



**OHIO TURNPIKE AND
INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION**

ADDENDUM NO. 1
ISSUED APRIL 3, 2020

**Request for Letters of Interest to Respond to a Request for Proposals
to Perform Professional Engineering Services**

**Project No. 71-20-03
Bridge Replacement
Milepost 185.6
Summit County, Ohio
ISSUED MARCH 27, 2020**

LETTER OF INTEREST DUE DATE: 5:00 P.M. (EASTERN TIME), APRIL 10, 2020

ATTENTION OF BIDDERS IS DIRECTED TO:
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS RECEIVED THROUGH 5:00 PM ON APRIL 2, 2020

Issued by the Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission through Jennifer L. Stueber, Esq., General Counsel.

Jennifer L. Stueber, Esq.,
General Counsel

Date : April 3, 2020

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS RECEIVED THROUGH 5:00 P.M. ON APRIL 2, 2020:

Q#1 Is the bridge type study prepared by OTIC available to proposers?

A#1 The bridge type study is not available to the proposers. It will be completed no earlier than May 28, 2020 and will be provided to the selected consultant at the project scoping meeting.

Q#2 Please clarify if environmental services such as ecological studies and waterway permitting are included in the Consultant's scope for this project.

A#2 Ecological studies will not be included in the Consultant's scope for this project. Waterway permitting may be included, depending upon the type of structure the Commission selects to replace the current structure.

Q#3 The scope of services includes in the RFP for this project makes mention of a 'type study completed by the Commission' that will be provided for use by the consultant chosen for the project. Is a copy of that type study available for review by consultants pursuing this project? If so, can you send that to the FTP site as well please?

A#3 See A#1.

Q#4 With respect to the subject RLOI, would it be possible for OTIC to make the record plans and the completed Structure Type Study for the bridge at MP 185.6 over Tinkers Creek available during preparation of the LOI for 71-20-03?

A#4 The record plans are available to interested consultants upon request made to purchasing@ohioturnpike.org. The bridge type study is not available to the proposers. It will be completed no earlier than May 28, 2020 and will be provided to the selected consultant at the project scoping meeting.

Q#5 Would it be possible to obtain the previous plans for the MP 185.6 Bridges over Tinkers Creek?

A#5 The record plans are available to interested consultants upon request made to purchasing@ohioturnpike.org.

Q#6 The Ohio Turnpike RFP mentions a 25% SBE goal but while we are a certified Ohio DBE we are not currently certified as a SBE. The language appears to state that DBE firms with ODOT would meet the SBE goal however, we wanted to make sure and not assume.

A#6 According to the Commission’s [Standards and Practices Manuel](#) SBE eligibility is:

“SMALL BUSINESS ENTERPRISE APPLICATION. 1. Fast Track Application. Ohio businesses with a physical presence in Ohio that are certified as a DBE through the federal Uniform Certification Program, certified as an EDGE Business Enterprise by the Ohio Department of Administrative Services or certified as a SBE by the Ohio Department of Transportation will receive recognition from the Commission as a SBE through a “Fast Track” application after receiving authentication of the certification with those entities. The Commission’s Office of Equity and Inclusion may further recognize certifications by other entities as meeting the SBE eligibility requirements of the Program through Fast Track applications if the Program Manager determines that the certification standards of such entities are comparable to those required for certification under the Standard Application.”

**Receipt of Addendum No. 1
Project No. 71-20-03 is hereby acknowledged:**

(Firm Name) _____

(Signature) _____

(Printed Name) _____

(Date) _____

**INTERESTED FIRMS MUST RETURN THE ABOVE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT
OF RECEIPT OF ADDENDUM NO. 1 WITH THEIR SUBMITTAL.**