#### **PROPOSAL**

#### FOR

## SOIL REMEDIATION PROJECT AT FORMER BERK OIL SITE CIP NO. 3927

### IN THE CITY OF BELL GARDENS

## TO THE CITY OF BELL GARDENS, as AGENCY

In accordance with AGENCY'S Notice Inviting Sealed Bid, the undersigned BIDDER hereby proposes to furnish all materials, equipment, tools, labor and incidentals required for the above-stated project as set forth in the Plans, Specifications, and contract documents therefor, and to perform all work in the manner and time prescribed therein.

BIDDER declares that this proposal is based upon careful examination of the work site, Plans, Specifications, Instruction to Bidders and all other contract documents. If this proposal is accepted for award, BIDDER agrees to enter into a contract with AGENCY at the unit and/or lump-sum prices set forth in the following Bid Schedule. BIDDER understands that failure to enter into a contract in the manner and time prescribed will result in forfeiture to AGENCY of the guarantee accompanying this proposal.

BIDDER understands that a bid is required for the entire work that the estimated quantities set forth in the Bid Schedule are solely for the purpose of comparing bids and that final compensation under the contract will be based upon the actual quantities of work satisfactorily completed. THE AGENCY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO INCREASE OR DECREASE THE AMOUNT OF ANY QUANTITY SHOWN AND TO DELETE ANY ITEM FROM THE CONTRACT. It is agreed that the unit and/or lump-sum prices bid include all appurtenant expenses, taxes, royalties, and fees. In the case of discrepancies in the amounts bid, unit prices shall govern over extended amounts, and words shall govern over figures.

If awarded the Contract, the undersigned further agrees that in the event of the BIDDER'S default in executing the required contract and filing the necessary bonds and insurance certificates by the dates stablished by the agency after the AGENCY'S notice of award of contract to the BIDDER, the proceeds of the security accompanying this bid shall become the property of the AGENCY and this bid and the acceptance hereof may, at the AGENCY'S option, be considered null and void.

### **BID SCHEDULE**

FOR

## SOIL REMEDIATION PROJECT AT FORMER BERK OIL SITE CIP NO. 3927

#### IN THE CITY OF BELL GARDENS

The undersigned declares that he/she has carefully examined the location of the proposed work, that he/she has examined the specifications and read the accompanying instructions to bidders, and hereby proposes to do all the work in accordance with said specifications for the amounts set forth below:

Construct improvements as reiterated above, located in the City of BELL GARDENS, California, in accordance with the specifications for the unit price set forth in the following Base Bid Schedule:

(BASE BID SCHEDULE ON NEXT PAGE)

## BASE BID SCHEDULE: SOIL REMEDIATION PROJECT AT FORMER BERK OIL SITE

Item No.	Description	Estimated Quantity	Unit	Unit Price \$	Extended Amount \$
A.	Submittals and Work Plans				
A.1	Prepare Health and Safety Plan	1	LS	\$ 3,509.49	\$ 3,509.49
A.2	Prepare Soil Management Plan	1	LS	\$ 5,264.23	\$ 5,264.23
A.3	Prepare Transportation Plan	1	LS	\$ 877.37	\$ 877.37
A.4	Prepare Site-Specific Decontamination Plan	1	LS	\$ 1,754.74	\$ 1,754.74
A.5	Prepare Site-Specific Dust Control and Monitoring Plan	1	LS	\$ 3,509.49	\$ 3,509.49
A.6	Prepare Construction Management Plan	1	LS	\$ 8,773.72	\$ 8,773.72
	Subtotal				\$ 23,689.04
В.	Mobilization and Site Preparation				
B.1	Mobilization	1	LS	\$ 118,423.98	\$ 118,423.98
B.2	Install Driven Post Chain Link Fencing and Windscreen – 6 Feet High	370	LF	\$ 46.06	\$ 17,042.20
B.3	Install Caltrans Chain Link Fence and Windscreen	580	LF	\$ 74.37	\$ 43,134.60
B.4	Provide and Install Environmental Controls (stormwater BMPs, dust control, decontamination station) and H&S Monitoring	1	LS	\$ 12,867.33	\$ 12,867.33
B 5	Demolish Existing Site Concrete Paving and Recycle/Dispose	27,300	SF	\$ 2.41	\$ 65,793.00
B.6	Demolish Existing Site Asphalt Paving and Recycle/Dispose	5,300	SF	\$ 1.58	\$ 8,374.00
B.7	Site Clearing and Debris Removal	1	LS	\$ 21,449.98	\$ 21,449.98
B.8	Surveying	1	LS	\$ 33,527.79	\$ 33,527.79
B.9	Site Security	1	LS	\$ 8,239.25	\$ 8,239.25
	Subtotal				\$ 328,852.13
C.	Excavation and Disposal				
C.1	Operate and monitor Environmental Controls (stormwater BMPs, dust control, decontamination station) and H&S Monitoring	1	LS	\$ 66,705.22	\$ 66,705.22
C.2	Excavate 2 to 6 Feet Deep and Load Soil	8,060	ВСҮ	\$ 31.55	\$ 254,293.00

