

Question #	Question	Government Response
1	Will there be a change in the Firestop Spec?	Revised spec Section 07 84 00 Firestop, incorporating the requirement to use only HILTI FS-1 for firesafing sealant added by amendment 1
2	If the due date for this project is going to be extended due to the storm can you please advise bidders asap?	Proposals for this project are now due Monday, September 25, 2017 at 3PM
3	Can you please provide a specification for asbestos abatement? Section 010000 1.3 A states there is asbestos ceiling panels. Please provide quantities. Are unit prices required for asbestos? Where on bid form do you want unit prices?	VA Miami does not think there will be any asbestos abatement with this project.
4	Can you please clarify that for alternate 1 you only want the value of 2nd floor work to be deducted from base bid? Also, can you please clarify for alternate 2 you only want the value of the 3rd floor work to be deducted from base bid? As written, alternate 2 will not include the value of alternate 1. Please clarify if this is the correct interpretation.	Yes, that interpretation is correct.
5	Drawing LS-1-2.1 what do the two numbers represent in the Grid Location column? Why are there two number combinations?	Example: "L.5" means the flag is located halfway between grids L and M in the east/west direction . "L.2" means it is closer to L than M.
6	There are correction notes to "extend wall to ceiling structure above", How are we to know height, length and type of material to extend existing wall to deck?	Per General Notes, corrections apply to 8-12 foot lengths of walls. Heights are approximately 5 feet. Materials are to be per UL 419 or 465 per drawing LS-1-8.2.

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7	Is this project sales tax exempt? If the project is sales tax exempt can the government provide a sales tax exemption certificate?	No this project is not tax exempt.
8	Will the Government provide comprehensive written badging requirements for the project if badging is required?	Yes
9	Where will the designated parking area be for workers accessing the construction site?	No
10	Will the fire sprinkler system and/or the fire alarm system need to be disrupted during construction? If yes, what if any additional security measures will the government require e.g. fire watch, temporary fire alarms, adjustments to sprinkler heads, etc.	Va Miami does not think there will be any sprinkler or fire alarm system disruption with this project.
11	Does the Government have a fire alarm servicer that they currently work with? What is the name and contact information of the person or persons that will need to be coordinated with for security and fire alarm and suppression systems work and/or disruptions?	Yes, that information will be provided at Notice to Proceed.
12	Does the Government currently have a 3rd party testing service for those items requiring testing or is the contractor free to locate and hire applicable testing firms?	Contractor is free to hire applicabile subcontractor.
13	Describe any and all tasks that may be required for this project as it relates to infectious control?	ILSM / ICRA premitting only.

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14	What is the level of infectious disease control rating for this site?	Level II
15	Will the G.C. uninstall, store and reinstall wall protection?	Yes
16	Due to Hurricane Irma, we have not established communications with most of the subcontractors in the area. Will the VA take this into consideration for the due date?	See Question 2 response above.