

VA251-12-B-0193, GSHP Phase II (Project # 610-10-135)

RESPONSES TO RFI's

1. Who is the contractor (Control System Integrator) and their contact information?
[Answer: Havel Bros, Ft. Wayne, IN.](#)
2. What system (manuf.) has been standardized on for this campus?
[Answer: Schneider Electric I/A.](#)
3. Please clearly identify all abatement to be included.
[Answer: Assume no abatement. Will be addressed separately as project proceeds, if required.](#)
4. The last paragraph of Page 7 of the solicitation, requires that all on-site contractor personnel shall complete a yearly EPA sponsored environmental training... What is this training?
[Answer: Disregard.](#)
5. The wage determination included in the solicitation is for Heavy and Highway in lieu of Building Construction.
[Answer: The correct wage determination for this solicitation is Building IN120002 dated 8-3-2012 and is an attachment to this amendment.](#)
6. The well fields are hard to locate in the field based on the plan. Can you provide a more 'bird's eye' view?
[Answer: See Marion Bid Drawing 2 of 3.](#)
7. MH103 shows the geothermal supply and return lines from the well field entering into an area that is shown to be a basement. Upon field inspection, this area is a slab-on-grade and this room does not exist. Please revise the drawings accordingly.
[Answer: See revised drawing MH103 attached to this amendment.](#)
8. Please confirm that the VA is responsible to relocate existing VA items (shelving, supplies, filing cabinets, lockers, washer/dryer, etc.) that are blocking access for installation of the new work.
[Answer: VA to relocate miscellaneous equipment.](#)
9. In building 114, is the piping and equipment to be surface mounted?
[Answer: Yes.](#)
10. In building 173, there is not enough room in the storage closets for the pumps and water heater. Please review.
[Answer: Water heater is to replace existing in same location. Photos of the site indicate that pumps and manifold will fit in closet below louver if metal shelving is removed.](#)
11. For multiple well fields, it appears that multiple utilities are not shown on the drawings, especially the well field for building 52. Please review.
[Answer: Looks OK, will address if conflicting.](#)

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RESPONSES TO RFI's (cont.)

12. In building 170, is the piping and ductwork in the two-story area to be surface mounted?

Answer: Yes.

13. Please identify fire-rated and smoke-rated walls.

Answer: Assume no fire/smoke dampers required. We will address separately as project proceeds, if required.

14. The system from building 52 feeds a portion of building 51. Are flexible connections required at the expansion joint?

Answer: Yes.