



City of Flint

Department of Purchases & Supplies

Sheldon A. Neeley

TO: All Proposers

FROM: Lauren Rowley
Purchasing Manager

DATE: **July 21, 2021**

SUBJECT: **Addendum #05 – Bid# 22000048 – WPC Third Avenue Pumping Station Improvements**

This addendum has been issued because of the following:

1. **Questions and Answers**
2. **Bidding Documents Update II**

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,


Lauren Rowley
Purchasing Manager

Section 00 9113 Addendum No. 05

WPC Third Avenue Pumping Station Improvements
City of Flint, 1101 South Saginaw Street, Flint, Michigan 48502

To all prospective bidders and others concerned, YOU ARE HEREBY ADVISED THAT the Contract Documents for the above referenced Project are revised in the following particulars:

Questions and Answers

Q: Is there a soil report for the 3rd Ave Pump Station site? The Dewatering specifications references it, but it does not appear to be in the Contract Document, including the Exhibits.

A: A soil boring at TAPS was not completed in time for this Addendum. Third Avenue Pumping Station is located next to the Flint River and Bidders should assume that ground water is at least at the same elevation as the river. Assume a minimum river elevation of 705, but river elevation can vary. Contractor shall ensure that dewatering activities shall not adversely affect adjacent structures or utilities.

Information from the soil boring at Third Avenue Pumping Station will be provided to the successful Bidder for reference.

Q: Should information be provided regarding bidder's proposed subcontractors?

A: Subcontractor information from the three lowest bidders under consideration shall be provided no later than 2:00 PM Friday, July 23, 2021, to the Engineer (Tiffany Harrison, tharrison@wadetrim.com).

<u>Section</u>	<u>Description</u>
	In Section 00 4243, Proposal, the following Allowance shall be added under item (d):
00 4243	"3. An Allowance for Modernization of the Existing Overhead Crane at the Third Avenue Pumping Station in the amount of \$200,000."
	Bidders are asked to account for this additional Allowance – as well as the others – in the Total Base Contract Price.
00 6521	In Section 00 6521, Prevailing Federal Wage Rate – Davis Bacon Act, delete General Decision Number: MI20210057 dated 06/18/2021 for Heavy Pipeline construction and replace it with the latest General Decision Number: MI20210057 dated 07/16/2021, which accompanies this Addendum.

<u>Sheet</u>	<u>Description</u>
C-101	On Sheet C-101 that was issued with Addendum No. 4, add the following to the end of Note 1 under "Notes" on the right-hand side of the Sheet: "LINE STOP LOCATION MAY NEED TO SHIFT DEPENDING ON FINDINGS. CONTRACTOR TO SUBMIT LINE STOP LOCATION LAYOUT BASED ON FINDINGS OF EXPLORATORY EXCAVATION FOR REVIEW AND APPROVAL."
C-103	On Sheet C- 103 that was issued with Addendum No. 4, delete the callout at the proposed line stop in its entirety and replace it with the following:

“APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF SADDLE AND LINE STOP; LINE STOP TO BE UTILIZED FOR BYPASS PUMPING; INSTALL BLIND FLANGE AFTER LINE STOP AND BYPASS PUMPING IS COMPLETE”

This Addendum is hereby incorporated into the original Contract Documents for the bidding referred to above and is considered as binding as though originally appearing therein. RECEIPT OF THIS ADDENDUM MUST BE NOTED in the place provided on the Proposal page 00 4243-1 dated **July 21, 2021**.

Superseded General Decision Number: MI20200157

State: Michigan

Construction Type: Heavy
PIPELINE

Counties: Michigan Statewide.

