STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

BRIDGE WASHING
42997

March 6, 2020

ADDENDUM NO. 1

Bidders are hereby made aware of the Questions asked and the Responses given at the Pre-Bid Meeting held at 8:00 am EST on Monday, March 2, 2020, at the John O. Morton Building, Room 112 (NHDOT; 7 Hazen Drive; Concord, NH):

**Question:** How often will the Section Contact be on site? The Contractor may need to dump material defined in the Proposal at a Department pit two to three times a day as outlined in the Proposal.

**Response:** The Contractor will coordinate with the Section Contact daily to ensure contract provisions are met. When the Department performs operations like this the workers will load a dump truck with material from the sweeper as it fills up and empty the truck once a day or as needed.

**Question:** Can I talk to one of your Bridge Maintenance Crew Superintendents who has done this work prior to submitting a bid for this Proposal?

**Response:** No. The Contractor is expected to submit their bids based on the Proposal as amended.

**Question:** Have all the bridges been washed in the last year?

**Response:** Not all the bridges in this Proposal were washed in the last year. Most of the bridges contained in this Proposal were washed in the last two years.

**Question:** Will a Proposal for bridge washing be released next year?

**Response:** The Bureau of Bridge Maintenance has dedicated funding for bridge washing contracts for this fiscal year (State Fiscal Year 2020) and next fiscal year (State Fiscal Year 2021). We do not know if there will be funding beyond these timeframes.

**Question:** Did any Contractors attend the Pre-Bid Meeting held for Bridge Washing 42939?

**Response:** Two contractors attended the Bridge Washing 42939 Pre-Bid meeting. One contractor attended the Bridge Washing 42997 Pre-Bid Meeting.
Bidders are hereby advised to make the following revisions to the Proposal:

1. **Insert**, on page 8, in the *Prosecution of Work*, into the General subsection of the Construction Requirements section the following note:

   10A. The Contractor shall wash the entire length of the washable bridge expansion joints, not just the five feet adjacent to the curb line. This washing shall remove all sand and other debris down to the expansion joint gland. Washable expansion joints include, but are not limited to, strip seals, compression seals, and finger joints. The number of joints to be washed on each bridge are shown on the Summary of Bridge Locations table.

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**THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ACKNOWLEDGE THIS ADDENDUM ELECTRONICALLY AS PART OF THE ELECTRONIC BID**

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Date