



City of Cambridge

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT

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TO: All Bidders
FROM: City of Cambridge
DATE: August 25, 2014
RE: File No. 6541 – Water-Based Fire Sprinkler System Inspection, Testing, Repair & Maintenance for Public Buildings, Libraries and Schools- Addendum No. 1

The following questions were submitted and answered:

Question: Please Clarify on two (2) items: There are five (5) more buildings (4 libraries, 1 garage) on the bid form than shown on the specification spreadsheet information.

Answer: The buildings on the bid form are accurate. The spreadsheet contained all the systems that we had specific information. The libraries and garage are all wet systems.

Question: The bid bond appears to be for a different project.

Answer: Please replace the bid bond with the revised bid bond which is included in this addendum. The only change that was made to the bid bond form is the bid title.

All other details remain the same.



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Addendum No. 1

CITY OF CAMBRIDGE, MASSACHUSETTS

BID BOND

We, the undersigned _____ as Principal, and _____, as Surety, are hereby held and firmly bound unto the CITY OF CAMBRIDGE, a municipality in the County of Middlesex and Commonwealth of Massachusetts, in the penal sum of _____ Dollars (\$_____), for the payment of which, well and truly to be made. We hereby jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns.

The condition of the above obligation is such that the Principal has submitted to the City of Cambridge, Massachusetts a certain Bid attached hereto and hereby made a part hereof for the Project described as **Water Based Fire Sprinkler System Inspection, Installation, Testing, Repair & Maintenance for all City of Cambridge Public Buildings, Libraries and Schools**

If the Principal fails to perform their agreement to execute a contract and furnish a performance bond and a labor and materials or payment bond as stated in their bid in accordance with the applicable state statute or fails in all other respects to perform the agreement created by the acceptance of said bid, their bid deposit shall become and be the property of the City of Cambridge as liquidated damages.

If said Bid shall be rejected because of death, disability, bona fide clerical or mechanical error of a substantial nature, or other similar unforeseen circumstances affecting the Principal, their bid bond shall be returned to their.

The Surety, for value received, hereby agrees that its obligations and its bond shall in no way be impaired or affected by an extension of the time in which the City of Cambridge may accept such bid and said Surety does hereby waive notice of any such extension.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Principal and the Surety have set their hands and seals, and such of them as are corporations have caused their corporate seals to be hereto affixed and have caused this bond to be signed by their proper officers on this _____ day of _____ 20__.

SEAL PRINCIPAL

SEAL SURETY

NAME OF BIDDER: _____