

Priest Lake Water Management Project Thorofare Navigation Improvements ITB 2020-001 Contractor Question Response

Date Issued: July 14, 2020

Date of Bid Opening: July 28, 2020

Question 1. For the Thorofare Project, please provide the following CAD drawings:

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Response: Select CAD files are included in Addendum No. 4.

Question 2. Please provide existing land and bathymetric surface and intermediate and final surfaces that are available.

Response: Select CAD files are included in Addendum No. 3, including the existing surface basemap.

Question 3. Is tree removal in Lot 10 allowed to improve the access route into the site?

Response: Under the current easement, tree removal in Lot 10 is not allowed. The Owner is currently investigating the potential for removing a few trees to improve accessibility.

Question 4. The specifications refer to a royalty that must be paid for dredged material that is not reused on the project. Is this royalty the responsibility of the Contractor? If so, what is the cost?

Response: The royalty paid to IDL for dredged material not reused on the project is \$1.55 per cubic yard and is the responsibility of the Contractor.

Question 5. The specifications require the Contractor to dispose of treated timber materials at an authorized landfill. For estimating purposes, can you provide an anticipated volume the of treated timber that will require landfill disposal? Additionally, can you please provide a list of authorized landfills?

Response: The existing timber breakwater was constructed of untreated material, and there is no anticipated volume of treated timber that will require landfill disposal.

There are no approved landfills in Bonner County, but there is a Solid Waste Transfer Site on Dickensheet Road. In past construction projects, arrangements have been made with Waste Management to place a large disposal bin on site on a will-call basis.

Question 6. Please confirm the Thorofare project is subject to Idaho Code, which requires a minimum of 95% of the crew to be bona fide Idaho residents or 90% if less than 50 persons employed under the contract.

Response: Yes, the Thorofare Project is subject to Idaho Code §§44-1001 and 44-1002.

Question 7. Please consider providing a 1-week extension to the questions and bid due dates.

Response: The question deadline will be extended to July 14th, *but it is not guaranteed that all questions submitted after July* 6th *will be answered due to time constraints. A 1-week extension on the bid due date will not be granted.*

Question 8. Please consider separating the bid due dates for the two (2) projects to allow for potential cost savings to the IDWR associated with synergies for executing both projects. At the same time, consider the timeframe for mailing physical copies of the bids.

Response: The bid due dates for the Thorofare project has been adjusted. The bid due date for the Outlet Dam project is July 24, 2020 at 4pm. The bid due date for the Thorofare project is July 28, 2020 at 2pm.