ADDENDUM #1: March 20, 2020

Unless explicitly noted herein, all requirements will remain as originally prepared. Any variations or claims of equality or superiority must be demonstrated, proven and tested to the satisfaction of ABI. **A signed copy of this addendum must be submitted with your bid as confirmation of your receipt.**

**ANNOUNCEMENT:**

THE OFFICE LOCATION OF ATLANTA BELTLINE, INC. (ABI) IS CLOSED. At this time the date for opening the office is undetermined. ABI staff is working remotely. In order to move forward with the ITB, please submit your responses electronically in PDF format to knicholson@atlbeltline.org.

I will respond by email to confirm receipt of each proposal that is submitted. The due date for bid submittal remains Tuesday, March 31, 2020, by 1:00 PM EST. The bid tally will be posted on the website on March 31, 2020.

1. **QUESTION:** General notes and supplemental notes state that all wiring to be copper. City of Atlanta specs on 25-011 require all wiring to be Aluminum. Can you verify if this project will require copper or aluminum wire?
   **ANSWER:** Wiring for lighting shall be aluminum per City specifications.

2. **QUESTION:** Supplemental notes state that direct bore under existing roadways that will not be disturbed. Is a pay item for directional bore going to be added?
   **ANSWER:** A pay item has been added to the bid form for directional bore.

3. **QUESTION:** Supplemental notes state that direct bore under existing roadways that will not be disturbed. Is Conduit, Nonmetl, TP 3, 2 IN conduit going to be added to the pay items?
   **ANSWER:** A pay item has been added to the bid form for type 3 conduit.

4. **QUESTION:** Holophane poles and lighting are shown on 25-010. Are Holophane poles and fixtures required?
   **ANSWER:** No, Holophane fixtures are not required. Alternates are listed in 25-010, Detail 4.
5. **QUESTION:** Holophane poles and lighting are shown on 25-010. Will an alternate manufacturer be accepted?

**ANSWER:** Yes, Approved Alternates may be accepted.

6. **QUESTION:** The pay items for the Mast Arm poles and the plans do not match. Can the quantity and lengths of the Mast Arms be verified?

**ANSWER:** Mast arm quantities have been verified and quantities updated accordingly on the bid form. Revised signal plan sheets will be issued once final approved for revised signal permits has been received from GDOT TMC.

7. **QUESTION:** A pay item for Directional Bore is included in the pay item, but the conduit is not. Typically, there is a pay item for each. Will a pay item for Conduit, Nonmetl, TP 3, 2 IN be added to the pay items?

**ANSWER:** Conduit, Type 3 for traffic signals is to be included in the lump sum price bid for Traffic Signal Installations (Item 647-1000).

8. **QUESTION:** Traffic Signal poles are required to have a stamped drawing. Is the State of Georgia (GDOT) or the City of Atlanta the entity that will be approving the drawing?

**ANSWER:** A pole and foundation design will be required to be submitted to and approved by the design engineer, City of Atlanta and GDOT prior to ordering of any materials.

9. **QUESTION:** Traffic Signal poles are required to have a stamped drawing. Has this been acquired? If not, will the review time by GDOT or COA be accounted for outside the current timeline to complete the schedule? The poles have a long lead time and manufacturers don’t start production until they receive approved submittals and stamped drawings.

**ANSWER:** Contractor will be responsible for submission of this drawing. Time included in the contract is deemed to be adequate for ordering, receiving and installation of poles.

10. **QUESTION:** If the prime Contractor is DBE Certified General Contractor will the self-performed work by the general contractor count towards the DBE goal on the project?

**ANSWER:** Yes.
11. **QUESTION:** The DBE goal for this project on Notice to Invitation to Bid is 5%, but on the Appendix E – Standard Federal Aid Contract Package, DBE Goals form it calls for 13%. Please clarify the DBE goal requirement.

**ANSWER:** The DBE goal for this project is 13%.

12. **QUESTION:** Is this a Lump Sum Contract? There is SOV provided with no quantities on Appendix C. Does the Contractor have to bid on the listed pay line items on the SOV as a Lump Sum project?

**ANSWER:** The SOV does contain quantities. ABI has posted a revised excel file in the Appendix C link that includes the item numbers, descriptions, and quantities. There are also quantities located in the Invitation to Bid document under Appendix C.

Please also see the Excel and PDF (same document, different format) of the Revised Bid Form and the Revised Plan Sheets.

**SIGNATURE IS REQUIRED ON THIS PAGE**

The authorized signature below acknowledges receipt of Addendum #1 and I will return this Addendum with the submitted proposal.