

# ADDENDUM #1



**PROJECT:** Townsend Avenue Utility Replacements  
**BID NO:** 21-024  
**FROM:** Scott Murphy  
**DATE:** August 23, 2021

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## Questions and Answers

1. *Where would you like costs for export and disposal of trench and other spoils included on the bid form?*

**Answer:** Please include costs for export and off-site disposal of spoils in their respective line items (e.g., within manhole or pipe line items as part of the material removal).

2. *Schedule of fittings Identifier M0 calls for curb stops at the new meter pit assemblies but detail W-03 does not show them, will they be installed inside the meter pit or outside the pit with a curb box?*

**Answer:** Good catch, this is a miss on detail W-03. The curb stop requirement is mentioned in the text of the spec section though. Please include a curb stop accessible from above within the meter pit. This usually requires a street elbow downstream of the curb stop or sweeping to the opposite side of the meter pit in order to keep the sweep large enough and the curb stop operable from the surface.

3. *For the tees with gate valves on the branch can we still use MJ x FLG tees and MJ x FLG gate valves or do you prefer MJ x MJ or MJ x SWIVEL tees?*

**Answer:** All three of these configurations are acceptable so long as connections at the fittings and valves are restrained.

4. *Can fusible C-900 or HDPE pipe be used in place of the Certa-Lok pipe? Currently Certa-Lok has an extremely long lead time.*

**Answer:** Yes – the City is open to use of these alternate materials so long as they are approved for the application by the manufacturer and NSF-61 certified for drinking water use. Outside diameters shall be DIPS unless approved otherwise. HDPE may transition back to PVC using butt-welded mechanical joint adapters. HDPE pipe shall be DR-11, PE4710 resin.

## Clarifications and Additions

1. None this addendum

## Plan Revisions

1. There were some typographical and auto-correct errors on the project bid form. Corrections are as follows:
  - Line Item 2 (Removal and Disposal of Asphalt Mat): Keyed note € should read (e)
  - Line Item 49 (Contingency): Keyed note (e) should read (d)
  - Keyed notes D and E are out of order at the bottom of the bid form but refer to the correct items

**Acknowledgement in Receipt of Addendum**

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