

**Responses to Maintenance Services RFP Questions
Received Prior to Close of Business September 27, 2017**

<u>No.</u>	<u>Questions</u>
55	<p>How can a subcontractor who is interested in working as a subcontractor under the new Maintenance Services Agreement find out which prime contractors are submitting proposals?</p> <p>Please refer to the pre-proposal meeting sign-in cards posted on ACTA's website to see which prime contractors attended the pre-proposal meeting. Please note that the pre-proposal meeting was not mandatory, and therefore, the sign-in cards may not reflect all potential proposers.</p>
56	<p>Can we schedule a time to hi-rail the ACTA corridor?</p> <p>ACTA is pleased to offer a ground tour of any number of specific Corridor locations upon request, but a hi-rail tour cannot be arranged due to the disruption it would cause to train operations. The hi-rail invitation would have to be extended to all proposers, thereby potentially increasing the number of trips and service disruptions. Proposers may contact Manny Hernandez at (562) 247-7073 with a list of locations they would like to tour. ACTA will then post the date and time for a ground tour on the ACTA website and request that proposers RSVP.</p> <p>A ground tour of the south end only of the Rail Corridor was requested by one of the proposers. The tour will be held at 9am on Wednesday October 4. All proposers are invited. Please refer to ACTA's website for details.</p>
57	<p>The RFP requires the Proposer to provide evidence of its ability to obtain appropriate performance and payment bonds, but we can find no bond requirement. Please clarify, is a performance bond and/or payment bond required and if so in what amounts?</p> <p>Please refer to RFP Section 5.4A Evidence of Bonding Capacity and Addendum #3 which will be issued October 3, 2017.</p> <p>Yes, a performance bond in the amount of \$6,000,000, and a payment bond in the amount of \$1,500,000 will be required for this Agreement to cover the estimated value of one year of Services under this Agreement. Proposer shall provide a notarized statement from a California admitted surety insurer with an AM Best's Guide rating of at least A-VIII, which states that the Contractor's current bonding capacity is sufficient to cover the Services under the Agreement. Please note that the draft Agreement will be revised to reflect these bond requirements and incorporate the executed performance bond and payment bond as part of the Agreement.</p>