

**Fire Protection Upgrades
Halifax Elementary School
464 Plymouth Street
Halifax, MA 02338**

**Habeeb & Associates Architects
H&A Job No. 1614.01**

**ADDENDUM NO. 02
January 30, 2019**

The attention of Bidders submitting proposals for the above subject project located in Halifax, MA, is called to the following Addendum to the Contract Documents. The items set forth herein, whether of omission, addition, substitution, or clarifications are all to be included in and form a part of the proposal submitted. This Addendum consists of one (1) type-written page

THE NUMBER OF THIS ADDENDUM (02) MUST BE ENTERED IN THE APPROPRIATE SPACE PROVIDED ON DOCUMENTS IN THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS:

SECTION 00 4123 - FORM FOR GENERAL BID
SECTION 00 4124 - FORM FOR FILED SUB BID.

A. General:

1. The bid deadline for Filed Sub-Bids is extended to **Friday, February 1, 2019 at 4pm.**
2. The bid deadline for GC Bids is extended to **Friday February 8, 2019 at 4pm.**

B. Request for Information Questions and Responses:

1. **QUESTION:** Can you please provide the Seismic Design Category?

If designated as a Seismic Design Category "A" or "B", will seismic bracing be required for the fire protection scope 210001? Per the Mass State Building Code 780CMR 9th Edition, and ASCE 7 (2010) (paragraph 13.1.4.4), seismic bracing may be eliminated in buildings that fall under Seismic Design Category "A" or "B". Except in specific cases like Emergency shelters, or the like.

RESPONSE: The Seismic Design Category is B.
Seismic bracing is not required for the project.

All other portions of the Contract Documents remain unchanged.

Please be reminded to acknowledge this Addendum the bid forms.

END OF ADDENDUM # 02