OHIO TURNPIKE COMMISSION

ADDENDUM NO. 1

BID INVITATION NO. 4187 FOR FURNISHING SODIUM CHLORIDE (ROCK SALT)

OPENING DATE: 2:00 P.M. (E.D.T.), AUGUST 23, 2012

ATTENTION OF BIDDERS IS DIRECTED TO:

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS RECEIVED THROUGH 12:00 P.M., AUGUST 17, 2012

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Issued by the Ohio Turnpike Commission August 17, 2012. Authorized by Richard A. Hodges, Executive Director, and Kathleen Weiss, General Counsel.

Richard A Hooges

Date

Kathleen Weiss

Date

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS RECEIVED THROUGH 12:00 P.M., AUGUST 17, 2012:

- Q#1 Page 2b Section C: Rejection of Bids Containing Alterations, Erasure, or Irregularities: Bids may be rejected if they show any alteration of form; make any additions not called for; are made conditionally; are incomplete; or are submitted with erasures or irregularities of any kind. Bids may also be rejected as a result of mutual mistake(s) as to any material or elements of the Bid. This statement does not indicate whether or not the bid can be handwritten, can you please clarify?
- A#1 Handwritten bid submissions are acceptable.
- Q#2 On Page 5a it is asking for the unit cost per ton and the unit cost of freight per ton to be listed separately on the page provided. However, on the pricing page provided is asking for Unit Cost (includes freight per ton) Can you please clarify?
- A#2 This Addendum No. 1 corrects the Bid Form Instructions to require the Unit Cost per ton, inclusive of materials and freight. (See the attached replacement page 5a)
- Q#3 Are you able to tell me who else you are soliciting bid from?
- A#3 The Bidders mailing list is attached, however the advertisement for Bids was also published in accordance with law. Therefore, it is not an exhaustive list of the firms from with the Commission is soliciting bids.
- Q#4 Also, Page 16 notes the requirements for Contractors regarding the BWC Drug Free Safety Program. Since this Bid Invitation is not a construction project, I take from the reading that it is one which only requires proof of application to enroll in the BWC Drug Free Safety Program. Is this a specific type of form/letter that is needed to satisfy this requirement? I can't find any reference material for this from past years. Any additional information you can give me would be extremely helpful
- A#4 Enrollment in the BWC Drug Free Safety Program is preferred, but not mandatory. However, Bidders must provide evidence that they have adopted a drug free workplace safety policy that fulfills the BWC's Level 1 requirements. The BWC policy requirements are available at the following web address:

 http://www.ohiobwc.com/downloads/brochureware/publications/DFWPtechmanual.pdf
- Q#5 On page 17B and C there is verbiage about a 5% advance for an OHIO supplier that I don't recall being in your previous bids. Are we at an automatic disadvantage?
- A#5 The Buy Ohio Program policy was modified in June 2012, however, the five percent (5%) preference as set forth in the policy was unaffected by the modification.

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MODIFICATIONS TO THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS VIA ADDENDUM NO. 1

(RESPONDING FIRMS ARE ADVISED TO MAKE SURE TO UTILIZE THE ATTACHED REPLACEMENT PAGE IN THEIR BID).

The following changes are made in the Invitation to Bid:

Changes to BID FORM INSTRUCTIONS:

Deletions are shown with strikethrough text.
Additions are shown with bold italicized text

Page 5a: The fifth paragraph of the BID FORM INSTRUCTIONS is modified as follows:

Bidders shall insert in the spaces provided for each Item: (i) the unit cost of material *including* freight* (per ton); (ii) the unit cost of freight (per ton*), based upon the approximate quantity indicated for each delivery destination point; (iii) the total unit cost of materials plus freight (per ton); and (iv ii) the extended total price thereof, based on the estimated quantity

(Firm Name)	 	
(Signature)	 <u>.</u>	
(Printed Name)	 	

Receipt of Addendum No. 1, Invitation No. 4187 is hereby acknowledged:

BIDDERS MUST RETURN THE ABOVE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF ADDENDUM NO. 1 WITH THEIR BID.

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BID FORM INSTRUCTIONS

Bids are solicited herein, for the furnishing to the Commission, its requirements for sodium chloride (rock salt) to fifteen (15) locations, each of which identifies a separate delivery destination, during the term of Contract to be entered into between the Commission and the Successful Bidder. The sodium chloride to be furnished shall be strictly in accordance with the requirements of the Specifications and the other Contract Documents (unless Proposed Equals are allowed, see page 2e, Section O for instructions on Proposed Equals).

