

## STATE OF MAINE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION 16 STATE HOUSE STATION AUGUSTA, MAINE 04333-0016

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COMMISSIONER

April 30, 2009 Subject: **Auburn** Federal Project No's. STP-1273(700)S & STP-1305(900)S State Pin No's.012737.00 & 013059.00 **Amendment No. 1** 

Dear Sir/Ms:

Make the following change to the Bid Document:

In the Bid Book, after page 79, **INSERT** the attached "SPECIAL PROVISIONS, SECTION 621, LANDSCAPE, (Plant Species Specification and Quantities List)", 1 page dated February 12, 2009.

The following questions have been received:

Question: I cannot find a plant list for Items 621.025 through 621.559?

Response: Please see the above change.

**Question:** Does any of the existing landscaping removed for excavation require replacement?

**Response:** Yes, there are landscape items, see the above question/change. Our landscape architect will locate plantings in the field prior to planting.

**Question:** Will the Contractor be required to take any surcharge loads in consideration from the parking lot in the design of the wall?

Response: Yes, surcharge load will need to be considered.

Consider these changes and information prior to submitting your bid on May 13, 2009.

Sincerely,

Scott Bickford

Contracts & Specifications Engineer

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## SPECIAL PROVISIONS SECTION 621 LANDSCAPE

(Plant Species Specification and Quantities List)

The following list of items provides the estimated quantities for use on this project. The scientific name of the plant material is provided along with the common name in parenthesis.

The contractor shall follow MDOT Standard Specifications Rev. December, 2002 for landscape materials and installation procedures (sec 621).

The MDOT Landscape Architect or his designee will be available to inspect plant materials and stake the location of plant materials at the time of planting.

Per Section 104.5.9 a separate Performance Bond will not be required for the Landscape portion of this contract. The requirement for a Maintenance Bond for a Two-Year Establishment period shall be required for the full amount of planting.

## **PLANT MATERIALS**

| ITEM NO | Description                                  | Unit | Quantity | Total |
|---------|--|------|----------|-------|
| 621.025 | Evergreen Trees 3' – 4' Group A              | Ea.  |          | 6     |
|         | Thuja occidentalis 'Nigra' (Nigra            |      | 6        |       |
|         | Arborvitae)                                  |      |          |       |
| 621.038 | Evergreen Trees 5' – 6' Group B              | Ea.  |          | 6     |
|         | Picea abies (Norway Spruce)                  |      | 6        |       |
| 621.126 | Small Deciduous Trees 1 3/4" – 2 " Group A   | Ea.  |          | 12    |
|         | Betula nigra (River Birch)                   |      | 6        |       |
|         | Malus 'Donald Wyman' (Crabapple)             |      | 6        |       |
| 621.540 | Deciduous Shrubs 18" – 24" Group A           | Ea.  |          | 86    |
|         | Rosa Rugosa (Beach Rose)                     |      | 86       |       |
| 621.552 | Deciduous Shrubs 3' – 4' Group A             | Ea.  |          | 24    |
|         | Chaenomeles speciosa 'Cameo' (Quince)        |      | 6        |       |
|         | Forsythia suspensa 'Meadowlark' (Forsythia)  |      | 6        |       |
|         | Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora ('Pee-Gee') |      | 6        |       |
|         | Philadelphus coronarius (Mock Orange)        |      | 6        |       |
| 621.558 | Deciduous Shrubs 4' – 5' Group A             | Ea.  |          | 6     |
|         | Syringa 'President Lincoln' (Hybrid Lilac)   |      | 6        |       |
| 621.559 | Deciduous Shrubs 4' – 5' Group B             |      |          | 6     |
|         | Amelanchier canadensis (Shadblow) Clump      |      | 3        |       |
|         | Hamamelis vernalis (Witchhazel)              |      | 3        |       |
| 621.8   | Two-Year Establishment Period                | LS   |          | LS    |
|         | Two-Year Maintenance Establishment Period    |      | LS       |       |