



FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CONSUMER SERVICES
COMMISSIONER ADAM H. PUTNAM

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ADDENDUM 1

TO: Vendors
FROM: Vianka Colin, Purchasing Director
**RE: INVITATION TO BID NUMBER ITB/FFS-18/19-17
INVASIVE PLANT TREATMENT IN LAKE WALES RIDGE STATE FOREST, PRAIRIE TRACT**

This addendum is to provide all potential bidders with answers to questions received in reference to Invitation to Bid ITB/FFS-18/19-17. **Deletions are struck through, and additions are highlighted.**

~~4. **Minimum Work Crew:** The minimum initial treatment crew will consist of one (1) certified supervisor, one (1) non-certified supervisor, eight (8) laborers and two (2) equipment operators (chainsaw, weed eater with blade, etc.). The maximum ratio of crew members to supervisor (either certified or non-certified) shall be sixteen to one. The contract is paid on a per acre basis. Only actual acreage treated will be paid.~~

4. Minimum Work Crew requirements: If the contractor is using laborers that do not speak the English language, the contractor shall provide a crew foreman that is fluent in both the English language and the language of the crew. Personnel problems must be resolved to ensure delays are minimized. If adverse weather is a problem, the contractor must furnish additional personnel and equipment to make up for lost time and ensure timely completion. All work activities and hours will be communicated to the site manager for weekly treatments. Treatments on weekends or during after-hours will require approval by the site manager or designated representative in advance. The contract is paid on a per acre basis. Only actual acreage treated will be paid.

To the extent this addendum gives rise to a protest, failure to file a protest within the time prescribed in Section 120.57(3), Florida Statutes, shall constitute a waiver of proceedings under Chapter 120, Florida Statutes. All other terms, conditions and specifications of this Invitation to Bid will remain the same. If you have any questions regarding this addendum, please feel free to contact this office at (850) 617-7181.