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Addendum Number 1

ITB 24-71-212588 Fiber Optic Installation CP F120 to Portage Section House

Closing Date: 10/28/2024

This addendum is issued to provide information as follows:

Pre-Bid Site Visit: A pre-bid site visit is scheduled for **Wednesday, October 23, 2024** at 11:00 am. Interested firms must provide name(s) and cell telephone number(s) for proposed attendees to GrahamC@akrr.com by 3:00 p.m. October 21, 2024. **PPE: Hardhats, safety vests, protective footwear, safety glasses will be required.** This is not a mandatory meeting, although interested firms are encouraged to participate. It is recommended that prospective Contractors visit the site and become familiar with the site conditions prior to bidding the work, so as to make their own assessment of what means and methods will be necessary to complete the work. A bidder's failure to attend the pre-bid conference will in no way relieve the bidder of the responsibility of performing the work in compliance with the intent and meaning of the terms, conditions and specifications of this ITB.

Meet Location: Alaska Railroad – Portage Depot in Girdwood, AK.

Bidder's Questions:

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1. This project installs Fiber Optics Cable in the Bear Valley area, from CP F120 to the Portage Section House- 6,200 Feet. Can this be bored or does this need to be excavated and backfilled? **Yes, can be Bored.**
 2. Supply and install all materials including ARRC and contractor-supplied materials needed to complete the project. Bids should be for an all-inclusive effort to complete the installation of the fiber optic cable, duct, vaults, NEMA boxes, and ancillary components in its entirety.
 - Design Documents – **Owner provided**
 - Building Access – **Owner will provide building access with an escort**
 - ARRC supplied construction materials as shown in the attached bill of materialsIt is unclear who is providing the attached materials. **Owner will provide major material (I.e., Fiber Cable, Conduit, Vaults, Splice Cases, Dig/Caution Tape, Test/Locate Stations, Ground Rods, Route Markers, etc.)**
 3. Do we need to provide surveying for this project? **No**
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Please acknowledge receipt of this and all addendums via email. **All other dates, terms and conditions remain unchanged.**

Please direct all responses and/or questions concerning this solicitation to Candice Graham, via email GrahamC@arkrr.com.

Respectfully,

Candice Graham
Contract Administration Specialist