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# Request for Quotation

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### GENERAL TERMS & CONDITIONS REQUEST FOR QUOTATION (RFQ) AND REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)

- 1. Awards will be made in the best interest of the State of West Virginia.
- 2. The State may accept or reject in part, or in whole, any bid.
- 3. All quotations are governed by the West Virginia Code and the Legislative Rules of the Purchasing Division.
- 4, Prior to any award, the apparent successful vendor must be properly registered with the Purchasing Division and have paid the required \$125 fee.
- 5. All services performed or goods delivered under State Purchase Order/Contracts are to be continued for the term of the Purchase Order/Contracts, contingent upon funds being appropriated by the Legislature or otherwise being made available. In the event funds are not appropriated or otherwise available for these services or goods, this Purchase Order/Contract becomes void and of no effect after June 30.
- 6. Payment may only be made after the delivery and acceptance of goods or services.
- 7. Interest may be paid for late payment in accordance with the West Virginia Code.
- 8. Vendor preference will be granted upon written request in accordance with the West Virginia Code.
- 9. The State of West Virginia is exempt from federal and state taxes and will not pay or reimburse such taxes.
- 10. The Director of Purchasing may cancel any Purchase Order/Contract upon 30 days written notice to the seller.
- 11. The laws of the State of West Virginia and the *Legislative Rules* of the Purchasing Division shall govern all rights and duties under the Contract, including without limitation the validity of this Purchase Order/Contract.
- 12. Any reference to automatic renewal is hereby deleted. The Contract may be renewed only upon mutual written agreement of the parties.
- 13. BANKRUPTCY: In the event the vendor/contractor files for bankruptcy protection, this Contract may be deemed null and void, and terminated without further order.
- 14. HIPAA BUSINESS ASSOCIATE ADDENDUM: The West Virginia State Government HIPAA Business Associate Addendum (BAA), approved by the Attorney General, and available online at the Purchasing Division's web site (http://www.state.wv.us/admin/purchase/vrc/hipaa.htm) is hereby made part of the agreement. Provided that, the Agency meets the definition of a Cover Entity (45 CFR §160.103) and will be disclosing Protected Health Information (45 CFR §160.103) to the vendor.
- 15. WEST VIRGINIA ALCOHOL & DRUG-FREE WORKPLACE ACT: If this Contract constitutes a public improvement construction contract as set forth in Article 1D, Chapter 21 of the West Virginia Code ("The West Virginia Alcohol and Drug-Free Workplace Act"), then the following language shall hereby become part of this Contract: "The contractor and its subcontractors shall implement and maintain a written drug-free workplace policy in compliance with the West Virginia Alcohol and Drug-Free Workplace Act, as set forth in Article 1D, Chapter 21 of the West Virginia Code. The contractor and its subcontractors shall provide a sworn statement in writing, under the penalties of perjury, that they maintain a valid drug-free work place policy in compliance with the West Virginia and Drug-Free Workplace Act. It is understood and agreed that this Contract shall be cancelled by the awarding authority if the Contractor: 1) Fails to implement its drug-free workplace policy; 2) Fails to provide information regarding implementation of the contractor's drug-free workplace policy at the request of the public authority; or 3) Provides to the public authority false information regarding the contractor's drug-free workplace policy."

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS**

- 1. Use the quotation forms provided by the Purchasing Division.
- 2. SPECIFICATIONS: Items offered must be in compliance with the specifications. Any deviation from the specifications must be clearly indicated by the bidder. Alternates offered by the bidder as EQUAL to the specifications must be clearly defined. A bidder offering an alternate should attach complete specifications and literature to the bid. The Purchasing Division may waive minor deviations to specifications.
- 3. Complete all sections of the quotation form.
- 4. Unit prices shall prevail in case of discrepancy.
- 5. All quotations are considered F.O.B. destination unless alternate shipping terms are clearly identified in the quotation.
- 6. BID SUBMISSION: All quotations must be delivered by the bidder to the office listed below prior to the date and time of the bid opening. Failure of the bidder to deliver the quotations on time will result in bid disqualifications: Department of Administration, Purchasing Division, 2019 Washington Street East, P.O. Box 50130, Charleston, WV 25305-0130

