

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS
PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF

CAM 017 COMBINED SEWER OVERFLOW REGULATOR IMPROVEMENTS AND
DRAINAGE INSTALLATION

ADDENDUM NO. 3

December 15, 2011

I. GENERAL

The attention of bidders submitting proposals for the above referenced project is called to the following Addendum to the Contract Plans and Specifications. The items set forth herein, whether of omission, addition, substitution, or clarification are all included in the proposed work. Clarifications, Questions and Answers, and Meeting Minutes are issued for the purpose of interpretation only and do not become part of the Contract Documents.

This Addendum cover letter consists of 2 pages, numbered Pages 1 through 2.

This addendum is comprised of the following:

Answers to Bidders' Questions

Inclusion of this Addendum must be acknowledged by inserting its number on page 2 of the Forms for General Bid in the Bid Documents. Failure to acknowledge any or all addenda in the above-specified bid may be cause for rejection of the bid by the Owner on the grounds that it is not responsive.

II. ANSWERS TO BIDDERS QUESTIONS

Question 1:

"Bid Item No. 816.01 and 816.02 – Traffic Signal Reconstruction, Location No. 1 and No 2. Drawings T-3 and T-4 details a temporary left turn and removing the signal post. How are these related to the bid items? In addition, the Scope of Work is not clearly defined as no specifications are detailed on the extent of work. It would be helpful if the contractor that installed the original signals is known as they would have the information available to prices on such short notice."

Answer #1:

The work shown on Drawing T-3 and T-4 state "REMOVE SIGNAL POST DURING CONSTRUCTION" and "PROVIDE TEMPORARY SIGNAL FOR LEFT TURN LANE INCLUDING NECESSARY DUCT, CABLE, LABOR, MISCELLANEOUS EQUIPMENT NECESSARY TO COMPLETE THE INSTALLATION FOR AN OPERATING SIGNAL" The work of removing the

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existing signal and relocating that signal to the temporary location shown on Drawings T-3 and T-4 is paid for as one of the two unit quantities listed under Bid Item 1570.5 – Temporary Traffic Signal Relocation. The work of removing the temporary signal and restoring it to its original location shown on Drawing T-3 is paid for as the second unit quantity listed under Bid Item 1570.5. The scope of work for this bid item is described in SECTION 01570 – MAINTENANCE AND PROTECTION OF TRAFFIC, PART 4 – COMPENSATION, Item 1570.5 – Temporary Traffic Signal Relocation. This work provides for moving the traffic signals during the work associated with the BASE BID.

Bid Item No. 816.01 and 816.02 Traffic Signal Reconstruction, Location No. 1 and No. 2 refer to the surface improvements associated with the work of ADD ALTERNATE #1.

The name of the contractor that installed the original signals is not known at this time and that information is not available for bidders.