



**November 15, 2023**

**ADDENDUM NO. THREE (3)**

IHL #208-358  
 COOLING TOWER UPGRADES FY24  
 UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI  
 HATTIESBURG, MS  
 ERG P.N. 23.119

- I. Bidder acknowledges that it is Bidder’s responsibility to ascertain whether any Addenda have been issued and if so, to obtain copies of such Addenda. Bidder therefore agrees to be bound by all Addenda that have been issued for this Bid.

This Addendum forms a part of the Contract Documents and modifies the original Bidding Documents and consists of 2 pages (plus 2 attachment pages). The following clarifications, changes, additions, or deletions shall be made to the following documents as indicated, and all other conditions shall remain the same.

II. PERTAINING TO THE SPECIFICATIONS

Item 1.	Reference:	00 000 – Advertisement for Bids
	Scope:	<p>Change the first paragraph to read the following:</p> <p>The University of Southern Mississippi Physical Plant Division will receive sealed proposals at the University of Southern Mississippi Physical Plant Department Conference Room in Hattiesburg, Mississippi until <b>2:00 p.m., local time, on Tuesday, November 21, 2023</b>, for furnishing all labor, materials and equipment in connection with Cooling Tower Upgrades FY24, as described in and reflected by the drawings and specifications prepared by Engineering Resource Group, Inc, Jackson, Mississippi, dated October, 2023, immediately after which time said sealed proposals shall be publicly opened and read.</p> <p><b>Clarification: Bid Date Changed to 2:00 p.m., local time, on Tuesday, November 21, 2023.</b></p>
Item 2.	Reference:	00 41 13 – Bid Proposal Form
	Scope:	<p>Replace with attached 01 41 13 – Bid Proposal Form</p> <p><b>Clarification: Bid Date and Time of Completion changed.</b></p>

Item 3.	Reference: Scope:	<p>23 65 14.14 – Open-Circuit, Induced-Draft, Cooling Towers</p> <p>-Remove paragraph 2.5B.9 in its entirety.</p> <p>-Paragraph 2.11B – add the following:</p> <p>6. Belt: One-piece, multi-grooved, solid-back belt.</p> <p>-Paragraph 3.7 – Startup Service - Add the following:</p> <p>F. The cooling tower supplier will be responsible for providing a Testing and Balancing contractor to help provide all work to accomplish the Startup Service. The cooling tower supplier shall be responsible for the cost of all T.A.B. work. TAB Agency shall be certified by AABC or NEBB.</p> <p>-Remove paragraph 3.8C in its entirety.</p> <p><b><u>Clarifications:</u></b></p> <p>Cooling towers shall be all stainless steel. Minimum stainless-steel grade shall be 304.</p>

**END OF ADDENDUM NO. 3**

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SECTION 00 41 13 - BID PROPOSAL FORM

To: UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI PHYSICAL PLANT  
118 COLLEGE DRIVE #5058  
HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI 39406

Project Title: IHL #208-358  
COOLING TOWER UPGRADES FY24

Location: THE UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI  
HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Having carefully examined all conditions of the Contract and all Amendments, Supplements and Addenda thereto, having visited the site and being familiar with the conditions thereof, I or We propose to furnish all labor, materials, and equipment to complete all work required by the Contract Documents entitled IHL #208-358 Cooling Tower Upgrades FY24 – for the amount set forth below:

BASE BID:

\_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_ )

ALTERNATES:

Add Alternate No. 1: N/A \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_ )

Add Alternate No. 2: N/A \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_ )

Add Alternate No. 3: N/A \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_ )

Add Alternate No. 4: N/A \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars (\$ \_\_\_\_\_ )

TIME OF COMPLETION:

I propose to complete all work in accordance with the Project Manual and Drawings within **190** consecutive calendar days from written Notice to Proceed. Liquidated Damages \$250.00 per calendar day.

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ADDENDUM:

Bidder acknowledges receipt of the following Addenda:

Addendum No \_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_

Addendum No \_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_

Addendum No \_\_\_\_\_, dated \_\_\_\_\_

GUARANTEE OF WORK:

Upon completion of work and prior to final payment, the Contractor shall provide The University of Southern Mississippi with a written guarantee warranting that all workmanship and materials are free from defects and that he shall promptly repair or replace without additional cost to The University any defects which evidence themselves within one (1) year after date of completion and acceptance of work.

I am authorized to enter my firm into a binding contract if this proposal is accepted.

Respectfully submitted,

Contractor / Firm: \_\_\_\_\_

Name & Title: \_\_\_\_\_

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Certificate of  
Responsibility No \_\_\_\_\_

Envelopes containing Bids must be sealed and addressed as follows:

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN MISSISSIPPI PHYSICAL PLANT  
118 COLLEGE DRIVE #5058  
HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI 39406

Bids should be received prior to 2:00 p.m., local time, on **Tuesday, November 21, 2023**, at the Henderson Physical Plant Department Conference Room, 118 College Drive #5058, Hattiesburg, MS 39406.

Provide Certificate of Responsibility on outside of envelope.

Bid Proposal for:

University of Southern Mississippi  
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--END OF PROPOSAL--