



Humboldt County Resource Conservation District

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ADDENDUM #1

RELEASE DATE: June 24, 2025

PROJECT TITLE: Post Fire Six Rivers 2022 Restoration Project Phase 1

The purpose of this Addendum is to modify the Contract Documents for the subject project. This Addendum shall become part of said Contract Documents.

THE FOLLOWING ITEM REFERS TO GENERAL

Item 1. EXPERIENCES AND QUALIFICATIONS and EXHIBIT B:

Provide two (2) professional references who can attest to CONTRACTOR's qualifications and experience. Provide both a phone number **and email address** for each reference.

Professional Reference 1	Name	Affiliation	Telephone Number
	Email Address		
Professional Reference 2	Name	Affiliation	Telephone Number
	Email Address		

Item 2. BIDDERS' QUESTIONS AND HCRCD RESPONSES:

1. Should firewood logs be processed on-site or off-site?

Firewood logs will be processed on-site or off-site; this is up to the Contractor's discretion. All commercialized firewood and sawlogs should not have any leaf or branches attached, and only boles over 8" in diameter will be shipped for firewood and 5" for sawlogs. All non-merchantable sized material should be treated onsite to the permit specifications.

2. Is there a specified destination firewood logs are to be hauled to?

Yes. Firewood will be hauled to the yard behind Almquist Lumber Company, or to a yard in Samoa. Other destinations may be chosen before implementation of this contract and will be conveyed to the Contractor.

- 3. Are firewood logs to be processed enough to fit into dump trucks?**
Yes. Firewood logs should be processed so that they can be transported in dump trucks. Firewood being delivered to Samoa should be in long logs capable of being loaded onto a logging truck.
- 4. Is there a set percentage of saw logs vs firewood logs vs green waste to be generated through project activities?**
No. This is up to the Contractor's discretion. Merchantability will be determined by the Contractor. All non-merchantable sized material should be treated onsite to the permit specifications.
- 5. Is profit generated from saw logs part of the Contractor's subsidy?**
No. Any profits generated from saw logs will feed back into the grant.
- 6. Is dust control required?**
No.
- 7. Can charred logs be used for firewood logs?**
Yes.
- 8. Can tracked equipment be used on the road?**
Yes. Contractor can use tracked equipment on the property's access road, but not on paved or improved roads leading into the property. Any excessive damage to roads caused by tracked equipment will be the responsibility of the Contractor to correct.
- 9. Should charred oaks be retained?**
Yes. Living true oaks should be retained even if charred.
- 10. How deep is the powerline buried?**
The powerline is buried at least 2 feet below the surface. Further details will be provided to the Contractor before work begins.
- 11. What is the voltage of the powerline?**
This information will be provided to the Contractor before work begins.
- 12. Have archaeology and biology surveys been done for the property?**
Archaeology surveys will be completed before work begins. Biological surveys are complete.
- 13. Has the site been logged in the past?**
While no records of past Timber Harvests exist for this property, historic logging has occurred.
- 14. Do water bars on skid trails need to be rebuilt?**
Yes, water bars are needed on the permanent access road and skid trails that are utilized by the Contractor. Any skid trails not used do not need to have water bars installed unless directed by the RPF or HCRCD representative.
- 15. What is the slope cutoff for constructing skid trails?**
Skid trails can be built on areas up to 40% slope. On 40-50% slope only use existing skid trails. Over 50% slope, no heavy equipment operations without the use of tethering.
- 16. Is there a certain length or diameter required for material to count as firewood logs?**
Material to be considered for firewood should be a minimum of 5 feet long and 8" diameter on the small end.
- 17. Can logs be staged at locations other than the property?**
Please refer to Question #1.
- 18. Can the crew camp on-site?**
No.

19. How many Phases are planned for the Six Rivers Lightning Complex 2022 Post Fire Restoration Project?

Future phases of the Six Rivers Lightning Complex 2022 Post Fire Restoration Project will occur as funding allows, likely 2-3 additional phases of work.

20. Can Contractors dispose of material through burn piles?

Yes.

21. Is a certified burn boss needed to burn piles?

No.

22. Can the Contractor choose to subcontract a burn boss?

Yes, subcontracting is up to the Contractor's discretion.

23. Is broadcast burning an option for slash treatment?

Yes.

24. Can a Contractor submit multiple bids with different prescriptions?

Yes.

25. Why is the small area along the southern edge of the property excluded from treatment?

This area contains a culvert and riparian area.

26. Will the Contractor be able to hold traffic on Peach Tree Lane if needed?

Yes, Contractor can hold traffic if needed for reasonable intervals of time.

27. Can chips be blown downslope off Peach Tree Lane?

Potentially. Further details will be provided to the Contractor before work begins.

28. What is expected of Contractors on Red Flag days?

Contractor is not to work on Red Flag days.