

Date: October 20, 2023

Ref: ITB #2024-004B RIVER CHANNEL STABILIZATION IN TWO RIVERS PARK

ADDENDUM #4

Purpose: This addendum is to post a follow up to the Pre-Bid Meeting on 10-11-23 and answer questions from potential bidders.

The Invitation to Bid, Addendums, and Drawings can be accessed on our website at <https://www.ruidoso-nm.gov/purchasing>.

Please feel free to contact me at purchasing@ruidoso-nm.gov or 575-258-4343 x 1081 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Carol Kirkpatrick
Purchasing Agent

Follow up to Pre-Bid Meeting on 10-11-23:

After a short discussion with Village staff, Mr. Philips told the assembled potential bidders that the Village would allow the contractor to use a spot in the park a short distance upstream, as a place to offload deliveries of rock and other materials to the jobsite.

At this location, there are already some rocks & logs stockpiled by the Village, and the ground disturbance there will be minimal. This offer was an acknowledgement that the contractor staging area shown on the drawings will be suitable for equipment storage but may not be suitable for dumping big rocks out of a truck, as the designated area has asphalt paving that might very well get damaged with the rock delivery process. **NOTE:** this rock delivery location option is the only information discussed at the pre-bid meeting that is not already covered in the construction plans, specifications and bid documents

Question #1: Can we use diesel/gas pumps to diverge the water from our workplace?

Answer #1: Yes, we expect you will need a portable pump system to collect seep water from the work area, and discharge that to the river. We will monitor this activity to ensure that fuel for pumps is not discharged into the waterway.

Question #2: What happens if we expose it to air and it breaks? Are we at fault?

Answer #2: Yes, the Village will hold the contractor fully responsible for any damage to or disruption of the existing sanitary sewer line. The contractor should be fully aware of the location and depth of this pipe and should have an emergency plan prepared in the event of an accidental disruption of sewer service.

Question #3: What is the sewer line made of?

Answer #3: The sewer line is clay but has been slip lined and majority will be in steal or ductile encasement.

Question #4: On page 28 of 100 Section III Response Content, Format, and Organization, Section B.1. Does a USB need to be submitted with original hard copy?

Answer #4: Yes.