

**CITY OF PORTLAND, MAINE
Portland Exposition Building Drainage Improvements
Bid #5709**

Current Date: March 12, 2009

The attention of firms submitting proposals for the work named in the above Invitation is called to the following modifications to the documents as were issued.

The items set forth herein, whether of clarification, omission, addition and/or substitution, shall be included and form a part of the Contractor's submitted material and the corresponding Contract when executed. No claim for additional compensation, due to lack of knowledge of the contents of this Addendum will be considered.

ALL BIDDERS ARE ADVISED THAT RECEIPT OF THIS NOTICE MUST BE DULY ACKNOWLEDGED ON THE BID PROPOSAL FORM OR BY THE INSERTION OF THIS SHEET, SIGNED, AND SUBMITTED WITH YOUR PROPOSAL.

**MATTHEW F. FITZGERALD
PURCHASING MANAGER**

NOTE: The following is a response to questions recently received on this bid:

1. *On sheet S-01, detail 2, there is a note that states "Provide Handrail Along this Wall Full Extent of Ramp". Can the railing stop and start at the masonry column? Or does it need to be continuous?*

The railing must be continuous per the International Building Code 2006.

2. *There are no guardrails or handrails shown for the top of the retaining wall, doesn't ADA require one?*

No guardrails or handrails are required. International Building Code 2006, Section 1013-Guards defines the requirements and there is a specific exception for the loading side of loading docks.

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Receipt of **Addendum No. 2** to the City of Portland's **Bid#5709: Portland Exposition Building Drainage Improvements** is hereby acknowledged.

COMPANY: _____

NAME: _____

SIGNED BY: _____ DATE: _____

PRINT NAME & TITLE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

Zip Code