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## Addendum No. 1 Archibeque Ditch Phase IV Pipeline Project

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This Addendum No. 1 is issued in response to the following questions asked in regards to the Archibeque Ditch Phase IV Pipeline Construction Documents dated October 1, 2020. This Addendum No. 1 shall become a part of the Contract Documents.

**Question #1:** Is this a federally funded project?

**Answer #1:** There is no federal funding for this project.

**Question #2:** Need verification of the wage decision, Type “A”?

**Answer #2:** The state wage rate determination number is provided in the contract documents. It is a type A Project.

**Question #3:** Article 3 has a start date of “No Later than Oct 15<sup>th</sup>”. Is this an error?

**Answer #3:** The October 15 date is a typographical error. The contractor will begin work upon receipt of Notice to Proceed, which is anticipated to be issued 20-30 days after the bid opening. All work must be completed and ready for final payment on or before March 31, 2021. At least 10% of the project contract work must be completed prior to December 31, 2020.

**Question #4:** Is there an engineer’s estimate available?

**Answer #4:** The engineer’s estimate is not available for release at this time.

**Question #5:** Will there be any compaction or concrete testing required?

**Answer #5:** There are no testing requirements for soils or concrete. The engineer will be responsible for the cost of testing that might be necessary to ensure compliance with plans and specifications.

**Question #6:** Is there an end date for questions?

**Answer #6:** The last day for asking questions will be the October 15, 2020.

**Question #7:** Is there a reseeding specification?

**Answer #7:** There are no revegetation requirements in the contract.

**Question #8:** What are the approximate lengths, sizes, and types of pipes to be installed on the project?

**Answer #8:** Approximately 1,500 ft. of PVC 80 psi plastic irrigation pipe.

**Question #9:** Are there portions to be bored?

**Answer #9:** No boring is required for this project.

**Question #10:** Which method should be used to pressure test the completed pipeline?

**Answer #10:** The contractor may use either NRCS-NEH Specification 45.12 Method #1 or Method #2, at contractor's discretion. However, contractor will not be required to haul water to the site to test the pipe, but testing must be performed and certification provided when water is diverted into the pipeline at the start of the irrigation season.

**Question #11:** What is the specification of the rip rap to be provided?

**Answer #11:** Riprap for the alfalfa valve pads and at pipe terminal is 6"-12" with the dimension and volume of the NMDOT Class B rip rap.

**Question #12:** Is there a designated borrow area?

**Answer #12:** No borrow area has been designated. All fill material can be obtained from within the pipeline alignment.

**Question #13:** Where are the locations of construction access to pipeline alignment?

**Answer # 13:** Access to the site is available and shall be arranged in coordination with adjoining landowners.

**Question #14:** Is there a designated area for disposal of brush and trees encountered along the pipeline alignment?

**Answer #14:** Brush can be disposed of at a nearby site designated by the owner. Small brush can be disposed of by dispersing along the alignment.

**Question #15:** What is the size of the universal hydrants to be installed on the alfalfa valves?

**Answer #15:** Two (2) of the universal hydrants shall be 12" x 8" and one (1) shall be 12" x 12". The owner will designate the locations of the different universal hydrants.

Bids are due at 5:00 pm on October 19, 2020.