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January 31, 2019

ADDENDUM NO. 1 TO CONTRACT DOCUMENTS FOR THE SAN FRANCISQUITO CREEK MITIGATION PLANTING AND ESTABLISHMENT MAINTENACE PROJECT Project No. 26284002 Contract No. C0644

Notice is hereby given to Prospective Bidders that the Contract Documents are modified as hereinafter set forth.

BID DOCUMENTS

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

3. Summary of Work

REPLACE paragraph A. in its entirety with:

"A. Project Description. The Project scope includes the following:

The objective of the Project is to install tidal riverine/tidal marsh habitat enhancement and mitigation plantings, and maintain those plantings during the identified establishment period. The Project includes, but is not limited to, the following major components:"

<u>REPLACE</u> the text in the last paragraph that reads:

"The District anticipates awarding a contract for planting and two years of plant maintenance in February 2019. The plant maintenance activities for year two will be awarded as a supplemental bid item." with:

"The District anticipates awarding a contract for planting, and up to two years of plant maintenance. The plant maintenance activities for year two, if awarded, will be as Additive Bid Items."

4. Contract Time

REPLACE the text that reads:

"4. Contract Time. Time limit for the completion of the work is 790 calendar days." with:

ADDENDUM NO. 1 Santa Clara Valley Water District San Francisquito Creek Mitigation Planting and Establishment Maintenance Project S13057.docx Page 1 of 6 ***4. Contract Time.** Time limit for the completion of the work is 425 days from the first chargeable Day of the contract for Planting and Year 1 - Plant Establishment Maintenance. If Additive Bid Items 1, 2 and 3 for Year - 2 Plant Establishment Maintenance are awarded, the time limit for completion of the work is 790 Days from the first chargeable Day of the contract.

REPLACE paragraph C. with:

***C.** Milestone #3: Additive Bid Items 1, 2 and 3 for the second year of the plant establishment period, if awarded, shall be completed before the expiration of 790 Days from the first chargeable Day of the Contract."

6. Estimated Cost

REPLACE paragraph **A. Additive/Deductive Bid Items**. with:

"A. Additive/ Deductive Bid Items. Additive Bid Items 1, 2 and 3 are for Year 2 - Plant Maintenance Establishment and associated Year 2 activities. These Bid Items may or may not be awarded at the sole discretion of the District. The sum of the Total Base Bid and the Total Additive Bid will be used to determine the lowest Bid price."

<u>REPLACE</u> paragraph **B. Supplemental Bid Items**. with:

"B. Supplemental Bid Items. Not Used."

BID FORM NO.1

<u>REPLACE</u> BID FORM NO. 1 Proposal Form and Bid Items, with:

"BID FORM NO. 1 (REV 1) Proposal Form and Bid Items" (ATTACHMENT 1)

SPECIFICATIONS AND CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

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REPLACE Article 24.07 that reads:

"24.07. Year 2 Plant Establishment Maintenance – Supplemental Bid Item No. 1", with:

"24.07. Year 2 - Plant Establishment Maintenance – Additive Bid Item No. 1".

REPLACE Article 24.08 that reads:

"24.08. Additional Container Planting Watering – Supplemental Bid Item No. 2", with:

"24.08. Year 2 - Additional Container Planting Watering - Additive Bid Item No. 2".

REPLACE Article 24.09 that reads:

"24.09. Additional Hydroseed Irrigation - Supplemental Bid Item No. 3", with:

"24.09. Year 2 - Additional Hydroseed Irrigation - Additive Bid Item No. 3".

SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Article 12.01 Summary of Work

REPLACE text in the second paragraph of A. that reads:

"... and maintain those plantings for a two-year establishment period." with:

"... and maintain those plantings for up to a two-year establishment period."

Article 12.03. Contract Time(s)

REPLACE paragraph C.3. with:

"3. Milestone 3: If Additive Bid items 1, 2 and 3 are awarded, the second year of the establishment period shall be completed before the expiration of 790 Days from the first chargeable Day of the Contract."

Article 12.05. Liquidated Damages

REPLACE paragraph A.3. with:

"3. \$600 per Day for failure to complete all Work of Milestone 3 within the time limit allowed. This provision will be enforced if Additive Bid Items 1, 2 and 3 for the second year of the plant establishment are awarded."

