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Sanitary Sewer Bypass Pumping at Middle Oconee River

ADDENDUM No. 2

Date	June 9, 2023
Proposal Number	01129
Pre-Proposal Meeting	Wednesday, May 31, 2023 at 10:00 a.m.
Proposal Submittal Deadline	Tuesday, June 20, 2023 at 3:00 p.m.

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SECTION 00900.02

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PART 1 – REVISIONS TO THE REQUEST FOR PRICE AND PERFORMANCE PROPOSAL

The following REVISIONS shall be incorporated into the REQUEST FOR PRICE AND PERFORMANCE PROPOSAL for the above-referenced project:

- A. Cover Letter
 - 1. Last paragraph on Page 1, replace “June 13, 2023” with “June 20, 2023”
- B. Section II, Paragraph B. 1. RFPP TIMETABLE
 - 1. In row “Deadline for submission of questions, replace “June 6, 2023” with “June 13, 2023”
 - 2. In row “Submittal deadline”, Replace “June 13, 2023” with “June 20, 2023”
- C. Section II, Paragraph B. 2. PROPOSAL SUBMISSION
 - 1. In first paragraph, replace “June 13, 2023” with “June 20, 2023”
- D. Section IV, Mandatory Proposal Forms: Part D. (page 20 of 24)
 - 1. Replace Part D in its entirety with the revised form attached to this addendum.

All other terms and conditions of the REQUEST FOR PRICE AND PERFORMANCE PROPOSAL remain unchanged.



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PART 2 – REVISIONS TO THE DRAWINGS

The following REVISIONS shall be incorporated into the DRAWINGS for the above-referenced project:

- A. NONE in this Addendum.

All other terms and conditions of the DRAWINGS remain unchanged.

PART 3 – QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

The following QUESTIONS and ANSWERS shall be incorporated into the PROJECT MANUAL for the above-referenced project:

Q1: To properly package this bid request, additional time is requested in order to vet any sub-contractor help to execute our narrative. Can the bid date be extended by 14 days?

A1: No. However, the County is able to extend the submission deadline by 7 days. See Part 1 of this addendum.

Q2: (Referring to Q8 of Addendum No. 1) If the line collapses and backs up the manhole, putting a plug in will be very challenging if not impossible if the suction line cannot uncover the invert which it would not having it 30” from invert. It would be better served if the lines were out and put in as needed with the suction line at invert level which would require access to equipment. Or leave them in and someone would have to check about ragging on a regular basis. But if we keep them 30” from invert then we are not liable if we cannot get plug in.

A2: To clarify, the response to Addendum No. 1’s Q8 was to provide a hypothetical option to address the question invoked in Q8. The response was not intended to provide a mean or method to install the suction line.

As noted in this question, if a FIRM elects to submerge their suction line into the manhole during normal flow, they will be required to “check about ragging on a regular basis.”



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Per the final paragraph in the response to Addendum No. 1's Q8, "The FIRM will determine their means and methods to perform the requested services. If the process requires an equipment for this activity, it is the responsibility of the FIRM." Equally, if a FIRM determines their procedure will be to submerge the suction line, then it is the FIRM's responsibility to periodically confirm that the suction pipe is in proper condition to perform its purpose.

It is the FIRM's responsibility to provide a **narrative** that stipulates the means and methods to perform the bypass pumping required for this PROPOSAL.

Q3: Is Athens Clarke not requiring references from the bidders or any lower-tier subcontractors that the bidders may engage? If references are required, how many need to be provided?

A3: Yes, references are required for the vendor providing the bypass pumping service. Per the Instructions provided in Section I of the RFPP (page 4 of 24), a minimum of three (3) references are required. The instructions also stipulates the types of references required.

For clarification, Section III, Paragraph C. requires five (5) or seven (7) representative projects. These projects should be associated with the three (3) required references.

Q4: Please clarify. Page 8, Section 8. Minimum Proposed Acceptance Period states 60 days, where Page 20, Line 2 states "Pricing must be held firm for a minimum of 180 days after submittal." How long does Athens Clarke require participating bidders to hold the pricing being offered in their submittal, or is there no requirement to hold pricing?

