor from full compliance with those contract requirements. Bidders are cautioned that subsequent responses or contract addenda may affect or vary a response previously given.

Sincerely,

Janel Gifford, PE

Supervising Civil Engineer

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