ARTICLE 20.01.01 General Requirements

REPLACE Article 20.01.01 B. in its entirety with:

- "B. 23.01. Mobilization and Demobilization Bid Item No. 1 Proposed Plan and Layout
 - 23.02. Container Planting—Bid Item No. 2 Written Guaranty Planting Plan Inspection Request Planting Inspection and Acceptance Request As-built Report
 - 24.01. Year 1 Plant Establishment Maintenance—Bid Item No. 3 Maintenance Logbooks Plant Survival Report

24.03. Weed Control

Weed Control Plan California Department of Pesticide Regulation Requirements Safety Data Sheets County Monthly Use Reports

- 24.04. Year 1 Container Plant Watering Bid Item No. 4
- 24.05. Year 1 Hydroseed Irrigation Bid Item No. 5 Irrigation Plan
- 24.06. **Biological/Environmental Compliance Bid Item No. 6** Environmental Workplan Biologist Resumes Nesting Bird and Special-Status Wildlife Species Surveys
- 24.07. Year 2 Plant Establishment Maintenance Additive Bid Item No. 1 Maintenance Logbooks Plant Survival Report Weed Control Plan California Department of Pesticide Regulation Requirements Safety Data Sheets County Monthly Use Reports
- 24.08. Year 2 Additional Container Planting Watering Additive Bid Item No. 2 Irrigation Plan
- 24.09. Year 2 Additional Hydroseed Irrigation Additive Bid Item No. 3 Irrigation Plan"

ARTICLE 21.01.01 General Requirements

REPLACE paragraph A. in its entirety, with:

"A. Refer to Bid Documents BID FORM NO. 1 (REV 1) Proposal and Bid Items, for the listing of Bid items."

ARTICLE 21.01.02 Description of Bid Items

REPLACE Article 21.01.02 in its entirety with:

"Mobilization and Demobilization - Bid Item No. 1

Container Planting - Bid Item No. 2

Year 1 - Plant Establishment Maintenance - Bid Item No. 3

Year 1 - Container Plant Watering - Bid Item No. 4

Year 1 - Hydroseed Irrigation - Bid Item No. 5

Biological/Environmental Compliance - Bid Item No. 6

ADDENDUM NO. 1 Santa Clara Valley Water District San Francisquito Creek Mitigation Planting and Establishment Maintenance Project S13057.docx Page 4 of 6 Year 2 - Plant Establishment Maintenance - Additive Bid Item No. 1

Year 2 - Additional Container Plant Watering - Additive Bid Item No. 2

Year 2 - Additional Hydroseed Irrigation - Additive Bid Item No. 3

See Special and Technical Provisions for Bid item descriptions."

TECHNICAL PROVISIONS

ARTICLE 24.01 Year 1 Plant Establishment Maintenance – BID ITEM NO. 3

REPLACE text in ARTICLE 24.01 E. 1. that reads:

"In addition, logbooks shall provide documentation of any supplemental watering or hydroseed irrigation per Articles 24.04 and 24.05." with:

"In addition, logbooks shall provide documentation of any additional watering or hydroseed irrigation per Articles 24.04 and 24.05." with:

ARTICLE 24.07 Year 2 Plant Establishment Maintenance – SUPPLEMENTAL BID ITEM NO. 1

REPLACE title of Article 24.07 with:

"24.07 Year - 2 Plant Establishment Maintenance - ADDITIVE BID ITEM NO. 1"

REPLACE paragraph G.1. in its entirety, with:

"1. Full compensation for furnishing all labor, materials, tools, equipment, and incidentals, and for doing all work required for Year 2 Plant Establishment Maintenance shall be included in a unit price bid per month for YEAR 2 - PLANT ESTABLISHMENT MAINTENANCE, ADDITIVE BID ITEM NO. 1."

ARTICLE 24.08 Additional Container Planting Watering – SUPPLEMENTAL BID ITEM NO. 2

REPLACE title of Article 24.08 with:

"24.08 Year 2 - Additional Container Plant Watering – ADDITIVE BID ITEM NO. 2"

REPLACE paragraph G.1. in its entirety, with:

"1. Full compensation for furnishing all labor, materials, tools, equipment, and incidentals, and for doing all work required for Additional Container Plant Watering shall be included in a unit price bid per watering event for Year 2 - ADDITIONAL CONTAINER PLANT WATERING, ADDITIVE BID ITEM NO. 2."

