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### ADDENDUM NO. 1

**To: ALL PROPOSAL HOLDERS**  
**FINANCIAL ITEM NUMBER: 423781 1 72 22**  
**CONTRACT NUMBER: E3Z64-R0**

DESCRIPTION: The improvements under this Work Document-Driven Contract consist of providing all labor, materials, equipment, herbicide, and incidentals necessary for maintenance of Wildflower Areas throughout District Three on a call-out basis. All wildflower seeds will be provided by the Department. This contract has a budgetary estimate of \$250,000.00. Contractor Experience Form Number 850-070-09 (Landscaping) is required to be submitted with bid.

If you are a PROPOSAL HOLDER, this is your authorization to make the following changes to the plans and specification packages you now have for the subject project:

#### **The following Plans revisions have been made to the Specifications Package**

**Page 1: Cover page with Intent and Scope. Replace it with the attached page 1;**  
**Page 2: Table of Contents. Replace it with the attached page 2;**  
**Pages 30 through 33: Replace pages 30 through 33 with the attached pages 30 through 33.**

Please use this revision when preparing your bid.

Electronic Bids will be received until 10:00 a.m. local time on June 11, 2026 in the District Three Procurement Services Office, Administration Building, 1074 Highway 90, Chipley, Florida. 32428

#### AMENDMENT NOTIFICATION

If you are a PROPOSAL HOLDER, please go to the CPP Online Ordering System at [CPP.Web](http://CPP.Web) to download E3Z64 Amendment No. 1, file [E3Z64.001](#).

Also, all PROPOSAL HOLDERS please acknowledge receipt of the addendum under the Acknowledgement of Amendments tab on your electronic bid.

If you have any further questions, please contact Roland Ybarra by phone at (850) 330-1364 or by email at [roland.ybarra@dot.state.fl.us](mailto:roland.ybarra@dot.state.fl.us).

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SPECIFICATIONS PACKAGE

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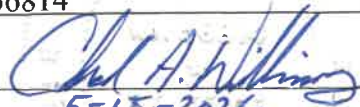
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DISTRICT THREE  
DISTRICT WIDE

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The FY 2025-26 Edition of the Florida Department of Transportation Standard Specifications is revised as follows: Special Provisions

*I hereby certify that this specifications package has been properly prepared by me, or under my responsible charge, in accordance with procedures adopted by the Florida Department of Transportation.*

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**WILDFLOWERS.  
(REV 04-16-26)**

The following new Section is added at the end of Section 571

**SECTION 576  
WILDFLOWERS**

**576-1 Description.**

Perform seeding and/or maintenance of existing wildflower areas as indicated on the Work Documents. Prepare and seed new wildflower area at locations indicated on the Work Documents.

**576-2 Materials.**

Meet the following requirements:

Turf Materials .....Section 981

Fertilizer.....Section 982

Water.....Section 983

Any required wildflower seed will be provided by the Department to the Contractor. Locations, species and rates to be used will be detailed in the Work Document.

**576-3 Methods.**

**576-3.1 Layout:** The location of wildflower area as shown on the Work Document, are approximate. Make no changes to the area layout, materials or any variations of plant materials provided on the Work Documents without the Engineer's written approval.

**576-3.2 Repair and Restoration:** Repair and restore existing areas disturbed by reseeding or maintenance activities. Where new turf is required to restore and repair disturbed areas, meet the requirements of Section 570.

**576-3.3 Disposal of Debris:** Remove and dispose of all debris generated from reseeding and/or maintenance activities at the end of each day's work and in compliance with all Federal, State and Local Rules and Regulations.

**576-4 Wildflower Seed Installation.**

Furnish and apply herbicide as indicated in the Work Documents to treat all undesirable vegetation in wildflower areas. All herbicide treatment should be conducted according to 576-5. Mechanically scalp and then remove clippings from site two days prior to planting or as directed by the Engineer. Cut wildflower areas to a height of 1 inch or less.

