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**A D D E N D U M 2**

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**DATE:** November 15, 2024  
**TO:** All Contractors  
**FROM:** Brian Bowers  
Purchasing Agent  
**RE:** Invitation to Bid #24-1205  
Wisp Mountain Storage Tank

Please note the following clarifications to Invitation to Bid #24-1205 Wisp Mountain Storage Tank resulting from questions from interested contractors:

1. How does the County propose to address hard rock excavation? Can you add a separate line on the price form?

Answer: Concerning rock excavation, borings have not indicated the presence of rock of a hardness requiring extraordinary effort for removal. Contractors should anticipate an occasional large rock within excavations and along trenching alignments and adjust their pricing for bid items accordingly. In addition to the Triad Engineering Report of Geotechnical Investigation included in the specification book, boring logs and a report excerpt from the investigation for Adventure Sports Center is available on the SharePoint site set-up for this project. The report can be found under the Addendum 2 folder. The boring locations are shown on the drawings. SharePoint site login credentials are the same used to download a copy of the specification book and construction drawings.

2. Are there any more details available for the electrical service? Do we know where the transformer is that we need to tie into? Where will the service go? Are there any components on the tank that need to be powered?

Answer: An electrical service drawing is included on the SharePoint site set-up for this project. The drawing can be found under the Addendum 2 folder. SharePoint site login credentials are the same used to download a copy of the specification book and construction drawings.

3. The scope of work on the invitation page mentions a mixing system but there is nothing in the drawings or specs that show it. Is the mixing system a part of this project?

Answer: Yes, additional information related to the mixing system can be found on the SharePoint site set-up for this project. The additional information and specifications

for the mixing system can be found under the Addendum 2 folder. SharePoint site login credentials are the same used to download a copy of the specification book and construction drawings.

4. Would an epoxy coated metal tank be an acceptable alternate to precast.

Answer: Unfortunately, no.

Please acknowledge receipt of Addendum 2 by initialing the appropriate section on the *Signature to Bids* page and all other applicable areas of the bid package.