New Jersey Turnpike Authority

Engineering Department

Order for Professional Services No. T3857 Supervision of Construction Services for Contract No. T200.596, Rehabilitation of Concrete Median Barrier, Milepost 89 to 122

Responses to Inquiries Request for Expressions of Interest

- 1. **Inquiry:** Do the required four hard copies need to all have original signatures, notary, etc.? **Response:** No, only one original is required.
- 2. **Inquiry:** The Staffing Estimate shown in Subsection A5 contains a line for Inspector-NICET II (FT) but no hours are shown. Please clarify if the Authority is estimating hours for this position.

Response: No additional Inspector hours beyond the indicated 1,840 hours are to be included for a single full-time Inspector. However, the Inspector position may be filled by either a NICET Level III or II Inspector.

3. **Inquiry:** As per Note #1 on Construction Plan #3 (Plan Sheet #6), "The Contractor shall only work in one work zone at a time as defined on the work summary table. All work shall be completed in one work zone with the exception of concrete penetrating sealer prior to moving on the another." This note contradicts Group # 1 thru 4 assigned in Phase C Construction Schedule. Please Clarify which is correct?

Response: Forthcoming Addendum will be issued shortly to address this issue. For the purpose of the RFEOI you can assume they will be done in groups. However, those groupings will be finalized with the issuance of the addendum.

4. **Inquiry:** As per Note #3 – Concrete Compressive Strength (f'c) on General Notes (Plan Sheet #2), Class A concrete is assigned for Slip-form method and Class A High Early Concrete assigned for removable forms, however, Note #4 on Construction Plan#3 (Plan Sheet #6), "All median barrier replacement shall take place utilizing cast-in-place construction methods. No slip-forms shall be required. Please Clarify if slip-form method is allowed?

Response: Forthcoming Addendum will be issued shortly to address this issue. For the purpose of the RFEOI you can assume slip-form is allowed.

5. Inquiry: As per Subsection A3, OPS Procurement Schedule on RFEOI Page #12, NTP for OPS is October 2021. Furthermore, Project Description Page #2 of RFEOI states contract duration is eleven (11) months including closeout, however, Phase C Schedule says NTP is November 30th, 2021 and project closeout ending on December 9th, 2022. So, is the contract 14 months based on a start date from RFEOI or 11 months based on a start date from Phase C Schedule? Please Clarify?

Response: Forthcoming Addendum will be issued shortly to address this issue. For the purpose of the RFEOI you can assume the 11-month duration.