

# COUNTY OF EL DORADO

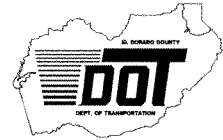
# DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



**CONSTRUCTION DIVISION**  
 2441 Headington Road  
 Placerville CA 95667  
 Phone: (530) 642-4987  
 Fax: (530) 295-2655

**JAMES W. WARE, P.E.**  
 Director of Transportation  
  
 Internet Web Site:  
<http://edcgov.us/dot>

**MAIN OFFICE**  
 2850 Fairlane Court  
 Placerville CA 95667  
 Phone: (530) 621-5900  
 Fax: (530) 626-0387



**DATE:** February 24, 2012

**TO:** All Prospective Bidders

**SUBJECT:** Response to Bidders' Inquiries No. 1  
 Energy Retrofitting Project –  
 South Lake Tahoe Interior Lighting Upgrades  
 Contract No. PW 11-30626, Project No. 90058

ITEM NO.	LOCATION, PAGE OR DRAWING NO.	QUESTION/ANSWER
1.01	C-4	<p><b>Question:</b> Will shift work be allowable?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b> Contractor's attention is directed to Page C-4 of the Draft Agreement, article 5 for the description of the hours (6 p.m. to 6 a.m.) that constitute a working day for this project.</p> <p>Shift work may be considered as long it will allow the work to be completed within the time of the contract, and it will not disrupt daily County functions.</p> <p>At the Jail, the County may consider options to get the work completed around the following schedule. The housing units of the jail that are open to the inmates will NOT be accessible overnight from 11:00 p.m.- 6 a.m., additionally the inmate occupied areas will not be available during the following times:                      Breakfast 6:30 a.m.-7:15 a.m.                      Lunch 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.                      Dinner 4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m.                      Med's Delivery 5:30 p.m.-6:00 p.m.</p> <p>The required escorts to move from one area to another will also not be available during these times.</p>
1.02	N/A	<p><b>Question:</b> Are there Parking and Staging areas for materials and/or a locked job box available at the Jail?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b> Yes, there is an area inside the Sally-Port for staging materials, and an area at the end of the mechanical room hallway for a locked job box. Parking is available in the lots around the</p>

		jail.
1.03	N/A	<p><b>Question:</b> Will a tool count be required at the jail?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b> Yes, all workers will be required to account for all materials taken into and out of the jail every day.</p>
1.04	N/A	<p><b>Question:</b> Will cell phones be allowed in the Jail?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b> No, cell phones will not be allowed in the Jail at any time. However, hand held radios will be allowed for the contractor to communicate with their crew.</p>
1.05	N/A	<p><b>Question:</b> What other security issues are required at the Jail?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b> All personnel of the contractor at the jail must be licensed and properly documented. No one convicted of a felony, or subject to any warrant may enter the jail.</p> <p>Escorts must be arranged for moving between all areas within the jail; however escorts may leave the crew once they are setup in a given area. Escorts are not available for moving between areas at the times listed in 1.01 above. It may take 15 minutes to move from one area to another across the jail. Contractor may experience delays do to unforeseen activity within the jail when emergency situations arise.</p>
1.06	N/A	<p><b>Question:</b> Are tamper proof fixtures required in the jail?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b> Yes, all fixtures shall be secured with tamper proof screws.</p>
1.07	N-1, N-2, C-1, C-2	<p><b>Question:</b> Will the county supply the tool for use with the existing tamper proof screws?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b> No, as directed in the Contract Documents the contractor must "supply all labor, tools, material and equipment required." County staff indicated that the tool is described as a star diver with a hollow tip.</p>
1.08	N/A	<p><b>Question:</b> Will the contractor be required to replace missing or broken lens holder clips?</p> <p><b>Answer:</b> No</p>

Page 3 of 3  
Energy Retrofitting Project – South Lake Tahoe Interior Lighting Upgrades  
Contract No. PW 11-30626, Project No. 90058  
Response to Bidders' Inquiries No. 1  
February 24, 2012

Holders who have already mailed their proposal can contact Paul Hom at (email: paul.hom@edcgov.us) to arrange return of their proposal.

Inform all suppliers and subcontractors as necessary.

The DOT is only sending this Response to Bidders' Inquiries by posting on the following website: <http://www.edcgov.us/Government/DOT/Bids.aspx>.

**Responses to bidder inquiries, unless incorporated into formal addenda to the contract, are not a part of the contract, and are provided for the bidder's convenience only. In some instances, the question and answer may represent a summary of the matters discussed rather than a word-for-word recitation. The availability or use of information provided in the responses to bidder inquiries is not to be construed in any way as a waiver of any other provision of the contract, the plans, Standard Specifications, or special provisions, nor to excuse the contractor from full compliance with those contract requirements. Bidders are cautioned that subsequent responses or contract addenda may affect or vary a response previously given.**

Sincerely,



Paul Hom, P.E.  
Senior Civil Engineer  
El Dorado County DOT