



U N I V E R S I T Y O F
SOUTH CAROLINA

Amendment No.3

TO: ALL VENDORS

FROM: William (Dennis) Gallman

SUBJECT: USC-IFB-DG-3038/ Provide all Labor, Materials and Equipment for Athletic Field Maintenance for the USC Strom Thurmond Wellness Center & Blatt PE Center

DATE: October 17 2012

This Amendment No. 3 modifies the IFB only in the manner and to the extent as stated herein.

ITEM ONE CLARIFICATIONS TO QUESTIONS PRESENTED BY VARIOUS VENDORS

- 1) Due to the fact that the contract is scheduled to start on November 1 2016, and that the specifications require that the over-seeding be completed during the month of October will this be completed by the current contractor for the 2016 fall season? If not, will this be done as an additional charge to the contract as that would require the new contractor to have the expense of 2 seedings in year one of the contract as opposed to the 1 that is actually listed in the specifications.

Answer: I do not have an answer for this. Charles (current contractor) said that if he did not get the contract that he probably wouldn't do it. But either way, dependent on the price, we will work with the contractor to ensure that it is done.

- 2) Can the University provide a site map with the exact areas to be maintained highlighted or designated somehow as part of this bid packet? There was discrepancy in the areas to be maintained as part of No 2 Normal Turf Maintenance at the Wellness Center.

Answer: The square footage has been verified, and at the Strom Thurmond WFC it includes all of the turf/grass within the sidewalks. We have also verified the square footage of the PE Center. We will need to increase the area receiving "normal" maintenance to approximately 28,000 sq. ft.

A map is attached.

- 3) March application for Fireant Control can you please specify the exact product that you are requiring as you have done on all of the other chemical line items?

Answer: Top Choice would be preferred, or a similar product contacting Fipronil.

4. Please clarify that a 3-5 gang reel mower is required.

Answer: Removing as much of the grass clippings as possible is very important for us, so it must be no less than 3, but can be greater than 5.

5. Is the court yard between field #3 and #4 included in this contract?

Answer : NO

BIDDER SHALL ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF ADMENTMENT NO. 3 IN THE SPACE PROVIDED BELOW AND RETURN IT WITH THEIR BID RESPONSE. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY SUBJECT BID TO REJECTION.

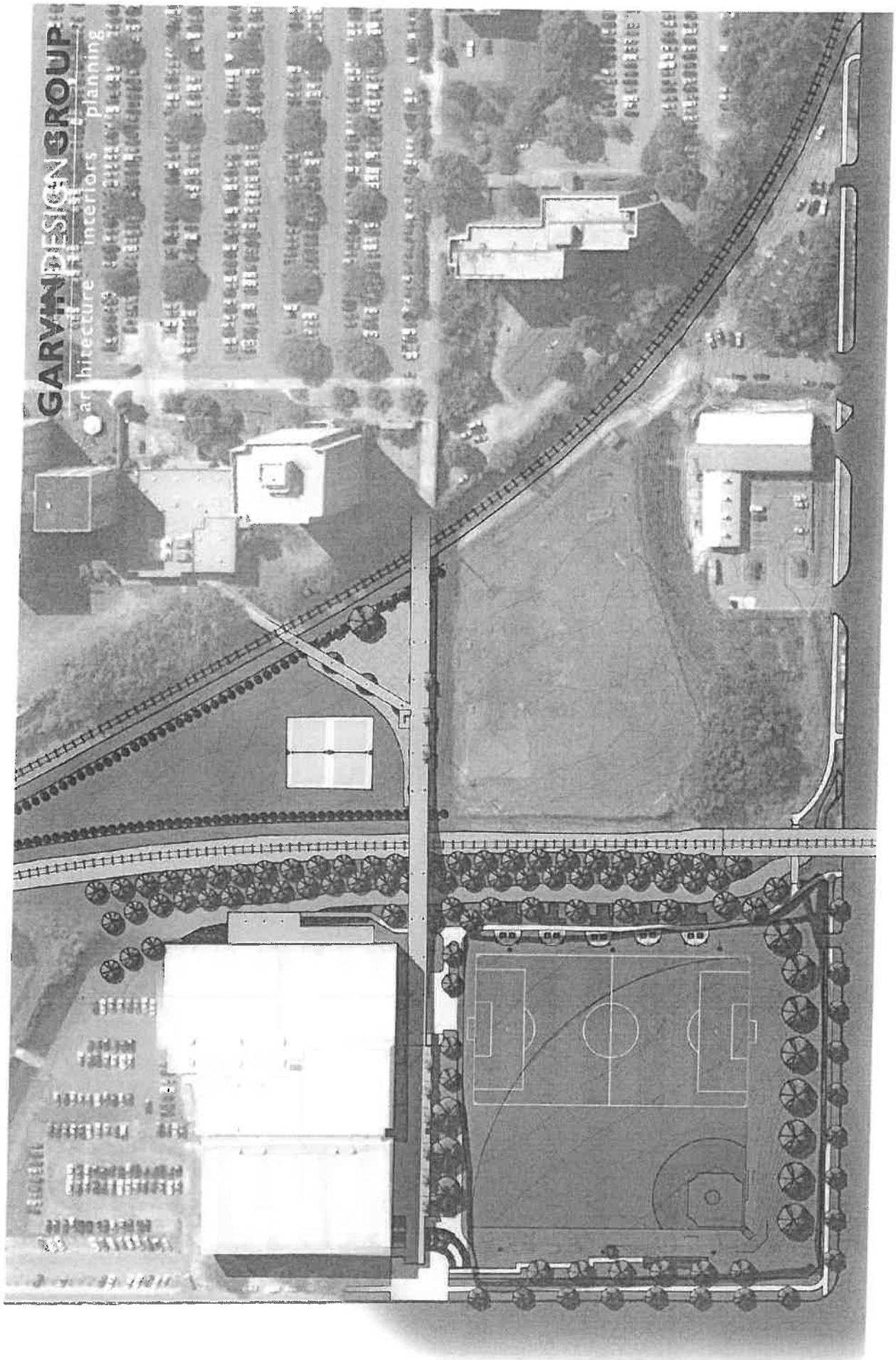
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