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To: All Prospective Bidders

From: Patricia A. Peshka, Purchasing Agent

Date: June 11, 2021

Re: **Bid2022-053 Airport Road Interceptor Project - Contract 102**

**Addendum #1**

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Please be advised that the information provided comprises of Addendum #1.

After the non-mandatory pre-bid conference held on Wednesday, June 2, 2021, there were questions regarding the specifications and scope of work. Potential bidders should note the following.

**Representatives Present:** Jeff Petruzci, Instaform Tech  
Conner Mcmanus, Vortex  
Jonathan Carlson, Xylem  
Jay Manning, RIDEM

**Project Comments**

Comment 1: Are all the pipes to be lined round?

Response 1: **To the best of the WSA's knowledge all of the pipes to be relined were originally round.**

Comment 2: Will any road closures or detours be allowed on secondary streets?

Response 2: Road closures and detours will be permitted on secondary streets provided proper signage and notifications are provided and issued, and the closure and detour requests are in the best interest of the Warwick Sewer Authority.

Comment 3: Can SMH1 on Post Rd. be used as a suction hole?

Response 3: SMH-1 on Post Road can be utilized as a suction manhole for sewer bypass pumping. However, the pipe invert elevations at this location are extremely shallow and may impact the ability to suction lift flows.

Comment 4: Will flowable fill be required for the permanent patching of the roads where the bypass was buried?

Response 4: Flowable fill is not required for permanent patching as long as soil compaction requirements of the City of Warwick and Rhode Island Department of Transportation are achieved.

Comment 5: Completion date- Page 00120-4 120CD, Page 00300-1 90CD, Page 00500-1 90CD, Page 00700-10 365CD- Please clarify.

Response 5: Delete reference to 90 days and 365 days in Sections 00500 and 00700. The project completion time shall be 120 days.

Comment 6: Work hours – Page 00120-4 7am to 5:30pm, Page 00700-11 night work 4:30 pm to 7 am, page 00800-3 7 am to 5:30 pm - Please clarify

Responses; Night work shall be from 5:30 pm to 7:00 am. Due to the specialized work required, the contractor may perform nightwork to facilitate the relining work if determined to be in the best interest of the Warwick Sewer Authority.

Comment 7: Is a job sign required?

Responses 7: The project sign is required by the RIDEM in accordance with the State Revolving Loan Fund.

Comment 8: Is the minority a goal or requirement?

Response 8: The minority participation requirement is 10%. The requirement is a goal. However, approval of lesser percentages must be approved by ....

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... and should be done prior to bid submittal and firmly stated in the bid submittal. The Warwick Sewer Authority cannot make award of the contract without MBE Compliance approval.

Attachment:

Preconstruction Sign-in Sheet