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December 21, 2018

ADDENDUM NUMBER 2 ON INVITATION TO BID ITB19KO-118

TITLE: Wildlife Fence at NFREC-Suwannee Valley

Non-Mandatory pre-bid meeting was held December 13, 2018 at 9:30 AM. **Bid opening** will be held January 4, 2019 at 3:30 PM in UF Procurement Services, 971 Elmore Drive, Gainesville, FL 32611.

This addendum shall be considered part of the Contract Documents for the above mentioned project as though it had been issued at the same time and incorporated integrally therewith. Where provisions of the following supplementary data differ from those of the original Contract documents, this addendum shall govern and take precedence. Bidders are hereby notified that they shall acknowledge receipt of the addendum.

NOTES:

- See attached two (2) pages questions and answers.
- See attached one (1) page drawing of cantilever gate.
- The cattle gaps will be in place prior to the fence installation.
- On the north end of the exterior western fence line, there is a “jog” in the fence that is not indicated on Attachment A. Account for two additional braces in this location.
- The 16’ X 4’ gates (purple points on Attachment A) can be braced at the fencing around center of the pivot (fencing indicated in the center of Attachment A).
- See attached revised Price Page.
 - **Base Bid** – includes all machinery/equipment, materials, shipping/delivery and labor to install new high fence, pivot cross fence and pivot perimeter fence as described in the bid documents and indicated in yellow and black on Attachment A.
 - **Alternate One** – provide price for removal and disposal of the existing barbed wire fence described in the Scope of Work on Page 9 in the Bid Documents.
 - **Alternate Two** - provide price for removal and rolling of the barbed wire fence described in the Scope of Work on page 9 of the Bid Documents. Rolled barbed wire fence will be left on site and will remain the property of the NFREC-SV.
- This bid will be awarded to the responsible, responsive bidder who has proposed the lowest price, subject to the owner’s right to reject any or all bids and to waive informality and irregularity in the bids and in the bidding. Alternates may be accepted in any order or not at all. Acceptance or rejection of alternates will be at the owner’s sole discretion.

Karen Olitsky

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Procurement Agent III

**PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS ADDENDUM 2 AND RETURN WITH YOUR BID.
FAILURE TO ACKNOWLEDGE THIS ADDENDUM COULD CONSTITUTE REJECTION OF
YOUR BID.**

VENDOR NAME

VENDOR ADDRESS

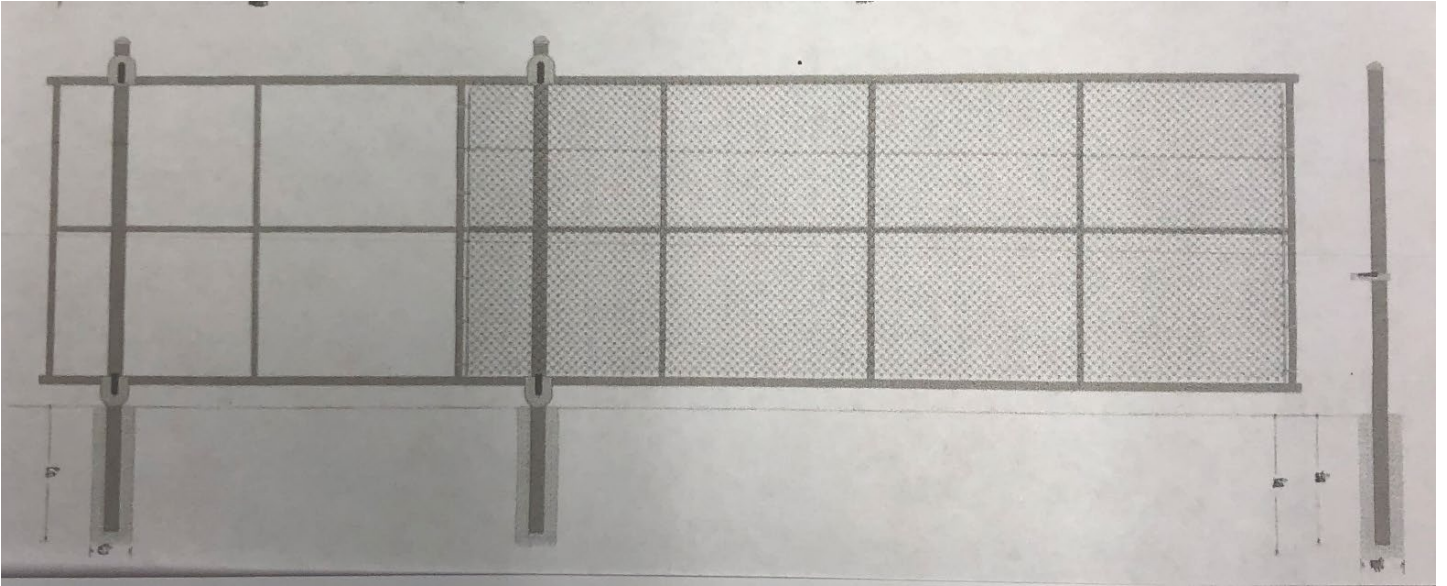
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Questions and Answers

