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TO ALL BIDDERS

BID NO. 19-01

SUBJECT: Spy Pond Edge & Erosion Control

ADDENDUM NO. 1

Clarifications Requested:

Q. Site Bench: Plan L6, detail 4 calls out a Dumor 6ft Backless Bench, but the specifications call out a Maglin MLB720B 6ft Bench. Which bench should be quoted?

A. The timber bench shall be Dumore 37-60 lpe Bench as documented on Detail4 Sheet L-7.

Q. Plant Material: There are two trees and six varieties of plugs on the plant schedule that New England Wetland plants does not grow, but they have offered native substitutes for. Would the following be acceptable?

Trees & Shrubs

5 Ostrya Virginiana – Sub with Prunus Virginiana #2 @ 3/4ft

42 Sassafrass Albidum – Sub with Hamamelis Virginiana #1 @ 18-24”

Footpath Restoration

75 Anemone Canadensis – Sub with Eurybia Divarcata (Increasing total of Eurybia to 225 plugs.)

25 Baptisia Tinctoria – Sub with Baptisia Australis

150 Desmodium – Sub with Liatris Spicata

25 Tradescantia ahiensis – Sub with Symphotrichum Novae-Angliae (Increasing total of SNA to 125 plugs.) BVW, Fascines & Bio-Basins

50 Anemone Canadensis – Sub with Eurybia Divarcata

10 Ludwigia Palustris – Sub with Nymphaea Odorata

A. The species Prunus virginiana is an acceptable substitution for the species Ostrya virginiana. The other substitution listed in the question are not acceptable. There are other nurseries that carry the species required.