



**East Houston St. Pump Station Disinfection System Upgrades
Solicitation Number: CO-00546**

**ADDENDUM 2
August 19, 2022**

To Bidder of Record:

This addendum, applicable to work referenced above, is an amendment to the bidding documents 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 in the space provided in the submitted bid proposal.

RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS

- 1. Question:** What are the available times and dates for the site visit?

Response: Please see the site visit information below.

CHANGES TO SPECIFICATIONS

- 1. Page IV-1, Invitation to Bidders,** insert the following paragraph after the 4th paragraph:

A non-mandatory site visit will be held by RSVP only beginning at **2:00 PM (CDT) until 3:00 PM (CDT) on August 23, 2022** at **3930 E. Houston St., San Antonio, TX 78220**, (initially meet at **3930 E. Houston St., San Antonio, TX 78220**-meter customer parking). The subsequent document "Invitation to Bidders" - Attachment A: Site Visit Procedures" is hereto made part of this specification section and includes procedures that shall be followed to attend the site visit meeting. Due to the present COVID-19 pandemic, each respondent wishing to visit the site shall review and strictly adhere to the requirements, including the requirements to RSVP, as described in "Invitation to Bidders - Attachment A: Site Visit Procedures" and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidelines.

- 2. Page IV-1, Invitation to Bidders,** remove and replace paragraph 5 to read:

For questions regarding this solicitation, technical questions, or additional information, please contact Susan Rodriguez, Contract Administrator, in writing via email to: Susan.Rodriguez@saws.org or by fax to (210) 233-5176 until **4:00 PM (CDT) on August 24, 2022**. Answers to the questions will be posted to the web site by **4:00 PM (CDT) on August 29, 2022** as a separate document or included as part of an addendum. Please be advised that Bidders are prohibited from communicating with any other SAWS staff, the Consultant, the Developer, or City of San Antonio officials regarding this IFB up until the contract is awarded as outlined in the Instructions to Bidders.

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 bids, until 9:00 AM (CDT), September 2, 2022.

3. **Insert Attachment A – Site Visit Procedures** after the Invitation to Bidders.
4. **Insert Exhibit B – Site Visit Map** after Attachment A - Site Visit Procedures.

CLARIFICATIONS

1. Attachment A – Site Visit procedures shall be followed to attend the site visit meeting. Due to the present COVID-19 pandemic, each potential Bidder who intends to visit the site shall review and adhere to the requirements, including the requirements to RSVP and guidelines provided Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

END OF ADDENDUM

This Addendum, is seven (7) pages with attachments in its entirety.

Attachments:

Attachment A - Site Visit Procedures

Exhibit B – Site Visit Map

Attachment A- Site Visit Procedures

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- Interested firms/contractors must RSVP to Susan Rodriguez, Contract Administrator via email at Susan.Rodriguez@saws.org to attend the site visit no later than **August 22, 2022 at 4:00 p.m. (CDT)**. The following information should be provided:
 - Company name
 - Name(s) of attendees
 - There is a limit of two (2) team member per firm/contractor.
- All parties must adhere to SAWS' COVID-19 Safety Procedures.
- The site visit duration is expected to last no more than 2 hours.
- There will be **no** Q&A during the site visit, but contractors/firms may take video, photos, and notes.
- Questions shall be submitted to Susan Rodriguez, Contract Administrator in writing via email to at Susan.Rodriguez@saws.org.
- Questions will be addressed, as required, through addendum.

Procedures to follow if you plan to attend the site visit:

- The site visit is scheduled for **August 23, 2022 at 2:00 PM (CDT) until 3:00 PM (CDT)**.
- **No later than 4:00 PM on August 22, 2022**, each attendee who sent a RSVP shall email Susan Rodriguez at Susan.Rodriguez@saws.org with responses to the following questions:
 - Are you experiencing any symptoms such as fever, cough, loss of taste or smell, or any other COVID-19 related symptoms?
 - Have you tested positive for COVID-19 in the past 14 days?
 - Have you been into close contact with anyone in the past two weeks that has tested positive for COVID-19?
- Attendees who answer yes to any of the questions, shall not attend the site visit.
- Arrive to the site on **3930 E. Houston St, San Antonio, TX 78220** (meter customer parking) at least 5 minutes prior to site visit time.
- Saws recommends a mask and safety eyewear be worn at all times by attendees. SAWS recommends the safety mask covers the mouth and nose at all times.
- Attendees must maintain social distancing, minimum of 6 feet apart, from other attendees at all times during the site visit.
- Attendees will be escorted by SAWS personnel at all times and should not stray.
- All attendees shall review the SAWS safety mask guidelines attached.

