

December 4, 2009  
Subject: Gulf of Maine Research Institute Pier Replacement  
**Amendment No. 3**

Dear Bidders:

In the Bid Book, REMOVE Section "00300 Contractor's Bid Form" and REPLACE with the attached Section "00300 Contractor's Bid Form".

Note that the Unit Price Schedule in the Amendment 3 Contractor's Bid Form is modified to include additional Pay Items and includes a Bid Deduct item. The amount of the Bid Deduct item is the difference in price for purchasing and installing a A252, Grade 3, spiral welded pipe pile in place of the specified seamless or straight seam piles. The price is inclusive of coating, splicing, and filling with concrete.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D O'Connor", written over a light gray dotted rectangular background.

Dan O'Connor, PE  
Project Manager  
Appledore Marine Engineering

**SECTION 00300 – CONTRACTOR’S BID FORM**

Project Identification: Gulf of Maine Research Institute Pier Replacement  
Portland, Maine

This bid submitted to:  
Don Perkins  
Gulf of Maine Research Institute  
350 Commercial Street  
Portland, ME 04101

1. The undersigned as BIDDER proposes and agrees, if this Bid is accepted, to enter into an agreement with OWNER in the form included in the Contract Documents for the contract Price and within the Contract Time indicated in the Special Conditions and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Contract Documents.
2. BIDDER accepts all of the terms and conditions of the Invitation to Bid and Instructions to Bidders, including but not limited to the Special Conditions and all documents referenced therein. This Bid will remain subject to acceptance for thirty (60) days after the day of Bid opening. BIDDER will sign and submit the Agreement within seven (7) days after the date of OWNER'S Notice of Award.
3. In submitting this Bid, BIDDER represents, as more fully set forth in the Agreement, that:
  - a) BIDDER has examined copies of all the Bidding Documents and the following Addenda (receipt of all which is hereby acknowledged):

Date

Number

- b) BIDDER has familiarized itself with the nature and extent of the Contract Documents, Work, Site Locality, Owner Furnished Materials and all local conditions and Laws and Regulations that in any manner may affect cost, progress, performance, or furnishing of the Work.
    - c) BIDDER has reviewed and checked all information and data shown or indicated in the Contract Documents with respect to existing structures at or contiguous to the site and assumes responsibility for the accurate location of said structure. No additional examinations, investigations, explorations, tests, reports, or similar information or data in respect of said structure are or will be required by BIDDER in order to perform and furnish the work at the Contract Price, within the Contract Time and in accordance with the other terms and conditions of the Contract Documents, including specifically the provisions of paragraph 4.03 of the General Conditions.
    - d) BIDDER has correlated the results of all such observations, examinations, investigations, explorations, tests, reports and studies with the terms and conditions of the Contract Documents.
    - e) BIDDER has given ENGINEER written notice of all conflicts, errors, or discrepancies that it has discovered in the Contract Documents and the written resolution thereof by ENGINEER is acceptable to BIDDER.

- f) This Bid is genuine and not made in the interest of or on behalf of any undisclosed person, firm or corporation and is not submitted in conformity with any agreement or rules of any group, association organization or corporation; BIDDER has not directly or indirectly included or solicited any other Bidder to submit a false or sham Bid; BIDDER has not solicited or induced any person, firm or corporation to refrain from bidding; and Owner reserves the right to waive any and all informalities in the best interests of the Owner.

**CONTRACTOR'S BID FORM**

Proposal of:

\_\_\_\_\_

Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

To furnish all materials and to do and perform all work in accordance with the plans and specifications on which bids shall be submitted in a sealed envelope marked "Gulf of Maine Research Institute Pier Replacement" and delivered to Don Perkins, Gulf of Maine Research Institute, 350 Commercial Street, Portland, ME 04101 no later than 4:00 P.M., on December 10, 2009.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the advertisement of the Gulf of Maine Research Institute inviting bids for the project hereinbefore named, and in conformity with the plans and specifications on file at Xpress Copy, 144 Fore Street, Portland, Maine telephone: 207-775-2444. I/WE hereby certify that I AM/WE ARE the only person or persons interested in this bid as principals; that it is made without collusion with any person, firm or corporation, that an examination has been made of the plans and specifications and of the site of the work, and proposed to furnish all necessary machinery, equipment, tools and labor, and to furnish all materials specified in the manner and at the time prescribed at the following prices:

**BASE BID TOTAL \$**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Numerical

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Written Word Amount

**BID DEDUCT TOTAL \$**

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Numerical

\$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Written Word Amount

**UNIT PRICE SCHEDULE**

Pay Item	Description	Estimated Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Amount
<b>Base Bid - Pier Replacement</b>					
1-1	Mobilization/Demobilization	1	Job	LS	\$_____
1-2	Remove and dispose of existing pier including utilities and stub piles. Excavate behind bulkhead. Remove and store floating dock and gangway.	1	Job	LS	\$_____
1-3	Install coated, concrete filled, seamless or straight seam welded pipe piles.	1	Job	LS	\$_____
1-4	Install concrete caps, concrete lagging panels, concrete deck and topping.	1	Job	LS	\$_____
1-5	Install handrail, curbing, utilities, floating dock, gangway platform, pile anodes, and gangway.	1	Job	LS	\$_____
<b>BASE BID TOTAL FIXED SUM:</b>					\$_____

Pay Item	Description	Estimated Quantity	Unit	Unit Price	Amount
<b>Bid Deduct - Pier Replacement</b>					
1-1	Difference in price between Base Bid Item 1-3 and the installation of coated, concrete filled, spiral welded pipe piles per ASTM 252, Grade 3.	1	Job	LS	\$_____
<b>BID DEDUCT TOTAL FIXED SUM:</b>					\$_____

1. BIDDER agrees that the Work will be substantially complete and ready for final payment on or before the dates indicated in the Special Conditions.

2. Communications concerning this Bid shall be addressed to the Bidder indicated below:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. The terms used in this Bid, which are defined in the General Conditions of the Construction Contract, must have the meaning assigned to them in the General Conditions.

SUBMITTED on \_\_\_\_\_, 2009

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Corporation Name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(State of Incorporation)

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Person Authorized to Sign)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Title)

Corporate Seal

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Secretary)

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_