



City of Flint

Department of Purchases & Supplies

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TO: All Proposers

FROM: Lauren Rowley
Purchasing Manager

DATE: **June 17, 2022**

SUBJECT: **Addendum #02** – Proposal #22000527 – PHASE VII FAST START SERVICE LINE REPLACEMENT EXCAVATION & RESTORATION (SLE/SLR)

This addendum has been issued because of the following Q&A:

1. In specifications for SLR section 1.12 item f indicates tapping main as requirement but, there is no line items on bid sheet. How should that be handled if required? **Our understanding is the City crews will make the actual tap to the main and will work with the contractor to do this.**
2. In specifications for SLR there is a requirement to remove contaminated soil, how is the state of the soil going to be determined? **If contaminated soil is found, the removal/disposal of those materials and associated costs will be discussed with the City.**
3. What permits are required:
 - a. Plumbing? **A plumbing permit will be required for work inside the homes / at the meter. Water line replacement will be included the plumbing permit.**
 - b. Excavation? **No excavation permit is required, Mike can you confirm.**
 - c. Traffic Control? **If the traffic control items are on City Owned street, there is no permit. If they are on county/MDOT or other agency roads, the City will work with those agencies to obtain the permit.**
4. If permits are required what are the cost? **Please visit cityofflint.com/planning-and-development-2/building-and-safety/ and click the "fee Schedule" link that will provide a total cost outline for permitting.**
5. Are sewer lateral inspections required, if so, there is no line item for pricing. **The contractor will be required to video the sewer lateral to verify that there was no damage during the exploration and/or installation of the new service lead. The cost for this work is included in the exploration line item.**
6. Will hydro-excavation be allowed for the Exploration/Excavation portion of the project? **Hydro-excavation is not an allowed method for Exploration / Excavation.**
7. Is a bid bond required (I have found the Performance and Payment bond requirements)? **Yes, a bid bond is required. Page 13 of the RFP #44 outlines Insurance and Bond Requirements. To be specific, a 5% bid base bond is required with submission of your proposal. The Bond shall be in the form of a certified cashier's check or a Bid Bond issued by a surety. Bidders that are not awarded, shall receive their bond returned after the bid process has concluded.**
8. Can local preference (as stated on Page 9 of the RFP) be given when this project is Federally funded? **Per EGLE, Local preference can be given by the City, but the project will only be federally funded to the lowest bidder. (If Local preference bidder is not the lowest, 100% of funding will not be covered.)**



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All other bidding terms, requirements, and conditions continue as indicated in the remaining original bid documents.

The Purchasing Manager, Lauren Rowley, is an officer for the City of Flint with respect to this RFP.

In the submission of their proposal, Proposer must acknowledge receipt of this addendum. Proposer shall acknowledge this addendum by signing and returning one copy of this notice with their submission.

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____ Email: _____

Print Name: _____ Title: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Thank you.

**Purchasing Manager
City of Flint**