Item No.	Description	Estimated Quantity	Unit	Unit Price \$	Extended Amount \$
C.3	Transportation and Disposal of RCRA-Haz Soil	2,507	tons	\$ 117.56	\$ 294,722.92
C.4	Transportation and Disposal of Cal-Haz Soil	1,123	tons	\$ 117.56	\$ 132,019.88
C.5	Transportation and Disposal of Non-Hazardous Soil	10,878	tons	\$ 61.44	\$ 668,344.32
	Subtotal				\$ 1,416,085.34
D	Site Restoration				
D.1	Provide, Backfill, and Compact Import Fill	8,060	ВСҮ	\$ 62.26	\$ 501,815.60
D.2	Temporary Gravel Surfacing - 3 inch thick	187,000	SF	\$ 0.77	\$ 143,990.00
D.3	Demobilize from Site	1	LS	\$ 58,980.39	\$ 58,980.39
	Subtotal				\$ 704,785.99
	TOTAL AMOUNT BASE BID IN FIGURES:			\$ 2,473.	412.50

TOTAL AMOUNT IN WORDS BASE BII	D:
Two million, four hundred seventy-three	thousand, four hundred twelve dollars and fifty cents
A	DOLLARS.
ETIC	
Company Name	Bidder's Signature

IN CASE OF DISCREPANCY BETWEEN THE WORDS AND FIGURES, THE WORDS SHALL PREVAIL.

If the City determines to award a contract for this Base Bid, the City's determination will be based on the best interest of the City.

The Contractor shall complete all work in every detail within seventy (70) working days (for Base Bid) comprised of twenty (20) workings days for work plans and other submittals, five (5) working days for mobilization, forty (40) working days for construction, and five (5) working days for demobilization after the effective date in the Notice-to-Proceed with the Work to be issued by the CITY.

## DESIGNATION OF SUBCONTRACTORS

(Complete subcontractor information below shall be submitted with the Sealed bid)

BIDDER proposes to subcontract certain portions of the work that are in excess of one-half of 1 percent of the total amount bid or \$10,000, whichever is greater, as follows:

Name:	Penhall Company
Address:	1801 Penhall Way
	Anaheim, CA 92801
Telephone No.:	(714) 772-6450
State License No:	568673
DIR Registration No:	100000860
Portion of Work:	Utility Locating
Name:	Pisti Electric Inc.
Address:	5673 Los Amigos St.
	Bueno Park, CA 90620
Telephone No.:	(714) 761-5866
State License No:	877710
DIR Registration No:	1000060003
Portion of Work:	Power Drop Electrical Connection
Name:	ED's Fencing, Inc.
Address:	PO Box 341
	Wilmington, CA 90748
Telephone No.:	(310) 518-3200
State License No:	422002
DIR Registration No:	1000044021
Portion of Work:	Fencing
Name:	Calvada Surveying Inc.
Address:	411 Jenks Cir #205
<u> </u>	Corona, CA 92878
Telephone No.:	(951) 280-9960
State License No:	N/A - Land Surveying (service provided)
DIR Registration No:	1000007149
Portion of Work:	Surveying
Name:	Soil Mixing Services
Address:	32932 Pacific Coast Hwy. #14-331
Talanhana Na	Dana Point, CA 92629
Telephone No.:	(909) 282-7230
State License No:	871490 1000002116
DIR Registration No: _ Portion of Work:	
FOILIOH OF WORK.	Soil Mixing

Prior to award of contract, Contractor shall submit a list of suppliers and vendors, in writing, to the City Engineer.

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BIDDER proposes to subcontract certain portions of the work that are in excess of one-half of 1 percent of the total amount bid or \$10,000, whichever is greater, as follows:

Name:	Associated Soils Engineering
Address:	2860 Walnut Ave.
	Signal Hill, CA 90755
Telephone No.:	(562) 426-7990
State License No:	1775
DIR Registration No:	1000017242
Portion of Work:	Compaction Testing
Name:	
Address:	
Telephone No.:	
State License No:	
DIR Registration No:	
Portion of Work:	
Name:	
Address:	
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DIR Registration No:	
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Name:	
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DIR Registration No:	
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Name:	
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Telephone No.:	
State License No:	
DIR Registration No:	
Portion of Work:	

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## REFERENCES

BIDDER shall provide the names, addresses, and telephone numbers for three private entities and/or public agencies (consisting of cities or counties), for which BIDDER has performed similar SOIL REMEDIATION WORK for a contract amount greater than or equal to \$1,000,000 within the past 5 years, and may included in-progress projects.

1. Golden Gate Bridg	e, Highway & Transportation District-	
Name and Address of	f Owner	
Rodolfo Galang - (4	415) 716-8726 Project: Novato bus fac	cility
Name and telephone	number of person familiar with projec	ot
\$6,215,705.79	Soil Remediation and UST Removal	April 2024
Contract amount	Type of work	Date completed
2. Southern California	Edison	
Name and Address o		
John Johnson - (626	) 756-6403 Project: Mesa Facility	
Name and telephone	number of person familiar with project	t
\$ 2,253,559	Soil Remediation	November 2021
Contract amount	Type of work	Date completed
Southern California	Edison	
Name and Address o	f Owner	
Violet Calero (626)40	07-1991 Project: Alhambra Building D	& Warehouse
	number of person familiar with projec	
\$1,603,933	Soil Remediation	February 2024
Contract amount	Type of work	Date completed
BIDDER shall provide the	e names, addresses, and telephone n	numbers of all brokers
sureties from whom BIDI	DER intends to procure insurance and	bonds for the work:
ISU Massie & Beck Ins	urance Services	
Attn: Sean Sigmundso	on and Julie Rector	
315 Lennon Ln., Waln	ut Creek, CA 94598	
Phone: (925) 283-5750		

BIDDER certifies that in all previous contracts or subcontracts, all reports which may have been due under the requirements of any AGENCY, State or Federal equal employment opportunity orders have been satisfactorily filed, and that no such reports are currently outstanding.

