

## Requisition 1829 QA1

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**Question 1:** For your requisition #1829 a secondary prequalification of HMA Plant Inspection & Testing is included. However, under item D of MDOT's responsibilities it specifically states that MDOT will be performing the HMA Plant Inspection & Testing as they always have in the Metro Region. Is it your intention that the consultant perform this work or can it be removed from the RFP?

**Answer 1:** The HMA Plant Inspection & Testing service will be performed by MDOT.

**Question 2:** Pages 1 of 14 and 13 of 14 both reference "hours provided are only an estimate". There is reference made on Page 1 of 14 regarding that "For estimating purposes, the project(s) were considered full time at 5 days a week, 10 hours a day." May the anticipated number of consultant full time or part time staff (i.e. Delivery Engineer, Assistant Delivery Engineer, Project Engineer, Senior Inspector, Inspector, Office Technician, Tester, Surveyor, etc...) be shown as part of this RFP?

**Answer 2:** The information provided in the Scope of Services was for estimating purposes only as the specific construction projects and the details of the required services for those projects are not known at this time. Potential projects and details will be discussed with the selected vendor(s).

**Question 3:** The Page 2 of 14 of the RFP is showing an Estimated Construction Cost of \$55,800,000.00. May the list of anticipated project(s) that determined this amount be shown as part of this RFP.

**Answer 3:** See Answer 2.

**Question 4:** The Page 7 of 14 of the RFP is referencing that inspectors shall provide material testing equipment. Are ALL inspectors required to perform material testing services? May material testers be utilized to supplement the construction inspectors when approved by MDOT?

**Answer 4:** The selected vendor(s) shall have available certified inspectors and testers per the work groups listed in the Scope of Services. It is preferred that inspectors have testing certifications, however, not all inspectors will be required to perform material testing.