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#### Addendum 3

## **Expand Rotary House International Hotel**

## **RFQ Request for Information Questions and Answers**

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# **Expand Rotary House International Hotel**

## **RFQ # 442330/JSW**

## Addendum # 3 – RFI Questions and Answers

#### **Question 1:**

Please confirm 3.6.9 and 3.6.10 are duplicates. Can we remove 3.6.10 from the response?

#### Answer 1:

Yes.

### **Question #2:**

It is possible to exclude the surety from the page count? Surety letters are 9-12 pages.

#### Answer #2:

Yes.

#### **Ouestion #3:**

Will MD Anderson be hiring a geotechnical engineer to produce a report separate from the design/build contractor? Or will this scope be included in the design/build award?

#### Answer #3:

The DB team will hire the geotechnical engineer. However, the proposed geotechnical engineer will need to be approved by the owner.

### **Question #4:**

I am writing to ask if the project sections in the Rotary RFQ can be extended to the last 10 years.

#### Answer #4:

No.

#### **Ouestion #5:**

Is there any chance to extend the due date a week with many people out for the Thanksgiving Holiday?

## Answer #5:

No.

#### **Ouestion #6:**

Can the RFQ submission be extended to a maximum of 50 pages based on the information requested in the RFQ?

#### Answer #6:

No.

### Question #7:

The drawings included in the Design Criteria package are from 2008. Can we get an updated set of drawings that reflect the current scope pf work?

#### Answer #7:

No, the drawings issued are for reference only to give respondents an idea of what we were thinking could be done back then. We're hiring a DB team to create a new design that meets our needs going forward.

## **Question #8:**

In the Pre-Submittal conference it was stated that there would be a 6 month hold on the project between SD's and DD's, would you provide an updated project schedule (item 2.5) based on the information presented?

#### Answer #8:

The RFQ schedule on page 11 reflects the 6 month time frame between the start of SD and completion of DD. In actuality the lag between the completion of SD and release to start DD may only be 6 weeks-2 months.

#### **Ouestion #9:**

Is this project looking for LEED certification?

#### Answer #9:

No.

#### **Ouestion #10:**

Can you extend the RFQ Submission date to 11/30/18 based upon the anticipated receipt of an Addendum received by 11/21/18.

#### Answer #10:

No.

#### Ouestion #11:

Is there additional scope required in the Braeswood parking garage other than the Bridge tie-in.

#### **Answer #11:**

No.

#### **Question #12:**

The information requested in 3.4.1 concerning Incident Rate and Days Away from Work Rate is not available on a per project basis for each project participant. Is the yearly rate requested in items 3.6.7 and 3.6.8 sufficient safety information.

## Answer #12:

Yes.

#### **Question #13:**

Please confirm that contract comments are required in the RFQ submittal as requested in item 3.7 vs. that noted in item 1.3.

## Answer #13:

It is MD Anderson's expectations that respondents will provide comments and requested changes to the draft agreement in the RFQ response.

#### Question #14:

Is there a separate HUB goal for professional services required for the RFQ.

#### **Answer #14:**

No.

#### Ouestion #15:

Can you confirm that the following items are duplicated questions and only need to be responded to 1 time based on the page count stated. Items 3.2.8 and 3.6.5, items 3.6.9 and 3.6.10, items 3.9.7 and 3.1.3.

#### **Answer #15:**

Disregard questions 3.6.5, 3.6.10 & 3.9.7.

### **Ouestion #16**:

In reference to question 3.5.1 in the RFQ, due to the nature of this project as a urban hotel renovation and addition, would it be acceptable to respond with representative projects on active campuses under continuous operation?

#### **Answer #16:**

Yes.

## **Question #17:**

Will a geotechnical report be provided for this project or will it be required to by the awarded team for their scope of work?

## **Answer # 17:**

See response #3. The DB hired geotechnical engineer will be responsible for the investigation and generation of the report.

#### Ouestion #18:

Please confirm that 3.6.5 and 3.2.8 are duplicate questions. Can we remove one of the questions from the response?

#### **Answer #18:**

See response to answer #15.

END OF REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION