December 10, 2012

To: All Interested Bidders

Re: Disaster Debris Removal and Management RFQ
Addendum #1 – Addition of Subsection 1.3.1

The following constitutes Addendum #1 to the above-referenced RFQ with the addition of Subsection 1.3.1. It is the bidder's responsibility to ensure that all changes are incorporated into the original RFQ.

All other instructions, terms and conditions of the RFP shall remain the same.

SECTION TO BE ADDED TO THE RFQ:

1.3.1 PREVAILING WAGE REQUIREMENTS

Bidders are advised that in addition to fulfilling the State prevailing wage requirements at N.J.S.A. 34:11-56.25 et seq., as mentioned in Subsection 3.8.1, Temporary Debris Management Areas, General Requirements, the Contractor(s) is required to perform all construction work in accordance with Federal prevailing wage requirements set forth in the Davis-Bacon and Related Acts at 40 USC §276(a) and 29 CFR Parts 1, 3, 5, 6 and 7 as FEMA assistance will be used for some or all work performed under this Contract. The Contractor and every Subcontractor must then pay the greater of the State prevailing wage rates and the federal prevailing wage rates as issued by the Secretary of Labor, on a classification by classification basis. Contractors shall be required to pay wages not less than once a week. Further, Contractor(s) is required to comply with the Copeland "Anti-Kickback" Act at 40 USC §276c and 18 USC §874, which prohibits contractors from in any way inducing an employee to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is entitled under his or her contract of employment, and requires contractors to submit a weekly statement of the wages paid to each employee performing Davis-Bacon covered work. This merely constitutes a summary of the requirements under Davis-Bacon and the Copeland Acts; Contractors are required to be knowledgeable of all requirements under this Acts and perform all construction work in compliance with these requirements.