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GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE PHYSICAL SUICIDE DETERRENT SYSTEM FEDERAL-AID PROJECT: BHLS-6003(051)

and

WIND RETROFIT

FEDERAL-AID PROJECT: BHLS-6003(052)

Contract No. 2016-B-1

To: Prospective Bidders

RE: REVISED Response to Bidders' Question No. 75

Ladies and Gentlemen:

The following is the REVISED response to a question submitted by prospective bidders and designated as Bid Question No. 75:

BID QUESTION No. 75:

The existing lane configuration per the District's daily lane arrangements in Section 12-4.02A show a 3N/3S configuration in the evening (7 PM – 5 AM) and a 4S/2N configuration in the morning (5 AM – 10 AM). In the Traffic Control Plans, the lane configurations on the bridge are shown as either 4N/2S or 2N/4S during the allowable lane closures. Please clarify:

- 1. Will the District reconfigure the 3N/3S arrangement to either the 4S/2N or 4N/2S arrangement as needed by the Contractor at the beginning of the allowable lane closure period?
- 2. How long the District take to reconfigure the barrier into either of these arrangements?
- 3. Will the District reconfigure the 4N/2S shown in the Traffic Control Plans into the required 4S/2N arrangement required for the 5 AM -10 AM configuration?
- 4. Realizing that the reconfiguration from 4N/2S into 4S/2N will require the barrier to be shifted two lanes, how long with the District take to perform this reconfiguration?

RESPONSE:

See Addenda 11 and 12 for revised Section 12-4.

- 1. Yes, the District will reconfigure the 3N/3S lane arrangement and move the moveable median barrier such that the traffic lanes are either in a 4S/2N or 4N/2S configuration prior to the time such lane closure is allowed to start as specified in Section 12-4.05B.
- 2. It takes approximately 30 minutes to move the moveable median barrier and set traffic pylons from a 3N/3S lane arrangement to either a 2N/4S or 4N/2S lane arrangement. As

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stated above, the District will place the moveable median barrier into either the 4S/2N or 4N/2S arrangement prior to the time such lane closure is allowed to start as specified in Section 12-4.05B. Therefore, the Contractor does not need to account for the time it takes the District to change the lane arrangements.

- 3. Yes, the District will be responsible for moving the moveable median barrier and setting traffic pylons to the 4S/2N lane arrangement after the time the lane closure is specified in Section 12-4.05B to end. The Contractor must remove the traffic control and open all lanes to traffic prior to the lane opening deadline as specified in Section 12-4.05B. The District will begin to reconfigure the Bridge traffic lanes after the Contractor has removed the traffic control and opened the lanes to traffic.
- 4. See item 3 of the response. The Contractor does not need to account for the time it takes the District to change the lane arrangements.

Sincerely,

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