



# FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF Environmental Protection

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## NOTICE TO APPLICANTS ADDENDUM NO. ONE (1)

### Apalachicola National Estuarine Research Reserve – Cat Point Marsh Vegetation DEP Bid NO. BDC14-19/20

TO BIDDERS AND PLAN HOLDERS ON THE ABOVE REFERENCED PROJECT: PLEASE NOTE CONTENTS HEREIN AND INCLUDE WITH YOUR BID SUBMISSION.

### NOTICE

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It will be required that this addendum be signed in acknowledgment of receipt and that it be included with your Bid when same is submitted to Alyssa Skehan, Government Operations Consultant II, Bureau of Design and Construction, 3900 Commonwealth Blvd. MS520, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-3000. Failure to do so may be grounds for rejection of the Bid.

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Signature of Contractor and Date

The Following statements supersede & supplement the corresponding items in the specifications & drawings:

- 1. Question:** Are the floating turbidity screens listed under Specific Condition 1, page 4 of the permit, required for the planting portion of the project? Or is that a requirement for the breakwater installation only?  
**Answer:** Referencing Specific Conditions 1 and 21 of the FDEP Permit, it is implied that turbidity screens are required during marsh planting.
- 2. Question:** Did Tropical Storm Nestor change any scope of the project?  
**Answer:** No
- 3. Question:** Is there any exotic removal associated with this bid?  
**Answer:** No

- 4. Question:** Does the contractor need to be present on site for substantial completion and/or total completion verification?  
**Answer:** Yes, the Contractor is to be present for the substantial completion and must sign off on the “punch list”. It is also advisable for the Contractor to also be present for the total completion verification.
- 5. Question:** If a storm comes through after planting and kills all the plants, how long does the contractor have to “fix?” This was asked because if plants die after planting, contractors are allotted a certain period of time to replant.  
**Answer:** Contractor is not responsible for losses due to “acts of God” after substantial completion and acceptance by the owner. If plants die due to natural causes during the warrantee period, the Contractor is responsible for replacement. Refer to warrantee period in the technical specifications.
- 6. Question:** Is Longshoreman Insurance required by the contractor for this project?  
**Answer:** Yes, Longshoreman’s Insurance is required.

In all other respects, the contract documents of which this is an Addendum, and attachments relative thereto, shall remain in full force and effect.