## AFFIRMATIVE ACTION CERTIFICATION

BIDDER certifies that affirmative action has been taken to seek out and consider minority business enterprises for those portions of the work to be subcontracted, and that such affirmative actions have been fully documented, that said documentation is open to inspection, and that said affirmative action will remain in effect for the life of any contract awarded hereunder. Furthermore, BIDDER certifies that affirmative action will be taken to meet all equal employment opportunity requirements of the contract documents.

## NONCOLLUSION AFFIDAVIT

BIDDER declares that the only persons or parties interested in this proposal as principals are those named herein; that no officer, agent, or employee of the AGENCY is personally interested, directly or indirectly, in this proposal; that this proposal is made without connection to any other individual, firm, or corporation making a bid for the same work and that this proposal is in all respects fair and without collusion or fraud.

## **BIDDER'S INFORMATION**

BIDDER certifies that	t the following inform	nation is true and correct:	
Bidder's Name	ETIC		
Business Address	3478 Buskirk Ave., Ple	easant Hill, CA 94523	<u> </u>
Telephone	(925) 602-4710		
State Contractor's Li	cense No. and Class	624022	
Original Date Issued	07/29/1991	Expiration Date 7/31/2025	
firm members, partr interest in this propos James Norwood	ners, joint ventures, sal (use additional 8	esses, and telephone numbers of all individuand/or corporate officers having a print 1/2" x 11" sheets if needed):  Ser/Secretary/Treasurer Hill, CA 94523	
having an interest in	this proposal, or any I having an interest i	y bankruptcy judgments against any princ y firm, corporation, partnership or joint vent n this proposal was an owner, corporate off	ture
an interest in this prop		ctitious business names for any principal ha	ving —
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	WHEREOF, BIDDER executes and submits this proposal with the name and seal of all forenamed principals this <u>30th</u> day of <u>May</u> , 20 24	es, _·
BIDDER	ETIC - James Norwood	
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	ned declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State the representations made hereto are true and correct.	of
	Signature of Contractor's Representative	
	James Norwood Printed Name	
	Chief Financial Officer Title	
Subscribed an	nd sworn to this day of, 20	
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## PROPOSAL GUARANTEE

## **BID BOND**

**FOR** 

## SOIL REMEDIATION PROJECT AT FORMER BERK OIL SITE CIP NO. 3927

## IN THE CITY OF BELL GARDENS

KNOW ALL	PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS that _ETIC
as BIDDER	R, and The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company , a
	organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, and
	ted to transact business under the laws of the State of California, as SURETY,
	firmly bound unto the City of Bell Gardens, as AGENCY, in the penal sum
	cent (10%) of Total Bid Amount
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	Amount ), which is ten (10) percent of the total amount bid by BIDDER to
	r the above-stated project, for the payment of which sum, BIDDER and
SURETY agi	ree to be bound, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.
THE CONDI	TIONS OF THE OPINGATION ARE CHOICE A
	TIONS OF THIS OBLIGATION ARE SUCH that, whereas BIDDER is about
	oid to AGENCY for the above-stated project, if said bid is rejected, or if said
	ed and a contract is awarded and entered into by BIDDER in the manner and
time specifie	d, then this obligation shall be null and voided, otherwise it shall remain in
full force and	effect in favor of the AGENCY.
IN WITNESS	WHEREOF the parties hereto have set their names, titles, hands, and
	6th day of June, 2024.
-	<u></u>
BIDDER*	ETIC, 3478 Buskirk Avenue, Suite 220, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523, (925) 602-4710
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SURETY*	The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, 17771 Cowan, Suite 200, Irvine, CA 92614, (949) 263-3300
OOKETT	(2) 200 0000
	Alan Sal b
	Dean Sigmundson, Attorney-In-Fact, 315 Lennon Lane, Walnut Creek, CA 94598, (925) 283-5750
Subscribed a	nd sworn to this <u>6th</u> day of <u>June</u> , 20 <u>24</u> .
NOTARY PU	BLIC Julie A. Rector, Notary Public.

*	Provide BIDDER/ADMITTED SURETY name, address, title and telephone number and the name, title, address, and telephone number of authorized representative.

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This Power of Attorney limits the acts of those named herein, and they have no authority to bind the Company except in the manner and to the extent herein stated.

