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To: All Prospective Bidders

From: Patricia A. Peshka, Purchasing Agent

Date: June 6, 2019

Re: **Bid2020-047 Television & Video Condition Assessment of Gravity Sewer Mains**

Addendum #1

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

Following the **non-mandatory** pre-bid conference held on Tuesday, June 4, 2019, there were several questions regarding the bid specifications and the scope of work of the project.

Attached is a list of questions from perspective vendors with responses from the Warwick Sewer Authority.

It was also determined that the Warwick Sewer Authority will not be withholding retainage.

The bid opening will still be held on Wednesday, June 12, 2019 at 11:00am in the Lower Level Conference Room at Warwick City Hall.

Please note that the following representatives were present at the **non-mandatory** pre-bid conference held on Tuesday, June 4, 2019.

Representatives: Peter Connell, Inland Waters
Bob Routhier, Inland Waters
Nicholas Darchiville, Hydromax USA
Joe Perotti, DIS Inc.

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Should you have any questions regarding this proposal, please Earl Bond, Warwick Sewer Authority, at 401-468-4721 or earl.w.bond@warwickri.com.

Thank you for your interest in this project.

Warwick Sewer Authority
125 Arthur Devine Blvd.
Warwick, RI 02888

Contract 99

BID 2020-047 TELEVISION & VIDEO CONDITION ASSESSMENT OF GRAVITY SEWER MAINS

Issued: June 5, 2019

ADDENDUM NO. 1

TO ALL CONTRACTERS ESTIMATING:

Bidders are hereby informed that the plans and specifications for the above mentioned contract are modified, correct, and/or supplemented as follows and that Addendum No. 1. Becomes part of the Bid Specifications. In case of any conflict, the information and materials contained herein supplements and supersedes the information and materials contained in the Bid Specifications issued previously.

THE NUMBER OF THIS ADDENDUM (1) MUST BE ENTERED IN THE APPROPRIATE SPACE PROVIDED IN THE BID FORM.

Definition of terms:

1. WSA (Warwick Sewer Authority)

GENERAL QUESTIONS RECEIVED AND FROM THE BIDDERS CONFERENCE ON JUNE 4TH, 2019

1. Can you clarify what pipe sizes and quantities of each pipe size may require the additional multi sensor inspection technologies and modify page 21. "Bid and contract form" to include additional bid items for various technologies. We would suggest the following items.

24"-48" sonar inspection

24"-48" 2d LIDAR

24"-48" 3d LIDAR

RESPONSE:

The bid specification on page 21 was edited to include the required additions. The bid page to include in the sealed bid package is on the last page of this addendum.

2. Is this work subject to a state prevailing or a federal Davis Bacon wage? If so can you please provide documentation of wage determination and rates?

RESPONSE:

The work required is not subjected to state prevailing wage rates or the Davis Bacon wage act.

3. In Section I – Specifications – Item 1 – Television inspection of sewer mains – Under summary of work under “gravity sewer lines to be assessed” quantities are given by pipe size, can a map of these areas be provided prior to the bid for the purpose of estimating traffic control requirements and costs?

RESPONSE: Maps of the interceptors are available on a flash drive at the following locations:

**Warwick Sewer Authority
125 Arthur Devine Blvd
Warwick, RI 02888**

**Warwick City Hall Purchasing Department
3275 Post Rd
Warwick, RI 02886**

4. On page 21 the “bid and contract form” there are pay items for a ½ day and full day cleaning rate. Can you clarify the process for the approval of cleaning “as needed”? Will the cleaning as needed be at the discretion of the contractor or will authorization need to be given for each line segment that may need cleaning?

RESPONSE:

Should the selected contractor encounter debris in the line that inhibits the contractor from successfully performing a qualified assessment of the line sections or sections, the Warwick Sewer Authority project representative will require notification of the problem. The WSA representative may ask to see the obstruction and will collaborate as to the best possible course of action. The WSA reserves the right to dispatch their own service vehicle to clean the line sections or sections.

5. What is the current number of manholes to be inspected?

Response:

The project has approx... 352 manholes associated to it based on the information the WSA has on file. This can range up or down.

6. PACP 4.4 is called out in the bid spec. Can a newer version be used?

Response:

The WSA will accept any vender utilizing a newer version of PACP.

7. The bid specifies lateral are to be inspected.

Response:

The WSA will not require the inspections of any laterals related to the identified interceptors.

8. Will sonar and or LIDAR technology a requirement of the project?

Response:

Each interceptor is unique to the project. Some of these line sections have not been video since installation. During the assessment if additional technology is recommended by the vendor, the use will initially be discussed with the WSA project representative.

9. Who will be responsible for securing and paying police details?

Response:

The vendor will be responsible for contacting the City of Warwick Police Traffic Division and establishing the requirements for each work location. The WSA will be responsible for reconciling the detail slips from the project with the Warwick Police and compensating for service.

10. The bid states flow must be maintained? Please explain.

Response:

The bid states that flow is to be maintained at all times and the vendor will not inhibit flow by any means. After hours work will only be allowed if conditions present itself as a requirement to perform the work. This would have to be pre-approved by the WSA project manager.

11. If cleaning is required, who will be responsible for disposal of material from the pipe line cleaned?

Response:

The WSA will be responsible for the disposal cost and or location provided to dispose of material.

12. Is some of the project area located in easement areas? Have they all been cleared for proper access?

Response:

Some of the project area is located in off road easement areas. The WSA has cleared access to several of these and continue to open up access.

13. Can vendor open manholes to review required work in the project?

Response:

The vendors can open manholes in the project area provide they follow proper safety and traffic regulations. Prior notification form the vendor performing this work and the location, can be emailed to:

Earl.W.Bond@Warwickri.com

14. Will there be a third party engineer overseeing the field work?

Response:

The WSA will have staff in the field overseeing the daily work.

15. Will hydrants be available to refill flushing trucks?

Response:

The WSA will work with the City of Warwick Water department to identify hydrants in the project area that can utilized. The Warwick Water department will install a backflow preventer for the vendor and the vendor must identify the service vehicle in use has an air brake on the fill pipe.

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS PAGE & SUBMIT WITH YOUR BID

CITY OF WARWICK
BID AND CONTRACT FORM

TITLE OF SPECIFICATION: Bid2020-047 Television & Video Condition Assessment of Gravity Sewer Mains

I. BID:

WHEREAS, the CITY OF WARWICK has duly asked for bids for performance of services and/or supply of goods in accordance with the above-indicated specifications.

The person or entity does irrevocably offer to perform the services and/or furnish the goods in accordance with the specifications, which are hereby incorporated by reference in exchange for the bid price.

This offer will remain open and irrevocable until the CITY OF WARWICK has accepted this bid or another bid on the specifications or abandoned the project.

The bidder agrees that acceptance by the CITY OF WARWICK will transform the bid into a contract. This bid and contract will be secured by Bonds, if required by the specifications.

Description	Bid
TV INSPECTION & REPORT (Estimated +/- 100,000 lineal feet)	\$ _____/linear foot
MANHOLE INSPECTION & REPORT	\$ _____/manhole
Quote for cleaning the mainline being inspected (multiple days may be required)	
	\$ _____ per ½ day
	\$ _____ per 1 full day
Please list any additional fees not listed above (if necessary)	
24" – 48" Sonar Inspection	\$ _____
24" – 48" 2d Lidar Inspection	\$ _____
24" – 48" 3d Lidar Inspection	\$ _____