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ADDENDUM NUMBER 1

RE: BID DUE : OCTOBER 10, 2013 @ 11:30 A.M.

BID/RFP TITLE: REPLACEMENT OF EMERGENCY GENERATORS AT BROAD MEADOWS MIDDLE SCHOOL AND FIRE HEADQUARTERS.

PLEASE NOTE : Several questions have been asked by potential bidders relative to the above referenced Invitation to Bid. The questions and answers are below.

Q.) We noticed that for the middle school the specs say to install and connect the wiring, and at the Fire Station the specs say to connect the wiring. Are we to provide all new wiring at the Middle School and use existing wiring at the Fire Station?

A.) *Fire Station: Use existing wiring Broad Meadows: All new wiring*

Q.) At the fire dept. is the intent to reuse or replace any existing feeder/branch circuit conductors?

A.) *Reuse*

Q.) At the fire dept. is a three phase transfer switch required?

A.) *Yes*

Q.) Is it going to be possible to pour pad addition into the parking space in front of the generator taking part of the space?

A.) *Yes if required for new generator size*

Q.) Are aluminum conductors acceptable?

A.) *No*

Q.) What type of conduits are required for any new installs, EMT, PVC scdl 40, PVC scdl 80.
RMC

A.) *RMC*

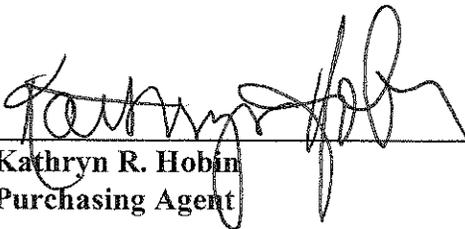
Q.) Does the generator at the fire dept. need to be fueled by contractor and if so how fuel should it have in it? [sic]

A.) *Enough fuel to require testing of generator.*

- Q.) Will there be a detail provided or any criteria for the Support stand specified for the generator at Broad Meadows. Will this need to have stairs or a ladder since it will be roughly 4' above the ground?
- A.) *The awarded vendor shall be prepared to submit for approval to the Public Building Department a stamped structural support detailed drawing prepared by a licensed structural engineer. Cost should be included in bid price.*
- Q.) Are there any fence specifications?
- A.) *Commercial grade fencing with posts, black vinyl, 6 foot high, with gate to enclose generator, (see "Location of Generator @ Broad Meadow school" sketch for reference)*

Thank you.

PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE THIS ADDENDUM IN THE BID FORM


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