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company West American Insurance Company

Certificate No: 8207840-988305

## POWER OF ATTORNEY KNOWN ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS: That The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of New Hampshire, that

Liberty Mutual Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Massachusetts, and West American Insurance Company is a corporation duly organized under the laws of the State of Indiana (herein collectively called the "Companies"), pursuant to and by authority herein set forth, does hereby name, constitute and appoint, Charles H.  Massie, David Massie, Dean Sigmundson	
all of the city of Walnut Creek state of CA each individually if there be more than one named, its true and lawful attorney-in-fact to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver, for and on its behalf as surety and as its act and deed, any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations, in pursuance of these presents and shall be as binding upon the Companies as if they have been duly signed by the president and attested by the secretary of the Companies in their own proper persons.  IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Power of Attorney has been subscribed by an authorized officer or official of the Companies and the corporate seals of the Companies have been affixed	
thereto this 19th day of April , 2022 .  Liberty Mutual Insurance Company The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company West American Insurance Company West American Insurance Company	i Inquiries,
On this 19th day of April , 2022 before me personally appeared David M. Carey, who acknowledged himself to be the Assistant Secretary of Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, The Ohio Casualty Company, and West American Insurance Company, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, execute the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of the corporations by himself as a duly authorized officer.	Verillication R@libertyn
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my notarial seal at King of Prussia, Pennsylvania, on the day and year first above written.  Commonwealth of Pennsylvania - Notary Seal Teresa Pastella, Notary Public Montgomery County My commission expires March 28, 2025 Commission number 1126044  Member, Pennsylvania Association of Notaries  By: Teresa Pastella, Notary Public	ירטיזי) אונטיזיא 10 or email HOSUF
State of PENNSYLVANIA County of MONTGOMERY  State of PENNSYLVANIA Scounty of Montgomery State of Pennsylvania State of Pennsylva	-UI build allu/ul r bwei blease call 610-832-824
ARTICLE XIII – Execution of Contracts: Section 5. Surety Bonds and Undertakings.  Any officer of the Company authorized for that purpose in writing by the chairman or the president, and subject to such limitations as the chairman or the president may prescribe, shall appoint such attorneys-in-fact, as may be necessary to act in behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations. Such attorneys-in-fact subject to the limitations set forth in their respective powers of attorney, shall have full power to bind the Company by their signature and execution of any such instruments and to attach thereto the seal of the Company. When so executed such instruments shall be as binding as if signed by the president and attested by the secretary.	
Certificate of Designation – The President of the Company, acting pursuant to the Bylaws of the Company, authorizes David M. Carey, Assistant Secretary to appoint such attorneys-infact as may be necessary to act on behalf of the Company to make, execute, seal, acknowledge and deliver as surety any and all undertakings, bonds, recognizances and other surety obligations.	
Authorization – By unanimous consent of the Company's Board of Directors, the Company consents that facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of any assistant secretary of the Company, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power of attorney issued by the Company in connection with surety bonds, shall be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.	
I, Renee C. Llewellyn, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary, The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, and West American Insurance Company do hereby certify that the original power of attorney of which the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, is in full force and effect and has not been revoked.	
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seals of said Companies this the day of Sure , 2024	
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A notary public or other officer comp to which this certificate is attached,	_		_
State of California	)		
County of Contra Costa	}		
On _June 6, 2024	hoforo mo	Julie A. Rector. No	otary Public
Date	belote tile,		and Title of the Officer
personally appeared		Dean Sigmundson	
percentally appeared		Name(s) of Signer(s)	
who proved to me on the basis of to the within instrument and acknowledge authorized capacity(ies), and that upon behalf of which the person(	owledged to me that by his her/their sign	at(he/ <del>she/they</del> executed t nature( <b>s)</b> on the instrumen	he same in his/her/their
JULIE A. RECTOR Notary Public - Califor Contra Costa County Commission # 23579	, ₹		Y OF PERJURY under the ifornia that the foregoing orrect.
My Comm. Expires May 17		WITNESS my hand and	official seal.
Place Notary Seal and/or S			ature of Notary Public
Completing		dotor alteration of the de	acument ex
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Description of Attached Doc Title or Type of Document:		City of Bell Gardens	
Document Date: June 6, 2024		N	umber of Pages: _2
Signer(s) Other Than Named A			
☐ Trustee ☐ Gua☐ Other:	dson neral orney in Fact rdian of Conservator	Signer's Name:  Corporate Officer –  Partner – Limited Individual Trustee Other:	Title(s): d □ General □ Attorney in Fact □ Guardian of Conservator
Signer is Representing:		Signer is Representing	j:

### BIDDER'S VIOLATION OF LAW/SAFETY QUESTIONNAIRE

In accordance with Government Code Section 14310.5, the BIDDER shall complete, under penalty of perjury, the following questionnaire.

#### QUESTIONNAIRE

Has the Bidder, any officer of the bidder or any employee of the Bidder who has a proprietary interest in the Bidder ever been disqualified, removed or otherwise prevented from bidding on or completing a Federal, State or local government project because of a violation of law or a safety regulation?

Yes	NoX
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If the answer is yes, explain the circumstances in the space provided.

Note: This questionnaire constitutes a part of the Proposal, and a signature portion of the Proposal shall constitute signature of this questionnaire.

Beginning July 1, 2014, contractors must register with the Department of Industrial Relations (DIR) before bidding on public works contracts in California. For more information, please refer to this section of the Department of Industrial Relations Website: http://www.dir.ca.gov/Public-Works/PublicWorks.html.