Plant seeds using a drill seeder with a no-till apparatus or by broadcast application. When utilizing the broadcast application method, broadcast the seed with a rotary spreader and then roll with a turf roller. When using a drill seeder, planting depth must be between 1/8 to 1/4 inch deep. Equipment must be calibrated to ensure that the specified pounds of seed per acre are dispensed properly.

Take care to not unnecessarily disturb the soil prior to or after seed application. After seed is planted, no machinery is to travel over planted areas until directed by the Engineer.

### **576-5 Wildflower Area Maintenance.**

Keep the individual wildflower locations and wildflower planting areas free of litter and undesirable vegetation.

Mow grass or vegetation in wildflower areas with conventional mowing equipment unless otherwise specified in the Work Documents. Comply with the current edition of the Department's "A Guide for Roadside Vegetation Management".

**Large Machine Mowing:** Mow wildflower areas using large machine mowing equipment capable of mowing at various heights. Mow 3 to 4 weeks after wildflowers bloom and set seed and mow up to once per month until wildflower plants begin to grow again seasonally. Follow the Engineer's direction as indicated in the Work Documents when conducting mowing operations for each site. Care should be taken to avoid transporting tropical soda apple, cogon grass, and any other noxious weed seed or root fragments to the wildflower sites.

**Small Machine Mowing:** Use small machine mowing equipment, such as, but not limited to, hedge trimmers, string trimmers, and lawnmowers, in areas not accessible by large machinery, or in areas requiring greater detail than could be provided with large machinery. Selectively mow weeds and turf within wildflower areas to accentuate wildflower aesthetics. Extreme caution must be used to not damage wildflower plants.

Litter Removal will be incidental to the type of mowing performed. Apply a grass specific herbicide to control undesirable grass species in wildflower plots. Apply post-emergence to problematic grasses as a spot treatment or as an application over the entire area. Use herbicides with active ingredients fluazifop-p-butyl, clethodim, sethoxydim, or fenoxaprop, following all instructions from the manufacturer's label. Combining these products is permitted if allowed by the product label.

Apply post-emergent herbicide as a spot treatment to various weeds in a wildflower area. Herbicide shall be applied selectively, minimizing any damage to wildflower plants. Specific weed species will be targeted. The treatment method to be utilized will be specified in the Work Documents.

Before application, thoroughly clean out the chemical application system being used, ensuring that residues from other chemicals/herbicides will not contaminate the herbicide solution.

Remove weeds manually by hand, with minimal soil disturbance, when growing in and around wildflowers that preclude the use of herbicides. The physical removal of the entire weed plant, including roots, is expected.

### **576-6 Disposal of Surplus Materials and Debris.**

Remove from the job site any surplus material or debris unless otherwise directed by the Engineer. Surplus is defined as material not needed after planting or maintenance of wildflowers per the Work Documents.

### **576-7 Method of Measurement.**

**576-7.1 Wildflower Seed Installation:** The quantity to be paid will be the acres of wildflower seeds planted.

**576-7.2 Wildflower Maintenance:** The quantity to be paid will be in accordance with the following:

1. The number of acres of small machine mowing or large machine mowing completed.
2. The number of acres of strip application herbicide furnished and applied.

3. The number of acres of spot application herbicide furnished and applied.
4. The number of acres of manual weed removal performed.

**576-8 Basis of Payment.**

**576-8.1 Wildflower Seed Installation:** Payment will be full compensation for all labor, materials, equipment and incidentals for mowing, herbicide applications, , mechanical scalping, removal of clippings from wildflower areas, seed installation, and installation/maintenance of protective signs ( where necessary).

**576-8.2 Wildflower Area Maintenance:** Payment will be full compensation for all labor materials, equipment and incidentals necessary to perform the following activities when required by the Engineer: remove and dispose of litter; mowing of wildflower areas; remove, hand-pull, or treat with herbicide, various weeds or woody/herbaceous exotic species from wildflower areas.

**576-8.3 Payment:** Price and payment will be full compensation for all work and materials specified in this Section, including all ancillary work and materials necessary to meet the Contract requirements. Payment will be made in accordance with the items shown in the Bid Price Proposal.

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