

THE WATER WORKS & SEWER BOARD OF THE CITY OF  
ANNISTON

ADDENDUM NO. 1

MECHANICALLY CLEANED BAR SCREEN

ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

The following modifies, amends, and changes the Contract Documents and Specifications for the above-referenced project.

QUESTION 1

*Please provide the elevation of the operating floor level. You show an elevation off to the right but it is a lower elevation than the operating floor level.*

ANSWER 1

According to record information that we have, the elevation is 605.9. This information is given for the convenience of the bidder and should not necessarily be used in design. The bidder should include in his or her bid the cost of visiting the site and taking measurements if necessary to use for actual design as stated in Section 3.1.4.

QUESTION 2

*Please provide either the screen discharge height (the point at which the screenings are discharged from the top of the unit), or at least the elevation of the top of the conveyor. We assume the conveyor is "level", however, if it has a slope, then we would need elevations at both ends, or a view from the other direction from the section shown on the drawing. If you provide an additional view of the conveyor, please set the elevations at the low and high points across the channel to insure there is no interference with the back of the new screen.*

ANSWER 2

The height of the conveyor channel off of the floor at the centerline of the channel is approximately 4.5 feet. The belt is on a slight incline (about 5%) toward the discharge. Please refer to Question 1 concerning Section 3.1.4.

### QUESTION 3

*We request that there be a revision to Specification Section 2.7.1 by deleting the requirement for the manufacturer to supply the “grout”. That’s not normally the responsibility of the equipment supplier.*

### ANSWER 3

The intent of Section 2.7 is to ensure that the bid price includes all ancillary material costs needed for installation of your individual screen (except items that are explicitly excluded in Section 4). Ancillary material will vary from screen to screen, so including those items in the bid is an attempt on our part to obtain bid prices that will closely resemble our final material cost so that the low bid will actually be indicative of the lowest cost product. We prefer not to change this requirement.

This Addendum shall be attached and made a part of the Contract Documents and Specifications.