

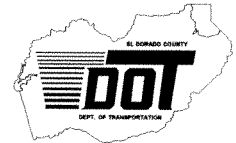


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DATE: August 30, 2012

TO: All Prospective Bidders

SUBJECT: **Response to Bidders' Inquiries No. 5**
Placerville Airport – Habitat/Security Fence and Gates Project
Contract No. PW 11-30584, CIP No. 93124

ITEM NO.	LOCATION, PAGE OR DRAWING NO.	QUESTION/ANSWER
5.01.	Notice to Bidders page 1 and cover sheet of Bid Book	<p>Question: Is there any chance of moving the bid date out another week or so?</p> <p>Answer: No, our funding deadlines will not allow for an extension of the bid period.</p>
5.02.	RTBI No.4 item 4.03 Division II – DBE Section I pages 1 and 4 Addendum No.1 Proposal P-21	<p>Question: 1) I have contacted DOT and there is no longer 'UDBE' that being said are we looking for DBE? 2) Also on questions 4 you have a number to call the MBDA agency they only list MBE. I guess I can say I'm a little confused what exactly you are requesting for good faith effort.</p> <p>Answer: 1) The County of El Dorado has received approval of its UDBE goal for the project from FAA for Federal Fiscal Year 2011-2012. Therefore the contract goal is for UDBEs.</p> <p>2) Your question in which our response was to contact MBDA was asking how to find out what publications to use for advertisement for UDBE bids, not for a listing of UDBEs.</p> <p>Page 1 of Section I Division II-DBE of the Bid Book has the website for the listing of DBEs and defines UDBE.</p> <p>The requirements to demonstrate a good faith effort are included in Page 4 of Section I Division II- DBE and are repeated in the Exhibit H – UDBE Information – Good Faith Efforts in the Proposal.</p>

Holders who have already mailed their proposal can contact Janel Gifford at (email:

Janel.Gifford@edcgov.us) to arrange return of their proposal.

Inform all suppliers and subcontractors as necessary.

The DOT is only sending this Response to Bidders' Inquiries by posting on the following website: <http://www.edcgov.us/Government/DOT/Bids.aspx>.

Responses to bidder inquiries, unless incorporated into formal addenda to the contract, are not a part of the contract, and are provided for the bidder's convenience only. In some instances, the question and answer may represent a summary of the matters discussed rather than a word-for-word recitation. The availability or use of information provided in the responses to bidder inquiries is not to be construed in any way as a waiver of the provisions of the contract documents or the plans, nor to excuse the contractor from full compliance with those contract requirements. Bidders are cautioned that subsequent responses or contract addenda may affect or vary a response previously given.

Sincerely,



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