ARTICLE 24.09 Additional Hydroseed Irrigation – SUPPLEMENTAL BID ITEM NO. 3

REPLACE title of Article 24.09 with:

"24.09 Year 2 - Additional Hydroseed Irrigation – ADDITIVE BID ITEM NO. 3"

REPLACE paragraph G.1. in its entirety, with:

"1. Full compensation for furnishing all labor, materials, tools, equipment, and incidentals, and for doing all work required for Additional Hydroseed Irrigation shall be included in a unit price bid per watering event for Year 2 - ADDITIONAL HYDROSEED IRRIGATION, ADDITIVE BID ITEM NO. 3"

THIS ADDENDUM NO. 1 WHICH CONTAINS 6 PAGES AND 1 ATTACHMENT, IS ATTACHED TO AND IS A PART OF THE SPECIFICATIONS AND CONTRACT DOCUMENTS FOR THIS PROJECT.

Date: 01/31/2019

Ngoc Nguyen, P.E. Deputy Operating Officer Watersheds Design and Construction Division

Enclosure(s):

ATTACHMENT 1: BID FORM NO.1 (REV 1) Proposal and Bid Items

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ADDENDUM NO. 1 ATTACHMENT 1

BID FORM NO. 1 (REV 1) PROPOSAL AND BID ITEMS

Project No. 26284002 Contract No. C0644



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BID FORM NO. 1 (REV 1) Proposal and Bid Items

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This form must be completed in ink and changes must be initialed.

Honorable Board of Directors Santa Clara Valley Water District (District)

Pursuant to, and in compliance with, the Notice to Bidders and the Contract Documents, relating to the **SAN FRANCISQUITO CREEK, MITIGATION PLANTING & ESTABLISHMENT MAINTENANCE PROJECT**, the undersigned Bidder having become thoroughly familiar with the terms and conditions of the Contract Documents and with local conditions affecting the performance and costs of the Work and having fully inspected the Work site in all particulars, hereby proposes and agrees to fully perform the Work, including providing any and all labor and materials and performing all Work required to construct and complete said Work within the contract time stated and in accordance with the requirements of the Contract Documents, for the following sum of money.

The undersigned Bidder agrees to complete all the Work within **790** calendar days from the first chargeable day of the Contract, as stated in the Notice to Begin Work. The Bidder agrees to enter into a Contract with the District and provide the required bonds and insurance in accordance with the Instructions to Bidders, Contract Bonds, paragraph #21 and Execution of Contract, paragraph #22. If the Bidder fails to meet these requirements within the time specified in the Instruction to Bidders, Failure to Execute Contract, paragraph #23, the Bidder's security accompanying this Proposal may be forfeited and become the property of the District. No Contract exists until all Contract bonds and insurance documents have been accepted by the District.

TOTAL BID:	\$		
NO Addenda receive	d		
Addenda received as	s follows:		

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Failure to acknowledge receipt of an Addendum on the Bid Form is not, in itself, cause for withdrawal or rejection of Bid, if it can be established that Bidder did, in fact, receive such Addendum prior to Bid opening.

The undersigned Bidder has read and, understands, and will comply with, each and all of the requirements specified in these Bid Documents. This Proposal must be signed by an authorized representative of the Bidder with the authority to bind the Bidder.

BIDDER'S COMPANY INFORMATION			
NAME:	Address:		
CONTRACTOR'S CALIFORNIA LICENSE			
NUMBER:			
DATE OF EXPIRATION:			
LICENSE CLASSIFICATION(S):			
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Bidder's Signature:	Date:		
Bidder's Name and Title (Print):			

San Francisquito Creek Mitigation Planting and Establishment Maintenance Project

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ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF ITEM	APPROXIMATE QUANTITY UNIT	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL
1	Mobilization and Demobilization	Lump Sum Lump Sum		
2	Container Planting	20,000 Each		
3	Year 1 – Plant Establishment maintenance	12 Month		
4	Year 1 – Container Plant Watering	5 Event		
5	Year 1 – Hydroseed Irrigation	5 Event		
6	Biological/Environmental Compliance	Lump Sum Lump Sum		
	TOTAL BASE BID			

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ITEM NO.	DESCRIPTION OF ITEM	APPROXIMATE QUANTITY UNIT	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL
1	Year 2 - Plant Establisment Maintenance	12 Month		
2	Year 2 - Additional Container Planting Watering	4 Event		
3	Year 2 - Additional Hydroseed Irrigation	4 Event		
5		Sect	ion B Subtotal	
	TOTAL BID (Secti	on A Subtotal + Section	on B Subtotal)	



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February 14, 2019

ADDENDUM NO. 2 TO CONTRACT DOCUMENTS FOR THE SAN FRANCISQUITO CREEK MITIGATION PLANTING AND ESTABLISHMENT MAINTENACE PROJECT Project No. 26284002 Contract No. C0644

Notice is hereby given to Prospective Bidders that the Contract Documents are modified as hereinafter set forth.

