

PROJECT:
Provin Mountain Reservoir 3 and 4
Improvements
Provin Mountain
Granville, MA 01034
Project No. SWSC Bid No. 24-12

ADDENDUM NO. 2 09/07/2023

Posted: 09/07/2023 at 8:39AM EDT

Awarding Authority/Owner:

Springfield Water and Sewer Commission
250 M Street Extension
Agawam, MA 01001

Reference Contract Documents (drawings and specifications) dated 08/23/2023

The attention of Bidders submitting proposals for the above subject project is called to the following addendum to the specifications and drawings. The items set forth herein, whether of omission, addition, substitution, or clarifications are all to be included in and form a part of the proposal submitted.

THE NUMBER OF THIS ADDENDUM (2) MUST BE ENTERED IN THE APPROPRIATE SPACE "B" PROVIDED AFTER THE WORD "NUMBERS" OF THE CONTRACT FORM ENTITLED "FORM FOR GENERAL BID," AND IN SPACE "B" OF THE "FORM FOR SUB-BID."

BID DOCUMENT MODIFICATIONS ARE AS FOLLOWS.

General Bid Date Changes:

Modify the general bid date as follows.
Change the general bid date and time from 09/14/2023 at 2:00PM EDT to read
09/21/2023 at 2:00PM EDT.

Other Modifications / Attachments:

The following attachment includes additional modifications, clarifications and/or provisions not included in the items above in this Addendum.
See document at the end of document.

All other of the portions of the Contract Documents remain **unchanged**. Please be reminded to acknowledge this Addendum on the bid forms.

ATTACHMENTS

Addendum 02_final.pdf

--- End of Addendum No. 2 ---

SPRINGFIELD WATER AND SEWER COMMISSION
SPRINGFIELD, MASSACHUSETTS
PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF

PROVIN MOUNTAIN RESERVOIR
RESERVOIR NOS. 3 AND 4 IMPROVEMENTS
SWSC Bid No. 24- 12

ADDENDUM NO. 2

September 7, 2023

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 consists of 2 pages, and attachments, designated Attachment A.

This addendum is comprised of the following:

- Modifications to Specifications
- Answers to Bidder Questions
- Pre-Bid Meeting Agenda and Sign in List

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.

Italicized text presented within Section II herein represents a reproduction of the Bid Issue contract specifications and is depicted solely for context and clarity. Italicized text does not represent a change to the Bid Issue specifications.

II. MODIFICATIONS TO SPECIFICATIONS

A. COVER

- a. **Replace** “General Bid Deadline Date: September 14, 2023, 2:00 P.M. EST” with the following “General Bid Deadline Date: September 21, 2023, 2:00 P.M. EST”

B. SECTION 00010 – Legal Advertisement

- a. Page 00010-01 second paragraph, **Replace** “2:00 PM EST on September 14, 2023”

with the following “2:00 PM EST on September 21, 2023”

- b. Page 00010-01 fifth paragraph, **Replace** “September 6, 2023, 4:30 P.M” with the following “September 13, 2023, 4:30 P.M”

C. SECTION 00015 – Estimated Bidding Schedule

- a. Page 00015-01 fifth line item **REPLACE**
“9/6/23 (4:30P.M.) Written Questions Due to the CPO
(theo.theocles@waterandsewer.org)”

with the following

- “9/13/23 (4:30P.M.) Written Questions Due to the CPO
(theo.theocles@waterandsewer.org)”

- b. Page 00015-01 sixth line item **REPLACE**
“9/14/23 (2:00P.M.) GC Bids are due and opened”
with the following
“9/21/23 (2:00P.M.) GC Bids are due and opened”

D. SECTION 00020 – Invitation for Bids

- a. Page 00020-01 second paragraph **REPLACE** “September 14, 2023, 2:00 P.M.”
with the following “September 21, 2023, 2:00 P.M.”
- b. Page 00020-02 fourth paragraph **REPLACE** “September 6, 2023, at 4:30 P.M” with
the following “September 13, 2023, at 4:30 P.M”

III. ANSWERS TO BIDDER QUESTIONS

Question 1: Could we come back for a second site visit?

Answer 1: Springfield Water and Sewer Commission will host an additional site visit on
September 11, 2023 at 11 AM at Provin Mountain Reservoir, 1121 N West St, Feeding
Hills, MA 01030.

ATTACHMENT A

Provin Mountain Reservoir Reservoirs Nos. 3 and 4 Improvements Contract No. 1 Springfield Water and Sewer Commission

LOCATION: Provin Mountain Reservoir, 1121 N West Street, Feeding Hills, MA 01030

DATE: September 1, 2023

START TIME: 9:00 a.m.

