

ADDENDUM NO. 1:

**SCHENECTADY COUNTY
BEVIS HILL COMMUNICATIONS TOWER REPLACEMENT PROJECT**

**CONTRACT DOCUMENTS FOR CONTRACT 3
RFB-2018-39**

ANTENNA PROCUREMENT AND TOWER DEMOLITION

NOVEMBER 2, 2018

To All Holders of the Procurement Documents:

Your attention is directed to the following interpretations of, changes in, and additions to the Procurement Documents for the project referenced above. Except as specifically stated herein, all conditions and requirements of the Procurement Documents remain in full force and effect.

CLARIFICATION #1:

Replace Contract Drawings C2 and C4 with the revised drawings attached (C2 Rev 2 and C4 Rev 2). The notes regarding removal of existing tower anchor foundations have been revised to read: "REMOVE EXISTING FOUNDATIONS TO A DEPTH OF 4 TO 6 INCHES BELOW GRADE. COVER WITH TOP SOIL (TYP)."

QUESTIONS RECEIVED:

Question #1: For the decom of the existing guy tower anchors can we "shorten" the depth for the anchor near the access road?

Answer: See Clarification #1 above.

Question #2: Will it be permissible to have a controlled drop of the guy tower?

Answer: Yes, utilizing appropriate safety precautions.

Question #3: Is there a bid bond required? Pg 2 Bid Submission doesn't mention it and then on pg 4,5 it requires one, please clarify.

Answer: Yes, a 5% bid bond will be required.

Question #4: What is the timeline for line and antenna installation? When will the new tower be available to install on? Is there a date that the guy tower must be removed by?

Answer: The new tower will be installed and ready for antenna installation in mid-November 2018. The County prefers to complete the legacy tower demo by the end of 2018 if possible, but this will depend on when the new antennas will be available for installation on the new tower.

Question #5: What size entry port is required for the new tower lines?

Answer: A 3 x 3 cable entry port is being provided and installed by others under a separate contract prior to the work of Contract 3.

Question #6: Who is responsible for the ground leads that will be needed for the line ground bars at the base of the tower and the new entry place on the existing building?

Answer: Grounded interior and exterior copper ground bars are being provided and installed by others at the cable entry ports under a separate contract prior to the work of Contract 3. A grounded Tower Ground Bar is also being provided and installed by others at the base of the tower under a separate contract prior to the work of Contract 3.

Question #7: Will there be coax ladder on the new tower or is it the contractor's responsibility? If the contractor is responsible how many coax ladders are required?

Answer: Two waveguide/cable ladders will be installed on the new tower by others under a separate contract prior to the work of Contract 3. A cable ice bridge will be installed between the new tower and the existing equipment shelter by others under a separate contract prior to the work of Contract 3. Ceiling mounted cable trays will be installed inside the equipment shelter by others under a separate contract prior to the work of Contract 3.

Question #8: Is the bidder responsible for repair of the existing access driveway following anchor foundation removal, and what type of repair would be acceptable?

Answer: It is not necessary to disturb the existing access driveway. See Clarification #1 above.

END OF ADDENDUM NO. 1.

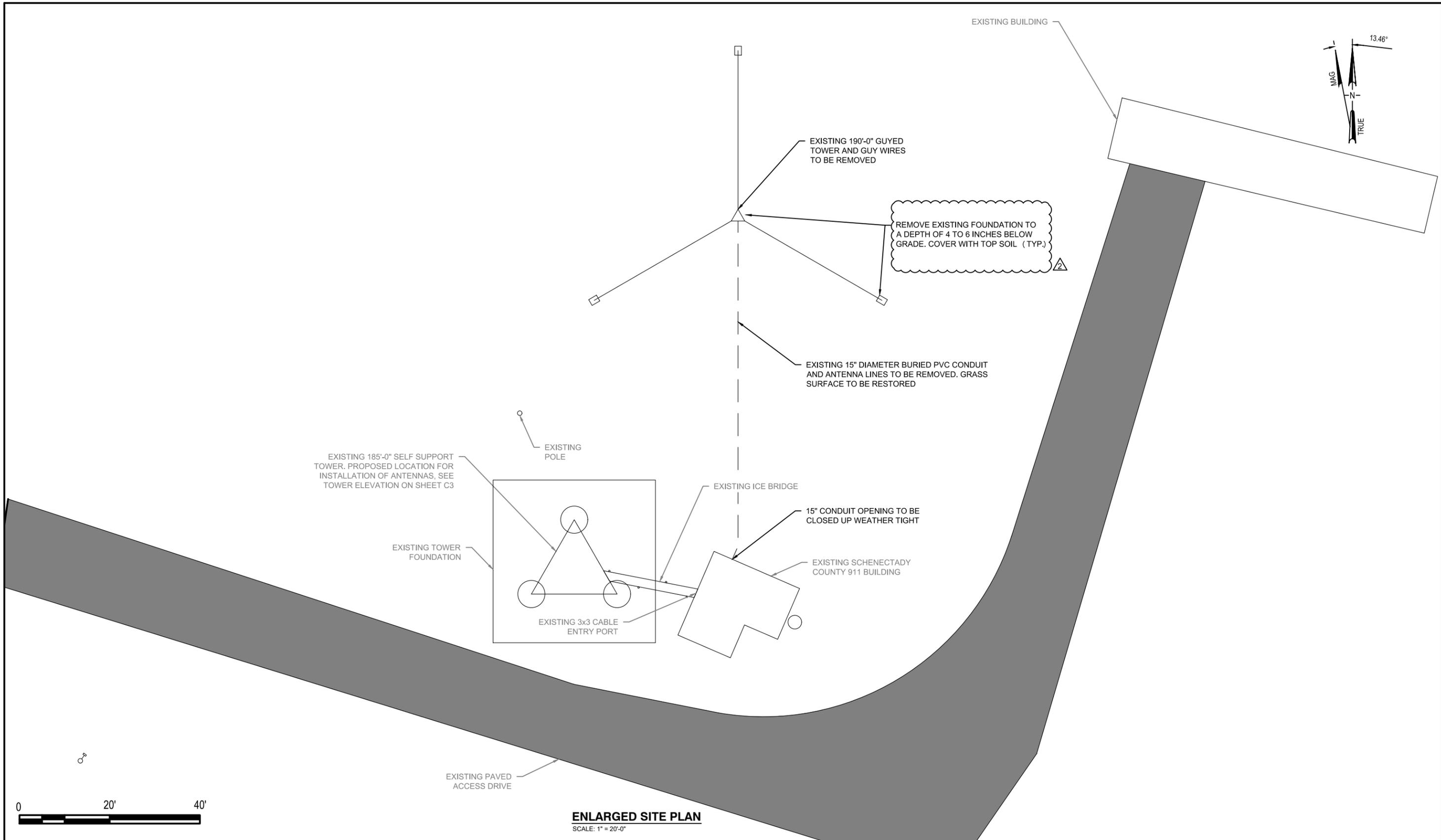
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SCALE: 1" = 20'-0"



