



City of Tacoma

## Questions and Answers

### Links to Opportunity Streetscape – Bid Package 3 RFB Specification No. PW23-0021F

All interested parties had the opportunity to submit questions in writing by email to Tina Eide, Senior Buyer by April 7, 2023. The answers to the questions received are provided below and posted to the City's website at [www.TacomaPurchasing.org](http://www.TacomaPurchasing.org). Navigate to [Current Contracting Opportunities](#) / *Public Works and Improvements Solicitations*, and then click *Questions and Answers* for this Specification. This information IS NOT considered an addendum. Respondents should consider this information when submitting their proposals.

**Question 1: Bid item R12 there is no definition for “roadside cleanup” What does it all include? Is it for sandblasting clean up?**

Answer 1: Roadside Cleanup is described in the WSDOT 2023 Standard Specification for Road, Bridge, and Municipal Construction. See Section 2-01.3(4) Roadside Cleanup for associated work that could be included in the bid item. The bid item is estimated and paid under Force Account as defined in Special Provision 1-09.6 Force Account. Sandblasting cleanup is included in the “4 inch Concrete Sandblasting Strip” item as discussed in 8-31 SIDEWALK SANDBLASTING.

**Question 2: B/I # R-91 CEMENT COLORED CONC - Can't find the color COT wants for the concrete?**

Answer 2: See Special Provisions Section 8-41.1 CEMENT CONCRETE COLORED SIDEWALK for description of colors and admixture.

**Question 3: In the Special Provisions, Section 8-43 Pedestrian Push Button Assembly is a section for Pedestrian Push Button Assembly. However there doesn't appear to be any on the plans and there isn't a bid item in the Summary of Quantity, but there is a measurement and payment section in the Special Provisions. Please clarify.**

Answer 3: Pedestrian Push Button Assembly are not proposed as part of Bid Package 3.

Traffic signal and cabling items were included because proposed improvements will require for various traffic signal hand holes and other utility structures to be adjusted and/or replaced due to proposed sidewalk and illumination improvements.