August 21, 2018

Addendum #4 to
Request for Proposal
For University Services Building HVAC and Fire Alarm 2018: Project 060-313984
Dated July 31, 2018

NOTE: You must have attended a prebid conference in order to be eligible to bid on a particular project. Receipt of minutes or addenda without being at a prebid conference does not qualify your company to bid.

Please find the following clarifications for the above RFP opportunity.

Question 1: Please clarify scope for controls for this project?
Answer: Roof air conditioning unit to be "digital controller" with factory mounted control, either Siemens or Honeywell; however, must be integratable by Siemens. The University has a contract with Siemens for the integration of controls to the Siemens Desigo CC v3 SR2 BMS. Furnish and installation of the controls itself including wiring is the responsibility of the contractor.

Question 2: What model of MechoSystems is the design intent – Mecho/5?
Answer: Please see attached addendum and drawing update from FTCH.

Question 3: Which fabric series and openness should be used?
Answer: Please see attached addendum and drawing update from FTCH.

Question 4: Fabrics vary greatly and therefore pattern series and openness percentage affects pricing.
Answer: Please see attached addendum and drawing update from FTCH.

Additional information provided from FTCH: Bid Addendum No.04 with reissued Sheet A701 and reissued specifications 12 49 40.

IMPORTANT- This is an addendum which MUST be acknowledged on your bid form

We will require your lump sum proposals, vendor qualification questionnaire and your bid bond documents as a single PDF in your electronic submission.

All questions concerning this project must be emailed to: Robert Kuhn. Email: ac6243@wayne.edu, and copy Leiann Day, at leiannday@wayne.edu.

Bids are due by electronic submission on no later than 2:00 p.m., August 23, 2018. The link for bid submission will be posted with the bid details at http://go.wayne.edu/bids beginning July 31, 2018.

Do not contact either FP&M or the Design Firm directly as this may result in disqualification of your proposal.

Thank you for interest shown in working with Wayne State University.

Robert Kuhn
Sr. Buyer

CC: Kirsten Mellem (Project Manager), Leiann Day, Associate Director, Attendee list.
ITEM NO. 1:
Sheet: A701 – Finish Plans (reissued)
Specification: 12 49 40 – Roller Window Shades (reissued)

A. Question: Which fabric series and openness should be used?
   Answer: EcoVeil Screens 1550 series – 1552 Beige, 3% Openness.

END OF BID ADDENDUM
PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 SECTION INCLUDES

A. Sunscreen roller shades.

1.2 RELATED SECTIONS

A. Section 06100 - Rough Carpentry: Wood blocking and grounds for mounting roller shades and accessories.
B. Section 09260 - Gypsum Board Assemblies: Coordination with gypsum board assemblies for installation of shade pockets, closures and related accessories.

1.3 REFERENCES

A. NFPA 701 - Fire Tests for Flame-Resistant Textiles and Films.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

A. Submit under provisions of Section 01300.
B. Product Data: Manufacturer's data sheets on each product to be used, including:
   1. Preparation instructions and recommendations.
   2. Styles, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components, profiles, features, finishes and operating instructions.
   3. Storage and handling requirements and recommendations.
   4. Mounting details and installation methods.
C. Shop Drawings: Plans, elevations, sections, product details, installation details, operational clearances, and relationship to adjacent work.
   1. Prepare shop drawings in digital format.
D. Window Treatment Schedule: For all roller shades. Use same room designations as indicated on the Drawings and include opening sizes and key to typical mounting details.
E. Selection Samples: For each finish product specified, two sets of shade cloth options and aluminum finish color samples representing manufacturer's full range of available colors and patterns.
F. Verification Samples: For each finish product specified, two complete sets of shade components, unassembled, demonstrating compliance with specified requirements.
   Shadecloth sample and aluminum finish sample as selected. Mark face of material to indicate interior faces.
G. Maintenance Data: Methods for maintaining roller shades, precautions regarding cleaning materials and methods, instructions for operating hardware and controls.

