



"The Capital City of the Palm Beaches"

PROCUREMENT DIVISION

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Addendum No. 1
ITB # 08/09-03

ANNUAL MICROSURFACING CONTRACT

Each recipient of this Addendum No. 1 to the bid who responds to the bid acknowledges all of the provisions set forth in the Invitation to Bid and agrees to be bound by the terms thereof. This addendum shall modify, clarify, change or add information and clarification and become part of the above referenced Invitation to Bid.

SUBMITTED QUESTIONS

1. *From page 20, 2.01 EMULSIFIED ASPHALT. Under 2.01.0, it states "The contractor shall manufacture its own emulsion". Will the City hold to this? Do they require all overlay contractors to produce their own hot mix or quarry their own aggregate? We would use a manufacturer who compiles with the experience clause and performs all required material testing. Will that be allowed in place of self-manufacturing?*
 - A. The Contractor does not have to manufacture their own emulsion providing they are using a certified emulsion supplier that meets or exceeds the specification stated herein.

2. *From page 24, 2.07, Equipment, under 2.07.2 it states "The contractor will be required to own both the truck mount and continuous flow machines". Due to other simultaneous contracts we are often required to rent equipment. As long as all equipment meets or exceeds specifications, will the City accept some rental or leased pieces in place of ownership?*
 - A. Yes, equipment may be leased or rented providing equipment meets or exceeds the requirements.

3. *It is requested that the five (5) year requirement be reduced to three (3) year minimum.*
 - A. Section 02741- Microsurfacing Asphalt Paving, Subsection 4.01 (Experience of the Contractor), has been modified to read:
"The bidder will certify that he has had a minimum three (3) years experience in the Florida in the application of Micro-Surfacing material. A list of Florida contracts completed during the last three (3) years shall accompany the bid. The

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list shall include the Customers name, phone number, location of project and the superintendent in charge.”

CLARIFICATION IN SPECIFICATIONS

Section 02741-Microsurfacing Asphalt Paving, Subsection 2.01.01 (Emulsified Asphalt), paragraph 1 has been modified to read:

“The emulsified asphalt shall be a quick-set latex modified cationic type CCS-1H emulsion with natural or synthetic latex and shall conform to the requirements specified in AASHTO M208 or ASTM D2397. It shall pass all applicable storage and settlement tests.”

Section 02741- Microsurfacing Asphalt Paving, Subsection 2.07.02 (Mixing Equipment), paragraph 1 has been modified to read:

“The machine shall be specifically designed and manufactured to lay Micro-Surfacing. The material shall be mixed by an automatic-sequenced, self-propelled Micro-Surfacing mixing machine, which shall be a continuous-flow mixing unit able to accurately deliver and proportion the aggregate, emulsified asphalt, mineral filler, control setting additive, and water to a revolving multi-blade, double-shafted mixer and to discharge the mixed product on a continuous-flow basis. The machine shall have sufficient storage capacity for aggregate, emulsified asphalt, mineral filler, control additive and water to maintain an adequate supply to the proportioning controls. The machine may be required to be a self-loading machine capable of loading materials while continuing to lay microsurfacing, thereby minimizing construction joints. If used, the self-loading machine shall be equipped to allow the operator to have full control of the forward and reverse speeds during applications of the Micro-Surfacing material and be equipped with opposite-side driver stations to assist in alignment. The self-loading device, opposite-side driver stations, and forward and reverse speed controls shall be original equipment manufacturer design.”


ADDITIONAL NOTES

- The City may award the contract to one or more qualified contractor(s) on a non-exclusive basis. The City will make selection of the apparent qualified contractor(s) based on their past experience and references that will serve the best value to the City.
- The City reserves the right to increase or decrease the total quantities as necessary to meet the City’s budget and actual project quantities.
- The City does not guarantee any minimum amount of work to be awarded to the contractor(s) for this project.

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Bidders must acknowledge receipt of this Addendum No. 1 in the space provided below. This Addendum forms an integral part of the bid documents and therefore must be executed. Failure to return this addendum with your bid submittal may be cause for disqualification.

Issued By: City of West Palm Beach
Procurement Division
September 30, 2008

Signed By: 
Nora W. Laudermilk
Procurement Official

BIDDER:

Signed By: _____

Print Name: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

End of Addendum No. 1

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