

LAWN CARE SERVICES AT THE NEW YORK STATE FAIRGROUNDS

IFB #0199

Addendum 1

Issued January 17, 2019

Questions and Answers

**Please note that the questions that follow are taken directly from the emails received by the Department.*

1. Is there a secure place on Site to store equipment & supplies?
No, the IFB does not include the permanent storage of equipment on the grounds for the life of the contract.
2. Are hill between parking lots to be trimmed or cut as some look like they were not cut?
No, the maintenance of the hills between the Pink and the Brown parking lots are not included in this IFB.
3. Is the tree trimming or pruning of small trees what is considered small trees? Also vines and over growth along fence lines?
Per section 2.2 of the IFB, “the contractor will prune and trim small trees, ornamental plantings, including all shrubs, and remove debris to a specified location on the Fairgrounds. The contractor will trim and shape all shrubbery, prune dead branches from small trees and ornamental plantings, and remove “sucker shoots” from all deciduous trees.” For purposes of this solicitation, a small tree is any tree under six (6) feet in height. Vines and over growth along fence lines are not included in this IFB.
4. Who was the last contractor? Contract Tabulation or Amount of contract? Contract Number?
**Contractor: John A. Fatcheric II
Contract Number: C300299
Amount of Contract: \$268,250.00
Contract Term: 04/01/2014 – 03/31/2019**
5. Why is the Prevailing Wage In Article 8 (Construction) and not Article 9 (Building Services) Landscape Maintenance? and if Article 8 is correct is it under Laborer-Building 633-bON or a different job classification- Tag #?
Section 5.4 of the IFB has been amended (See Addendum 2 – Amendment). Work being bid is subject to the prevailing wage rate provisions of New York State Labor Law Article 8 Sections 220-223 and Article 9 Sections 230-239. The selected contractor shall comply with the prevailing wage rates set forth in PRC# 2019900098 (Lawn Mowing Services) available online at <https://applications.labor.ny.gov/wpp/publicViewProject.do?method=showIt&id=1466821> (click on tab labeled “Wage Schedule” to access the prevailing wage schedule for this solicitation) and PRC# 2019000562 (Tree Trimming, Pruning, Shaping – applies to services rendered pursuant to Section 2.2(B) of the IFB) available online at <https://applications.labor.ny.gov/wpp/publicViewProject.do?method=showIt&id=1471479> (click on tab labeled “Wage Schedule” to access the prevailing wage schedule for this solicitation).