



**Department of Purchasing & Contract Compliance**

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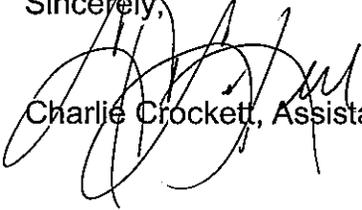
**Re: 09ITB66555A-CJC  
2009 Standby Miscellaneous Construction –  
Wastewater System Services Contract**

Dear Bidders:

Attached is one (1) copy of Addendum 1, hereby made a part of the above referenced Bid.

Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions in the Bid referenced above remain unchanged and in full force and effect.

Sincerely,

  
Charlie Crockett, Assistant Purchasing Agent

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This Addendum forms a part of the contract documents and **modifies** the original Bid documents as noted below:

**Questions and Responses:**

1. **QUESTION:** In Section 1.07, paragraph B of the measurement and payment section; it states the vacuum testing is required for manholes. Are all manholes required to have this test performed or just the ones along outfall sections, which are more pronged to have I&I issues? Does this include existing MH's that we may tie-in to?

**RESPONSE:** See Section 02730, Article 3.08, Paragraph G. Vacuum testing is required for all manholes.

2. **QUESTION:** In Section 1.07, paragraph E of the measurement and payment section regarding manhole adjustments. Do we utilize this bid item after the new installation of sewer main in the street after paving operations are complete or could we receive projects only consisting of manhole adjustments?

**RESPONSE:** The Manhole Modifications pay item will be used for adjustments to existing manholes, where ordered by the County as part of an authorized project. Additional or separate payment will not be made for improper installation of new manholes.

3. **QUESTION:** On section 02229, pg. 3 of 9, it states that all jack and bores shall utilize a steer head if they are over 60lf. Since this is a more expensive method of boring, would the County consider an add-on for this or a separate bid item?

**RESPONSE:** See Specification Section 01025, Measurement and Payment, Page 6, Article 1.08, Paragraph H.

4. **QUESTION:** In section 01060, it states that the contractor is responsible for permits and licenses. What permits are required from the contractor?

**RESPONSE:** See Paragraph A in Specification Section 01060.

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5. **QUESTION:** When is the installation of polyethylene encasement required around sewer mains?

**RESPONSE:** Polyethylene encasement is not addressed in this bid document.

6. **QUESTION:** Do bid items 2f, 3f, and 4f include the carrier pipe?

**RESPONSE:** No. See Specification Section 01025, Article 1.05, Paragraph D.4.

7. **QUESTION:** In the section regarding free bores, it states that no wet bores are allowed. In the bid items you call out directional drills. This process requires water for the jet head to complete the drill. I assume the County will allow water to be utilized. Is this correct.

**RESPONSE:** Yes. See Specification Section 02229, Article 3.07.

8. **QUESTION:** Directional Drilling requires enough grades in order to have a margin of error to properly install the sewer main. What is the minimum grade for bores made via a directional drill are to be expected?

**RESPONSE:** The minimum grade expected for directional drill installations is approximately 1.5%.

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**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF ADDENDUM NO. 1**

The undersigned proposer acknowledges receipt of this addendum by returning one (1) copy of this form with the proposal package to the Purchasing Department, Fulton County Public Safety Building, 130 Peachtree Street, Suite 1168, Atlanta, Georgia 30303 by the Bid due date and time **May 28, 2009, 11:00 A.M.**

This is to acknowledge receipt of Addendum No. 1, \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2009.

\_\_\_\_\_ Legal Name of Bidder

\_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Authorized Representative

\_\_\_\_\_ Title

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