

Eagle Marsh Top of Berm Stabilization Project

ENG2102908001

Pre-bid Meeting

June 23, 2020, 10am @ project site

Bid Date: Tuesday, July 7, bids due by 1:31 pm (see Notice to Bidders)

Contractor must be prequalified by Indiana Department of Administration in at least 1 of 3 categories listed on the Notice to Bidders (Excavation, Land Clearing/Earthmoving, or General Construction)

Bids are lump sum

Base Bid: 5000 liner feet of project install

One (1) Add alternate: Additional cost to install project all the way to the rock fill section of the berm as shown on the plans

Supplemental Unit Price: Must be included in bid, add/deduct 500 linear feet of project install

Project Goal: Project will stabilize the top of the berm to improve load support for maintenance or emergency vehicular traffic. Federal funds are being used for the project.

Schedule: Work cannot begin before August 1, substantial completion by September 15, final seeding performance check on or around October 15.

Ingress/Egress: Must maintain public access on Towpath Rd.

Staging: Parking Lot will be closed and can be used for staging area. All excavated material shall be taken off site to an appropriate location. The landfill does not have to be INDOT approved. The gravel parking lot shall be returned to pre-project conditions upon completion. Barricades shall be placed at parking lot entrance.

Work shall begin at trail head sign/bollards. Eagle Marsh staff will remove and reinstall bollards and signs at start of trail. Trail will be closed.

Rule 5 Erosion Control permit will be secured by Owner. All standard Rule 5 practices shall be used during construction. Silt fence locations (staging area and under power lines) are shown on the plans. No disturbance on sideslopes of berm, in wetlands, or outside construction area.

All equipment must be power washed prior to entering the marsh to help control invasive species. A visual inspection may be required prior to work beginning each day.

Project construction components include: Excavation -> Foundation Compaction -> Geotextile install -> Geoweb product install -> backfill/overfill -> compaction -> fill -> seed

The same type of material as specified (loam) will be used to fill and overfill geoweb product.

Permanent seeding needs to meet performance standard in specifications on/around October 15. Cost associated with any watering needed to meet the standard shall be included in the bid.

Contractor Questions

Question 1: Is there a wage scale requirement?

Answer 1: There is no wage scale requirement for this project.

Question 2: Is the contractor responsible for procuring the Rule 5 permit, and submitting NOI/NOT, or will owner perform?

Answer 2: The owner has received IDEM approval of the plan and the owner will submit the NOI/NOT.

Question 3: Is contractor responsible for Rule 5 inspections through Notice of Termination?

Answer 3: The Contractor is responsible for meeting Rule 5 requirements through the NOT. It is expected that meeting the seeding performance standards in the project specifications (Item No. 8) will qualify the site for NOT.

Question 4: Is there a mulching requirement for the Permanent Seeding areas?

Answer 4: There is not a requirement for mulching; however, the Contractor may determine that mulching will help achieve the goal of the performance standards. Any costs related to meeting the seeding performance standards shall be included in the bid.

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