

## ADDENDUM NO. 1

This Addendum forms a part of the Contract Documents and modifies the original Bidding Documents dated November 10, 2021, as described below. Bidders shall acknowledge receipt of this addendum in the space provided on the Bid Form. Failure to acknowledge receipt of this Addendum may subject the Bidder to disqualification. This Addendum consists of 2 pages and 2 attachments.

The following questions and inquiries have been received by the Owner and are followed by the Owner's response.

1. Has the Town already acquired the 12" PVC, or when is the anticipated delivery date?

Yes, the 12" PVC pipe has been ordered with an anticipated delivery date of December 2021.

2. Although every attempt would be made to acquire the remaining material as soon as possible, is the Town aware that current "best case" timelines are 8-10 weeks from approved submittals? Material acquisition has actually been sliding into the 12-16 week range, so would the Town be willing to adjust the current dates shown in Section 4.02 of the contract within the bid specifications accordingly?

Yes, the Owner is aware of supply chain issues and will work with the awarded Contractor where such delays are documented and verifiable.

3. Will the 12" PVC be purple pipe? If so, we're assuming the Town will also want the 4" PVC to be purple. If that is the case, would blue PVC wrapped in purple polywrap be acceptable?

Yes, the 12" PVC is purple pipe. Yes, the 4" PVC should also be purple pipe. If that is not available, the Owner can accept blue PVC pipe wrapped in purple polywrap.

4. We do not see a detail for a low point blow off assembly in the Town's specifications. Can you please provide a detail for what you would like to see?

Please see the attached reference drawing (WI-7) from South Adams County Water and Sanitation District regarding the low point blow off.

5. Can you please specify the size of the gravity thrust block required on the upper vertical 12" 45-degree bend at STA 10+03.00?

Please reference the Town of Bennett Standard Plan 562-B regarding vertical restraint requirements.

6. There is reference to a Geotechnical Baseline Report/Geotechnical Data Report in Article 5 of the Instructions to Bidders. Is there such a report for this project and can you please provide a copy? If there is no report, can the Contractor assume no groundwater will be encountered?

There is no geotechnical report and the Bidder may assume that groundwater will not be encountered in the excavation.

7. The plans are very clear the pipe is to be installed rather deep. Can you please confirm this will in fact be required?

Yes, standard bury depth for irrigation pipe is 7.5 feet below grade. The pipe is to be installed as shown on the plans.

8. Will the Contractor be permitted to waste any excess trench spoils within the permanent and/or temporary construction easements?

No, the Contractor will need to remove any access material from site and restore the site to the previous condition (grading, reseeding, etc.).

9. Is the Contractor responsible for materials/compaction testing?

No, the Owner will contract Kumar & Associates, Inc. for materials and compaction testing. The Contractor is responsible for coordinating with Kumar & Associates, Inc. for scheduling.

10. Is the Contractor responsible for construction surveying?

Yes, the Contractor is responsible for construction surveying.

11. Please confirm Builder's Risk Insurance will be required.

Builder's Risk Insurance is not required for this Project.

12. The Advertisement for Bids states the Bids will be publicly opened and read. Because the bids are to be emailed, will the Town provide a link for the bid opening? If not, will the Town provide the bid results immediately after the opening?

In lieu of a public bid opening, the Owner will provide a bid summary to registered Bidders and upon request.

13. The Town of Bennett standards are available online at:

<https://townofbennett.colorado.gov/departments/planning-economic-development/planning-and-zoning/development-design-standards>. Updated Town of Bennett standard drawings are provided as part of this Addendum.

**END OF ADDENDUM NO. 1**