Directions

- See Exhibit B – Site Visit Map
- The address to the site visit is as follows:

3930 E. Houston St., San Antonio, TX 78220
(Meet customer parking)

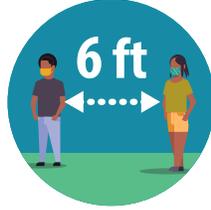
Important Information About Your Cloth Face Coverings

Print Resources Web Page: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/communication/print-resources.html>

As COVID-19 continues to spread within the United States, CDC has recommended additional measures to prevent the spread of SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19. In the context of community transmission, CDC recommends that you:



Stay at home as much as possible



Practice social distancing (remaining at least 6 feet away from others)



Clean your hands often



In addition, CDC also recommends that everyone wear cloth face coverings when leaving their homes, regardless of whether they have fever or symptoms of COVID-19. This is because of evidence that people with COVID-19 can spread the disease, even when they don't have any symptoms. Cloth face coverings should not be placed on young children under age 2, anyone who has trouble breathing, or is unconscious, incapacitated, or otherwise unable to remove the mask without assistance.

How cloth face coverings work

Cloth face coverings may prevent the person wearing the mask from spreading respiratory droplets when talking, sneezing, or coughing. If everyone wears a cloth face covering when out in public, such as going to the grocery store, the risk of exposure to SARS-CoV-2 can be reduced for the community. Since people may spread the virus before symptoms start, or even if people never have symptoms, wearing a cloth face covering may protect others around you. Face coverings worn by others may protect you from getting the virus from people carrying the virus.



General considerations for the use of cloth face coverings

When using a cloth face covering, make sure:

- The mouth and nose are fully covered
- The covering fits snugly against the sides of the face so there are no gaps
- You do not have any difficulty breathing while wearing the cloth face covering
- The cloth face covering can be tied or otherwise secured to prevent slipping



Wash your cloth face covering after each use in the washing machine or by hand using a bleach solution. Allow it to completely dry.

For more information, go to: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/how-to-make-cloth-face-covering.html>



[cdc.gov/coronavirus](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus)

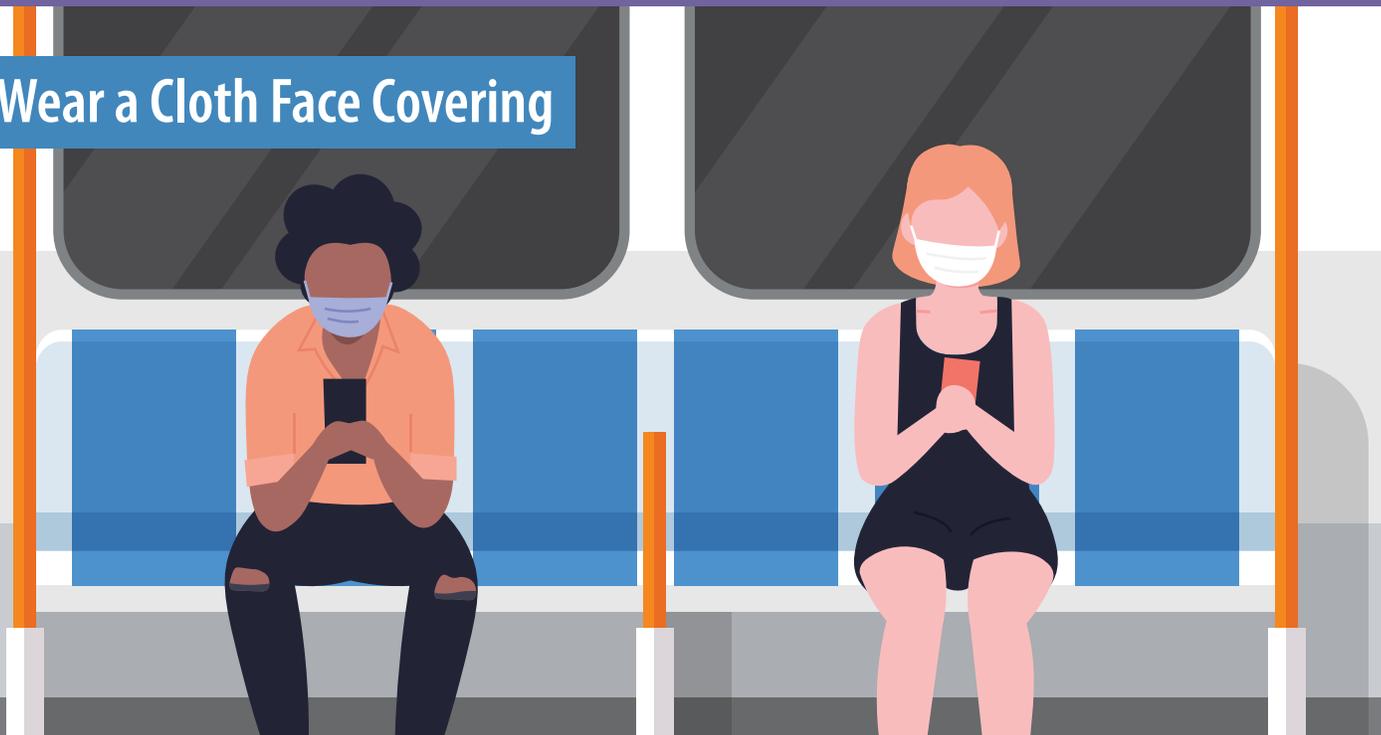
Help Protect Yourself and Others from COVID-19

Practice Social Distancing



Stay 6 feet (2 arm's lengths) from other people.

