



**RFQ-JN-15-24  
ADDENDUM 1  
STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING SERVICES  
For BRIDGE REHABILITATION**

**DATE:** September 4, 2015

**FROM:** Jennifer Nellis, Purchasing Agent

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**PROPOSALS DUE:** TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2015, BY 4:00 P.M. OUR CLOCK

The following information is provided to all prospective offerors and is hereby made a part of the above-referenced proposal documents. **Proposers must acknowledge this Addendum 1 with their submittal.** This addendum is a total of one page.

Questions will be accepted through noon on September 9<sup>th</sup>.

**CLARIFICATION, ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, CHANGES:**

1. Question: **Does this project require the use of geotechnical engineering and/or construction material testing? If so, will these services be advertised in the future?**

**Answer:** At this time, proposals for these services are not needed. If needed later, the request for a proposal or bid may be made by the Public Works Engineering Division or the Purchasing and Contracting Division of the City of Wheat Ridge, and based on estimated costs for those services may or may not be advertised.

2. Question: **The RFP indicates that firms need to be prequalified by CDOT in BI-Bridge Inspection and BR-Bridge Design. Our firm is prequalified by CDOT for BR-Bridge Design and SE-Structural Engineering. The RFP contains bridge inspection reports previously completed and there is no scope listed in the RFP for actually completing bridge inspections. The work specified, in our view, would be in the areas of BR-Bridge Design and SE-Structural Engineering. Would Wheat Ridge consider changing the prequalification requirements?**

**Answer:** City staff members have reviewed the minimum requirements, and carefully considered the proposed perspective. There will be no change to the minimum requirements. For these services, firms (or teams) must be prequalified by CDOT in BI - Bridge Inspection and BR - Bridge Design. Having the CDOT prequalification for SE – Structural Engineering is recognized as a significant vendor qualification for this work, but is not Go / No Go criteria.

3. Question: **Will there be Federal or State (CDOT) monies in this project? Local Agency project? If so, are there DBE requirements?**

**Answer:** This project represents City funds, and there are no federal, state or DBE requirements. The City does follow CDOT specifications.

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