Per this requirement, provide the following information:
ETIC
Contractor Name
1000008223
Contractor Department of Industrial Relations Registration Number:
6/30/2025
Expiration Date of Registration Number

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Per this requirement, provide the following information:
Penhall Company
Contractor Name
100000860
Contractor Department of Industrial Relations Registration Number:
6/30/2025
Expiration Date of Registration Number

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Per this requirement, provide the following information:
PISTI Electric, Inc.
Contractor Name
1000060003
Contractor Department of Industrial Relations Registration Number:
6/30/2025
Expiration Date of Registration Number

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Per this requirement, provide the following information:
Ed's Fencing, Inc.
Contractor Name
1000044021
Contractor Department of Industrial Relations Registration Number:
4 400 4000 5
6/30/2025
Expiration Date of Registration Number

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Per this requirement, provide the following information:	
Calvada Surveying, Inc.	
Contractor Name	
1000007149	
Contractor Department of Industrial Relations Registration Number:	
6/30/2025	
Expiration Date of Registration Number	

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Per this requirement, provide the following information:	
Soil Mixing Services, Inc.	
Contractor Name	
100000011	
1000002116	
Contractor Department of Industrial Relations Registration Number:	
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6/30/2024	
Expiration Date of Registration Number	

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Per this requirement, provide the following information:
Associated Soils, Inc.
Contractor Name
1000017040
1000017242
Contractor Department of Industrial Relations Registration Number:
6/30/2026
Expiration Date of Registration Number



## **CITY OF BELL GARDENS**

## PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT

8327 GARFIELD AVENUE • BELL GARDENS, CALIFORNIA 90201-6122 (562) 806-7770 FAX (562) 806-7789 • WWW.BELLGARDENS.ORG

## SOIL REMEDIATION PROJECT AT FORMER BERK OIL SITE CIP NO. 3927

#### **ADDENDUM NO. 1**

May 22, 2024

This addendum is being issued for the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARD DRAWINGS FOR THE SOIL REMEDIATION PROJECT AT THE FORMER BERL OIL SITE (the "Bid Documents").

Submit a bid with the full understanding and full consideration of this addendum.

The addendum is being issued to make the following changes to the Bid Documents:

- 1. Appendix "A" (Construction Plans) is replaced with the attached Appendix "A-R1" (Construction Plans).
- 2. Appendix "B" (Technical Specifications for Remediation) is replaced with the attached Appendix "B-R1" (Technical Specifications for Remediation).

Inform subcontractors and suppliers as necessary.

Sincerely,

Bernardo Iniguez

Director of Public Works/Facilities

### Attachments:

Appendix A-R1 (Construction Plans)

Appendix B-R1 (Technical Specifications for Remediation)

The bidder shall individually identify and acknowledge receipt of this addendum by signing and enclosing a copy of this form in their bid submittal. Failure to do so may result in disqualification of their bid submittal.

Signature of Biddek

6/10/2024

Date

ETIC - 3478 Buskirk Ave., Ste. 220, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

Bidder Firm Name and Address



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#### SOIL REMEDIATION PROJECT AT FORMER BERK OIL SITE

CIP NO. 3927

## **ADDENDUM NO. 2**

May 24, 2024

This addendum is being issued for the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARD DRAWINGS FOR THE SOIL REMEDIATION PROJECT AT THE FORMER BERL OIL SITE (the "Bid Documents").

Submit a bid with the full understanding and full consideration of this addendum.

A. The addendum is being issued to make the following changes to the Bid Documents:

The Bid Schedule entries and dates on Page i are revised to read as follows:

Bid Period: May 14, 2024 – June 11, 2024
 Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting: May 23, 2024 at 10:00 AM

• Requests for Information Due: May 30, 2024 at 12:00 PM (noon)

Bidders Information Sheet Due: May 30, 2024 at 5:00 PM
Bid Opening: June 11, 2024 at 11:00 AM

Award of Contract:
 June 24, 2024 City Council meeting

Post-Award Meeting: July 2, 2024

Work Plans and other Submittals: July 3, 2024 – August 2, 2024

• Construction Begins: August 5, 2024

B. The addendum is being issued to incorporate the following Questions and Answers ("Q&A") into the Bid Documents:

### **RESPONSE TO REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION NO. 1**

1. Q: There is no provided information on who/how to send in questions for this project. Can you please provide a contact or source for submitting questions? Please also provide last day questions can be submitted?

A: Please see Section A above for the last day to submit questions/requests for information. Please send questions/requests for information electronically via email to: <a href="mailto:biniguez@bellgardens.org">biniguez@bellgardens.org</a> with a copy to the following: <a href="mailto:andi.hope.cox@wsp.com">andi.hope.cox@wsp.com</a>, <a href="mailto:dbenash@bowman.com">dbenash@bowman.com</a>, <a href="mailto:kgonzalez@bellgardens.org">kgonzalez@bellgardens.org</a>.

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Inform subcontractors and suppliers as necessary.

Sincerely,

Bernardo Iniguez

Director of Public Works/Facilities

The bidder shall individually identify and acknowledge receipt of this addendum by signing and enclosing a copy of this form in their bid submittal. Failure to do so may result in disqualification of their bid submittal.

Signature of Bidder

6/10/2024

Date

ETIC - 3478 Buskirk Ave., Ste. 220, Pleasant Hill, CA 94523

Bidder Firm Name and Address



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## SOIL REMEDIATION PROJECT AT FORMER BERK OIL SITE

CIP NO. 3927

## **ADDENDUM NO. 3**

June 6, 2024

This addendum is being issued for the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, PLANS, SPECIFICATIONS AND STANDARD DRAWINGS FOR THE SOIL REMEDIATION PROJECT AT THE FORMER BERL OIL SITE (the "Bid Documents").

