

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT ST. MARY'S COLLEGE OF MARYLAND			PAGE 1 OF PAGES 5	
1. AMENDMENT NO. 1	2. EFFECTIVE DATE: 12/21/2022	3. REQUISITION NO.	4A. TITLE Goodpaster Hall Laboratory Renovations	4B. PROJECT NO.
5. ISSUED BY St. Mary's College of Maryland 18952 E. Fisher Road St. Mary's City, MD 20686-3001		6. NAME, PHONE AND FAX NUMBER AND EMAIL ADDRESS OF ISSUER: Patrick G. Hunt, Procurement Officer Ph: 240-895-4307 Fax: 240-895-4916 Email: pghunt@smcm.edu		
7. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (no. street, country, state, and ZIP Code)		X	8A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO. IFB No. 28614	
			8B. DATED: December 9, 2022	
			9A. MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT/ORDER NO. 9B. DATED :	
10. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS				
<p>The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 13. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offers is not changed. Offers must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended, by one of the following methods:</p> <p>(a) By completing Items 7 and 14 and returning one copy of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment in block No. 13 of the Solicitation, Offer and Award form submitted with your proposal; or (c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by fax or email, provided each fax or email makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.</p>				
11. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATE (If required)				
12. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO MODIFICATIONS TO CONTRACTS				
13. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION				
SEE THE ATTACHED				
Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item 8A or 9A, as heretofore changed, remain unchanged and in full force and effect.				
14A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER <i>(Type or print)</i>		15A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER <i>(Type or print)</i>		
14B. CONTRACTOR/OFFEROR	14C. DATE SIGNED	15B. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE OF MARYLAND	15C. DATE SIGNED:	
_____ <i>(Signature of person authorized to sign)</i>		_____ <i>(Signature of Contracting Officer)</i>		

This Amendment No. 1 is issued to answer contractor questions:

Question 1: Please confirm the owner's anticipated schedule for this project? One location in the documents appears to indicate on-site work commencing on June 15, 2023, another seems to indicate all work is to be completed by June 15, 2023.

Answer: The solicitation requires the General Contractor to submit their own project schedule.

Question 2: See attached page from the specs, please confirm if this project is subject to the Buy American Act.

Answer: Section 5.06 of the General Conditions reads as follows:

“Only steel products made in the United States shall be used or supplied in the performance of this Contract or any subcontract thereunder. Steel products include products rolled, formed, shaped, drawn, extruded, forged, cast, fabricated or otherwise similarly processed from steel made in the United States. This requirement shall not apply if the College shall have determined that the cost of such steel products is unreasonable or inconsistent with the public interest. The provisions of this Section shall not apply where they are in conflict with any Federal or State grant, law, or regulation affecting this Contract.”

Question 3: During our site visit today, we noticed the existing flooring has been removed. However, the existing mastic/glue has not been removed. Please clarify if you anticipate the removal of this mastic prior to our start, or should we include the grinding/removing of this mastic prior to installing the new flooring?

Answer: Contractor is required to remove the mastic as part of this contract.

Question 4: Please confirm mastic referenced above does not contain asbestos.

Answer: Unknown.

Question 5: Please confirm there are only 3 addendums to date. A subcontractor indicated maybe there are also amendments as well as other questions and answers that apply to this project. Our understanding for this current solicitation is there are 3 addendums.

Answer: The solicitation package contains all previous addendums and answers all questions received to date. Emarylandmarketplace.com would not allow us to amend the previous solicitation. We terminated that solicitation and created this one. As stated above, this solicitation contains the answers to all previously asked questions.