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ADDENDUM # 1

Contract Number: DN01151
TIP Number: SM-6114D
Federal Aid Number: State Funded
WBS Number: 51306
County: Cherokee And Swain
Description: ITS At Three Locations Around The Nantahala Gorge Corridor in Cherokee and Swain Counties

Letting Date: August 25, 2026

Plan Holders

Content Summary: Question & Answer

A bidder has made the following request, and the Department has provided the corresponding response:

Bidder Request: There is no reference to fiber optic cable in the line items, but it is listed in the proposal document (please see Section S DMS/DMS Controller Interconnect on PDF Pg 115/149 of the proposal doc). Does NCDOT want the bidders to build the cost of the FO connections into a pay item, or will there be a modification to the project itemized proposal to include FO pay items. Please advise.

Department Response: The bidder should include the cost of the fiber optic connection in the existing Dynamic Message Sign (Type 2C) – Each pay item.

The Measurement and Payment section for the DMS states that the Type 2C pay item includes the communications cable between the controller cabinet and the DMS enclosure, along with connectors, labor, transportation, incidentals, and all other equipment necessary to furnish and install the DMS system.

Additionally, Section 4.2(S), DMS/DMS Controller Interconnect, states that the Contractor shall “furnish and install all necessary cabling, conduit, and terminal blocks” and specifically requires fiber-optic cable to interconnect the sign and controller.

Based on these requirements, no modification to the project's itemized proposal is necessary. Please advise the bidder to include the cost of the fiber optic connection in the existing Dynamic Message Sign (Type 2C) – Each pay item.

These revisions do not change bid items or the associated quantities.

There is no ebsx addenda file associated with this addendum.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

If you have any questions, please contact the Division Proposal Engineer at (828) 331-5200.

Sincerely,

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