



**West Ave. Elevated Storage Tank Painting and Rehabilitation Project**  
**Solicitation Number: B-20-017-SM**  
**Job No.: 18-0110**

**ADDENDUM 1**  
**October 16, 2020**

To Bidder of Record:

This addendum, applicable to work referenced above, is an amendment to the bid proposal, plans and specifications and as such will be a part of and included in the Contract Documents. Acknowledge receipt of this addendum by entering the Addendum number and issue date on the space provided in submitted copies of the bid proposal.

**CHANGES TO THE SPECIFICATIONS**

1. Remove paragraph Seven through Nine (7, 8 & 9) from the Request for Competitive Sealed Proposals (RFCSP), Page IV-1, and replace with the following

**Due to the COVID-19 emergency and to protect the health of the public, SAWS is implementing new procedures for the submission of bids. Bids will be received either Electronically or through Sealed Proposal, until 11:00 AM (CDT), November 11, 2020. Electronic bids will be received via the secure SAWS FTP site. Sealed Proposals will be received by Contract Administration, 2800 U.S. Hwy 281 North, Tower II, Customer Center Building, via a drop box located on the left wall when walking through the first set of double glass doors of the main Tower II entry on the north side of the building, San Antonio, Texas 78212. See the Electronic Bid Opening Instructions attachment for additional information regarding an electronic bid submittal. Electronic bids shall be accompanied by a bid bond in an amount not less than five percent of the total bid price. (Or, if providing SAWS with a cashier's check or certified check in an amount not less than five percent of the total bid price, SAWS will request this within 24 hours from the apparent low bidder. Sealed bids must be accompanied by a cashier's check, certified check, or bid bond in an amount not less than five percent of the total bid price. Bids will then be publicly opened and read aloud by Contract Administration via WebEx.**

If Bidders intend to submit bids electronically, Bidders will need to submit a request by **November 10, 2020 by 11:00 AM CDT** to receive access to the File Transfer Protocol (FTP) site via email to **Stella.Manzello@saws.org**. Bidder's email requesting access to the FTP site shall provide the legal name of Bidder's company and the intended recipient's email address and phone number. No requests for FTP site access will be accepted after **November 10, 2020 by 11:00 AM (CDT)**.

**Proposal Opening WebEx meeting will be held at 11:00 AM (CT) on November 11, 2020.**

<https://saws.webex.com>

Meeting number (access code): 146 922 7089

Meeting password: 3MXdXyfZj93

Audio Connection: (210) 233-2090

2. Remove Electronic Bid Opening Instructions in its entirety and replace with the version attached to this Addendum.

**CLARIFICATIONS**

1. Proposal Opening has moved to November 11, 2020 at 11:00 AM (CDT) instead of November 12, at 10:00 AM. See revised Electronic Submittal Opening Instructions attached to this Addendum.

**END OF ADDENDUM**



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**ELECTRONIC BID OPENING INSTRUCTIONS  
November 11, 2020 at 11:00 AM (CDT)**

**FTP BID PROPOSAL UPLOAD**

In order to receive electronic bids for this project, SAWS will utilize a SAWS secured File Transfer Protocol (FTP) site. Only Bidders bidding as Prime Contractors will need to submit their request prior to **November 10, 2020 by 11:00 AM** to receive access to the FTP site via email to **Stella.Manzello@saws.org**. Bidder's email shall provide the legal name of the Bidder's company and the intended recipient's email address and phone number. No requests for FTP site access will be accepted after **November 10, 2020 at 11:00 AM (CDT)**. Once a Bidder is approved for access, an email with a hyperlink to the FTP site and a unique password for the Bidder will be provided to the Bidder's email recipient.

Once access is received, Bidders may upload the required documents per the Bid Proposal checklist any time before **November 11, 2020 by 11:00 AM (CDT)**. Please ensure to allow sufficient time should Bidder's experience technical difficulties in uploading the required documents. No changes to the Bid nor bid price can be made once the Bid has been submitted.

**Bidders shall comply with the following:**

- 1) Limit files to one (1) pdf file that includes all requested documents, per the Bid Packet Checklist. **ONLY ONE SUBMITTAL WILL BE ACCEPTED PER REQUEST.** Do not upload any zip files.
- 2) Ensure that the itemized List of Bid Items is (are) the first page(s) of your file.
- 3) Bidders may protect the document from editing by adding a password. However, the document must be accessible for viewing by SAWS without requiring a password.
- 4) File shall be named: B-20-017-SM – West Ave. Elevated Storage Tank Painting and Rehabilitation Project.
- 5) **DO NOT SHARE ACCESS AND/OR PASSWORD WITH OTHER PARTIES OUTSIDE YOUR COMPANY.**
- 6) **ENSURE THE BID IS SENT NO LATER THAN THE DUE DATE AND TIME. BIDS SUBMITTED AFTER THE BID OPENING DEADLINE WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

If the Bidder is in need of help, they may contact the SAWS Contract Administrator, **Stella Manzello**, at **210-233-3854** or view troubleshooting tips at <http://www.Serv-U.com/sharefiles>

**WEBEX BID OPENING MEETING**

The WebEx meeting details are below if you would like to view the public opening of the bids.

When it's time, start or join the WebEx meeting from [here](#).

*Access Information*

Meeting Number: 146 922 7089

Meeting Password: 3MXdXyfZj93

Audio Connection: 210-233-2090 (SAWS WebEx)

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.

Thank you,

**Stella Manzello**

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