1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Obtain roller shades through one source from a single manufacturer with experience in manufacturing products comparable to those specified in this section.
B. Installer Qualifications: Installer trained and certified by the manufacturer with experience in installing products comparable to those specified in this section.
C. Fire-Test-Response Characteristics: Passes NFPA 701 small and large-scale vertical burn. Materials tested shall be identical to products proposed for use.

1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Deliver shades in factory-labeled packages, marked with manufacturer and product name, fire-test-response characteristics, and location of installation using same room designations indicated on Drawings and in the Window Treatment Schedule.

1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

A. Environmental Limitations: Install roller shades after finish work including painting is complete and ambient temperature and humidity conditions are maintained at the levels indicated for Project when occupied for its intended use.

1.8 WARRANTY

A. Roller Shade Hardware and Chain Warranty: Manufacturer's standard non-depreciating twenty-five year limited warranty.

B. Standard Shadecloth: Manufacturer's standard twenty-five year warranty.

C. Roller Shade Installation: One year from date of Substantial Completion, not including scaffolding, lifts or other means to reach inaccessible areas.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.1 MANUFACTURERS

A. Acceptable Manufacturer: MechoShade Systems, Inc., which is located at: 42-03 35th St.; Long Island City, NY 11101; Tel: 718-729-2020; Fax: 718-729-2941; Email:angela.gratereaux@mechoshade.com; Web:http://www.mechoshade.com

B. Requests for substitutions will be considered in accordance with provisions of Section 013300.

2.2 ROLLER SHADE TYPE AND SHADECLOTH

A. Manually Operated Shades:
   1. Mounting: Surface mounted with fascia.
   3. Solar Shadecloths:
      a. Fabric: ThermoVeil 1000, 2-3 percent open, dense linear-weave pattern.
      b. Color: 1552 Beige

2.3 SHADE BAND

A. Shade Bands: Construction of shade band includes the fabric, the hem weight, hem-pocket, shade roller tube, and the attachment of the shade band to the roller tube. Sewn hems and open hem pockets are not acceptable.
   1. Hem Pockets and Hem Weights: Fabric hem pocket with RF-welded seams (including welded ends) and concealed hem weights. Hem weights shall be of appropriate size and weight for shade band. Hem weight shall be continuous inside a sealed hem pocket. Hem pocket construction and hem weights shall be similar, for all shades within one room.
   2. Shade Band and Shade Roller Attachment:
      a. Use extruded aluminum shade roller tube of a diameter and wall thickness required to support shade fabric without excessive deflection. Roller tubes less
than 1.55 inch (39.37 mm) in diameter for manual shades, and less than 2.55 inches (64.77 mm) for motorize shades are not acceptable.

b. Provide for positive mechanical engagement with drive / brake mechanism.

c. Provide for positive mechanical attachment of shade band to roller tube; shade band shall be made removable / replaceable with a "snap-on" "snap-off" spline mounting, without having to remove shade roller from shade brackets.

d. Mounting spline shall not require use of adhesives, adhesive tapes, staples, and/or rivets.

e. Any method of attaching shade band to roller tube that requires the use of: adhesive, adhesive tapes, staples, and/or rivets are not acceptable.

2.4 SHADE FABRICATION

A. Fabricate units to completely fill existing openings from head to sill and jamb-to-jamb, unless specifically indicated otherwise.

B. Provide battens in standard shades as required to assure proper tracking and uniform rolling of the shadebands. Contractor shall be responsible for assuring the width-to-height (W:H) ratios shall not exceed manufacturer's standards or, in absence of such standards, shall be responsible for establishing appropriate standards to assure proper tracking and rolling of the shadecloth within specified standards. Battens shall be roll-formed stainless steel or tempered steel, as required.

2.5 COMPONENTS

A. Access and Material Requirements:
   1. Provide shade hardware allowing for the removal of shade roller tube from brackets without removing hardware from opening and without requiring end or center supports to be removed.
   2. Provide shade hardware that allows for removal and re-mounting of the shade bands without having to remove the shade tube, drive or operating support brackets.
   3. Use only Delrin engineered plastics by DuPont for all plastic components of shade hardware. Styrene based plastics, and /or polyester, or reinforced polyester will not be acceptable.

