

COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
NON-DESERT SITES ASPHALT DRAIN SEAL COAT APPLICATION
RFB #WMARC-342



ADDENDUM NO. 2
14 MARCH 2018

CERTIFICATION OF RECEIPT OF ADDENDUM

I certify that I have received this addendum on behalf of the company listed below.

Signed: _____ Dated: _____

Name and title: _____

Company: _____

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TO RFB #WMARC-342

1.0 This addendum is considered to be part of the Request for Bids (RFB). All other terms of the RFB remain unchanged and in effect. This addendum is intended to provide additional information and/or to change requirements in the above referenced RFB. Any information contained herein will be considered part of the RFB and as such will be used in the evaluation of the bid responses. Attention all potential bidders, if you have already submitted your proposal prior to the bid closing date, please review this addendum and re-submit your bid response, should this addendum modify your initial submittal.

2.0 To verify that all Vendors have received a copy of this addendum, please sign the cover page of this addendum and **send a confirmation of receipt to John Farrar via email.** Return the signed original with your bid proposal to:

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3.0 The information in this addendum is primarily the result of the mandatory pre-bid meeting held on Monday, March 12, 2018 at 10:00 AM or written questions submitted by vendors prior to the pre-bid meeting.

4.0 Clarifications from the County:

In ATTACHMENT A (pages 18-26) of the RFB replace any reference to “Appendix” with “Attachment”.

In ATTACHMENT A the last sentence of the first segment of Section 7. (Time of Completion) is deleted in its entirety. ~~Contract working days will not be counted towards time of completion for this project for the calendar period between completion of project work at the Mead Valley Landfill and commencement of work at the Corona Landfill (see Attachment A Section 2—Sequence of Work).~~

The stated square footage area for Corona at the top of Page 23 is revised to read:

<u>Site</u>	<u>Area (square feet)</u>
Highgrove	112,424
Mead Valley	34,670
Corona	54,626 52,198

5.0 Questions from Vendors:

Question 1: Do you have a fire safety plan used in the past you can share for reference to these projects?

County Response: The narrative discussion of fire prevention measures required in the Contractor Safety Plan

shall be as broad or broader to include the engineering controls called out in ATTACHMENT A Section 6 (Contractor Safety Plan) and Section 8 (Mobilization, Demobilization) Sub-Section A. 1. c. as follows.

1) Contractor shall mobilize and maintain one (1) 2,500-gallon water truck or approved equal at each site on which the Contractor is actively engaged in work for crack seal (Bid Item #2), or seal coat (Bid Item #3). This water truck shall have working hose and fixed-sprayer attachments, and shall be maintained with a minimum half-load capacity.

2) Contractor shall also maintain a minimum of five (5) working fire extinguishers at each site in which Contractor is engaged in project work (Bid Items 1, 2 & 3).

3) Smoking is prohibited at all landfill sites.

Previous contractor safety plans have also included keeping vehicles off dry vegetated land where the vehicle chassis can come in contact with vegetation; parking on existing asphalt and aggregate base roads; and calling out the option to use their water truck to dampen vegetation in hot, dry conditions.

It is important that the prospective bidders understand their safety plan shall account for their company's specific work practices, methodologies and equipment. County also requires Contractor to hold tailgate safety meetings each day at each site in order to ensure all onsite contractor personnel are aware of all fire-related engineering controls included in the Contractor Safety Plan.

Question 2: Is the earthen/green waste material in drains from recent rains?

County Response: Yes. However, prior to issuance of Notice to Proceed, County will do initial cleaning of all drains and Contractor will be expected to remove any remaining small weeds, sweep and blow drains in preparation for application of crack seal and seal coat according to RFB Bid Item #1 specifications.

Question 3: Is a Hazardous Materials Business Emergency Plan required?

County Response: A Hazardous Materials Business Emergency Plan is only required to be provided to the County if the Contractor leaves or plans to leave Hazardous Materials as defined by the product manufacturer or State of California on County property.

Question 4: Are these wild donkeys?

County Response: Yes. Our landfills are rural open spaces subject to various wildlife. The awarded bidder will assume all risks associated with working in such an environment and be expected to exercise a high degree of care in carrying out their contract duties. Burros are protected animals and cannot be touched or fed. A California Department of Fish & Game regulation expressly prohibits the harassment and feeding of undomesticated burros. Riverside County Ordinance No. 934, makes it an infraction to interact with untamed donkeys. Contractor shall exercise due diligence to ensure all Contractor personnel comply with these laws and regulations.

Question 5: Can we drive on the slopes?

County Response: No. Contractor vehicles shall utilize landfill bench roads for accessing project drains, and

shall avoid traversing landfill slopes. With equipment on each bench it should be possible to reach up/down (~25') to the middle of each drain on each slope.

Question 6: What are the pipes along the slopes?

County Response: These are important pipelines that carry landfill gas to be treated before being released into the air. The above-ground white PVC and black HDPE pipe shall be protected in place at all three project sites (Highgrove, Corona, and Mead Valley), and Contractor is to immediately notify County if any such pipes are accidentally damaged during the project, in which case the County would need to shut down the system and make repairs right away.

Question 7: There is a big asphalt crack approximately six inches wide along one of the asphalt drains at Highgrove, will that be filled with more cold patch?

County Response: County confirmed the large (wide) asphalt crack along the contact point between the Highgrove landfill and adjacent hillside. This will be patched along with any other substantial cracks with Asphalt Concrete (AC) by the County prior to the Contractor starting work.

Question 8: At Corona along where construction was recently completed on another project and there is ponding in the asphalt drain, will that have to be seal coated?

County Response: County confirmed that no crack seal or seal coat application would be required along the 50±' ponding section of 7.5-foot wide asphalt drain along the east corner of the Corona landfill since the County will schedule removal and replacement of this drain section by others. County confirmed that there will be no change in project square footage to account for this exception.

Question 9: At Corona there is another big crack in an asphalt drain approximately six inches wide. Will that be filled with more cold patch?

County Response: County confirmed Contractor is to seal coat the large (wide) asphalt crack located along the top portion of the typical drain section adjacent to the Interstate 15 Freeway right-of-way that contains asphalt patch material. County may install additional asphalt patch material prior to Contractor mobilization to this site. If any cracks are too big for crack seal application, just seal coat over.

Question 10: Are the two different products for seal coat required, and if so, if one tank is used and say for instance we are done at Highgrove, can we use the remainder at Mead Valley or Corona?

County Response: County confirmed that GuardTop latex sealer (or accepted equal) is to be applied to the Highgrove Landfill drains; and Gold Coat Seal HP310 (or accepted equal) shall be applied to the asphalt drains at the Corona and Mead Valley Landfills. Depending on how much of the Highgrove product is left to finish off, the County may consider allowing the use of remaining product on the next site (Corona). If this is allowed, Contractor would be expected to indicate to the County exactly where that product was applied. Crack seal material used at the three project sites shall be DEERY 200 Hot Applied Sealant (or approved equal). County is willing to consider material alternatives for this project; requests shall include alternative material specifications & other documentation relevant for County consideration with your bid response.