

STATE OF HAWAII  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
HIGHWAYS DIVISION

**ADDENDUM NO. 1**

for

**WHITMORE AVENUE SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS  
UAKANIKOO STREET TO IHIIHI AVENUE**

**PROJECT NO. 7012A-01-21**

The following is provided for information.

**A. PRE-BID MEETING MINUTES**

1. Attached are the November 23, 2021 pre-bid meeting minutes and attendance for your information.

**B. CLARIFICATION QUESTIONS/REQUEST FOR INFORMATION AND  
HDOT RESPONSE**

Attached are RFIs and responses for your information.

Please acknowledge receipt of this Addendum No. 1 by recording the date of its receipt in the space provided on page P-4 of the Proposal.



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JADE T. BUTAY  
Director of Transportation

## PRE-BID MEETING MINUTES

### WHITMORE AVENUE SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS UAKANIKOO STREET TO IHIIHI AVENUE PROJECT NO. 7012A-01-21

Date, Time & Place: November 23, 2021; 10:00 a.m., Pre-bid meeting was held virtually via Microsoft TEAMS

Attendees:

Name	Company/Office	Email
Robert Sun	HDOT HWY-DD	robert.sun@hawaii.gov
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Emmanuel Minde	Global Specialty Contractors, Inc.	eminde@globalspecialty.net

Items of Discussion:

Rob Sun opened the meeting at 10:00 a.m. The following was reminders announced:

- Identify yourself and company you are representing
- Anything said at this meeting is for clarification only. The bid documents shall govern over anything said today and discrepancies shall be clarified by addendum.
- No questions provided verbally shall be responded to; only written questions will receive a reply. All written questions will be responded to in the addendum.
- This meeting is being recorded. The recording will not be part of the addendum.
- The scope of work consists of construction new concrete sidewalks on the north side of Whitmore Avenue from Uakanikoo Street to Ihiihi Avenue, reconstructing curbs, and hydro-mulching.
- All RFI due November 24, 2021
- Addendum to be issued on December 2, 2021
- Bids to be opened on December 16, 2021

The meeting adjourned when the prospective bidders had no additional comments at 10:11 a.m.

## RESPONSES TO RFIS

### WHITMORE AVENUE SIDEWALK IMPROVEMENTS UAKANIKOO STREET TO IHIIHI AVENUE PROJECT NO. 7012A-01-21

The following RFIs/questions were submitted via HlePRO by prospective bidders as of November 24, 2021. The questions and responses are as follows:

1. Most of the weepholes in the wall are flush with the top of the existing asphalt. If the existing asphalt is 2" and existing base course is to remain the top of new 4" sidewalk will possibly bury the weepholes. Requesting direction if this occurs.

**Response:** As noted on Plan Sheet no. 13, "maintain same elevation of base of CMU wall as existing A.C. sidewalk". The weepholes should not be buried. If the existing asphalt is 2", depth of existing base course can be reduced by 2" so the top of new 4" sidewalk pavement can fit.

2. Does the contractor have to design traffic control for approval?

**Response:** Bid according to Section 645 of the Special Provisions. Site specific TCPs will need to be approved by HDOT.

3. Does each telephone pole have to be structurally supported?

**Response:** Refer to the HECO notes on the plans.

4. Can we have more clarification and explanation of what is a E-Construction license

**Response:** Bid according to information provided in Section 636 of the Special Provisions.

5. Can rolled wire mesh be used for this project?

**Response:** 6x6-W1.4 x W1.4 Welded Wire Fabric shall be used for this project.

6. Is the existing CMU wall privately owned?

**Response:** Yes.

7. Is the design intent to pour the sidewalk against the wall with premolded joint filler and if so please provide detail.

**Response:** Please see Transverse Joint At Structure Detail on Plan Sheet No. 13.

8. Is there a water source for grass maintenance?

**Response:** The Contractor will have to find a water source for grass maintenance.

9. On Page 12 of the Bid Proposal – Line Item calls out “Maintenance of Trailers” – Amount \$5,000.00. Is the contractor to provide trailers for the project?

**Response:** Yes. Please refer to Hawaii Standard Specifications Section 696 – Field Office and Project Site Laboratory for details.

10. Sheet 12- Calls out to “remove abandoned guy anchor” Upon site visit there is an existing guy wire attached to guy anchor and at top of pole. Please confirm if this is to be removed and if so will Hawaiian Electrical be performing the removal.

**Response:** Only the abandoned guy anchor that is not attached to any wire is to be removed by the contractor. Hawaiian Electric will not be performing the removal.

11. Proposal Page calls out – Completion Time:” 50 Working Days from the Start Work Date from the Department” Typically it takes approximately 30 days to obtain all utilities permits and clearances. Will the 50 working day completion time start after?

**Response:** The Start Work Date shall be established per Section 108 of the Special Provisions. Charging of Contract Time will begin on the Start Work Date.

12. Just verifying if the LD’s on this project is \$2,500 / WD as stated in the specs?

**Response:** Correct, the liquidated damages on this project is \$2,500 per working day.