A4: Per Section II, Paragraph B. 1. RFPP TIMETABLE, the proposal is to remain valid through October 31, 2023.

Regarding Page 8 reference, if a FIRM elects to withdraw their proposal, it must be withdrawn after the 60 days to allow for review by the Owner.

Regarding Page 20, the document was prepared when 180 days would pass to reach the October 31, 2023, date. It is the intent of Athens-Clarke County to select and contract the FIRM before this date. The date is the requirement.



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Q5: What are ACCUG’s payment terms (e.g., 30 days net, etc.)?

A5: Standard payment terms of approved invoices is net 30 days.

Q6: Referencing RFPP Sanitary Sewer Bypass Pumping bid document, Page 8, Section 14. Notice of Price Comparison - We attempted to click on the referenced link (at the top of Page 9) and also typed in the web address and received the below message. Is Section 14 “not applicable” to this RFPP? If it is applicable, are you able to provide a link that will allow us to access this information?

A6: The link is not applicable to this RFPP.

Q7: Is ACCUG wanting bidders to include a product brochure or product cutsheets – and how many copies are required?

A7: No. The required documents of the proposal are stipulated in Section III, Paragraph C (starting on page 13 of 24). and the listed MANDATORY SUBMITTAL forms. The number of copies are stipulated in Section I (page 5 of 24), under Submittal Format.

Q8: Has Athens-Clarke confirmed who is the GDOT Contractor?

A8: E.R. Snell Contracting has been sent a Notice of Award for the project. A Notice to Proceed has not been submitted by GDOT at this time.

PART 4 – ATTACHMENTS

A. Section IV – Mandatory Proposal Forms: Part D. Price and Performance Proposal Form.

END OF SECTION

Acknowledgment of receipt of this addendum must be signed and included in your bid submittal.

Company Name	
Signature	
Date	

SECTION IV MANDATORY PROPOSAL FORMS:

MANDATORY SUBMITTAL

D: PRICE AND PERFORMANCE PROPOSAL FORM

Provide a formal “Quotation” complete with a detailed scope of goods and services. Scope of services shall state that it includes all items required in **Specification Section 02740 or be explicitly stated in Section IV, Part C Technical Specification Exceptions**. The Firm is hereby notified that the “Schedule of Prices” will be made available to all bidding contractors who request them if the Firm is a selected Firm.

The FIRM shall submit the following schedule. This schedule provides the estimated quantity of work requested. At a minimum, unit costs must be provided for all services in Schedule A.

1. Price proposed on Specifications as Outlined: YES NO
2. Price and Performance Proposal Expires on: _____ day of, _____ (year)
(Prices must be held firm until October 31, 2023.) [Add. No. 2]
3. Total Cost for “RFPP # 01129 - Sanitary Sewer Bypass Pumping at Middle Oconee River”
\$ _____
4. Schedule A: SCHEDULE OF PRICES

Description	Qty	Unit	Cost/Unit	Total Cost
FIELD SERVICES				
Mobilization & Testing	1	EA	\$	\$
System Stand-by Period (system in-place, but not operating) <i>[Add. No. 2]</i>	30.0	MO	\$	\$
System Operating Period (system in-place, and in operation by FIRM)				
Pump Start-up	15	EA	\$	\$
Pump Operating Period <i>[Add. No. 2]</i>	1,000	HRS	\$	\$
Demobilization	1	EA	\$	\$
BASE BID (Summation of above items)				\$

In addition to Schedule A, the FIRM may submit an Alternate Schedule A for the FIRM’s proposed services. The FIRM shall provide a narrative detailing the use of the alternate. The OWNER will determine which Schedule will be contracted.

5. Since the PROJECT schedule is controlled by GDOT, the FIRM shall provide the following timeframes starting from issuance of Notice to Proceed through approval of deliverables.

From Notice To Proceed to Technical Submittals: _____ days, and
 From Submittal Approval to Mobilization: _____ days, and
 From Mobilization to Start-up: _____ days