B. Manual Operated Chain Drive Hardware and Brackets:
   1. Provide for universal, regular and offset drive capacity, allowing drive chain to fall at front, rear or non-offset for all shade drive end brackets. Universal offset shall be adjustable for future change.
   2. Provide hardware capable for installation of a removable fascia, for both regular and/or reverse roll, which shall be installed without exposed fastening devices of any kind.
   3. Provide shade hardware system that allows for removable regular and/or reverse roll fascias to be mounted continuously across two or more shade bands without requiring exposed fasteners of any kind.
   4. Provide shade hardware system that allows for operation of multiple shade bands (multi-banded shades) by a single chain operator, subject to manufacturer's design criteria. Connectors shall be offset to assure alignment from the first to the last shade band.
   5. Provide shade hardware system that allows multi-banded manually operated shades to be capable of smooth operation when the axis is offset a maximum of 6 degrees on each side of the plane perpendicular to the radial line of the curve, for a 12 degrees total offset.
   6. Provide positive mechanical engagement of drive mechanism to shade roller tube. Friction fit connectors for drive mechanism connection to shade roller tube are not acceptable
   7. Provide shade hardware constructed of minimum 1/8-inch (3.18 mm) thick plated steel
or heavier as required to support 150 percent of the full weight of each shade.

8. Drive Bracket / Brake Assembly:
   a. MechoShade Drive Bracket model M5 shall be fully integrated with all MechoShade accessories, including, but not limited to: SnapLoc fascia, room darkening side / sill channels, center supports and connectors for multi-banded shades.
   b. M5 drive sprocket and brake assembly shall rotate and be supported on a welded 3/8 inch (9.525 mm) steel pin.
   c. The brake shall be an over-running clutch design which disengages to 90 percent during the raising and lowering of a shade. The brake shall withstand a pull force of 50 lbs. (22 kg) in the stopped position.
   d. The braking mechanism shall be applied to an oil-impregnated hub on to which the brake system is mounted. The oil impregnated hub design includes an articulated brake assembly, which assures a smooth, non-jerky operation in raising and lowering the shades. The assembly shall be permanently lubricated. Products that require externally applied lubrication and or not permanently lubricated are not acceptable.
   e. The entire M5 assembly shall be fully mounted on the steel support bracket, and fully independent of the shade tube assembly, which may be removed and reinstalled without effecting the roller shade limit adjustments.
   f. Drive Chain: #10 qualified stainless steel chain rated to 90 lb. (41 kg) minimum breaking strength. Nickel plate chain shall not be accepted.

2.6 ACCESSORIES

   A. Fascia:
      1. Continuous removable extruded aluminum fascia that attaches to shade mounting brackets without the use of adhesives, magnetic strips, or exposed fasteners.
      2. Fascia shall be able to be installed across two or more shade bands in one piece.
      3. Fascia shall fully conceal brackets, shade roller and fabric on the tube.
      4. Provide bracket / fascia end caps where mounting conditions expose outside of roller shade brackets.
      5. Notching of Fascia for manual chain shall not be acceptable.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.1 EXAMINATION

   A. Do not begin installation until substrates have been properly prepared.
   B. If substrate preparation is the responsibility of another installer, notify Architect of unsatisfactory preparation before proceeding.

3.2 PREPARATION

   A. Clean surfaces thoroughly prior to installation.
   B. Prepare surfaces using the methods recommended by the manufacturer for achieving the best result for the substrate under the project conditions.

3.3 INSTALLATION

   A. Install roller shades level, plumb, square, and true according to manufacturer’s written instructions, and located so shade band is not closer than 2 inches (50 mm) to interior face of glass. Allow proper clearances for window operation hardware.
   B. Adjust and balance roller shades to operate smoothly, easily, safely, and free from binding or
malfunction throughout entire operational range.

C. Clean roller shade surfaces after installation, according to manufacturer's written instructions.

D. Engage Installer to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate and maintain roller shade systems.

3.4 PROTECTION

A. Protect installed products until completion of project.

B. Touch-up, repair or replace damaged products before Substantial Completion.

END OF SECTION