



MEMORANDUM

Date May 19, 2021 To 3rd Street Project Bidders
Re. Bid RFI Response From Nico Wright, CMG Landscape
Architecture
Project Yerba Buena Gardens Perimeter – 3rd Street
Cc. Tony Pellegrini, Director of Operations and Capital Projects,
Yerba Buena Gardens Conservancy

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Responses to Bid RFI questions from Gardeners Guild

Reference attached *Request for Information, 5/14/21 from Kip Matthews, Operations Manager, Construction Division, Gardeners' Guild.*

1. Water test not required at concrete planters. Existing waterproofing to be protected in place.
2. Re-use of excavated soil is acceptable if it can be amended to meet the soil testing requirements in the specifications (reference 32 91 15 Landscape Soils On Structure and related specifications and drawings notes)
3. Confirmed, provided all permits for public way closures are acquired and all access to Moscone and Yerba Buena Gardens property is coordinated with the property owners.
4. Confirmed.
5. Confirmed. See revised drawings and specifications attached as Bid Addendum for updates to the scope related to the controller location.
6. 3rd tier concrete planter soil treatment to be grub and amendment (soil schedule S1 per L3.01). See drawing.
7. *Liriope gigantea*



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Request for Information

Today's date: 05-14-21

To: Tony Pellegrini, Director of Operations and Capital Projects
Project: Yerba Buena Gardens Perimeter – 3rd Street Project

General clarifications -

- 1) Water test required for excavated concrete planters, and will this service be provided by YBG?
- 2) Is re-use of excavated soil from concrete planters on slope acceptable.
- 3) Confirming required access to work areas include Moscone ramp and sidewalk between slope and ramp. Contractor to obtain necessary permits for blocking walkway and will coordinate with Moscone for access on ramp.
- 4) Depths for concrete planters, sloped areas and Dog Run to be ascertained by scaled sections /details on L6.01, L6.02, L7.0 and L7.02.
- 5) Confirm addition of (1) new controller to current, abandoned controller location at far south end of south side slope. YBG to confirm 120v power conduit is accessible and intact. This additional controller would be in place of utilizing existing controller and conduit path as per plan.
- 6) At upper/3rd tier concrete planter, between slopes with chain link fence to be excavated? Or will grub out and soil amendment be sufficient for this area. Note access is difficult with chain link fence in place.
- 7) Same chain link fence planter bed as above – plans call out (2) different plant types. Sheet L4.00 calls out Liriope gigantea and sheet L4.01 calls out Rhamnus californica. Which plant type will be used here?

Thank you for your quick response,

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