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**ADDENDUM No. 1**

**Sealed Bid # 10-5514  
Annual Contract  
Catch Basin Cleaning and Mapping**

**DATE: August 5, 2010**

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The following addendum hereby amends and/or modifies the Proposal Documents and specifications as originally issued for this project. All proposers are subject to the provisions of this Addendum.

**Proposers shall acknowledge receipt of this addendum.**

Include this original form inside your proposal package.

**This Addendum consists of:**

- **Questions submitted in writing**

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**All bids must be received before 12:00 (noon) by the Bid Opening date. Bids shall be delivered to Cobb County Purchasing Department, 1772 County Services Parkway, Marietta, GA 30008.**

**Electronic / faxed bid response will not be considered.**

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**I acknowledge that I have received Addendum No. 1**

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Company Name

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Signature

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Date Sent to Purchasing

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Please Print Name

Please sign, date, and return this form ONLY to:  
Cobb County Purchasing Department  
Fax #: 770-528-1154  
E-Mail: [purchasing@cobbcounty.org](mailto:purchasing@cobbcounty.org)

Please note: The deadline for questions is: August 3, 2010 by 5:00 pm  
Any questions received after this deadline will not be considered.

**Addendum 1**  
**Cobb County Sealed Bid # 10-5514**  
**Annual Contract**  
**Catch Basin Cleaning and Mapping**

Questions Submitted in Writing

1. Please let me know where I can obtain copy of Cobb County GIS plans. We need to be able to see where the county begins and ends.  
**GIS maps are available on the Cobb County web site. [www.cobbcounty.org](http://www.cobbcounty.org)**
2. Will a bid bond be required? If so, what percentage of the bid amount shall be used?  
**No, a Bid Bond is not required.**
3. Will a performance and payment bond be required?  
**No, Payment and Performance bonds are not required**
4. Are the catch basin/curb inlets that are to be cleaned all within the right of way of an existing county roadway?  
**Yes, all catch basins are on road right of way.**
5. Approximately how many of these structures are within the roadway itself and will require some type of lane closure or flagging station set up to perform the work?  
**Lane closure permits will only be required on major roadways. Local (subdivision roads) roads will not require lane closure permits.**
6. Approximately how many are located within subdivision streets vs. a heavily traveled thoroughfare?  
**The majority will be located within subdivisions, an estimated 75% will be in subdivisions.**
7. Some of the catch basin/curb inlets are not accessible by a person or machine, how will these be handled?  
**All are located on road right of way and are accessible.**
8. Are the catch basin/curb inlets that are on state routes running through Cobb County going to be included in this contract?  
**No state or municipality catch basins are included. Only catch basins located in unincorporated Cobb County.**
9. Some of the catch basin/curb inlets have concrete in them that has been dumped or poured in there wet after their initial installation(i.e. concrete truck washed out in it). Will this concrete need to be removed if it is not blocking any of the laterals? In other words, a jack hammer will be needed to remove the concrete?  
**All catch basins will be cleaned of all concrete, debris, and any other foreign matter**

10. If the catch basin/curb inlets are filled with water and have no way to drain and the structure downstream is clogged, how will cleaning these structures be handled?  
**Notify Cobb County Department of Transportation Road Maintenance Division at 770-528-3666 to request assistance unstopping pipe.**
11. How are work orders going to be dispatched out? Will they be so many per zone? (i.e. 100 in zone 4), instead of 10 from zone 1, 5 from zone 2, 30 from zone 3)? To maximize production, they need to be issued per zone and not split up.  
**Catch Basin cleaning will be divided into four (4) districts. Successful bidder will submit a schedule.**
12. Will the entire annual contract be issued to the lowest, responsive, successful bidder?  
**Yes**
13. Approx how many of the catch basin now have the plastic ring & cover or no access at all? It has been our experience in the past that some of the plastic ring & covers have to be demoed out in order to access the catch basin. That being the case, a new top with a metal ring & cover will need to be installed. How will this be paid for if encountered?  
**At this time we do not have the number of plastic ring and covers nor the number of inaccessible catch basins.**
14. Are you requesting Survey grade or Mapping grade GPS location of the catch basins?  
**GPS Locations**
15. Is there a current or previous contract for this work? If so, is there a bid tabulation available? Are the catch basins currently being maintained under a contract with an outside vendor or in-house?  
**This contract is new and there is no previous contract. Catch Basins are currently being maintained by Cobb County DOT Road Maintenance staff.**
16. Will all 30000 units be completed under this contract and when will the contract approximately start and end?  
**Contract and total units will be approved by Cobb County Board of Commissioners. Start and end date will be determined upon approval of BOC.**
17. Can you please give more detail into what will be required for the “as-builts” to be completed by the contractor?  
**“As Builts” will include invert elevation, all pipe sizes, condition of structure ( good, fair, poor, hazardous). Pipe material i.e. CMP or RCP. Any repairs needed, grouting, sealing pipes or any other identifiable maintenance required. Road Maintenance will make repairs. This contract only includes cleaning & mapping.**