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SUBJECT: FREEPORT, ROUTE 125/136, DESIGN-BUILD PROJECT (MAINEDOT PIN: 012782.00), REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS (RFP): QUESTIONS & ANSWERS FOR RFP AMENDMENT, DATED MAY 22, 2009; AND CLARIFICATION: DRIVEWAY GRADE DESIGN EXCEPTIONS, DATED MAY 22, 2009

Please find below questions and answers which have been received on the amendment to the RFP dated May 22, 2009, and the Notice entitled: Clarification: Driveway Grade Design Exceptions, also dated May 22, 2009.

- Q) In response to addendum 5 the Department is allowing the proposers to amend the Technical Proposal. How many copies of the amended Technical Proposal need to be submitted?
- A) In amending the Technical Proposal, 12 copies of the Technical Proposal narrative, along with ½ size plan sets, if applicable, shall be provided. The Proposer shall also provide 3 original copies of form A, to replace those from the original submission. One full-size plan set, if applicable, shall also be provided.

The Proposer may submit the amended portions of the Technical Proposal, with instructions to the Department on how to amend the preliminary submissions; or, the Proposer may come to the Department to amend the proposals themselves, with Department oversight, to ensure the intent of the amendment. If the Proposer elects to amend the proposal themselves, the Proposer shall schedule the appropriate time with the Project Manager, as approved by the Project Manager.

- Q) Will the department consider extending the contract completion date by 1 week to correspond with the Price Proposal and Final Technical Proposal extension that was provided in addendum 5?
- A) The contract completion date has been revised in the latest amendment to the RFP, dated May 29, 2009, which was forwarded to each Proposer.



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- Q) Based on the letter dated 5/22/09 with the subject - Clarification: Driveway Grade Design Exceptions, will we be allowed to amend our Technical Proposal?
- A) Yes, the Proposers will be allowed to amend their respective Technical Proposals based on the Notice entitled: Clarification: Driveway Grade Design Exceptions.

Please consider these Questions and Answers in preparing your Final Technical and Price Proposals for the Project. Final Technical Proposal and Price Proposal Submissions are required on or before June 19, 2009.

Sincerely,



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