ISSUANCE DATE: February 21, 2013

The proposed Contract Documents for this Work are modified as follows:

I. DRAWINGS:
There are significant changes to diagrammatic routes shown on all Base Bids. Final routing for bidding purposes shall be flagged in field by Owner no later than March 3, 2013.

II. PROJECT MANUAL/SPECIFICATIONS/GENERAL CONDITIONS/ETC.:
Supplementary Instructions To Bidders: Remove all references to length in the base bid descriptions. Length of the trail shall be as staked in field after March 3, 2013.

Bid Form: Paragraph 6: “References” may be struck out.

Section 02 90 00 Part 1, Paragraph 1.2 Project Summary: Delete Sub-paragraph E.
Section 02 90 00 Part 1, Paragraph 1.4 Contractor Qualifications: Replace entire Paragraph with the following:

1.4 CONTRACTOR QUALIFICATIONS
A. The Peoria Park District wishes to build a trail that is sustainable (low maintenance, low erosion), provides visual interest, and provides a permanent hiking connection between its various bluff properties. Before beginning work, contractor must become familiar with USFS trail construction details in order to properly construct them in the field. Contractor’s learning curve should be reflected in bid price, as lack of experience in trailbuilding shall not be used as an excuse for failure to properly construct trail or adapt standard details to field situations.
B. Equipment: Contractor must own or have ready access to proper trailbuilding equipment. Motorized equipment must have a total width (including blade and outside of track to outside off track) of no greater than the trailbed width, which is 60”, or five feet.

III. INVITATION TO BID:
The Bidding period has been extended. Bids will be received until Thursday, March 14, 2013 at 1:30 p.m.