And Wear a Cloth Face Covering



Be sure it covers your nose and mouth to help protect others.
You could be infected and not have symptoms.

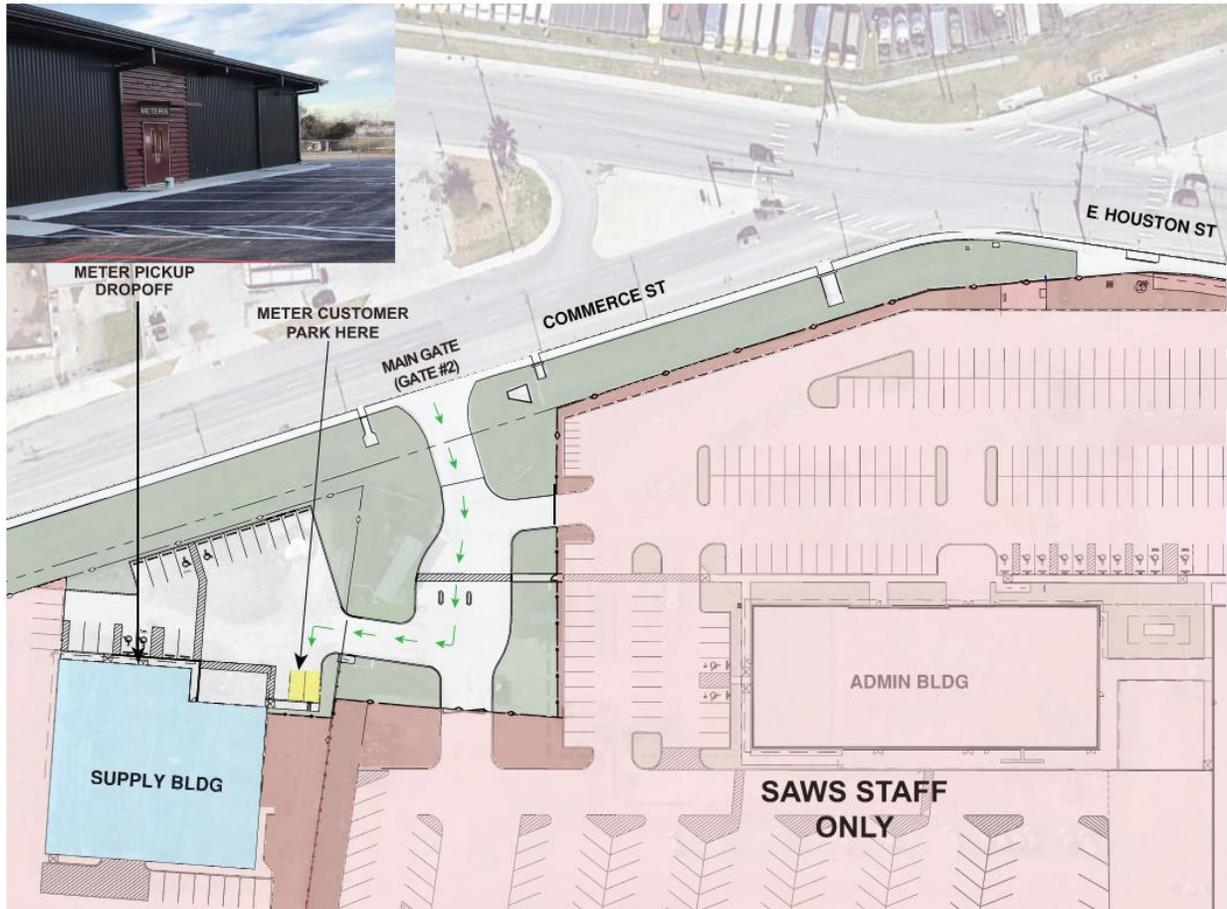


cdc.gov/coronavirus

Exhibit B

Site Visit initial meeting location and entry instructions.

E Houston Recycle Water Pump Station.



**SAWS EAST SIDE OPERATIONS CENTER - 3930 E. HOUSTON ST.
SAN ANTONIO, TX, 78220**

The site is located at the back of the service center behind gated access. This gate is very busy and we don't want to impede entry or exit, so we will initially meet at the meter customer parking (<https://goo.gl/maps/uKHPQbwmj3ZjbtM97>). Someone will open the gate and allow entry for all visitors to go to the back of the parking lot shown below O → X

Please be mindful of traffic and vehicles moving, keep speeds below 9 mph and no cell phone use while in motion. After initial entry it will not be feasible to return to the service center gate and admit latecomers, so please be on time.