Note: Under Executive Order (EO) 13658, an hourly minimum wage of \$10.95 for calendar year 2021 applies to all contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1, 2015. If this contract is covered by the EO, the contractor must pay all workers in any classification listed on this wage determination at least \$10.95 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination, if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on the contract in calendar year 2021. If this contract is covered by the EO and a classification considered necessary for performance of work on the contract does not appear on this wage determination, the contractor must pay workers in that classification at least the wage rate determined through the conformance process set forth in 29 CFR 5.5(a)(1)(ii) (or the EO minimum wage rate, if it is higher than the conformed wage rate). The EO minimum wage rate will be adjusted annually. Please note that this EO applies to the above-mentioned types of contracts entered into by the federal government that are subject to the Davis-Bacon Act itself, but it does not apply to contracts subject only to the Davis-Bacon Related Acts, including those set forth at 29 CFR 5.1(a)(2)-(60). Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

Modification Number	Publication Date
0	01/01/2021
1	06/04/2021
2	06/18/2021
3	07/16/2021

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	Rates	Fringes
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Power equipment operators -
gas distribution and duct
installation work:

GROUP 1.....	\$ 33.48	24.85
GROUP 2.....	\$ 31.45	24.85
GROUP 3.....	\$ 30.35	24.85

SCOPE OF WORK: The construction, installation, treating and reconditioning of pipelines transporting gas vapors within cities, towns, subdivisions, suburban areas, or within private property boundaries, up to and including private meter settings of private industrial, governmental or other premises, more commonly referred to as "distribution work," starting from the first metering station, connection, similar or related facility, of the main or cross country pipeline and including duct installation.

Group 1: Backhoe, crane, grader, mechanic, dozer (D-6 equivalent or larger), side boom (D-4 equivalent or larger), trencher(except service), endloader (2 yd. capacity or greater).

GROUP 2: Dozer (less than D-6 equivalent), endloader (under 2 yd. capacity), side boom (under D-4 capacity), backfiller, pumps (1 or 2 of 6-inch discharge or greater), boom truck (with powered boom), tractor (wheel type other than backhoe or front endloader). Tamper (self-propelled), boom truck (with non-powered boom), concrete saw (20 hp or larger), pumps (2 to 4 under 6-inch discharge), compressor (2 or more or when one is used continuously into the second day) and trencher(service).

GROUP 3: Oiler, hydraulic pipe pushing machine, grease person and hydrostatic testing operator.

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	Rates	Fringes
LABORER (DISTRIBUTION WORK)		
Zone 1.....	\$ 23.92	12.95
Zone 2.....	\$ 22.22	12.95
Zone 3.....	\$ 20.35	12.95
Zone 4.....	\$ 19.77	12.95
Zone 5.....	\$ 19.75	12.95

DISTRIBUTION WORK - The construction, installation, treating and reconditioning of distribution pipelines transporting coal, oil, gas or other similar materials, vapors or liquids, including pipelines within private property boundaries, up to and including the meter settings on residential, commercial, industrial, institutional, private and public structures. All work covering pumping stations and tank farms not covered by the Building Trades Agreement. Other distribution lines with the exception of sewer, water and cable television are included.

Underground Duct Layer Pay: \$.40 per hour above the base pay rate.

- Zone 1 - Macomb, Oakland and Wayne
- Zone 2 - Monroe and Washtenaw
- Zone 3 - Bay, Genesee, Lapeer, Midland, Saginaw, Sanilac, Shiawassee and St. Clair
- Zone 4 - Alger, Baraga, Chippewa, Delta, Dickinson, Gogebic, Houghton, Iron, Keweenaw, Luce, Mackinac, Marquette, Menominee, Ontonagon and Schoolcraft
- Zone 5 - Remaining Counties in Michigan

WELDERS - Receive rate prescribed for craft performing operation to which welding is incidental.

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Note: Executive Order (EO) 13706, Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal Contractors applies to all contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1, 2017. If this contract is covered by the EO, the contractor must provide employees with 1 hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours they work, up to 56 hours of paid sick leave each year. Employees must be permitted to use paid sick leave for their own illness, injury or other health-related needs, including preventive care; to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is ill, injured, or has other health-related needs, including preventive care; or for reasons resulting from, or to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is a victim of, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts.

