

Kittitas County Conservation District

Yakima River Side Channel Flood Fence Project

ADDENDUM NO. 1

Issued: November 10, 2010

To All Contract Document Holders:

You are hereby notified of the following changes, deletions, additions, corrections and clarifications to the plans, specifications and other documents comprising the Contract Documents for the Kittitas County Conservation District Yakima River Side Channel Flood Fence project.

The following formatting has been used to note additions and deletions to the contract documents.

- Deletions are formatted as stricken through (~~example~~) text.
- Changes/additions are formatted as bolded (**example**) text.

Clarifications

As discussed at the November 9, 2010 mandatory pre-bid meeting.

- *The project timing in the HPA and in the contract documents do not match. When is project construction expected?*

Project construction is tentatively expected to occur between December 1 and December 17, 2010. The HPA was issued last spring when this project was initially expected to be constructed. WDFW is working to update the HPA with a current time frame.

This project is very weather dependent. It should occur when the ground is sufficiently firm so that disturbance is minimized. The District is prepared to work closely with the contractor to schedule the project at the optimum time, which may not be the timeframe listed above.

- *Can the boles only be installed with an auger? The HPA refers to trenching and the site may be too rocky for an auger to work without significant equipment damage.*

The preferred installation method is with an auger. The landowner prefers to minimize the disturbance as much as possible. All bids should be submitted per the specifications.

The District and landowner will consider alternate methods if, during the course of construction, it is determined that the conditions are not reasonably suitable for an auger.

- *Does the job require a certified logger?*

No.

- *Can cottonwoods on the island across the side channel be harvested?*

Cottonwoods on the island across the side channel may be a possible source for the live boles. The District is currently working with WDFW to determine any additional provisions that may be added to the HPA. The District is also talking with the second landowner to gain their permission to remove trees from that part of the island. A second Addendum may be issued if WDFW requires additional provisions.

- *Will the District select the trees for harvest?*

Yes, the District and their consulting forester will select trees based on the selection criteria in MS-300: "Live Boles".

➤ *Is a 24" auger required?*

There is no specific auger size required, only the specification (CS-11: "Excavation, Common", 11.10) that "The auger shall be sized to allow a minimum of two inches of clearance between the bole and the sides of the hole."

Contract Documents

REVISE Contract Clauses

14. COMMENCEMENT, PROSECUTION, AND COMPLETION OF WORK

- A. The Contractor shall be required to (a) commence work under this contract on or about ~~October 18, 2010~~ **December 1, 2010**, (b) prosecute the work diligently, and (c) complete the entire work ready for use by 6 PM (local time) ~~December 31, 2010~~ **December 17, 2010**. The time stated for completion shall include final cleanup of the premises.
- B. Voluntary shutdown or slowing of operations by the Contractor shall not relieve the Contractor of the responsibility to complete the work within the time(s) specified in the contract.

Technical Specifications

REVISE Section CS-100: "LIVE BOLES"

100.4 ITEMS OF WORK AND CONSTRUCTION DETIALS

2. Bole Installation- Excavation and harvesting shall be coordinated such that bole installation is completed within ~~8 hours~~ **24 hours** of harvesting. Boles shall be placed with the distal end up and with the bottom of the boles in contact with groundwater. The tops of the boles shall have a minimum of three feet and maximum of six feet exposed and shall vary. The boles shall be places as close to vertical as possible and practical.

End revisions for Addendum No. 1

Addendum No. 1 is hereby made a part of the Contract Documents, and its terms and conditions are fully binding on the Contract Document holder. He/she shall acknowledge receipt of Addendum No. 1 on the Proposal Signature Page.

KITTITAS COUNTY CONSERVATION DISTRICT

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