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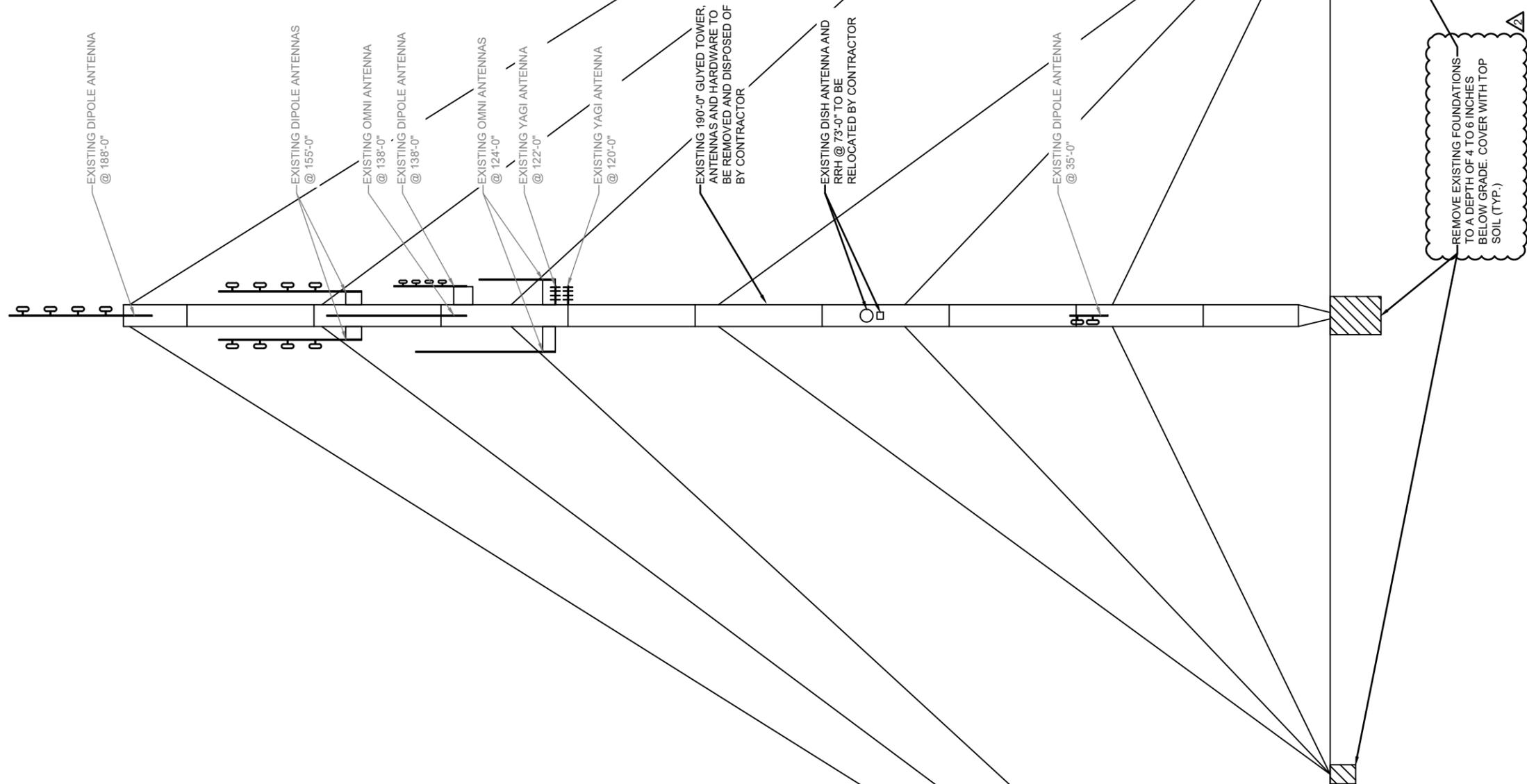
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EXISTING TOWER DEMO PLAN
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