Unlisted classifications needed for work not included within the scope of the classifications listed may be added after award only as provided in the labor standards contract clauses (29CFR 5.5 (a) (1) (ii)).

The body of each wage determination lists the classification and wage rates that have been found to be prevailing for the cited type(s) of construction in the area covered by the wage determination. The classifications are listed in alphabetical order of "identifiers" that indicate whether the particular rate is a union rate (current union negotiated rate for local), a survey rate (weighted average rate) or a union average rate (weighted union average rate).

Union Rate Identifiers

A four letter classification abbreviation identifier enclosed in dotted lines beginning with characters other than "SU" or "UAVG" denotes that the union classification and rate were prevailing for that classification in the survey. Example: PLUM0198-005 07/01/2014. PLUM is an abbreviation identifier of the union which prevailed in the survey for this classification, which in this example would be Plumbers. 0198 indicates the local union number or district council number where applicable, i.e., Plumbers Local 0198. The next number,

005 in the example, is an internal number used in processing the wage determination. 07/01/2014 is the effective date of the most current negotiated rate, which in this example is July 1, 2014.

Union prevailing wage rates are updated to reflect all rate changes in the collective bargaining agreement (CBA) governing this classification and rate.

Survey Rate Identifiers

Classifications listed under the "SU" identifier indicate that no one rate prevailed for this classification in the survey and the published rate is derived by computing a weighted average rate based on all the rates reported in the survey for that classification. As this weighted average rate includes all rates reported in the survey, it may include both union and non-union rates. Example: SULA2012-007 5/13/2014. SU indicates the rates are survey rates based on a weighted average calculation of rates and are not majority rates. LA indicates the State of Louisiana. 2012 is the year of survey on which these classifications and rates are based. The next number, 007 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 5/13/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

Survey wage rates are not updated and remain in effect until a new survey is conducted.

Union Average Rate Identifiers

Classification(s) listed under the UAVG identifier indicate that no single majority rate prevailed for those classifications; however, 100% of the data reported for the classifications was union data. EXAMPLE: UAVG-OH-0010 08/29/2014. UAVG indicates that the rate is a weighted union average rate. OH indicates the state. The next number, 0010 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 08/29/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

A UAVG rate will be updated once a year, usually in January of each year, to reflect a weighted average of the current negotiated/CBA rate of the union locals from which the rate is based.

WAGE DETERMINATION APPEALS PROCESS

1.) Has there been an initial decision in the matter? This can be:

- * an existing published wage determination
- * a survey underlying a wage determination
- * a Wage and Hour Division letter setting forth a position on a wage determination matter
- * a conformance (additional classification and rate) ruling

On survey related matters, initial contact, including requests for summaries of surveys, should be with the Wage and Hour Regional Office for the area in which the survey was conducted because those Regional Offices have responsibility for the Davis-Bacon survey program. If the response from this initial contact is not satisfactory, then the process described in 2.) and 3.) should be followed.

With regard to any other matter not yet ripe for the formal process described here, initial contact should be with the Branch of Construction Wage Determinations. Write to:

Branch of Construction Wage Determinations
Wage and Hour Division
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

2.) If the answer to the question in 1.) is yes, then an interested party (those affected by the action) can request review and reconsideration from the Wage and Hour Administrator (See 29 CFR Part 1.8 and 29 CFR Part 7). Write to:

Wage and Hour Administrator
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.

Washington, DC 20210

The request should be accompanied by a full statement of the interested party's position and by any information (wage payment data, project description, area practice material, etc.) that the requestor considers relevant to the issue.

3.) If the decision of the Administrator is not favorable, an interested party may appeal directly to the Administrative Review Board (formerly the Wage Appeals Board). Write to:

Administrative Review Board
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

4.) All decisions by the Administrative Review Board are final.

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END OF GENERAL DECISION"