Submit a bid with the full understanding and full consideration of this addendum.

The addendum is being issued to incorporate the following Questions and Answers ("Q&A") into the Bid Documents:

### RESPONSE TO REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION NO. 2

Bidders' Questions have been grouped into the following categories.

- 1. Contracting and Schedule
- 2. Permitting and Access
- 3. General Sitework
- 4. Fencing
- 5. Concrete and Asphalt Removal
- 6. General Debris Removal and Demolition
- 7. Technical Specifications General
- 8. Technical Specifications Waste Management
- 9. Surveying

In some cases, similar questions receive one consolidated reply. Answers are in blue.

#### 1. Contracting and Schedule

A. The Bell Garden's Engineering Cost Estimate increased from \$3.1M to \$3.6M, but the base bid schedule quantities are basically the same, with a few Item Number quantities (B-2 and B-3) decreasing. Please provide an explanation for the overall estimate increase.

The bid form has been revised from the previous Plans and Specifications issued in March 2024. The previous bid item B.2 has been divided into items B.2 and B.3 to specify fence installation requirements. The previous Bid item B.5 has been divided into items B.5 and B.6. The quantity of concrete and asphalt to be removed has increased after further site investigation.

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B. Will the City provide a two-week extension due to the holiday weekend and ability to respond to RFI responses?

The City will not be providing an extension.

C. Contractor requests confirmation that for this public works contract, the Contractor is required to conduct work in accordance with the CA Public Works Manual for apprentice requirements.

#### Confirmed.

- D. Contractor requests the appliable prevailing wage determinations for operators, laborers, on/off hauling to/from construction site (T&D drivers), truck drivers on the construction site (i.e., water truck drivers), and any other appliable wage determinations.

  All applicable wage determinations are on the DIR website.
- E. The Contractor requests copy of section 9-3.2 for specification of retention from progress payments.

The referenced section is from the Standard Specifications for Public Works Construction. Refer to page GP-3 for how to purchase this document.

F. Is the Contractor and its subcontractors required to have in-hand the City of Bell Gardens business license at time of bid-submittal, or prior to start of field work?

Prior to the start of fieldwork.

G. Please confirm that the required agency permits will be issued by the Agency to the contractor at no cost to the contractor.

Per Section 2-2 of the Special Provisions provided, "The AGENCY will issue the permits at no charge to the Contractor."

H. Can the performance window ("References" section on page C-6 of bid package) be expanded to 5 years, instead of the current 2 years, to allow for contractors to provide the most representative projects that are similar in scope and magnitude?

Per Page C-6, the performance window is 5-years.

I. Will the truck drivers for the removal of impacted soil be required to be paid prevailing wage for the entire round trip or only while on site?

Prevailing wage applies for the entire trip.

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J. The Engineer's estimate from the previous bid to the current bid has increased by approximately \$400,000. What activities have changed to cause the increase in the Engineer's estimates costs?

Please see the explanation for A.

## 2. Permitting and Access

A. Please confirm Union Pacific easement / boundary

The Contractor shall assume that the Union Pacific easement/boundary is 50-feet from the center of the track line on each side. Please note that the City will be acquiring the necessary permits for any work within the Right-of-Way.

B. Does AQMD Rule 1166 apply to this site? Are VOCs expected to be present in the soil? If so, is there to be a site-specific Rule 1166 plan written? By whom?

Since VOCs are not expected to be encountered in shallow soil at this site, Rule 1166 is not applicable to this project.

C. Does AQMD Rule 1466 apply to this site?

AQMD Rule 1466 includes lead and benzo[a]pyrene as "Applicable Toxic Air Contaminants" and so this rule applies.

#### 3. General Sitework

A. The Revised Draft Removal Action Work Plan (WSP, August 2023) Appendix B lists a total of approximately 5,276 CY (e.g., 9,497 tons at a 1.8 conversion listed in the table) of soil for excavation and T&D for this project. The RFP Base Bid Scheule lists a total of 14,508 tons of soil for excavation and T&D for this project. Please explain this discrepancy.

The quantity has changed due to the following:

- Review of soil data
- Rationalization and adjustment of sub-area boundaries
- Allowance for sloping of excavation sidewalls
- Contingency allowance for additional excavation after confirmation sampling, if required.
- B. Please confirm all three gates along Shull St will be allowed to be operational and use as entrance or exits.

For the purposes of the bid, assume that the westernmost and easternmost gates, only, are available.

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C. Please confirm there are no live wet or dry underground utilities on site. If so, please provide as-builts.

There are no known utilities on site. However, per the contract documents, "the Contractor shall be responsible to contact USA to mark all utilities and shall conduct utility investigations to protect all marked utilities in place. Any damaged utility line shall be repaired at the Contractor's sole expense."

D. Please confirm voltage of overhead powerlines & provider along Shull St.

The voltage of the overhead power lines that are on-site or along the property boundary is 16 KV.

E. Please confirm there are no BMP structures onsite. If so, please provide descriptions and locations of structures.

There are no known BMP structures onsite.

F. Is city water service available on site?

There is no water source on site. However, there is a City hydrant near the northeast corner of the site. See Survey Drawing 2 of 4.

