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## Request for Information (“RFI”)

**TO:**

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**FROM:**

Black Hawk Fire Suppression

**PROJECT:**

Harrison, Town-Village Recreation Center Phase 2  
270 Harrison Avenue  
Harrison, NY 10528

**ISSUE DATE:**

1/22/2025

**RFI No.**

#023


**REQUESTED REPLY DATE:**
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**PROJECT NUMBERS:** 2020-1005 /

**RFI DESCRIPTION:** *(Fully describe the question or type of information requested.)*

SPEC SECTION 211313-18-3.13 C STATES THAT ALL PIPING 1-1/2" AND SMALLER TO BE THREADED USING THREADED FITTINGS. WE WOULD LIKE PERMISSION TO ROLL GROOVE PIPING DOWN TO 1-1/4" IN DIAMETER, AND USE GROOVED COUPLINGS & FITTINGS. THE PIPING WOULD REMAIN SCHEDULE 40 FOR 1-1/2" AND SMALLER. WE WOULD JUST LIKE TO GROOVE THESE SMALLER SIZES WHEREAPPLICABLE, AND COORDINATION WARRANTS / ALLOWS FOR LONGER STRAIGHT RUNS OF PIPING. LATEST FIRE PROTECTION INDUSTRY STANDARDS ALLOW THIS METHOD OF INSTALLATION GLOBALLY AND IT IS A BETTER QUALITY INSTALLATION AS THREADED FITTINGS DO DETERIORATE OVER TIME AND START TO LEAK. PLEASE NOTE THIS WOULD BE A NO COST CHANGE. PLEASE ADVISE IF THE PROPOSED METHODOLOGY OF FABRICATION AND PIPING INSTALLATION TECHNIQUES ABOVE ARE DEEMED ACCEPTABLE

**REFERENCES/ATTACHMENTS:** *(List specific documents researched when seeking the information requested.)*
**SPECIFICATIONS:**

211313

**DRAWINGS:**

N/A

**OTHER:**

**SENDER'S RECOMMENDATION:** *(If RFI concerns a site or construction condition, the sender may provide a recommended solution, including cost and/or schedule considerations.)*

**RECEIVER'S REPLY:** *(Provide answer to RFI, including cost and/or schedule considerations.)*

**OLA Response 01-28-2025:**

**Sprinkler Contractor shall provide threaded fittings for piping 1-1/2" and smaller per specifications.**

Piazza Inc

1/22/2025

**BY**

**DATE**

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**Note:** This reply is not an authorization to proceed with work involving additional cost, time or both. If any reply requires a change to the Contract Documents, a Change Order, Construction Change Directive or a Minor Change in the work must be executed in accordance with the Contract Documents.