

**ADDENDUM**

Addendum No. 1

Owner: City of Owosso  
Project: Open Cut Emergency Water Service Line Replacement  
Engineer: City of Owosso

**NOTICE TO ALL PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS**

BIDS DUE: September 3, 2024 at 3pm

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This Addendum is a part of the Contract Documents and modifies the previously issued Bidding Documents. Acknowledge receipt of this Addendum in the space provided on the "*Signature Page and Legal Status*" section of the Bid Proposal. Failure to do so may result in rejection of the Bid.

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Add "Open Cut Emergency Water Service Line Replacement Questions" to the Contract Documents.

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## Open Cut Emergency Water Service Line Replacement Questions

- Q: Will any other methods of replacement be allowed? (Horizontal boring, pulling)
- A: The city has an additional bid posted for Trenchless Emergency Water Service Line Replacement. For this bid, other replacement methods would be allowed.
- Q: Will time be allotted on each replacement for regular miss digs to be called or will everyone be considered emergency work needing emergency miss digs?
- A: All replacements will be considered emergency work requiring emergency MissDig tickets.
- Q: The RFP states on page 30 that the contractor will be notified then will need to commence in the replacement within 24 to 36 hours, then on page 36 it states within 24 hours. Can you please confirm which is correct?
- A: The contractor shall respond to and perform the water service line replacement within **24-36** hours of notification.
- Q: Can you clarify on exactly what time frame will be given upon being notified?
- A: The contractor shall respond to and perform the water service line replacement within **24-36** hours of notification.
- Q: Page 24 states that contractor will be responsible for MDOT permits to work along M-71, M-52, and M-21. How will this be handled on an emergency case basis? As time to obtain these permits will be needed, then once received a 5-day notice must be submitted.
- A: The contractor can work under the city's annual MDOT permit. The city will assist with submitting the advanced notice to MDOT for this work.
- Q: Will contractor be able to work under the city's emergency work permit thru MDOT?
- A: The contractor can work under the city's annual MDOT permit. The city will assist with submitting the advanced notice to MDOT for this work.
- Q: Given the timeframe to replace the lines and if needed due to this, will a licensed plumber be allowed to complete interior reconnection then obtain a permit?
- A: The licensed plumber shall obtain a permit as soon as reasonability possible. Final plumbing inspections will be scheduled based on the availability of the city's plumbing inspector.
- Q: Will there be multiple replacements being done per call or is it anticipated that only one will be done per call?
- A: It is anticipated that only one replacement will be done per call out.