SPECIFICATIONS AND CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Article 20.01.01 General Requirements

REPLACE Article 20.01.01 in its entirety with:

- "A. Submittals shall be in accordance with Standard Provisions Article 7.05 Submittals to be Furnished by the Contractor, unless otherwise modified herein.
- B. The following is a partial summary of the submittals to be provided by the contractor:

Mobilization and Demobilization – Bid Item No. 1 (Refer to Article 23.01.E.)

• Proposed Plan and Layout

Container Planting-Bid Item No. 2 (Refer to Article 23.02.E.)

- Written Guaranty
- Planting Plan Inspection Request
- Planting Inspection and Acceptance Request
- As-built Report

Year 1 Plant Establishment Maintenance—Bid Item No. 3 (Refer to Article 24.01.E.)

- Maintenance Logbooks
- Plant Survival Report

Mowing (Refer to Article 24.02.E.)

- Maintenance Logbooks
- Plant Survival Report

Weed Control (Refer to Article 24.03.E.)

- Weed Control Plan
- California Department of Pesticide Regulation Requirements
- Safety Data Sheets
- County Monthly Use Reports

Year 1 - Container Plant Watering - Bid Item No. 4 (Refer to Article 24.04.E.)

Irrigation Plan

Year 1 - Hydroseed Irrigation - Bid Item No. 5 (Refer to Article 24.05.E.)

Irrigation Plan

Biological/Environmental Compliance – Bid Item No. 6 (Refer to Article 24.06.E.)

- Environmental Workplan
- Biologist Resumes
- Nesting Bird and Special-Status Wildlife Species Surveys
- Summary of Work and Compliance

Year 2 - Plant Establishment Maintenance - Additive Bid Item No. 1 (Refer to Article 24.07.E.)

- Maintenance Logbooks
- Plant Survival Report
- Weed Control Plan
- California Department of Pesticide Regulation Requirements
- Safety Data Sheets
- County Monthly Use Reports

Year 2 - Additional Container Planting Watering – Additive Bid Item No. 2 (Refer to Article 24.08.E.)

Irrigation Plan

Year 2 - Additional Hydroseed Irrigation – Additive Bid Item No. 3 (Refer to Article 24.09.E.) • Irrigation Plan"

TECHNICAL PROVISIONS

Article 24.04 Year 1 Container Plant Watering – BID ITEM NO. 4

ADD the following paragraph to 24.04.G. Payment

"2. The provisions of Article 3.06.04. Allowable Quantity Variations of these Specifications do not apply to BID ITEM 4. This Bid Item may or may not be required. The quantities may be increased or decreased to any amount, or deleted entirely, by change order(s) at the bid unit price, at the discretion of the Engineer."

Article 24.05 Year 1 Hydroseed Irrigation – BID ITEM NO. 5

ADD the following paragraph to 24.05.G. Payment

"2. The provisions of Article 3.06.04. Allowable Quantity Variations of these Specifications do not apply to BID ITEM 5. This Bid Item may or may not be

ADDENDUM NO. 2 Santa Clara Valley Water District San Francisquito Creek Mitigation Planting and Establishment Maintenance Project S13057.docx Page 2 of 5 required. The quantities may be increased or decreased to any amount, or deleted entirely, by change order(s) at the bid unit price, at the discretion of the Engineer."

