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SUBJECT: Route TR 74
Project BROS-173(147)
Section 06-19116-00-BR
Shelby County
Contract No 95499
Item 111 B
March 9, 2007 Letting

TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

To clarify information it is necessary to revise the following:

Proposal- Deleted Expiration/Renewal of 404 Permits (BDE)

Prime contractors must utilize the enclosed material when preparing their bid and must include any Schedule of Prices changes in their bidding proposal. Bidders using computer-generated bids are cautioned to reflect any and all Schedule of Prices changes, if involved, into their computer programs.

Since the proposal sheets are printed back to back, bidders are cautioned to exercise care when inserting revised and/or added special provisions into their proposals.

Please call 217-782-7806 if any of the above-described material is not included in this transmittal.

Very truly yours,

Eric Harm
Interim Engineer of Design and Environment

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ted B. Walschleger' followed by a small 'P.E.'.

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EXPIRATION/RENEWAL OF 404 PERMITS (BDE)

Effective: March 2, 2007

General. The current Army Corps of Engineers 404 Permit included in this contract is set to expire on March 18, 2007. If this contract is not awarded by that date, the Department is responsible for obtaining a new permit and no work subject to a 404 permit shall be started until written notification is given by the Department of a new permit. Furthermore, no long-term lane closures will be allowed during times the work is stopped.

Work subject to the 404 permit includes: cofferdams, channel changes, channel excavation, construction haul roads, work pads, wing dams, riprap placement, bank excavation, and other similar work or activities which modify or otherwise affect waters of the United States, including stream beds, stream banks, and connected wetlands.

The new 404 permits are anticipated to be in place June 1, 2007.

Working Day Contracts. On working day contracts, no working days will be charged when the expired 404 permit affects the controlling item.

Completion Date Contracts. On completion date contracts, the completion date will be extended one day for each day beyond June 1, 2007 that expired 404 permit affects the controlling item.