

**Cabin Creek and Other Locations: Roads and Restoration
Request for Bids: Construction**

Addendum 1

Request for Bid original release date: February 26, 2020
Addendum 1 release date: March 12, 2020

RFB REVISIONS

The following revisions prevail over any discrepancies with information provided in the original RFB released February 26, 2020.

- MATERIALS

Contractor will furnish approximately 40 tons of well-graded, compactable material free of excess moisture, muck, frozen lumps, roots, sod, or other deleterious material with a maximum particle size of 3 inches. This material will be used on the 89-15 Road.

Contractor will furnish approximately 200 tons of ¾" aggregate, free of contaminants. 130 tons will be used at 08-02, mile post 1.02 - 1.10. 70 tons will be used at 08-02, mile post 1.66 - 1.70.

Please see Attachment 7 for further details on using weed-free sources for imported project materials.

- FIELD FIT

All parts of the Cabin Creek work, including earthwork and placement, are subject to field design by the USFS and designated field representatives. At any time, the contractor's operators and construction may be subject to observation and supervision. The contractor shall contact the field representative immediately upon finding any conditions that conflict with the information in the scope of work. The field representative must approve all field adjustments before construction of said adjustments. Failure to do so will result in the contractor assuming full responsibility for any required revisions or field modifications, as directed by the field representative, at no additional cost.

RESPONSE TO REQUESTS FOR INFORMATION

The following requests for additional information were received by 5PM March 11, 2020. Please reference these answers in submitting proposals.

- GENERAL

- (1) Are construction areas open?

No, construction areas are not open. Construction areas are located on roads that are seasonally closed to all vehicles.

(2) Does the project require a bid bond?

No, the project does not need a bid bond, but will require a performance bond.

(3) RFB states expected start date is July- August. Since the snowpack is below average this year, if the snow melts by May can construction take place in June?

Please see RFB page 4. Construction dates may change based on weather or confirmed agreement between project manager(s) and contractor. Construction may start earlier to take advantage of favorable soil conditions.

(4) Will USFS be providing supervision on any parts of the project or is their role limited to oversight and inspection?

Yes, the USFS and designated representatives will be available for supervision, oversight and inspection.

(5) Can you identify non-native invasive plant locations?

No known populations of non-native invasive plants exist in Pole Creek, Deep Creek, or Silver Creek. Likely populations do exist in Cabin Creek Area 1. USFS staff will survey and flag infestations prior to start of construction.

(6) Will TRWC identify non-native invasive plants as outlined in Attachment 7, Nonnative Invasive Plant Management, Measure C?

USFS will survey and flag non-native invasive plant infestations prior to start of construction.

(7) Request for Bids – Page 5 lists a grader as needed to complete the road work. This is not needed to meet the USFS specifications. Is it a requirement to this project?

The grader is not a requirement of this project. Per RFB page 5, the Contractor may make suggestions for changes in equipment in the bid if the contractor believes the job could be done more effectively with different equipment. If a change is proposed, please explain the rationale.

(8) Will any work other than dust abatement be required on road areas not listed on the road log or areas in the scope of work?

No other work is required on road areas not listed on the road log or areas in the Cabin Creek Scope of Work. Please note that the Cabin Creek scope of work is subject to field fit.

- ROAD DRAIN IMPROVEMENT

(9) Will all work areas and mile posts be identified and marked, staked or flagged?

Yes, all work will be marked, staked or flagged prior to construction.

(10) Can equipment use the bridge on the 08 road at mile post 2.23?

Yes, equipment can cross the bridge on the 08 road at mile post 2.23.

(11) Road 08-02, mile post .98 remove culvert. What is the size of the culvert? What is meant by "add apron"?

Measurements of the culvert are not available, but it is likely 15-18". A Low Water Crossing will be constructed in its place. Please see the Typical included in RFB Attachment 5.

(12) Road 08-02, mile post 1.02 - 1.10 requires "add road base". What is the quantity or the area?

This area will require approximately 130 tons of ¾" aggregate. Please see RFB revisions noted above for materials.

(13) Road 08-02, mile post 1.66 - 1.70, add road base. What is the quantity?

This area will require approximately 70 tons of ¾" aggregate. Please see RFB revisions noted above for materials.

- CABIN CREEK

(14) Cabin Creek Area 1 F – please define or provide detail for "Pin Logs"

Dig a shallow trench (about 4 to 6 inches deep) along the contour. Place the log in the trench and seat with tamped backfill such that water flowing down the slope will not run under it.

(15) In Cabin Creek, Road 2, Treatment B, what is the estimated cubic yard fill to be cut?

Approximately 200 CY of material will be recontoured at Point 4. No imported material is needed.

(16) Cabin Creek Scope of Work – Page 2 (also page 10) map includes adding 5 dips. Are these in addition to the Area 1A treatment on page 3?

The dips noted in the maps are included in the treatment descriptions.

(17) Cabin Creek Scope of Work – Page 4 states boulders for closure area are available in the Jackass area. Are the boulders in a stockpile? Do they have to be gathered? Is it a commercial source? What is the specification for the boulders, size and/or weight?

Various sizes of boulders are lined up along the side of lower Jackass Road, and do not need to be gathered from the surrounding area. It is not a commercial source. Boulders for this project should be 2-4' in diameter.