- Q1. Is barbed wire required at the top of the wildlife fencing?
 A1. Yes, one strand of barb wire at the top of the wildlife fence is required.
- Q2. Explain the cantilever gates. Will the awarded fencing contractor be responsible?
 A2. See attached drawing of cantilever gates. Yes, the contractor will be responsible.
- Q3. For the cross member brace, what is the size, what type of material and what is the distance between the braces?
 A3. Main Braces will be H-style, with a maximum of 8ft between main brace posts that are 4" diameter galvanized schedule 40 steel posts with a horizontal 2" galvanized schedule 40 brace. The H brace will include a diagonal 3/8" galvanized truss rod style brace. If needed for additional stability, double diagonal (X style/formation) should also use 3/8" truss rod style bracing. All brace/corner/horizontal/diagonal posts/rods should be galvanized.
- Q4. Is it possible for a materials advance?
 A4. Yes, a detailed materials invoice may be submitted and paid prior to project completion. UF's payment terms are Net30.
- Q5. Are the exterior gates straight lined with the fencing?
 A5. Yes
- Q6. Will UF consider using wood posts in lieu of t-posts?
 A6. No.
- Q7. Will there be a minimum 10' clear space on outside of high fence for working room?
 A7. The majority of the area outside of the high fence line is clear for working. There are a few areas outside of the high fence line that have a tree within 10' of the fence line.
- Q8. What is the spacing between Braces for high fence maximum
 A8. 330 ft.
- Q9. What is the spacing between Braces for circular pivot fence perimeter maximum
 A9. 165ft.

- Q10. Is a Performance Bond Required for this project.
A10. Performance Bond is not required.
- Q11. Should the fence materials be foreign or domestic or does it matter?
A11. We would prefer domestic, but the award will be based on low bid.
- Q12. Braces for 4' fence are they 4" galvanized schedule 40 also?
A12. Yes. Both vertical and horizontal braces will be galvanized schedule 40.
- Q13. The specified 3' brace detail, with no concrete, will not hold the fence in our opinion. We will do what the owner desires, just need to know for pricing.
A13. As specified, the corner/brace and gate posts shall be 4" diameter steel posts with bracing and concrete, imbedded in a minimum of 3' concrete. This spec should be used to figure the pricing. After award, if it is determined by UF and the successful bidder that additional concrete is necessary in any areas, UF and the successful bidder will mutually agree upon the additional amount of concrete that is required and any reasonable costs associated with the additional concrete.
On the attached Revised Price Page, provide a per cubic foot price for any additional concrete, if required.
- Q14. The high fence will need about 50 survey stakes and the 4' fence would need about 50 for the pivot perimeter and another 30 for cross fences. However, NFREC-SV said they have a tractor with GPS that could set the 4' fence layout?
A14. NFREC-SV will use their GPS tractor to mark out fencing lanes for circular pivot fence and cross fencing. No stakes will be needed.

CANTILEVER GATE DRAWING



REVISED PRICE SHEET (REV. 12/21/18)

From: _____
 (Company Name/Name & Title of Authorized Agent)

To: **UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA**
Procurement Services
971 Elmore Drive/PO Box 115250
Gainesville, FL 32611

The undersigned, being invested with the authority of his/her employer, and having read the Documents for the Bid, as well as the Specifications for the Bid, entitled:

ITB19KO-118, Wildlife Fence at NFREC-Suwannee Valley

and having familiarized himself/herself with all conditions affecting and governing the specifications, pricing and delivery of the product and services described herein, hereby proposes to furnish the products and services as per the specifications, in strict compliance with the Bid Documents, Addenda and any other documents relating thereto on file with UF Procurement Services and, if awarded the Contract, agrees to abide by the pricing and delivery terms as per the Documents and as stated herein, for the sums enumerated on this page.

**TOTAL COST OF MATERIALS (INCLUDING
 SHIPPING/DELIVERY COSTS): \$** _____

TOTAL COST OF LABOR: \$ _____

TOTAL BASE BID: \$ _____

**ALTERNATE ONE (REMOVAL/DISPOSAL OF
 EXISTING BARBED WIRE FENCE): \$** _____

**ALTERNATE TWO (REMOVAL/ROLLING OF
 EXISTING BARBED WIRE FENCE): \$** _____

ADDITIONAL CONCRETE, PER CUBIC FOOT: \$ _____

I have carefully prepared this Bid from contact documents described above, I have full authority to make such statements and submit this Bid in (my) (its) (their) behalf, and all statements are true and correct.

 (Signature) (Printed or typed)

 (Address, City State, Zip)

 (Telephone) (Date)