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Addendum No.: 1 Date Of Addendum: October 17, 2017

# CT DAS ● Construction Services ● Process Management and Procurement Unit

# Water Main Replacement 18/20 Trinity Street, Hartford BI – 2B – 392

Original Bid Due Date / Time: 10/25/2017 1:00 pm

### TO: Prospective Bid Proposers:

This Addendum forms part of the "Contract Documents" and modifies or clarifies the original "Contract Documents" for this Project dated 7/12/2017. Prospective Bid Proposers **shall** acknowledge receipt of the total number the Addenda issued for this Project on the space provided on Section 00 41 00 Bid Proposal Form.

Failure to acknowledge receipt of the total number the Addenda issued for this Project on the space provided on Section 00 41 00 Bid Proposal Form shall subject Bid Proposers to disqualification.

The following clarifications are applicable to drawings and specifications for the project referenced above.

## <u>Item 1:</u>

Question: "How long do we have to complete this project?"

Answer: Reference Specification Section 01 12 16 for the construction duration. The entire project shall be constructed in one phase. Work shall be substantially complete within 60 calendar days of commencement of the Work.

### Item 2:

Question: "Are prevailing wages applicable?"

Answer: Connecticut State Prevailing Wages Apply to this project and specific information concerning the wage rates are included in Specification Section 00 73 44. A reminder that the wage rates are typically updated annually, and all contractors are to use the most current rates through the duration of construction.

## Item 3:

Any substitution requests must be made prior to the bid. The deadline of any substitution requests for this project10/16/2017. The only time a substitution will be allowed after the bid would be due to a reason such as manufacturer discontinuation. Requests must be made formally as a written question and must be accompanied by the DAS DCS Equal or Substitute Product Request 7001 form (See Specification Section 01 25 00). Any language within the project documents referencing text such as "or approved equal" is considered a substitution.

#### Item 4:

Question: "May we know the start date of this project?"

Answer: The start date will be determined at the Pre-construction Conference. Procurement processes for contract award will need to be followed, and if the process cannot be complete prior to winter conditions, the project will be delayed until the spring season of 2018. It is the intent for this work to commence no later than the Spring of 2018.

All questions must be in writing (not phone or e-mail) and must be forwarded to the consulting Architect/Engineer (Freeman Companies, LLC – Paul Rodrigues via fax to (860) 986-7161) with copies sent to the DAS Project Manager (Sarah Tierney via fax to (860) 622-2965).

End of Addendum 1

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