

Purchasing Agent

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TO: All Bidders

FROM: City of Cambridge

DATE: February 26, 2024

RE: File No. 11393 – Chapter 90 Contract 25 - Addendum No. 1

This addendum is comprised of the following:

1. Questions and Answers

The following questions were asked and answered:

<u>Question 1</u>: Under section 02524-5 of the specifications, it mentioned the following "REMOVABLE FALSE CURB UTILITY COVER" to be furnished and installed, how are we getting paid for these and do you have a quantity for it.

<u>Answer:</u> We intentionally did not include a pay item for this since the need for any have not been identified. There are none called out on the plans. The specifications reference them because it has been included in past projects and is now part of the "standard spec" section. It is not anticipated that a Removeable False Curb Utility Cover will be installed under this Contract.

<u>Question 2</u>: Under the bid package, it calls for a set aside of 10% MBE and 8.8% WBE, for a total of 18.8% allocated to these firms. Is that a mistake or is it the requirements, please advise. <u>Answer</u>: This project has state funding so the contractor must satisfy both City and State goals.

<u>Question 3</u>: Under the construction plans, new tree plantings are shown, who is responsible for the furnishing and installation, please advise.

<u>Answer:</u> Section 01010 Part 1-1.1-B-7 Installation of tree pits and planting areas. Tree planting is not part of this contract.

All other details remain the same.

Elizabeth Unger Purchasing Agent

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