G. Is live monitoring required for construction site video camera monitoring?

Yes. However, the system may include an AI component to alert live security staff. Note that the primary purpose of this system is to monitor for the entrance of intruders into excavations and onto stockpiles where hazardous materials may be present, and to alert the Bell Gardens Police Department. Contractor may use this system to monitor the security of its own equipment and materials as long as the primary purpose of security is not compromised.

H. Is Contractor required to protect in place all the groundwater monitoring well casings above grade? Note: To what distance? If any are in the excavation areas, what then?

The Contractor is required to protect in place all the groundwater monitoring well boxes and above ground casing. But as necessary, Engineer will work with Contractor to modify above-ground casings in the way of excavation equipment. Currently, there is no well vault existing in the areas to be excavated, but depending on schedule some well casings may be installed near areas to be excavated. Engineer will work with Contractor to protect wells where practical or destroy well casing if necessary.

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I. Will trucking backfill onto the site at night be allowed?

Per the contract documents, the contractor's activities shall be confined to the hours between 7:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday, excluding holidays. Prior consent of the Engineer will be required for work at night except in emergencies involving immediate hazard to persons or property.

J. Is there an environmental consultant overseeing and directing the work? If not, who is directing and overseeing excavation activities, and how will excavation areas be marked?

The Engineer (WSP) will have staff oversee excavation activities. Excavation areas will be marked by the Contractor with coordinates provided by the Engineer.

K. There are monitoring wells and vapor probes onsite – are these to be protected in place and left as-is?

See answer to H above.

L. A power drop with meter was visually observed to exist at the northwest corner of the site. Is this available to the contractor to connect to the office trailer?

The owner of this power drop is unknown. Bidders should assume that the power drop is not available.

M. When self-performing the total soil excavation take-off volumes, the total is about 2,000 BCY less than what bid item C.2 shows (8,060 BCY). Was there any over-excavation accounted for in the bid quantity? If confirmation samples fail and over-excavation will be required, how will those quantities be paid for? Over-excavation is a less efficient exercise that generally warrants its own unit rate.

The bid quantity includes an allowance for exaction side slopes and a contingency to account for additional excavation should confirmation samples fail. Any additional excavation and disposal will be paid for at the bid rates.

### 4. Fencing

A. Please confirm all fencing to be installed onsite will be in accordance with Caltrans standards drawings A85, per drawing plans sheet 8, 12, 14.

Fencing on the western side of the site, adjacent or within the Caltrans right-of-way is to follow Caltrans standard drawing A85. Fencing at the southern side of the site, adjacent to the UPRR railroad is to be a semi-permanent post-driven fence, of a type to be proposed by the contractor and approved by the Engineer.

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B. Will windscreen be allowed to be installed on the inside of the property?

Yes.

C. Please confirm if existing windscreen is not damaged it will not need to be removed.

If existing windscreen is in adequately good conditions, it is not necessary to replace it.

D. Will all gates functioning or not require windscreen?

Yes.

E. Please confirm the total LF of windscreen to be installed on the property.

Windscreen shall be installed on all new fencing, of which there is 950 linear feet. Note that to the extent that any new windscreen or repair of existing windscreen that is required to comply with AQMD Rule 1466, this shall be provided by the contractor at no additional cost to the City. Also see answer to J., below.

F. Is the block wall on the southeast corner within the property line?

Yes.

G. Per drawing plans sheet 8, along the Union Pacific RR it states (Remove existing fence and replace with 6' high chain link fence with windscreen.) Is the existing fencing in regard to the current 3' block wall?

Please see the updated drawings and notes. Sheet 8 no longer states "Remove existing fence and replace with 6' high chain link fence with windscreen." The new note states "Install 6-ft high chain link fence with windscreen." There is also a reference to note 2, which states that this is temporary fence, specified as post-driven chain link fence. The fence is to be installed north of the 3-foot block wall.

H. South fence line: a deteriorated pony wall, plus its footing, exist at the southeast corner of the property line and whose location conflicts with the new fence to be installed. If the pony wall is to be demolished, please provide a revised bid schedule with bid item for this removal. If the pony wall is to be protected in place, please provide a construction detail showing how the new fence is to be installed in conjunction with the pony wall.

Please see the answer to G.

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I. DWG C-1, South Fence Line: Note 2 describes this post-driven fence as a temporary fence. Does that mean the contractor needs to remove the fence at the end of the job? Or does it remain in place?

The fence is to remain in place at the end of construction.

J. DWG C-1, North Fence Line: a note directs "ATTACH WINDSCREEN TO FENCING ABOVE WALL", but there is no bid item for attach windscreen only. The other bid items that mention windscreen are associated with installing new fence. Please revise bid schedule to include bid item for 250 LF of windscreen only.

See answer to E. Some of the existing windscreen along the north fence line may be in a suitable condition to comply with the requirements of AQMD Rule 1466. If it is not, then contractor shall replace it, with the cost included under the contractor's general costs to comply with the windscreen requirements in Rule 1466. Contractor shall bear the costs of all activities required to comply with the requirements of Rule 1466, unless explicitly separately quantified in the contract documents.

### 5. Concrete and Asphalt Removal

A. Please confirm concrete to be removed and demolished is 27,300 SF and is only the three locations as described on the drawing plans per sheet 8.

