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ADDENDUM 2

To: All Interested Bidders
From: Lucy Balderama, Procurement Data Analyst
Date: October 28, 2016
Subject: BID #16-066, Construction for Water Installation on Wiloughby Road

The Purchasing Department has received the following questions:

1. What is the installation method and underground depth of the 8 inch water line being installed in the project?

Response: Along Wiloughby, 4 foot minimum cover over waterline installed via open trench method. Across Doniphan via bore, see profiles for depth.

2. The plans show two (2) fire hydrants and the bid documents only show one fire hydrant, will this be revised?

Response: Correction, we are requesting two (2) fire hydrants.

3. Is there a geotechnical report available?

Response: No. There is no geotechnical report available.

4. Is dewatering required for this project?

Response: The County is not anticipating any dewatering activities but if required it will be a subsidiary to the bid item for waterline.

5. Will railroad insurance be required?

Response: County is in the process of getting railroad permit from BNSF. If insurance is required, contractor will be responsible to provide such.

6. How will the connection (tie-in) with the existing line be performed? The plans are a little unclear and it seems that the tie-in is shown to occur at the bottom of the pipe. Per our vendor, this cannot occur.

Response: Tie-in A: to connect between fiber optic, "cut in" tee & fitting valve via waterline shutdown with approved joint restraints. Tie-in B 12"x8" tapping sleeve and valve.