Alabama Port Authority

Addendum to R&P or Specification Booklet

Project Name McDuffie New East Electrical Building

Project No. 11734 **Task No.** 02 **Addendum No.** 5

To: Prospective Bidders **Date:** 11/06/26

These items are hereby included in the bid documents by this addendum. Please indicate your receipt of this addendum by adding the addendum number in the appropriate place in your Bid Proposal.

Item	Description
1.	**Handrails:** E5 notes "CONNECT TO HANDRAIL (TYP)" at the west equipment enclosure, but S6 shows fencing in this area. Does the note refer to the fence or a separate handrail? If handrails are required, please provide locations and details, including at the F1/F2 gate-access stairs. Connect to grounding fence post and connect posts with grounding. No handrail
2.	**Schedule of Prices:** The revised schedule omits separate lines for the ductbank, hydrant relocation and access ramp. Does this work remain in the base bid, and where should it be carried? Please also clarify the scope of Item 2.7 and confirm whether panelboards DP and LP and transformer EBXFMR remain in Item 3.7. Per the revised drawing 4643E-E3 Rev B, the panelboard DP, panelboard LP, 150kVA Transformer and 100A, 600V disconnect switch will be in item 3.7. Also in item 3.7 will be building lighting.
3.	**Piling:** What work is covered by the "Piling Load Test Deduct," and does it apply independently of the PCPS alternate? For the alternate, please provide pile and connection details, driving and acceptance criteria, and confirm whether the base pile layout and caps remain unchanged. Should the alternate line show the PCPS installed price or the net deduct? Piling Load Test applies to both augercast and driven piles. Standard ALDOT PCPS pile, connect top with 4-#7 bars in dowel holes with a 36" long embedded grouted anchor and 12" hook, 100 ton allowable based on hammer driving energy/blowcounts and PDA, base pile layout will remain unchanged, Net Deduct.
4.	**Fence:** S6 shows aluminum tube framing, while the new specification calls for aluminum gate frames, steel posts and rails, and galvanized metal components. Please clarify the required materials, finishes, anchors and copper-to-aluminum grounding connections? Provide fence in accordance with specification.
5.	**Gutters and downspouts:** The new sheet-metal specification lists aluminum, stainless steel and galvanized materials and refers to "204 stainless steel" for downspouts. Please confirm the required materials and thicknesses for gutters, downspouts and flashing, and whether "204" is correct. Use 304 stainless for all material. Gutter, downspout and cover plate material shall be .032" thick.
6.	**Fire hydrant:** Please provide the relocation piping and tie-in details, including whether the existing hydrant is to be reused and any shutdown or coordination requirements. Utility subcontractor shall install in accordance with MAWSS standards and the IPC.
7.	**Geotechnical report:** G3 references report M25-199, but Addendum 4 says the attached report is for an adjacent project and for reference only. Which recommendations, if any, apply to this project? Borings provided for reference only. The borings are within 200; of the new electrical building.
8.	Page I8 of the specifications is unchanged.