

**STATE OF ALASKA ITB NUMBER 25APSCS0520A
AMENDMENT NUMBER TWO**

RETURN THIS AMENDMENT TO THE ISSUING OFFICE AT:



Department of Public Safety
Division of Administrative Services
Address 5700 E Tudor Road
Anchorage, AK 99507

THIS IS NOT AN ORDER

DATE AMENDMENT ISSUED: July 10, 2025

ITB TITLE: Tsina Powerline Installation

Amendment One: Issued to provide changes to answer vendor-submitted questions

ITB OPENING DATE AND TIME: July 14, 2025 at 2:30 PM Alaska Time.

In order for your bid to be considered responsive, this amendment must be signed below and received by the issuing office with your bid prior to the time set for the bid opening.

Questions Submitted by Vendors

Question 1: What does the lower transformer do and where does it go?

Answer: It goes on the west side of the river so you only need to connect to a JBOX on the east side and one connection to a transformer at the top.

Question 2: Are all the underground and the bore is already in place and is not in contract?

Answer: Anything west of the river is being worked through our partner and can be coordinated later if you are interested in additional work too. Our Scope is east side of the river to mountain top only for now.

Question 3: Are there any fiber optic lines we need to look out for on the proposed ROW path?

Answer: No the fiber is on the west side of the river.

Question 4: Is there any secondary work to be done?

Answer: Yes, possibly with our partners. Possible fiber installation alone with the power cable. Possible boring and work on the west side through our partners and can coordinated contacts after project is awarded.

Question 5: Does a handheld GPS work in the area or will special equipment be required?

Answer: Handheld works.

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Question 6: Do the new transformers require new pads, and if so are they supplied?

Answer: This is a new installation and not a replacement as previously stated but corrected, so yes they would need a pad. For this project, only one transformer on the top is needed. Transformer provided.

Question 7: Can the state provide a laydown area close by for project staging?

Answer: The Thompson Pass DOT camp just south of the project would be best to work out of.

Question 8: Are there any known LZ's cleared in advance of the project?

Answer: Yes, Thompson Pass DOT camp and a large pull out around mile 42 that we have used in the past to refuel the site.

Question 9: Will traffic control be required for Helo operations and if so can the SOA provide it?

Answer: No traffic control needed that we know of or have used in the past in that area. No SOA will not provide that.

Question 10: My understanding was there is only a Junction box at base of hill on East side of river. Second transformer is located west side of the Hwy next to the Taps ROW. This ITB only covers (1) transformer at top of hill. Can you confirm? There will be a JBOX.

Answer: Yes that is correct. One JBOX connection to do on the east side of the river and one transformer connection at the top.



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NAME OF COMPANY

SIGNATURE

DATE