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To All Bidders:

Subject: **Bid No. 8803-1-M7 – Generator Replacement – Union Station / WRA**

ADDENDUM NO. 1

To Whom It May Concern:

With reference to our bid request relative to the above subject, please refer to the changes/modifications/clarifications to the original proposal request.

Questions Received by This Office & Answers from WRA:

Q: Regarding the requirement for AISC Fabricator Certification in the structural steel framing specification, can this requirement be waived due to lack of certified fabricators willing to bid a job of this size?

A: AISC certification is waived, however, the shop must follow AISC procedures

Q: The (2) Automatic Transfer Switches are shown on Drawing E3.0 as requiring a 65,000 AIC withstand rating. We are informed by our vendors that this requirement will necessitate upsizing the switches to 1,600 amperes, rather than the 200A shown, resulting in a significant cost increase. Please confirm that the 65KAIC rating is required.

A: The ATS short circuit withstand rating can be reduced to 42KAIC.

Q: The structural drawings reference 780 CMR MA State Building Code, 9th edition. The code change in July of 2025 to the 10th edition building code. With this being said structural loading requirements and design data changed from the 9th to 10th edition. Can the engineer verify that the structural drawings are compliant with the new building code?

A: There are no engineering changes triggered by the change to the building code edition. The reference will be changed from 9th to 10th edition on the set to be presented for permit. Bidders may bid the work as currently depicted.

Q: Can the owner provide contact information for the railroad which we will need to coordinate our crane picks with? I assume there has been discussions previously with someone from the railroad in regard to setting up flaggers during rigging days.

A: P&W Contact SAFETY AND COMPLIANCE Thomas Ferris Genesee & Wyoming Railroad Services, Inc. thomas.ferris@gwrr.com



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Q: Can the owner provide contact information for the bus terminal. We will need to coordinate rerouting buses on the crane days.

A: Greyhound Contact info Wesley Pennington wesley.pennington@greyhound.com

Q: As of right now we are seeing generator lead times at 30 – 40 weeks after approved submittals. Please confirm whether the substantial completion date will be revised to accommodate generator procurement?

A: Yes, completion date will be adjusted accordingly.

Bidders are requested to acknowledge and/or include this addendum with submission. All other terms, conditions and specifications remain unchanged.

Very truly yours,

Stephen R. McDonald
Assistant Purchasing Director



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UNION STATION	FC_US_Overhead Door Motor_0331487	Overhead Door Motor	US - Loading Dock Area	-1220
UNION STATION	FC_US_Overhead Door, Automatic_0331486	Overhead Door, Automatic	US - Loading Dock Area	a.gov
UNION STATION	FC_US_Unit Heater, Hydronic_008	Unit Heater, Hydronic	US - Loading Dock Area	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Unit Heater, Hydronic_009	Unit Heater, Hydronic	US - Loading Dock Area	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Unit Heater, Hydronic_010	Unit Heater, Hydronic	US - Loading Dock Area	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Condensing Unit_0332180	Condensing Unit	US - Lower Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Condensing Unit_0332181	Condensing Unit	US - Lower Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Condensing Unit_0332183	Condensing Unit	US - Lower Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Fan, Exhaust_0332182	Fan, Exhaust	US - Lower Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Make Up Air Unit_0332184	Make Up Air Unit	US - Lower Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Motor Control Center_0332150	Motor Control Center	US - Main Electrical Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Switchgear_0332151	Switchgear	US - Main Electrical Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Switchgear_0332152	Switchgear	US - Main Electrical Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Door, Automatic_0331477	Door, Automatic	US - Main entrance	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Air Handling Unit_0332165	Air Handling Unit	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Boiler, Gas-Fired_0332173	Boiler, Gas-Fired	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Boiler, Gas-Fired_0332174	Boiler, Gas-Fired	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Motor Control Center_0332175	Motor Control Center	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Pump, Chilled Water Circulation_0332162	Pump, Chilled Water Circulation	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Pump, Chilled Water Circulation_0332163	Pump, Chilled Water Circulation	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Pump, Chilled Water Circulation_0332164	Pump, Chilled Water Circulation	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Pump, Hot Water Circulation_0332167	Pump, Hot Water Circulation	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Pump, Hot Water Circulation_0332168	Pump, Hot Water Circulation	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Pump, Hot Water Circulation_0332169	Pump, Hot Water Circulation	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Water Heater, Gas_0332171	Water Heater, Gas	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Water Heater, Gas_0332172	Water Heater, Gas	US - Mechanical / Boiler Room	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Chiller, Air Cooled_0332379	Chiller, Air Cooled	US - Middle Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Emergency Generator_0332196	Emergency Generator	US - Middle Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Fan, Exhaust_0332239	Fan, Exhaust	US - Middle Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Fan, Exhaust_0332380	Fan, Exhaust	US - Middle Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Fan, Exhaust_0332381	Fan, Exhaust	US - Middle Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Fan, Exhaust_0332382	Fan, Exhaust	US - Middle Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Mini Split System_0332378	Mini Split System	US - Middle Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Packaged Unit_0332383	Packaged Unit	US - Middle Roof	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Wheelchair Lift, Facility Mounted_0331489	Wheelchair Lift, Facility Mounted	US - Northeast Entrance	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Air Handling Unit_0332157	Air Handling Unit	US - Open Area	
UNION STATION	FC_US_Air Handling Unit_0332158	Air Handling Unit	US - Open Area	