#### ADDENDUM NO. 3

To: All Attendees of the December 8, 2008 Prebid Meeting for the Replacement of Timber Crossties on the South Branch Valley Railroad

From: John Philbrick, Superintendent

Date: December 16, 2008

RE: Addendum #3 to RFQ #RMA900020 - Replacement of Crossties on SBVR

Any items not specifically addressed in this addendum remain the same as stated in the original RFQ.

- 1. Track Time: Contractor may start at 7:00 am Monday through Friday with the understanding that it will be necessary to clear up one time per day for a train. Weekends are normally available for work without interruption. The exception would be a unit train which must be moved promptly due to service commitments.
- 2. Ballast: SBVR will be responsible for placing ballast as needed for the project. It will be placed on the shoulders where it can be pulled in by the contractor.
- 3. Switch Ties: The north switch at Grace Cabin needs all the switch ties replaced. It is a No. 8 turnout. This item was not in the original RFQ. The contractor will be responsible for providing these ties. They will be 7" X 9" ties of the appropriate lengths per AREMA specifications, mixed hardwoods and oak, creosote pressure treated to 7# or refusal and 100% end plated.
- 4. Gaging: A total of 3,500 ties near the ties that are replaced will be respiked to proper gage. The ties to be regaged will be marked in the field.
- 5. ROW Information: The track charts provided at the prebid meeting show the locations of all bridges, turnouts, public crossings and private crossings. They also indicate track curvature.
- 6. Distribution and Collection of Materials: Except for ballast, the contractor is responsible for getting materials to the job site and gathering up materials removed during the project. The work train is offered as an option for this work. Conditions in the original RFQ apply. A list showing the distribution of ties to be replaced by milepost is attached (Attachment A).

- 7. Stone Retaining Wall at MP 11.4: Crossties being replaced along this wall will require special handling due to the limited work space and the ties being anchored to timbers alongside the track.
- 8. Ballast Section: Cribs will be filled to top of ties but not over the ties. Minimum 6" shoulder on tangents and inside of curves, minimum 12" shoulder on outside of curves.
- 9. Spiking Pattern: Diagram attached (Attachment B).
- 10. Rail Size: MP 0 1.6 is 132 Jtd., MP 1.6 3.9 is 133 CWR, MP 3.9 5.3 is 132 CWR, MP 5.3 7.0 is 133 CWR, MP 7.0 8.7 is 132 CWR and MP 8.7 13.3 is 133 CWR
- 11. Superelevation: All curves 2 degrees or greater but less than 8 degrees have ½" elevation. Curves that are 8 degrees or sharper have 1" elevation.
- 12. Prebid Sign-In Sheet: Previously provided Addendum No. 2.
- 13. Bidding Instructions: For bidding purposes, the contractor is to give a unit cost for each item listed below. Low bid will be determined by the lowest total amount for all unit costs multiplied by the quantities as listed below:

Switch Tie Replacement
One No. 8 Switch (AREMA spec) x unit cost \$ = \$
Crosstie Replacement
7,000 ties x unit cost \$ per tie = \$
Gaging of Respiked Ties
3,500 ties x unit cost \$ per tie = \$
Surfacing/Ballast Regulation
13.3 miles x 5,280 feet/mile x unit cost \$ per track foot = \$
Total of All Items = \$

## Attachment A

#### Approximate Distribution of Ties to be Replaced on SBVR

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1-2	401
2 - 4	1102
4 - 6	729
6-7	398
7 - 8	505
8 - 9	572
9 - 10	374
10 - 11	530
11 - 12	606
12 - 13	809
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#### Attachment B

# SPIKING PATTERN "A"

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