ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

II. CHANGES TO DOCUMENTS
A. SUPPLEMENTARY INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS
   i. Replace Supplementary Instructions to Bidders in its entirety with attached revised Supplementary Instructions to Bidders.

III. CLARIFICATIONS
   i. Q: Can the University provide the sign schedules as an excel file?
      A: No. Please use the signage schedules sorted as provided in sections 10 14 40.01 and 10 14 40.02.
SUPPLEMENTARY INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Contract Time will be the number of days between the date specified for the commencement of work in the Notice to Proceed and the calendar date specified in the bidding documents for the completion of the entire Project. However, the Contract Time will be no less than the number of days between the latest date specified for the commencement of the Prime Trade Contract in the Preliminary Master Schedule and the calendar date specified in the bidding documents for the completion of the entire Project and no more than the number of days between the earliest date specified for the commencement of the Prime Trade Contract in the Preliminary Master Schedule and the calendar date specified in the bidding documents for the completion of the entire Project.

2. Requests for clarification or interpretation of the Bidding Documents must be in writing and received by Tuesday, March 26, 2012 at 4:00 P.M. Questions received after the above-noted deadline may be answered at the discretion of the University’s Representative. Questions may be E-Mailed only:

   Jessica Duffy – University of California, Merced
   email: jduffy2@ucmerced.edu

Revisions, additions or deletions will be made by written addenda issued by Physical Planning Design & Construction only.

3. A MANDATORY Pre-Bid Conference will be conducted on Monday, March 25, 2013 beginning promptly at 2:00PM. Participants shall meet at the address below.

   University of California, Merced
   767 E. Yosemite Ave, Suite C
   Merced California 95340

   If you need accommodations related to disabilities, please call Jessica Duffy at (209) 228-4479 at least 3 working days prior to Pre-Bid Conference or Bid Opening.

4. Bids will be received on or before the Bid Deadline and only at:

   **Overnight Delivery or Hand Delivery ONLY:**

   University of California, Merced
   767 E. Yosemite Ave, Suite C
   Merced, CA 95340

   Or by US Mail at:

   University of California, Merced
   Physical Planning, Design & Construction
   5200 N Lake Road
   Merced, CA 95343

5. Bids will be opened at:

   **Tuesday, April 2, 2013**
   (See advertisement for details)
   767 E Yosemite Ave, Suite C
   Merced, CA 95340
6. Contractor will be assessed as liquidated damages the sum of **$500.00** for each day the Work remains incomplete beyond the expiration date of the Contract Time. After Substantial Completion, the rate for liquidated damages shall be reduced to **$250.00** per day. See Article 5 of the Agreement for detailed requirements.

7. There are no prequalification requirements for Bid Release 4.