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ADDENDUM

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RFB-2017-40
SCCC ELEVATOR RENOVATION AT ELSTON HALL & B-WING

ADDENDUM #2

July 24, 2017

The purpose of this addendum is to provide detailed information to all Bidders. This addendum is hereby included in and made part of the Contract Documents, whether or not attached thereto. The following changes to the specifications and/or drawings, shall prevail the original Contract Documents and all requirements of the original specifications and drawings shall remain in force except as amended by this Addendum. Receipt of this Addendum must be acknowledged on the bid form.

Attachments:

Addendum #2 Issued by C2 Architecture

Apart from the items outlined in this addendum, all other provisions of the original scope shall remain in effect.

END OF ADDENDUM #2

ADDENDUM TWO

PROJECT: Schenectady County Community College
Elevator Renovation at Elston Hall and B-Wing

RFB-2017-40

C2 DESIGN PROJECT #: 1547.00

DATE OF ADDENDUM: July 24, 2017

The purpose of this addendum is to provide information supplemental to the original Notice to Bidders, issued on 07/05/2017. Wherever information in this addendum conflicts with material in the original Contract Documents, this addendum shall prevail unless it conflicts with applicable government law or regulation in this regard. Receipt of this Addendum must be acknowledged on the bid form.

Changes to the Project Manual:

None

General Questions:

1. It was stated during the walkthrough that the height of the elevator shafts is in the documents. That information cannot be found, please provide the elevations of the elevator mechanical rooms relative to the basements. **Answer: The travel distance of the elevators in Elston Hall are noted in specification Section 14 21 00, 2.4 A and B as 66'-0". The elevator shaft in B-wing needs to be field verified.**
2. I'm planning on submitting a bid for the Electrical contract and I had a quick question I was hoping someone could clarify. The electrical spec section 26 00 05 contains these two items below, which I'm not sure how to rectify. Is MC cable acceptable above accessible ceilings or shall all wiring be done in conduit? From looking at the electrical scope of work, it looks like it is specifically indicated to be in conduit. But I wanted to ask the question as MC Cable would allow for some significant cost savings.

As far as I know the fire alarm wiring can be done with J-Hooks rather than conduit.

2.04 BUILDING WIRE

A. General: All wiring systems to consist of individual wires installed in conduit or other indicated raceway, unless specifically specified or indicated otherwise. Type "MC" Cable may be used in lieu of individual wires in conduit, where permitted later under this section.

3.13 RACEWAY SYSTEMS

D. Indoors, Concealed in Walls or Above Ceilings: EMT.

Answer: Any raceways in the elevator shaft or elevator machine room needs to be in conduit. It is correct that any raceways above accessible ceilings or concealed in the walls can be MC cable for power and fire alarm wiring, and J-Hooks for fire alarm in ceilings. All other locations MC cable is fine.

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END OF ADDENDUM #2