The Schedule of Prices specifies the total <u>estimated quantities</u> of rock salt to the respective delivery locations. The total estimated quantities set forth are approximate and represent the estimated requirements of the Commission during the period of Thursday, November 14, 2012 through Tuesday April 30, 2013, and are to be used only as a basis of the evaluation of Bids.

The total requirements, however, may be more or less than the total estimated quantity requirements In case of any such variance, the Commission shall be obligated to purchase seventy-five percent (75%) of the aggregate awarded sum of the Total Estimated Quantity Requirements for all delivery destinations combined in the Contract as listed on the Schedule of Prices, page 6b. The Contractor shall be obligated to supply up to one hundred thirty percent (130%) of the aggregate awarded sum of the Total Estimated Quantity Requirements for all delivery destinations combined in the Contract as listed on the Schedule of Prices, page 6b. Materials shall be delivered within ten (10) calendar days following receipt by the Contractor of a Delivery Request Order, or on the date(s) scheduled on the Delivery Request, whichever is later. Delivery request Orders shall be issued by the Division Superintendents at either Elmore or Hiram.

The Commission will apply its Domestic and Ohio Preference Policy to this Bid Invitation. However, Bidders are advised of changes to Ohio's "Buy-Ohio" law, Ohio Revised Code Section 125.11 that became effective July 1, 2011. As the result of the changes, two (2) or more bids for Ohio-produced products will no longer disqualify out-of-state bidders. Please note also the Commission's recently revised Domestic and Ohio Preference Policy pages 17b, c and d. The Commission is very interested in promoting and fostering competition for its Sodium Chloride Contracts, and will award a Contract or Contracts to the lowest responsive and responsible Bidder(s) based on what is in the best interest of the Commission.

Bidders shall insert in the spaces provided for each Item: (i) the unit cost of material *including* freight* (per ton); (ii) the unit cost of freight (per ton*), based upon the approximate quantity indicated for each delivery destination point; (iii) the total unit cost of material plus freight (per ton); and (iv ii) the extended total price thereof, based on the estimated quantity

A Bidder may submit a Bid in response to one (1) or more of the fifteen (15) Items, but must submit a Bid on material and freight for each Item. Award of Contract if any award be made, will be based on the lowest responsive and responsible Bid for each Item. If a Bidder's Bid is determined to be the lowest and best for more than one (1) Item, the Contract Award will encompass all such Items in a single Contract.

^{*}The freight cost per ton shall include dumping directly onto the ground or directly into a salt conveying/piling system, subject to demurrage. There will be no additional payment for deliveries completed via dumping directly into an Ohio Turnpike Commission owned or procured salt conveyor system

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12840 FORD DRIVE FISHERS, IN 46038 ATTN: SUSIE LOGAN SERVICES 26 MARKET STREET - #1001 YOUNGSTOWN, OH 44503 ATTN: SHIRLEY CASEY

AMERICAN MAINTENANCE

AMERICAN MERCHANDISING SVCS. 13308 EUCLID AVENUE CLEVELAND, OH 44112

AMERICAN ROCK SALI CO. LLC P O. BOX 190 MI. MORRIS, NY 14510 ATIN: JAMIE MCCLAIN

ADVANCED TURF SOLUTIONS

ARMS TRUCKING COMPANY 14818 MAYFIELD ROAD P.O. BOX 369 EAST CLARIDON, OH 44033

BUCKEYE INTERNATIONAL 4587 HINCKLEY INDUSTRIAL PKWY. CLEVELAND, OH 44109 ATTN: SEAN MARTIN CALCIUM CHLORIDE SALES INC. 713 WEST MAIN STREET GROVE CITY, PA 16127 ATTN: JAMES MCLEAN CARGILL INC DEICING TECHNOLOGY 24950 COUNTRY CLUB BLVD. SUITE 450 NORTH OLMSTED, OH 44070 ATTN: JEANNE FREDERICY

CHAS E PHIPPS COMPANY 4560 WILLOW PARKWAY CLEVELAND, OH 44125 ATTN: TRINA HYATT

ATTN: MICHAEL KING

CHEM-SALES, INC. 3860 DORR STREET TOLEDO, OH 43607 ATTN: AMOS CLAY SR CLEVELAND CENTRAL ENTERPRISES 3560 EAST 55TH STREET CLEVELAND, OH 44105 ATTN: FRANK P. MERCURIO

