



Newark Liberty International Airport - Rehabilitation of CTA Entrance and Frontage Bridges N1, N2, N5, N6 - Contract EWR-154.235

RESPONSE#2 TO QUESTIONS FROM BIDDERS

DATED: November 9, 2017

QUES	DATE	QUESTION	RESPONSE
001	10/26/17	There are plan pages that have notes written on them that are very light and not legible, I have attached drawing number S1002 and circled the notes in red pen to illustrate; please provide plan pages with notes that are legible. Those plans pages that have notes that are not legible are as follows: S1002/S1003/S1004/S1005/S1006/S1007/S1009/S2002/S2003S2004/S2005/S2006/S2007/S5002/S5003/S5004/S5005/S6001/S6002/S6003/S6004/S6005/S6006/S6007/S7002/S7005/S7009 S7010 and S7011.	The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum.
002a		Question-On page 54 of the contract specifications it states the following: "I. Complete all Work on Bridge N5 within 60 calendar days of starting this Work." "II. Complete all Work on Bridges N1 and N2 within 120 calendar days of starting this Work. "Can you please advise on when the duration of the work at these structures actually begins?	The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum.
002b		Is it the start of actual physical work at the bridge?	See the clause entitled "Time for Completion and Damages for Delay" on page 54 and B. of the clause entitled "Hours of Work and Construction Staging" on pages 178 and 179 of the Contract Booklet.
002c	10/31/17	Also, can you please confirm that the durations listed can start at any point during the 365 day overall contract completion?	The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum.
003		I am forwarding the below email in the event that you didn't receive it on October 25 th , 2017; we are still having trouble making out the notes on those plans listed, please forward us plan pages that are legible,	The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum.
004a	11/02/17	1. It's not clear in bid documents, which type of repair falls under Item 1 of Classified Work – Slab Concrete Repair. Please provide details for the Slab Concrete Repair work.	See Deck Plan and Detail 1 on Contract Drawing S6005 and Removal Plan and Detail 1 on Contract Drawing S6002.
004b		2. Concrete repair notes 1 on drawing number S7001 refers to drawing S7003 for concrete spall repair procedure, but drawing S7003 is not included in bid documents. Please provide drawing S7003.	The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum.
004c		3. Drawing S5004 shows the abutment elevations of bridge N5 showing the proposed concrete repairs. East end of North abutment shows forward diagonal hatched area which calls out for reconstruction of bearing seat (similar hatched areas are also shown on South	See the Legend on Contract Drawing S1005. The question will be further addressed by Addendum.
004d		4. Reference drawing S0101. Structural Notes 3.03, A specify rough sawn wooden plank form finish for the substructure. Whereas, note 3.13 specifies application of 1/16" to 1/8" thick stucco wash coat with smooth finish, which will defeat the purpose of textured finish. Please clarify.	For surface preparation requirements of substructure repairs, see Note 3.03 A on Contract Drawing S0101. For surface finish required for abutment stem, see Note 3.13 on Contract Drawing S0101.
005	11/03/17	Good Morning. Requesting a Bid Date extension of 2 weeks in order to responsibly bid this project. This time will allow our DBE subs and vendors more time to quote this project, thus allowing us to meet our minority participation goals. Please advise.	The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum.
006	11/06/17	Please confirm the DBE goal for this project, thank you.	The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum.
007	11/07/17	Would you kindly confirm if there are any expected addendum that may be issued for the subject project and if the bid date is expected to be extended.	The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum.
008	11/08/17	We hereby request an extension to bid date for the subject project. Due the expected release of an addendum and to allow sufficient time for review and distribution to Vendors and Subcontractors as well as the Election Day and Veteran's Day holidays this week a minimum of a two week extension is requested.	The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum.

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009	11/08/17	We have received the bidders questions Log 1 November 7, 2017 from the Port Authority website, 4 of the 5 questions were answered with this response; "The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum". We have not received an Addendum #2 as yet and because of the impending holiday weekend we respectfully ask to have the bid date moved back to at least Tuesday November 21, 2017 to give the bidders time to evaluate the upcoming addendum, thank you for your help on this matter.	The bidder's question will be addressed by Addendum.
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