



# CITY OF TAMPA

Bob Buckhorn, Mayor

CONTRACT ADMINISTRATION DEPARTMENT

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## ADDENDUM NO. 1

**DATE: September 26, 2016**

Contract 16-C-00029; Ditch Stabilization

Bidders on the above referenced project are hereby notified that the following addendum is made to the Contract Documents. BIDS TO BE SUBMITTED SHALL CONFORM TO THIS NOTICE.

Item 1: The Bid Opening date is hereby changed to October 4, 2016.

Item 2: Workmanship and Materials SECTION 77 - NON-WOVEN GEOTEXTILE, Replace W-77.06 Manufacturer with the following:

Non-woven geotextile shall be Mirafi 170N, or equal, and shall comply with manufacturer's product data, including product technical bulletins and product catalog installation instructions.

Item 3: Clarification: Bidders are advised that the existing concrete lining on the Palmira Ditch is to be removed. Work includes removal of existing concrete panels within the limits of construction prior to placement of new fabric formed concrete.

Item 4: Replace Specific Provision SP-22 Protection of Trees and Shrubs, with the following:

SP-22 Protection of Trees and Shrubs (Revised 09-16-2016)

For any of the several ditch stabilization sites, it is expected that all the construction activities will occur within the existing Rights-of-way and/or easements. Not all the trees presently growing within the proposed construction areas are protected by Chapter 13 of the city Codes. Prior to the start of construction Contractor and Engineer shall meet with Natural Resources Division of the Planning and Development Department or City Forester and discuss construction methods and review options for work under and around the trees.

Protective barricades shall be placed around all protected trees and grand trees as determined by the Natural Resources Division of the Planning and Development Department and shall remain in place until all potentially damaging construction activities are completed (see attached barricade detail). If it is impractical to install and maintain protective barriers and work is necessary around said trees, then the entire drip area of the tree must be covered with ½ inch plywood and removed promptly upon completion of the work. The Natural Resources Division of the must inspect the site after tree protection devices or plywood have been installed and prior to construction. A 48-hour notice must be given to Natural Resources Division to schedule the inspection. No excavated or backfill material shall be placed in a manner which, in the opinion of the Engineer, may result in damage to trees or shrubs. Excavation and embankment

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of soils around the trunk and roots of the trees shall be completed utilizing the least injurious method and lightest equipment.

In areas where the construction might be in close proximity to existing trees and /or shrubs, the Contractor shall limit his trench width by using a trench/drag box. The allowable width of the construction area around existing trees and/or shrubs shall be as per the detail for sheeted (trench/drag box) trench plus three (3) feet for a working area, to either side of the sheeted trench.

The Contractor shall provide the services of an approved licensed tree professional arborist when it is necessary to trim or cut a significant branch from a tree. The Contractor shall also provide the services of an approved licensed tree professional arborist when it is necessary to root prune close to any existing tree when shown on the plans or ordered in writing by the Engineer.

The cost of any protective barricade prescribed by the Natural Resources Division and/or the cost to trim branches or root prune shall be included in the unit prices for the various bank stabilization systems.

The Contractor shall replace all trees or shrubs which are destroyed or damaged to such extent, in the opinion of the Engineer, to be considered destroyed that are located outside the limit of the described construction area, at his own expense. Replacement of destroyed trees or shrubs shall be made with new stock conforming to the requirements of the City's Tree Ordinance.

Item 5: Attached for reference is the pre-bid meeting sign-in sheet.

All other provisions of the Contract Documents and Specifications not in conflict with this Addendum shall remain in full force and effect. Questions are to be e-mailed to Contract Administration@tampagov.net.

*Jim Greiner*

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Sign-In Sheet ▶▶▶ Please Print Clearly

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