

**WEIRTON AREA WATER BOARD
HANCOCK COUNTY, WEST VIRGINIA**

**CONTRACT NO. 1 – INSTALLATION OF PRE-PURCHASED
CLARIFICATION EQUIPMENT**

MARCH 2, 2020

ADDENDUM NO. 1

To whom it may concern:

A. BOILER PLATE

1. Bid Opening will be on March 10, 2020 at 2:00 p.m. at The Thrasher Group, Inc., office located at 300 Association Drive, Charleston, WV.

B. SPECIFICATIONS

1. NOT APPLICABLE

C. DRAWINGS

1. NOT APPLICABLE

D. QUESTIONS AND CLARIFICATIONS

The following are clarifications and responses to questions posed by Contractors and suppliers regarding the above referenced project.

1. **Question:**

Will the WAWB dewater the clarifier to do their cleaning work, or is that in our contract?

Answer:

The Contractor is required to dewater the clarifier.

2. **Question:**

Since the WAWB will be cleaning the settling tubes, will our contract time start after they finish?

Answer:

The Contract time will start upon issuance of the Notice to Proceed.

3. **Question:**

At what rate can we pump sludge to the thickener?

Answer:

Sludge may be pumped to the thickener at a minimum flow rate of 300 gpm.

4. **Question:**

How clean must we get the clarifier for the WAWB to do their inspection?

Answer:

Sludge shall be removed to the surface of the concrete floor to allow access for the WAWB to perform an inspection.

5. **Question:**

How many days can the clarifier be out of service? Will we be required to work continuously (through a weekend if needed) to install the equipment?

Answer:

The WAWB will allow the clarifier to be out of service for seven (7) days which includes the time required for the WAWB to perform the cleaning of the tube settlers. The Contractor will be required to coordinate their work schedule with the WAWB.

6. **Question:**

Are we responsible for any vendor charges for start-up of the equipment? Along with that, who coordinates with the vendor for start-up?

Answer:

No. The Owner will coordinate start-up with the vendor. The Contractor will be required to submit a work schedule to the Owner upon contract award.

7. **Question:**

Are there prevailing wages for the project?

Answer:

No.

8. **Question:**

What is the estimated delivery date for the equipment?

Answer:

The equipment is scheduled to be delivered the week of April 27, 2020.

9. **Question:**

Is there a City of Weirton Bidders preference?

Answer:

No.

10. **Question:**

Is a field office required?

Answer:

No.

E. GENERAL

1. NOT APPLICABLE

If you have any questions or need any other information please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

THE THRASHER GROUP, INC.



JESSE ALDEN, PE.
Project Manager

