Ohio Department of Transportation Prebid Questions

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Bid reference 18 is set up for proof rolling for 3 hours. Typically on smaller jobs, ODOT has allowed the use of a loaded truck or loaded scraper to proof roll the subgrade. In our recent experience with District 5 we had 8 hours of proof rolling that includes small areas of subgrade. District 5 is holding us literally to the 204.06 specification and is insisting that we mobilize a proof roller per this specification. Can we use the common sense approach do proof rolling on this project, or do we need to figure the literal 204.06 specification? Please note that we will have to mobilize a proof roller two times to do this project.

Please prepare your bid in accordance with the specifications.

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