CORPORATE EXPRESS INC. 4170 HIGHLANDER PARKWAY RICHFIELD, OH 44286 ATTN: MARILYN BLESKI DAWNCHEM, INC 30510 LAKELAND BLVD. WILLOWICK, OH 44095 ATTN: TRISH ASHBURN DETROII SALI COMPANY 12841 SANDERS STREET DETROIT, MI 48217 ATTN: MARTHA GEYER

GREEN SWEEP INC. P O. BOX 149 MONCLOVA, OH 43542-0149 ATTN: STEVE FUZINSKI

HOME SUPPLY CENTER INC. 711 NORTH FRONT ST FREMONT, OH 43420-1998 ATTN: KYLE DARR HP PRODUCIS
4220 SAGUARO TRAIL
INDIANAPOLIS, IN 46268-4819
ATTN: SONYA WARD

INTERNATIONAL SALI COMPANY LLC 655 NORTHERN BOULEVARD CLARKS SUMMIT, PA 18411 ATTN: DANIEL P THOMPSON KLINK TRUCKING INC P.O. BOX 428 3320 W 800S ASHLEY, IN 46705 ATTN: KIMBERLY SMITH

KUHLMAN CORPORATION 1845 INDIAN WOOD CIRCLE MAUMEE, OH 43537-4072 ATTN: JOEL BERRY

LAFARGE NORTH AMERICAN 10325 STATE ROUTE 43 STREETSBORO, OH 44241 ATTN: ERIC LUDEWIG LOGICAL SERVICES, INC 4614 PROSPECT AVENUE #302 CLEVELAND, OH 44103 ATTN: LAVENIA E FERGUSON LOWE'S 1952 N. SR 53 FREMONT, OH 43420 ATTN: DERK WALKER

MONROE IRUCK EQUIPMENT, INC. 1051 WESI 7TH STREET MONROE, WI 53566 ATTN: NANCY SERAFINI MORTON SALT INC 123 N. WACKER DRIVE CHICAGO, IL 60606-1743 ATTN: EVELYN ANDERSON NORIH AMERICAN SALT COMPANY 9900 WEST 109TH STREET SUITE 600 OVERLAND PARK, KS 66210 ATTN: LINDA WINTER

PGT CONSTRUCTION INC 9900 YORK THETA DRIVE NORTH ROYALTON, OH 44133 ATTN: JULIE CUNNINGHAM PURITY CHEMICALS 114 SOUTHFIELD PARKWAY SUITE 120 FOREST PARK, GA 30297 ATTN: DAVID CALDWELL R W SIDLEY, INC 6900 MADISON ROAD THOMPSON, OH 44086 ATIN: BRAD BUESCHER RAY BERTOLINI TRUCKING COMPANY 2070 WRIGHT ROAD AKRON, OH 44320 ATTN: JOE BERTOLINI

SYNTECH PRODUCTS CORP 520 E. WOODRUFF TOLEDO, OH 43604 ATTN: TED LESLIE

UNISOURCE WORLDWIDE INC 7575 E. PLEASANT VALLEY RD INDEPENDENCE, OH 44131 ATTN: PAT MCILWEE

WITH A GRAIN OF SALT 532 GREEN STREET NEW HAVEN, IN 46774 ATTN: IODD MARTIN

S.H BELL COMPANY 2217 MICHIGAN AVENUE EAST LIVERPOOL, OH 43920 ATTN: DORIS THAYER SHEMIN NURSERIES, INC. 11245 MOSTELLER ROAD CINCINNATI, OH 45241 ATTN: NICK ALLEN

THE ACME COMPANY
9495 HARVARD BLVD
YOUNGSTOWN, OH 44512
ATTN: MARTY SUAREZ

WOLFF BROTHERS SUPPLY, INC. 6078 WOLFF ROAD MEDINA, OH 44256 ATTN: JACK CARR

CENTRAL SALT, LLC 385 AIRPORT ROAD, SUITE 108 ELGIN, IL 60123 ATTN: MS. JAIME POSS

KLINK TRUCKING INC 3320 W. 800 S. ASHLEY, IN 46705 ATTN: NELSON HEISLER SYLVESTER MATERIAL COMPANY 5648 MAIN STREET SYLVANIA, OH 43560 ATTN: MATT MEDLIN

IRUMBULL INDUSTRIES 209 PERKINS STREET AKRON, OH 44304 ATTN: FRED MILLER

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