

KLICKITAT COUNTY  
**PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT**

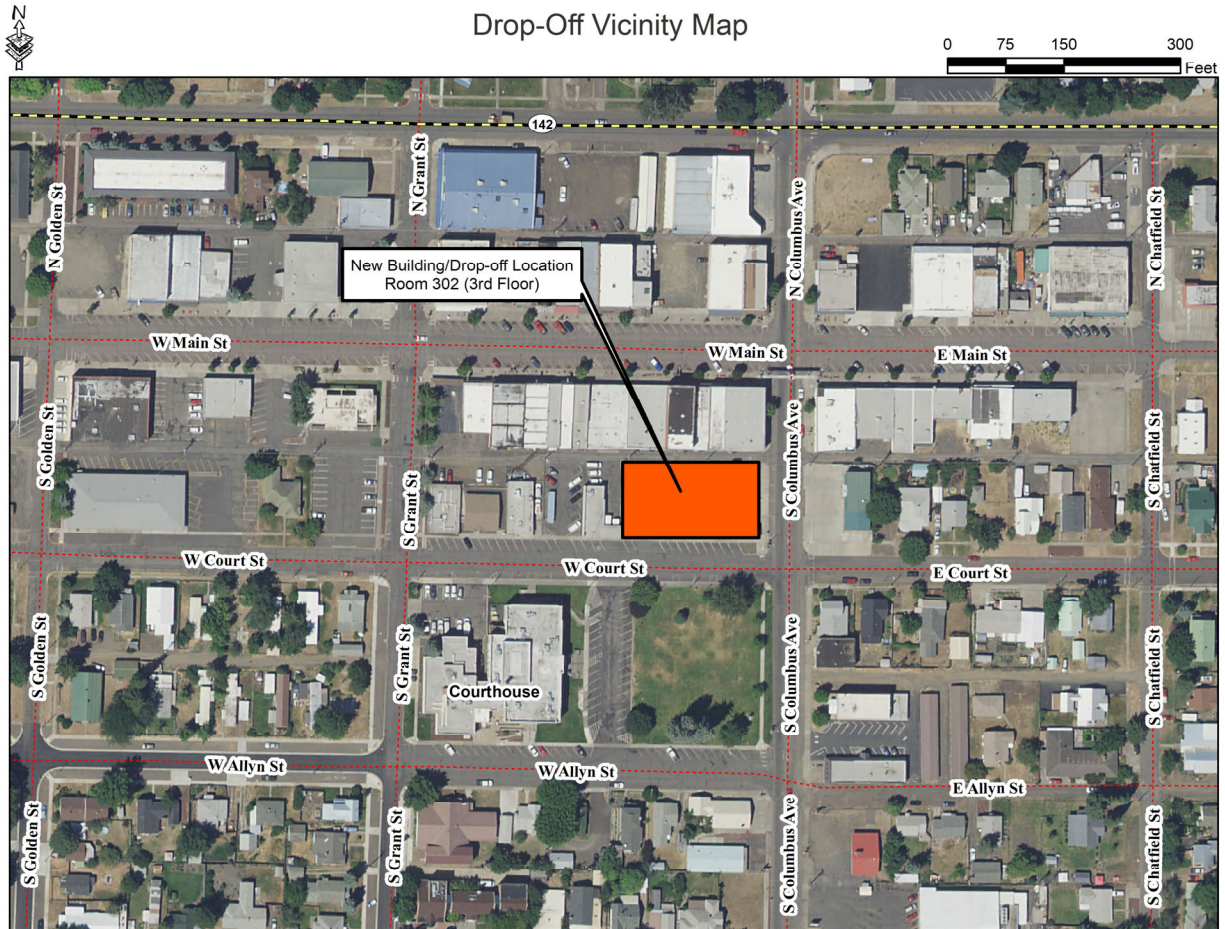


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**INFORMATIONAL COMMUNICATION NO. 3**

**TO:** Prospective Bidders  
**PROJECT:** Courtney Road  
**CRP No.:** CRP 342 & 343  
**FED AID NO.:** None  
**BID OPENING DATE:** January 25, 2022

Klickitat County would like to remind potential bidders of our new office location and address. Our office has moved to the County Services Building at 115 W. Court Street, Room 302, Goldendale, WA. Our new mailing address is 115 W. Court Street, MS 303, Goldendale, WA 98620. Bids are due at this location and address at 1:15 PM on January 25, 2022. Bids will then be opened publicly in the Commissioners Chambers at 1:30 PM in the County Services Building, Room 200.



The following questions were received by Klickitat County Public Works from prospective bidders and the responses are the following:

**Question #11: For the trash rack it references AASHTO M274 in the specification for steel and hardware. All the parts come pre galvanized but I was curious about the requirement for the fabricated pieces. The industry uses galvanized rich paint for these areas unless there is a specific requirement for Hot Dipped Galvanized. The is a significant difference in cost and lead time so just want to check prebid.**

Answer #11: The County would allow galvanized rich paint to cover areas of bare metal that are exposed during the manufacturing process.

**Question #12: What is the angle of the bevel on the pond riser or the rim elevation and I can work back from there.**

Answer #12: The rim would be at 1825.09 (1.46 feet above the finish elevation listed in the detail). That works out to right about a 44 degree angle.

**Question #13: I have a question about the GR on this project. Are you requiring the steel posts to be completely stained with Natina, or are they the hybrid type with the bottoms being galvanized and only the top half being AES?**

Answer #13: The only requirement is that all exposed steel is to be Natina Stained. Therefore, if the bottoms are galvanized and driven below ground level, that should meet the requirement.

**Question #14: Are there "Buy America", "Buy American" or other related requirements for sourcing domestic steel on this project?**

Answer #14: There is no Buy America requirement for this project.