



March 24, 2023

DEWEY PARK EMBRACE AND BELONGING CONCRETE FOUNDATION CONSTRUCTION REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

Addendum 1

The following information is forwarded to all interested bidders for the above-referenced project.

BID DATE: Wednesday, March 29th 2023

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1. What is the requested finish of the concrete pad?
 - Simple brush finish
2. The supplied information requests a pad that in one place is requested as dead level and in another place as sloping towards the outside edge, can you confirm which it is?
 - The artist requests that the pad is a watch glass surface. With at least an inch height in the center in relation to the outside edge, resulting in a 1"/96" or 1% slope. However, the foundation is level relative to the surrounding ground to ensure that the work sits vertically on its footings.
3. Is the 10 inch depth of the pad a requirement? If an engineer signs off on a different design (e.g. a foundation style construction instead of a pad, or a structurally approved thinner pad) would that be permissible?
 - The underground design of the foundation can be adapted within certain margins as long as it meets the engineering and design requirements of the artwork. The artist in consultation with an engineer decided that 10 inches thick was a conservative estimate to accomplish the three main criteria: Ballast to provide adequate weight for the wind load, enough thickness to not crack/break under the pressure from the wind, adequate depth for the anchor bolts to purchase.
 - If an engineer can provide assurance that an alternative design would still accomplish those priorities, we will entertain an alternative design.
4. Will the lighting cans be provided to the contractor?
 - Yes – the artist will provide them shortly after the contract is signed.
5. Where does the power come into the park? Does it cross any sidewalks?
 - The power comes into a below ground, accessible connections in the western point of the park (Spring and Archibald). And No, it does not cross a sidewalk or any pavement before reaching the project.
6. Does the City have a disposal site for any "urban soil" excavated with this project?
 - There is not a city location that would be available for this project. Soil condition will need to be tested and assessed where it needs to be disposed.

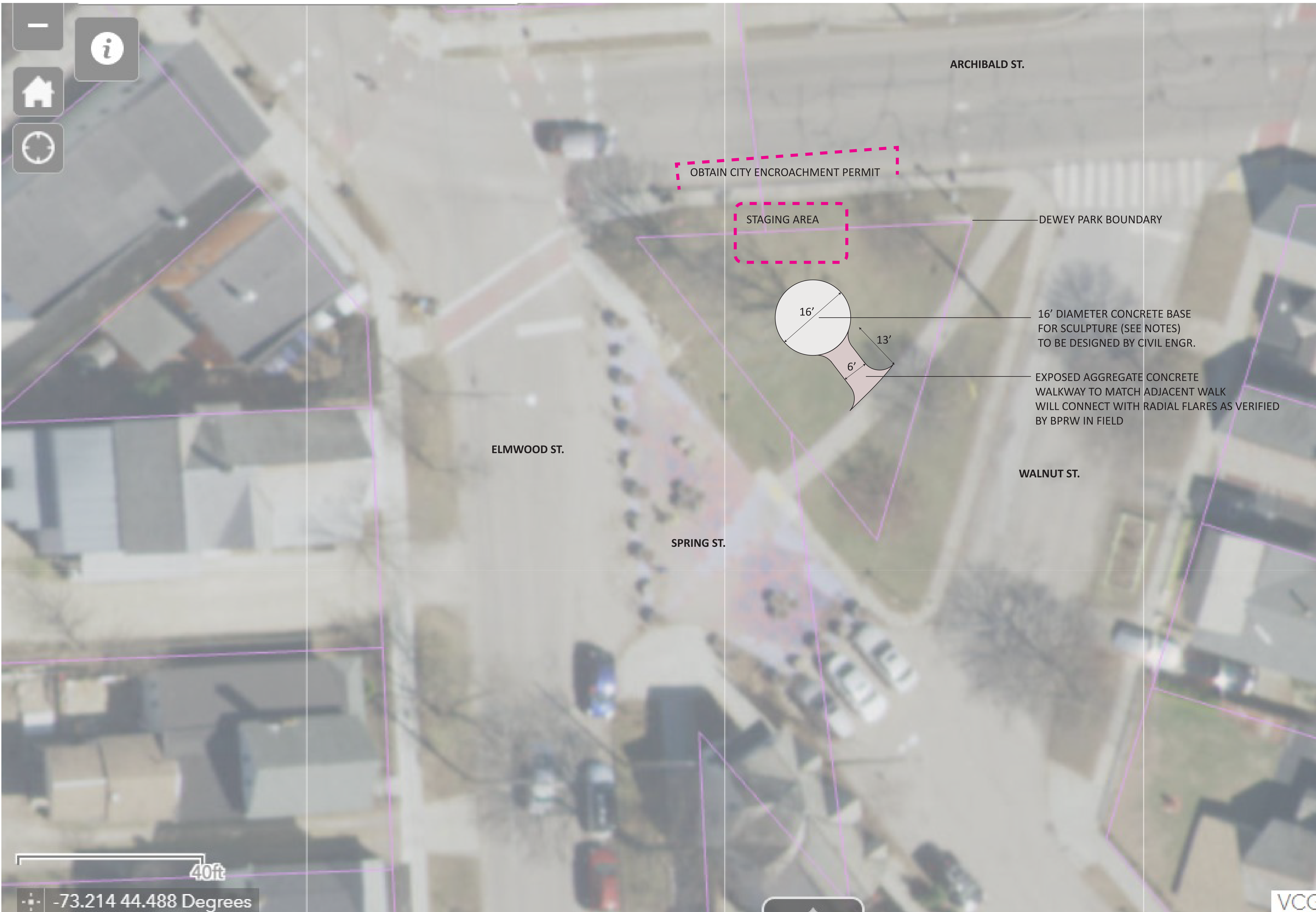
7. How will meetings and review comments be handled? Will there be one set of consolidated comments delivered to the design/build team? Or is the design/build team responsible for balancing the input from multiple stakeholders?
 - The city will work with the system that the contractor's preferred comment system. That system can be established at the onset of the contract.

8. Has there been recent survey work performed for the site? If so, will it be shared with the awarded contractor? It will save the contractor from having to survey the site if it can be made available and used to create the site drawing.
 - No, there is not an up-to-date survey work of the area. If an unrelated contractor finishes their work in time we will supply the information, however this cannot be guaranteed.

Ad Alternate: Pathway Connection

Please include an add alternative bid for the construction of an integrated, accessible pathway that matches the existing pathway in Dewey Park and connects the central pathway to the foundation. The pathway will be exposed aggregate concrete walkway to match adjacent walk and it will connect with radial flares as verified by BPRW in the field. See Appendix 1.

Appendix 1: Dewey Park draft site plan, includes add Alt pathway.



40ft
-73.214 44.488 Degrees

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DEWEY PARK 'INCLUSION & BELONGING' SCULPTURE SITE WORK PLAN

SCALE 0 10' 20' 40'
NORTH ▲

