

RFQ-086

Questions & Answers #1 thru #7

1. What is the basement ceiling height?  
***Basically 9' with exposed ducting and misc. cable trays running throughout.***
2. Is the ceiling drop down or hard surfaced?  
***The ceiling is hard surface.***
3. It appears that the existing panel is recessed, however in the RFP it states surfaced mounted?  
***Yes, the panel is recessed. Wiring will be surface mounted once leaving the panel.***
4. Conduit. Are you expecting drywall remove above the panel to gain access for additional circuits to be added? (drywall removal may not be necessary for drop down ceiling).  
***Walls are CMU. We would be fine if you gained access from top or bottom sides of the existing panel, you will need to drill through the CMU.***
5. Regarding attachment B, how far is the electrical panel in relations to P12 or P11? Is this a continuation from attachment A? Please provide clarification.  
***From Panel to pillar P3 = approximately 17'1" + from pillar P3 to pillar P12 = approximately 51' 6" = Total estimated distance between pillar P12 & the panel = 68' 7"***  
***From pillar P12 to pillar P13 = approximately 14' 2" + 68' 7" to panel = Total estimated distance between pillar P13 & the panel = 81' 9"***
6. Regarding attachment C, how far is the existing outlet in the conference room that we will extend power from to the new outlet on the NW side of pillar?  
***Distance between pillar & outlet if you include going from ceiling down the wall to the outlet = Total distance of approximately = 28'***
7. I expect that this RFP will be executed during normal business hours and an outage will be scheduled during normal business hours to safely work in the panel when adding circuits. Is this your expectation? Will this outage cause any concerns for employees or customers?  
***Yes, we expect work to be done during normal M-F 7 to 5 business hours. My assumption will be that you will run all of the wires prior to connecting to the panel and that it will be a minimum of time down for staff. The panel does not affect customers.***