

CERTIFICATE OF ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF RECEIPT OF ADDENDUM

THE CITY OF READING

ADDENDUM NO. 3

RFP: LFT Paving Project

DUE DATE: August 13, 2021
3:00 P.M. Prevailing Time

NOTICE

Q1. Given the bid date of mid-August, plus the time for the award and the execution of the contract documents, the completion date of October 31 seems to be a hard date to reach. Please verify that that completion date for this project is October 31.

A1. *The completion date is October 31, 2021. An extended paving season may be considered in accordance with PennDOT requirements if weather-related delays are encountered.*

Q2. Please verify how the requirements and cost for "No Parking" signs and postings will be handled for this project?

A2. Refer to Addendum 2

Q3. What is the estimated cost?

A3. The City will not be providing the estimated cost.

Q4. Given the bid date of mid-August, plus the time for the award and the execution of the contract documents, the completion date of October 31 seems to be a hard date to reach. Please verify that that completion date for this project is October 31.

A4. The completion date is October 31, 2021. An extended paving season may be considered in accordance with PennDOT requirements if weather-related delays are encountered.

Q5. LFT Paving Project 2021 is noted as a Liquid Fuels funded project in the advertisement (Page 4). Guidelines for Section 3 Clause (Page 64-66) are based on HUD assisted projects.

Could you clarify if Section #3 including attachment I and II apply?

A5. The project is not subject to HUD requirements and Section 3 can be disregarded.

Q6. Under "Functional Requirements" Section D "Other Coordination", say to coordinate and pay all fees with/to the Parking Authority for installation of "No Parking" signs. Will this also include fees for the parking meters that will be inactive?

A6. Refer to Addendum 2.

Q7. Court St. - A fiberoptic line runs approximately 7-10 feet from the Southern curb through all the length of Court St. The fiberoptic line ties into some utility boxes and goes around others. The fiberoptic line is located in the area of milling and base repair and will be removed during the operation. The fiberoptic line is visible from the surface and at spots it is less than an inch below existing paving. What is the City's plan on how handle this line and the paving in its location?

A7. *The City will determine a course of action following confirmation of the utility location by PA One Call.*

Q8. Clarification for base repair in all locations;

Is it the intent to use the 2a subbase as directed in the base patching sections? If so, is it the intent that all base repair patches be evaluated after the 4" removal than decided if an addition 6" will be removed and replace with 2a? This could lead to excavating the same patch twice.

A8. *Base repair locations will be marked and 2a subbase replacement will be determined at the time of initial excavation.*

Q9. N. 6th ST.

There are Piano keys in front of the Santander Performing Arts Center. Will they need replaced in this contract? If so, will there be an added item for pricing?

A9. *Replacement of the painted piano keys is not included in this contract.*

Q10. Prior to construction, will the City trim the trees to allow clearance for construction?

A10. The Contractor is responsible for trimming any trees branches to allow for the trucks and other paving equipment. All tree trimming must be coordinated with the City Arborist, Lester Kissinger.

Q11. My RCP supplier is stating that they will not be able to have the 12" RCP in stock prior to the job completion. Is there an alternative material that will be acceptable?

A11. *The material must be RCP due to the depth and location of pipe in the cartway.*

I, HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE CHANGES COVERED BY THIS ADDENDUM HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO ACCOUNT.

Firm Name (Type or Print)_____

Authorized Signature _____

Title_____

Name (Type or Print)_____

Date_____