



ADDENDUM TO BID DOCUMENTS

PROJECT NAME Underground Fiber Connection Between Community Redevelopment Agency to Homestead Police Department to City Hall

PROJECT No. 202202 **BID OPENING DATE** 12/08/2021 **ADDENDUM No.** ONE

ADDENDUM ISSUE DATE: 12/03/2021

To All Bidders:

This addendum is issued to modify the previously issued Bid documents and/or given for informational purposes, and is hereby made a part of the Bid documents. Please attach this addendum to the documents in your possession and acknowledge receipt of this addendum by signing below.

Clarification/Addition to Bid Document:

1. Revision to Bid Form.
2. Revision to Section 1.8 – Method of Award: B) ~~Bidder must bid on all items listed on Bid Form to qualify for award of the contract. Bid will be awarded on an all or nothing basis.~~

Bidder should not submit all-or-nothing Bids, as each group will be tabulated on an individual basis. Bidder must bid on all items in a Group to qualify for award of that group, except as otherwise stated. Each Group specified on the Bid Form could be awarded on an individual basis. Groups will be awarded on an all or nothing basis. Each Group quoted on the Bid Form must be capable of standing alone and not be dependent on award of entire Contract.

Award will be made in the best interest of the City to one or more contractors which meet the requirements specified herein. After award, it will be up to the discretion of the City which of the awarded contractors are selected for each individual projects under this contract. Award does not guarantee work.

3. Awarded vendor will be required to go through fingerprinting and background check before entering the Police Department building.

Questions received via bids@cityofhomestead.com:

1. Q: What is the budget for this project?

A: The estimated budget for this project is \$95,000.00.

2. Q: What is the estimated time for completion of the project?

A: Refer to Section 1.12 – Completion Time of the bid document.

3. Q: Will the City of Homestead provide MOT for lane closures, or is the contractor responsible for paying MOT and coordinating it themselves? If this is to be paid/coordinated by the contractor can the city have PD send over their MOT rates so we can calculate cost?

A: The MOT will be part of the documentation required to obtain a right-of-way permit, and it must be prepared and signed by a certified Traffic Control Supervisor or a licensed Florida Professional Engineer. The contractor will be responsible for furnishing, installing and maintaining the traffic control and safety

devices during construction. PD rate is \$55/hr + \$10 vehicle fee + 6% admin fee per officer (\$477/8-hr day-officer).

4. Q: To confirm the footages that we should bid on are:
- o 1300 FT of conduit/directional boring from Segments S1-S2?
 - o 200 FT of conduit/directional boring from Segments S3-S4?
 - o 1,924 FT of fiber from Segments S1-S4 + service loops at each handhole/splice/building entrance?
 - o 685FT of fiber from Segments S5-S8?

A: Correct

5. Q: Will the City allow Hotwire Communications to build parallel conduits than the one requested? This will allow for redundancy and disaster recovery in case the primary fiber and conduits go out of service. We will also have the opportunity to enhance our footprint and customer reach in Homestead.

A: No.

6. Q: Maintenance Agreement: Just clarification, is this already taken care of through another entity?

A: Included 1 year of maintenance included in the budget. .

7. Q: What is that maximum distance allowed between each new handhole in the new conduit installation? Typically a scope requires a handhold every 300ft but can also be up to 800ft. Please let us know which is better for the city.

A: For public right of ways:

- a) No handholes shall be allowed on the roadway surface.
- b) No handhole shall be located within 10' of any turning radius.
- c) All handholes shall be able to resist HS-20 loading.

8. Q: Does the city have an architectural drawing/plan complete to submit for permitting on this project? The permitting agency may require an architectural drawing done in PDF/CAD format to submit for permit. So far all we have is the satellite image of the area.

A: For the public right of way permit, the contractor must submit drawings showing:

- a) The location and layout of the proposed work, including plan and profile views.
- b) MOT

You will need to contact the Development Services Department regarding work outside the right-of-way limits.

9. Q: Police Dept rack mount moving data cables down or wall mount on the side?

A: Police Department will be moving rack mount data cables down.

10. Q: Every how many feet do hand holes need to be installed?

A: 500 feet.

11. Q: Fusion splice or mech connector with fan out kits similar to existing. Can we use 48ct instead of 12ct depending on availability?

A: Fusion splice.

12. Q: What is the engineers estimate for Police Department?

A: The City does not have an engineer's estimate, however, the estimated budget for both portions of this project is \$95,000.00.

13. Q: What is the engineer's estimate for CRA?

A: Refer to the response to question #12.

Authorized by:

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Acknowledged by:

Name (*Printed*)

Signature

Date

BID FORM
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Deliver Bid to:
City of Homestead - City Clerk's Office
100 Civic Court, First Floor
Homestead, FL 33030

ITB# 202202
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Community Redevelopment Agency to
Homestead Police Department to City Hall

To be opened and publicly read, Wednesday, December 8, 2021 at 2:00 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers.

COMPANY NAME	PHONE NUMBER
VENDOR MAILING ADDRESS	FAX NUMBER
CITY, STATE, AND ZIP CODE	TOLL FREE NUMBER
BID CONTACT PERSON (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY)	F.E.I.D. NUMBER
TITLE	E-MAIL ADDRESS

Description	Subtotals
Group I – Fiber Optic Route: City Hall to Homestead Police Department	\$ _____
Group II – Fiber Optic Route: City Hall to Community Redevelopment Agency	\$ _____
TOTAL BID PRICE	\$ _____
Mobilization Time (refer to Section 1.10)	_____

Please take a minute and let us know how you were notified of this Bid.
CIRCLE ONE

South Dade Newsleader / Daily Business Review / The Miami Herald / City of Homestead Website

Demandstar / E-mail sent from City of Homestead / Project Engineer

Other (Please be specific): _____

**Bid Form
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The following are requirements of this bid, as indicated below. Use of this checklist may help ensure that your submission is complete.

Place a check mark in the "Done" column as you complete and enclose each item. Requirements that do not apply to this Bid will be denoted by "N/A" (not applicable).

Required	Done	Requirement	Found In Section
√		Non-Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting	1.3
√		Execution of Bid	2.1
√		Exception to Specifications	2.2
√		1 Original (marked), 2 Copies of Contractor's Bid, CD or USB Flash Drive, and Acknowledgment of Addenda (if any)	2.3
√		Licenses	2.3.1, 2.9.1
√		Insurance	2.4
√		Bid Bond	2.5
√		References (list & forms)	2.7
√		Warranty/Guarantee	2.8
√		Bidder Qualifications & Exhibit "B"	2.9
√		Bid Submittal & Required forms	2.12
√		Subcontractors	2.13

This checklist is for your guidance. Please read the entire Bid thoroughly to ensure that your submission is complete.

Exceptions - Reference Section: *If none are stated in your bid, it shall be construed by the City of Homestead that your bid fully complies with all terms, conditions, and specifications).*

****NOTE:** Attachment of quotations will not be construed as an exception.

Do you accept Visa cards as a form of payment? Yes No

Do you give prompt payment discounts? Yes, Percentage of discount _____% Term _____ No

Addendum Received # _____ # _____ # _____ # _____ # _____ # _____ # _____

I certify that this bid is made without prior understanding, agreement, or connection with any corporation, firm or person submitting a bid for the same materials, supplies, or equipment, and is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud. I agree to abide by all terms and conditions of this bid, the terms and conditions provided in the Grant Award Agreement (Exhibit E), and certify that I am authorized to sign this bid for the bidder.

Authorized Signature (Manual) Authorized Signature and Title (Typed/Printed) _____
Date