Please see the updated drawing in Addendum no. 1 and refer to the bid schedule. There is 27,300 square feet of concrete to be removed in the locations shown on the drawings included in Addendum no. 1.

B. Please confirm thickness of concrete to be removed and demolished.

Per the Bid Item Descriptions in Section 01 10 00 of the Technical Specifications, "site concrete is estimated to be 4 inches thick."

C. Please confirm area of concrete to remain for treatment system will be 60' x 62'.

That is approximately correct.

D. Please confirm quantity of existing site asphalt to be removed is 5,300 SF.

Per the bid schedule, the quantity of existing site asphalt to be removed is 5,300 square feet

E. Please share the locations of asphalt to be removed that equal up to 5,300 SF.

Please refer to the updated drawings in Addendum no. 1, specifically DWG C-1.

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F. What is the thickness of the asphalt to be removed?

Per the Bid Item Descriptions in Section 01 10 00 of the Technical Specifications, "site asphalt is estimated to be 3 inches thick."

G. For bidding purposes, shall contractor assume asphalt areas are 2 inches thick in locations identified for removal?

Please see response to question F.

H. B.5 – Demolish concrete paving – is there an average thickness to be assumed for the base bid? Is there rebar expected to be encountered?

Please see response to question B. for thickness. To the best of Engineer's knowledge, rebar is not expected to be encountered in concrete.

I. B.6 – Demolish asphalt paving – is there an average thickness to be assumed for the base bid?

Please see response to question F.

#### 6. General Debris Removal and Demolition

A. B.7 – Regarding clearing the site, the volume of green waste is presently growing – is there a volume that we should assume for a base bid?

No. Bidders are to determine quantity based on field visit.

#### 7. Technical Specifications - General

A. Contractor requests confirmation that the Engineer (WSP) is responsible for all confirmation soil sample collection and analysis of the excavation limits.

Yes.

B. Is the Contractor responsible for having a Dust Control Supervisor (DCS) certified by the SQACMD to employ dust control measures and ensure compliance with Rules 403 and 1466)?

Yes. Per Part 3.3 of Section 01 57 19 of the Technical Specifications, "Contractor shall assign a Dust Control Supervisor (DCS) certified by the SCAQMD to employ dust control measures to ensure compliance with all applicable Rules (403 and 1466)."

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C. Confirm the Prime Contractor is to have a company-wide established lead monitoring program.

This is not necessary.

D. Does import backfill need to be certified clean and/or follow DTSC backfill guidelines? If so, who is approving that? Is this to be detailed in the SMP?

Yes. Per Part 1.5D of Section 31 23 00 of the Technical Specifications, the Engineer will review and approve analytical results for import fill. Analytical results will be compared to the standards in the DTSC's Information Advisory, Clean Imported Fill Material Fact Sheet (dated October 2001).

E. For the crushed material that is to be installed upon completion (3" thick), is there a specification as to the type of material?

Per the detail on DWG C-7, the material for gravel surfacing is to be 3/4" Crushed Gravel Rolled Smooth. The subgrade of the gravel is to be compacted to 90% relative compaction. The following grading may be assumed:

SIEVE SIZE	PERCENTAGE PASSING SIEVE	
GRAVEL OR CRUSHED ROCK		
1 INCH	100	
₹ INCH	90-100	
#4	35-65	
#200	2-9	

F. Work Plans: spec 01 10 00, section 1.5.A shows one additional contractor required work plan (Waste Management Plan) that is not on the bid schedule. Which list of work plans is correct?

The list of work plans in the Bid Schedule is correct. The information that would be held in the 'Waste Management Plan' should be incorporated into the other required plans.

#### 8. Waste Management

A. Please confirm clean material can be stockpiled more than 400 cubic yards and higher than the perimeter fencing.

According to Rule 1466, fencing shall be at least 6 inches taller than the height of the tallest stockpile, and so stockpiles shall not exceed 5.5 feet and stockpiles shall not be more than 400 cubic yards of soil.

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B. Will there be any downtime after excavations and prior to backfill in order to accommodate any confirmation sampling? Is there to be any such sampling, who will do that work if it is to happen?

Per Part 3.14 of Section 31 23 00 of the Technical Specifications, "Confirmation sampling of excavation sidewalls and bottoms will be conducted by the Engineer. Contractor shall facilitate access to the sampling areas and account for sampling activities in their construction schedule. Based on the results of confirmation sampling, additional excavation may be required as directed by the Engineer." Engineer will direct the laboratory to analyze soil samples on a 24-hour turnaround basis.

C. Solubility data of the soil is missing – is any additional testing for waste profiling the responsibility of the contractor?

Yes, per Part 3.3 of Section 01 74 19 of the Technical Specifications, "The excavation contractor will be responsible for ensuring that samples for waste profiling are collected and analyzed as per the requirements of the disposal facility."

D. Is there an applicable waste diversion program and does diversion need to be tracked?

Not applicable since this is a soil remediation project. However, Contractor is encouraged to divert at least 65% of non-contaminated construction and demolition debris generated from construction activities.

## 9. Surveying

A. B.8 – Surveying – is there a definition of that scope?

Please refer to Item B.8 in the Bid Item Descriptions included in Section 01 10 00 of the Technical Specifications.

Inform subcontractors and suppliers as necessary.

Sincerely,

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