

ADDENDUM NO. 2.14 To the Contract Documents

**REVISED BID OPENING DATE – September 29, 2009  
FOR BID PACKAGE 2.02 and  
BID PACKAGE 2.10 ONLY – October 13, 2009**

**SOCIAL SCIENCES AND MANAGEMENT BUILDING,  
BID RELEASE TWO REBID, PROJECT NO. 900060  
UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, MERCED CAMPUS, MERCED CALIFORNIA**

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***BIDDER ACKNOWLEDGES RECEIPT OF THIS ADDENDUM BY SIGNING BID FORM***

**ADDENDA 2.1 THUR 2.7 ARE VOID  
AND DO NOT APPLY TO BID RELEASE TWO REBID.**

REVISE THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS AS FOLLOWS:

**NOTE: The Bid Date has been changed to  
October 13 at 2pm for Bid Package 2.02 Grading,  
Paving and Site Utilities and Bid Package 2.10  
Storefront and Glazing ONLY**

**Note: The location at which the bids will be received  
for Bid Package 2.02 Grading, Paving and Site  
Utilities and Bid Package 2.10 Storefront and Glazing  
on October 13, 2009 has changed to the following:**

Address: Promenade Building,  
767 E Yosemite Ave, Suite M, Merced, CA 95340

Directions:

From the South - highway 99 take 'G' Street off ramp turn right to Yosemite Avenue, turn right onto Yosemite Ave, turn left on Paulson Avenue.

From the North - highway 99 take Martin Luther King off ramp, turn left on 'G' street to Yosemite Avenue, turn right onto Yosemite Ave, turn left on Paulson Avenue.

REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

2.14-01 QUESTION: (Bid Package 2.10) This issue applies to all of the window openings greater than 10'2" in height (approx 49 openings; 10,900 SF; 62% of the project). Given the design criteria, mullion heights, and mullion spacing, all systems greater than 10'2" in height will not meet the design criteria. The specified Kawneer Trifab VG451T 2" x 4½" profiled system cannot achieve the required I-values to resist the loads imposed, the mullions are overstressed, and the forces at each anchor point exceed the limits of the extrusion material strength. The steel reinforcing required to meet I values will not fit within the 451 system, it is too small. One simple solution is to provide a curtain wall system, Kawneer 1600 Wall with a 6" overall profile in lieu of the specified storefront Kawneer Trifab VG451-T with 4½" overall depth. The 1600 Wall can accommodate the design criteria, mullion heights, and mullion spacing without issue, and with enough room for required steel reinforcing.

ANSWER: Addendum 2.15 will be issued addressing these concerns.

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