

Amendment



April 22, 2013

To: **VA Central Iowa Health Care System**
Attn: **Greg Byrnes**
3600 30th Street
Des Moines, IA **50310-5885**

Re: Amendment #1
Exterior Signage Project
VA Project #636A6-12-101

Mr. Byrnes,

The following items should be included in the next amendment on the above referenced project:

Item 1: Refer to Drawing Sheet AS-2:

Modify this sheet as shown in the attached in order to correct several dimension conflicts and metric equivalents.

Item 2: Refer to Drawing Sheet AS-3:

Modify this sheet as shown in the attached in order to correct several dimension conflicts and metric equivalents.

Item 3: Refer to Drawing Sheet AS-4:

- A) Modify this sheet as shown in the attached in order to correct several dimension conflicts, correct several metric equivalents, and to modify the text for sign location 26.
- B) This sheet is also reissued in order to make much of the text that was unreadable more legible due to a plotting error.

Item 4: Refer to Drawing Sheet AS-5:

Modify the metric equivalent listed for the overall sign height of the sign at location 28 to be 1676 MM in lieu of 1981 MM.

Item 5: Refer to Drawing Sheet AS-8:

Modify this sheet as shown in the attached in order to delete the detail for sign EN-08.01 and to plot the text of the general notes larger to make them more legible.

Item 6: Refer to Drawing Sheet CI-1:

Add a general note "H" to read as follows:
Directives or notes in these documents to remove a sign shall mean that the sign and any associated post(s) are both to be removed.

Item 7: Refer to Drawing Sheet CI-2:

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Item 8: Refer to Drawing Sheet CI-3:

Add a general note "H" to read as follows:

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Item 9: Refer to Drawing Sheet CI-4:

A) Add a general note "H" to read as follows:

Directives or notes in these documents to remove a sign shall mean that the sign and any associated post(s) are both to be removed.

B) Delete flag note #5 from the drawing area near grid 6B

C) Replace the text of flag note #5 in the note area with "Not Used"

D) Fill in the flag note with a "#" symbol in it in the drawing area near grid 3C with "25".

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this information.

Todd Stahlnecker

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The following questions have been received on this project as of 4/19/2013:

Question: Sheets CI-1 through CI-4. On the sheet notes some say remove and replace with new sign. Does that mean we have to remove the whole sign post and all? Or are we leaving the existing post and just replacing the sign on the existing post?

Answer: The post and sign should both be replaced. Amendment 1 adds a general note to each of these drawings to clarify that.

Question: What is the last day to submit questions on this project?

Answer: Close of business on Friday, April 19th

Question: What is the bid date?

Answer: Unless amended, the current bid date is 1:00 PM CST on May 1st. Monitor the solicitation page on www.fbo.gov for any changes.

Question: Who do we submit bids to?

Answer: Refer to box #8 on the solicitation's first page. It has the address that the offers should be mailed to.

Question: In regards to details 12 on sheet AS-13 - is there a particular sign manufacturer called out as this is a very particular sign type detail.

Answer: No specific manufacture is being called for.

Question: We cannot read the dimensions on Sign 26 as the letters were blurry.

Answer: The "VA" logo letters are 2'-0" tall and the text below use 8" tall letters. Sheet AS-4 is reissued in the amendment to clarify all dimensions on this sheet.

Question: Note 5 on drawing number CI-4 states to install a new sign EN 08.02. There is a sign type EN 08.01 on drawing AS-8, but no illustration of a sign number EN 08.02. Is the EN 08.02 a typo (should it actually be EN 08.01)? If it is a different sign type, please provide the details.

Answer: Note 5 on sheet CI-4 is now removed in the amendment. The correct action at this location is covered by location 23A.

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