



CITY OF SUFFOLK

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ADDENDUM NO. 3

City of Suffolk
IFB #15038-JS
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This addendum must be signed and returned in your bid.

The Invitation for Bids (IFB) for College Drive Waterline Project has been amended as follows:

The bid opening has been relocated to Conference #3, located in the Suffolk City Hall, 442 W. Washington Street

The following questions and answers are hereby incorporated in the IFB.

Q1: Will the Contractor be able to dump in the City landfill and will there be a charge?


A1: The landfill is operated by SPSA, not the City. SPSA will allow approved contractors working for the City of Suffolk to dump without charging the tipping fee. They would need to know how much debris would be brought in. Any soil taken to the landfill in excess of 250 CY would have to be tested prior to dumping. SPSA will not take anything larger than 24 inches in diameter and longer than six feet. For example, a large stump would need to be cut to meet the regulations.

Q2: Specification 02441 3.6 states that the contractor is to "remove, clear, or otherwise make it possible for microtunneling systems and casing pipe to progress at or through any obstructions encountered". There are limits regarding the size and type of obstructions that an MTBM can overcome, particularly those designed to jack the 30" casing called for on this project. Is it the owners intention to place risk of hitting an obstruction fully on the contractor, or will the contractor be compensated for the costs associated with encountering unanticipated obstructions which prevent continued forward progress of the MTBM?

A2: It will be the contractor's responsibility to complete the installation for the original bid price, even if he encounters an obstruction. The City will not provide additional compensation.

Contract Officer: _____

Jay Smigielski, Purchasing Agent,



If you have any questions regarding this Addendum, please contact Jay Smigielski, Purchasing Agent at jsmigielski@suffolkva.us

Acknowledged by: _____ **Date:** _____