

**HAMMOND HIGH SCHOOL
RENOVATION AND ADDITION**

ADDENDUM NO. 7

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OWNER: Howard County Public School System

PROJECT: Hammond High School Renovation and Addition
Columbia, Maryland
Architect Project No. 18011

TO: All Prospective Bidders

The following changes are made a part of the Drawings and Specifications for the subject project, dated February 25, 2020. Receipt of this Addendum is to be acknowledged, in the space provided in the Bid Form. Failure to do so may subject the Bid to be considered as non-responsive.

A. REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

118. Drawing E0.01 Electrical Legend: The description for the Wireless Access Points call for each WAP to receive (2) Cat 6A cables, with wireless access devices to be OFOI "Owner Furnished, Owner Installed". The responsibility matrix shows these devices as OFCI "Owner Furnished/Contractor Installed". Please confirm if Wireless Access Points are OFOI or OFCI.

RESPONSE: Wireless Access Points shall be Owner furnished, Contractor Installed.

119. 16A Contract Package – Item #5: "Contractor to confirm operation, label, remove, secure, store, reinstall, and set up all computers and other HCPSS sanctioned technology equipment. Equipment shall be inspected and inventoried with HCPSS coordination prior to removal. Any damages to equipment shall be at the expense of the contractor."

We ask that this item be removed from the 16A Contract Package. All HCPSS computers and other sanctioned technology to be the responsibility of HCPSS IT or others. There are no devices shown on plans and no guidelines for what other equipment is considered "HCPSS sanctioned technology". This item cannot be reasonably estimated or priced by the contractor. If 16A contractor is to be responsible for this requirement, HCPSS MUST provide quantities and types of devices to be removed, reinstalled etc. for bidding purposes.

RESPONSE: Scope item remains unchanged.

120. Drawing E8.03, Demolition and Temporary Communications Riser, Note P: "Provide Cat 6A cabling to all data/voice jacks." Note T: "Provide (1) one 4-pair Cat 6 cable per voice/data jack." Please confirm if data/voice cabling is to be Cat 6 or Cat 6A.

RESPONSE: Data/Voice to be CAT 6. Wireless Access devices to be (2) CAT 6A.

121. Drawing E8.03, Demolition and Temporary Communications Riser: Note Y: "Provide New Fiber Jumpers between fiber patch panels and OFCI 48 Port PoE Switches." Note Z: "Provide Cat 6/Cat 6A patch cords between OFOI 48 Port Switches and CFCL patch panels." Please confirm

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if PoE switches are OFOI (Owner Furnished Owner Installed) or OFCI (Owner Furnished Contractor Installed).

RESPONSE: PoE switches to be Owner furnished and contractor installed.

122. Drawing UE1.1: A note on this drawing calls for fiber in 1-1/2" conduit to the MDF Room for the school sign. It is not clearly shown on the drawing where the school sign and the conduit locations are for this requirement. Please revise drawing UE1.1 to show conduit pathway from the school sign to the MDF and the location of the school sign.

RESPONSE: Refer to addendum #3 and civil drawings for sign location.

123. Will the school closures in place from 3/16/20 to 3/27/20 (as of date of this question) affect the bid due date of 3/25/20 as listed?

RESPONSE: Please reference addendum #4 for all questions relating to bid date. At this point there is no further change to the bid date. Any changes to the bid date will be announced via addendum.

B. CHANGES TO SPECIFICATIONS

- None

C. CHANGES TO DRAWINGS

- None

D. ATTACHMENTS

- None

END OF ADDENDUM NO. 7