City of Rocky Mount Addendum 2	
Refer <u>ALL</u> Inquiries regarding this RFP to:	RFQ #320-221220RP
Ramona Plemmer Senior Purchasing Technician	RFQ Due Date: 01/13/2021
	Contract Type: Service

FAILURE TO RETURN THIS ADDENDUM IN ACCORDANCE WITH INSTRUCTIONS MAY SUBJECT YOUR PROPOSAL TO REJECTION ON THE AFFECTED ITEM(S):

## **Question and Answers:**

1. Question: What work and areas are included?

**Answer:** Please refer to page 10, 5.2A for specifications and pages 18 & 19 for corresponding map.

2. Question: How are invasive species to be treated?

**Answer:** Please refer to *NCDOT Invasive Plants of North Carolina* (2008). This must be followed. <a href="https://www.se-eppc.org/northcarolina/NCDOT\_Invasive\_Exotic\_Plants.pdf">https://www.se-eppc.org/northcarolina/NCDOT\_Invasive\_Exotic\_Plants.pdf</a>

3. Question: Will future management of invasive species be continued?

**Answer:** Yes, as prescribed by *NCDOT Invasive Plants of North Carolina* (2008), however this is not included in the current project / bid.

4. Question: Is a bid bond required?

**Answer:** No

5. Question: Can mechanized equipment be used to cut vegetation?

**Answer:** Cut work must be performed using hand tools or hand operated power tools.

6. Question: Can multiple invoices be submitted as work is completed?

**Answer:** Yes. Work should be invoiced in the same format as *Attachment A: Pricing Form* (page 13). This must be accompanied with a brief description of the work completed and a copy of the herbicide label used.

7. Question: Has NCDEQ approved work in the riparian zone?

**Answer:** Yes, as prescribed by page 10, 5.2A. This must be carefully understood and followed.

## \*Additional comments

Attachment B, page 14 should read exactly the same as page 10, 2.5 B *Special Instructions to Bidders*. Contractors are strongly urged to visit the park once the water has dropped to access all areas of the riverbank. The quantity and type of invasive species present varies greatly. Contractors are solely responsible for the proper identification, treatment technique, and herbicide selection and application as prescribed by *NCDOT Invasive Plants of North Carolina (2008)*. This is non-negotiable.