GENERAL QUESTIONS & RESPONSE

Question 1	What are the qualifications or educational requirements of the biological monitor?
Response 1	Minimum qualifications, including educational requirements, of Qualified Biologists and Biological Monitors are provided in Special Provisions Article 19.07.02. Note in Article 19.07.02.D that resumes for qualified biologists and biological monitors may be submitted to California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) and US Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) for approval. The definitions of qualified biologists and biological monitors in Special Provisions Article 19.07.02 are consistent with CDFW and USFWS requirements.
Question 2	What are the plant survivorship rates after year 1? Year 2?
Response 2	Plant survival shall be at least 75% at the end of Year 1, as documented in the Plant Survival Report (Article 24.01.E.2), and 65% at the end of Year 2, if Additive Bid Items 1,2, and 3 are awarded. Required plant survival rates may be negotiated based on flow and tidal events, plant establishment patterns, and/or cover of native vegetation whether planted or naturally recruited.
Question 3	Is the contractor responsible for purchasing all replacement plant material?
Response 3	The District will provide replacement plants at the Contractor's expense, subject to Article 24.01.E.2.
Question 4	Can the contractor use retreated water to water the plants?
Response 4	Yes, subject to the specifications in Articles 23.02.B.6, 24.04.B.2, and 24.05.B.2.
Question 5	Can the contractor use water from fire hydrants (May Contain Chlorine)?
Response 5	No.
Question 6	Can the district show an example of riling that the contractor would be responsible for repairing?
Response 6	Contractor will be responsible for repairing riling that, based on location, season, and/or magnitude, can be reasonably attributed to contractor activities.
Question 7	Will the contractor be responsible for repairing riling that is caused by tides?
Response 7	No.

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Question 8	What is the total area of the hydro seed area that will need to be irrigated for bid item # 5?
Response 8	Up to 317,780 square feet (7.5 acres).
Question 9	What is the inboard and outboard acreage of the area to maintained?
Response 9	Up to 5.7 acres of outboard levee and up to 1.8 acres of inboard levee for mowing and potential watering, and up to 15.1 acres of inboard marsh for weed treatment and potential watering of plantings.
Question 10	What is the weight limits for the asphalt pathway?
Response 10	The weight limit is 5 tons.
Question 11	Can the contractor use a mowing attachment on a skid steer during the mowing events?
Response 11	A mowing attachment on a skid steer, or similar mechanized mowing equipment, may be used on outboard levee surfaces, provided all necessary pre-mowing surveys and biological monitoring are conducted, and levee surfaces will not be damaged by the equipment. On inboard levee surfaces, hand-held string trimmers (i.e., weedwhackers) may be used provided all necessary pre-mowing surveys and biological monitoring are conducted.
Question 12	Would the district consider having Bid Item No. 4 "Year 1 – Container Plant Watering" as an add/alternate? It was discussed at the pre-bid meeting that tidal action would be the main method of watering plants vs the specifications which call for 5 events for Year 1. Should the contractor assume hand watering events will be required? Or on an as needed basis?
Response 12	Contractor should assume that Bid Item No. 4 will be performed on an as-needed basis. Per watering event unit pricing and Engineer approval prior to a watering event were specified to account for this scenario.
Question 13	Would the district consider Bid Item No. 5 "Hydroseed Irrigation" as an add/alternate?
Response 13	Contractor should assume that Bid Item No. 5 will be performed on an as-needed basis. Per irrigation event unit pricing and Engineer approval prior to an irrigation event were specified to account for this scenario.
Question 14	It was discussed at the pre-bid meeting and stated in the specifications that ½" of water (~120,000 gallons) will be applied using water trucks. Will temporary trail closures be allowed when water trucks are used to deliver water?
Response 14	Temporary trail closures can be allowed but must be coordinated at least two weeks in advance with the Engineer. See Articles 12.01 (Summary of Work – Plant Maintenance), 18.11 (Recreation), and 24.02.C (Mowing – Placement).

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Question 15	Would side-spraying from a water truck be an approved method of water placement or should the contractor assume a temporary on-grade overhead sprinkler system will be required to accurately apply the $\frac{1}{2}$ of water?
Response 15	Either option could be an approved method. Note response to Question 6.
Question 16	Will the contractor be allowed to park a water truck on the shoulder of asphalt trail?
Response 16	No. The District has found that trucks using the unpaved top of the levee cause damage to the edges of the asphalt trail and to the top of levee. A water truck and other maintenance vehicles would need to remain on the paved trail. Note response to Question 14.
Question 17	Under what bid item do we put the biologist fees and do you need the Biologist throughout the life of the contract?
Response 17	The Biologist work would be accounted for in Bid Item #6 Biological / Environmental Compliance, and is required for the duration of the contract. Please refer to Articles 19.07.02 and 24.06 in the Specifications.

THIS ADDENDUM NO. 2, WHICH CONTAINS 5 PAGES, IS ATTACHED TO AND IS A PART OF THE SPECIFICATIONS AND CONTRACT DOCUMENTS FOR THIS PROJECT.

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Date: 02/14/2019

Ngoc Nguyen, P.E. Deputy Operating Officer Watersheds Design and Construction Division

Enclosure(s): None

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