Questions and Answers

Links to Opportunity Streetscape – Bid Package 5
RFB Specification No. PW23-0160F

All interested parties had the opportunity to submit questions in writing by email to Carly Fowler, Senior Buyer by June 17, 2024. The answers to the questions received are provided below and posted to the City’s website at www.TacomaPurchasing.org: Navigate to Current Contracting Opportunities / Public Works and Improvements Solicitations, and then click Questions and Answers for this Specification. This information IS NOT considered an addendum. Respondents should consider this information when submitting their proposals.

Question 1:  I was wondering if you could help inform me on where I could find the specs on the Steel poles you plan on using for this project?

Answer 1:  Depending upon which poles are being requested, refer to Special Provisions:

Section 8-20 ILLUMINATION, TRAFFIC SIGNAL SYSTEMS, INTELLIGENT TRANSPORTATION SYSTEMS, AND ELECTRICAL

Section 8-35 VERTICAL MARKER COLUMNS

9-29.6 Light and Signal Standards

STANDARD PLAN J-28.70-04

Question 2:  I have a question concerning the PW 23-160F Project. Links to Opportunity Streetscapes ..

B/I #R-74  CEM. CONC. COLORED  4860 SF

What is the Color of the concrete ??  What is the Measurement And Payment for that Items ..

Answer 2:  See Special Provisions Section 8-39

Section 8-39.2 Materials:
Concrete color shall be Euclid Chemical, Increte Color-Crete Charcoal 14 (CC150)

8-39.13 Measurement
Cement colored concrete shall be measured by the square foot of finished surface.

8-39.14 Payment
Payment will be made for the following Bid items when included in the Proposal:

“Cement Colored Concrete”, per square feet.
Question 3: Will full time pedestrian spotters be required at road closed areas?

Answer 3: Reference Special Provisions Sections 10-07.23(1) Construction Under Traffic and 1-10.3(1)A Flaggers and Spotters

If no business nor residential pedestrian access is required, road closed area may be secured and spotters will only be required for contractor equipment in the Work Zone.