1. Introductions

- a. Owner & Engineer Introductions
- b. Sign-in sheet

2. Procurement Requirements

- a. **Bid Opening – September 14, 2023 at 2:00 p.m.** Springfield Water and Sewer Commission, John J. Lyons Administration Building, Attn: Theo G. Theocles Esq., Director of Legal Affairs/Chief Procurement Officer, 250 M Street Extension, Agawam, MA 01001.
- b. **Preparation of Bid**
 1. Refer to Section 00100, Information to Bidders.
 2. Submit 1 copy of complete Bid package (Section 00300 & other forms Section 00200). Include all form dividers, bind with a binder clip, and print documents single sided to aid with scanning and review of the Bid package.
 3. Written questions must be received by September 6, 2023 at 4:30 p.m. or the questions may not be answered. Questions shall be addressed to Theo G. Theocles, Esq. Director of Legal Affairs (theo.theocles@waterandsewer.org)
 4. Addenda will be issued at least 3 business days prior to Bid opening.

ii. Bidder Qualifications

1. Completed three projects in the last five years which included coordination and work of a comparable scope and complexity as this Project, including but not limited to: reservoir improvements, concrete joint tape installation, cast-in-place concrete, and mechanical piping.

3. Project Description

- a. Extension of 34 access manholes with watertight locking hatches and safety system.
- b. Installation of approximately 5,000 linear feet of polyolefin waterproofing tape and epoxy adhesive.
- c. Installation of approximately 1,550 linear feet of chain link fence (bid alternate 1)
- d. demolition of approximately 850 linear feet of existing chain link fence (bid alternate 1)

- e. Installation of flanged ductile iron piping and bends with concrete bulkheads, concrete cradles, concrete splash pads, bituminous pavement, and stainless-steel mesh screens on 2 existing overflow pipe headwalls.

4. Project Coordination/Work Constraints

- a. The existing facility must remain operational throughout the construction period. Schedule and conduct activities to enable the existing facilities to operate continuously.
- b. Vehicles or machinery will not be permitted on Reservoirs Nos. 3 and 4 without the approval of the Engineer and submitted calculations, stamped by a Professional Engineer, that demonstrate the proposed vehicles or machinery does not exceed the roof loading.
- c. No vehicles or machinery will be permitted on Reservoirs Nos. 1 and 2 without supporting calculations per contract documents.
- d. Work that has the potential to impact the water storage system shall occur on one reservoir at a time and not concurrently.
- e. Review requirements of Section 01140, Work Restrictions and Section 01310, Coordination.

5. Contract Times (Section 00520, Agreement)

- a. Substantial Completion - 290 days after Notice to Proceed
- b. Final Payment - 320 days after Notice to Proceed
- c. Liquidated Damages - \$1,500 per day

6. Hazardous Materials/Asbestos Abatement

- a. Existing waterproofing asphalt strip sealant contains <1% asbestos materials. MassDEP classifies <1% asbestos materials as Asbestos Containing Waste Material.

7. Permits

- d. Permits and licenses of a temporary nature necessary to perform the Work.
- e. Permits for disposal of construction waste, hazardous materials, and asbestos abatement.
- f. Other permits or licenses required for the Contractor's operations.
- g. Required elsewhere in the Contract Documents and not included herein.

8. Working Hours (Section 01140, Work Restrictions)

- a. Conduct work during weekdays, between the hours of 7:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. No equipment or machinery may be started at the site before 7:00 a.m. and all equipment must be shut off by 3:30 p.m.
- b. No work on Saturdays Sundays, or on official Owner holidays.
- c. Extended hours and work on Saturdays requires SWSC approval in writing.

9. Progress Payments (Section 00500 Agreement)

- d. Monthly payments – 5% retainage withheld
- e. Substantial Completion – retainage based on estimated fair value of claims against the Contractor for completing incomplete or unsatisfactory work, work, and work done by subcontractors.

10. Final Payment (Article 14.07, Section 00700)

- a. Contractor submits final Application for Payment, including
 - Documentation required by Contract Documents, including evidence of insurance
 - Consent of surety to final payment
 - List of unsettled claims against Owner & Contractor
 - Release of liens
- b. Waiver of Claims

11. Correction Period (Article 13.07, Section 00700)

- a. 1-year after Substantial Completion

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Provin Mountain Reservoir – Reservoirs Nos. 3 and 4 Improvements Contract No. 1**Pre-Bid Conference****Location: Provin Mountain Reservoir, 1121 N West Street, Feeding Hills, MA 01030****Date: September 1, 2023 at 9:00 a.m.**

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