

ADDENDUM NO. 2

HUNTER HAVEN WETLAND ENHANCEMENTS

STRATFORD, CONNECTICUT

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BID #: 2010-007

MMI #: 1627-12

The following modifications are hereby made to the Contract Documents dated February 22, 2010 for the above referenced project. Please add the following to the Project Manual in response to questions posed during and since the non-mandatory site walk completed on March 4, 2010:

Q1. The standard instructions, conditions and reservations for bids states that all work shall be completed by May 31, 2010. How is the bidder to determine how much time he has to complete the work if a start/award date is not provided?

A1. The Contract and Notice to Proceed will be implemented by April 1, 2010. All work shall be completed by June 31, 2010.

Q2. In Special Provision 2B it is stated that the bidder is to include erosion controls required either by the plans or by the Town's Wetlands Officer. How is the bidder to determine what erosion controls the Town's Wetland Officer will require?

A2. Sediment and Erosion Controls (Silt Fencing) shall be used only around the areas to be cleared and grubbed. The Town of Stratford Conservation Officer may reduce the amount of silt fence if the areas do not require full removal of plants and do not require grubbing.

Q3. Technical Specification Item 2-002 - 1 Description states that the Contractor shall "suitably grade and compact the area to the lines and grades shown on the Contract Drawing". Please clarify which drawing contains the proposed lines and grades.

A3. Existing grades within the project limits shall serve as proposed grades.

Q4. Technical Specification Item 2-002 – 2 Construction Methods paragraph 3 states "Construction methods for grading and compaction of the subgrade shall be in accordance with the Item "Preparation of Subgrade/Fine Grade"". Please identify where the Item "Preparation of Subgrade/Fine Grade" is contained.

A4. The sentence that begins with "Construction methods for grading and compaction of the subgrade...." Shall be removed from Paragraph 4 of ITEM 2-002: CLEARING AND GRUBBING AND SITE REMOVALS of the Technical Specifications in the Project.

Q5. Technical Specification Item 2-027 – 3 Construction Methods paragraph 1 states “During the bidding period, the Contractor shall determine whether sufficient topsoil is available to meet the requirements as herein specified and as called for on the drawings”. Neither project manual nor the project drawings contain any test pits, borings or subsurface investigations data. How is the bidder to determine how much topsoil exists within the projects limits?

A5. New topsoil shall be placed on all disturbed areas to be cleared and grubbed as indicated on the plans.

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