



City of San Antonio
TRANSPORTATION AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS

ADDENDUM No. 1

FORMAL INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)

PROJECT NAME: School Pedestrian Infrastructure Improvements – ID NO.:23-01429

DATE: August 9, 2016

This addendum is separated into sections for convenience; however, all contractors, subcontractors, material men, and other parties shall be responsible for reading the entire addendum. The failure to list an item or items in all affected sections of this addendum does not relieve any party affected from performing as per instructions, providing that the information is set forth one time any place in this addendum. These documents shall be attached to and become part of the Contract Documents for this project. The contractor shall be required to sign an acknowledgement of the receipt of this addendum and submit with their proposal package.

GENERAL:

1. The following changes and/or additions to the Contract Documents, via this addendum, shall apply to proposals made for and to the execution of the various parts of the work affected thereby.
2. Careful note of the Addendum shall be taken by all interested parties and all trades affected shall be fully advised in their performance of the work involved.

GENERAL COMMENTS:

1. The City will not furnish the envelope for the bid proposal. The contractor will furnish the envelope and submit the sealed bid as typically done on other City of San Antonio Invitation for Bids. Any and all statements that mention the need for a City furnished envelope are nullified for this Invitation for Bid.

QUESTIONS FROM PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

1. Is it permissible to put "N/A" (Not Applicable) on the Disclosure of Lobbying Activities form if there are no lobbying activities to report?

Response: Yes.

2. Can the Prime Contractor self-fulfill the stated Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) Program goal (5%) for this project?

Response: Yes. If the Prime Contractor is DBE Certified and keeps at least 5% of the work then the 5% goal is satisfied. If the Prime Contractor is not DBE Certified, the Prime must meet the goal by hiring a DBE Certified Subcontractor to perform at least 5% of the work. The DBE Contractor must be DBE Certified through either the South Central Texas Regional Certification Agency (SCTRCA) or the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT).

3. Are any of the proposed sidewalks for this project located on school property?

Response: No. All proposed sidewalks for this project are within City of San Antonio (CoSA) Right-of-Way (ROW).

4. Will sidewalk permit fees be waived for this project?

Response: Yes. The sidewalk permit fees will be waived since it is a City of San Antonio project. Notify the CoSA Project Team for any issues with permit fees.

5. Are there any restrictions on the work hours in the vicinity of the schools?

Response: Yes. As per the Notes on the Sequence of Work Narrative (Plan Sheet #40): "CONTRACTOR SHALL ATTEMPT TO SEQUENCE WORK ADJACENT TO THE SCHOOLS SO AS TO MINIMIZE IMPACT ON STUDENTS AND FACULTY AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. MAJOR ACTIVITIES SHALL BE PERFORMED BETWEEN 9:00 AM AND 2:30 PM."

6. The price sheet does not include a line item for street closures and signage, is this something that should be included in our cost or will the city be handling this?

Response: The Unit Pricing Form has a line item for "BARRICADES, SIGNS AND TRAFFIC HANDLING" (Item No. 502-6001). The Bidder should include street closures and signage in this item.

7. For the School Pedestrian Infrastructure Improvements project, the specs call for the bidders to submit bids in an envelope furnished by the city. Where are these envelopes obtained?

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END OF ADDENDUM No. 1



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RECEIPT OF ADDENDUM NUMBER(S) 1 IS HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGED FOR PLANS AND

SPECIFICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE School Pedestrian Infrastructure Improvements #23-01429

FOR WHICH BIDS WILL BE OPENED ON August 16, 2016 at 2:00pm

THIS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT MUST BE SIGNED AND RETURNED WITH THE BID PACKAGE.

Company Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip Code: _____

Date: _____

Signature

Print Name/Title