

Ohio Department of Transportation Prebid Questions

Project No. 091105

Sale Date - 8/26/2009

Question Submitted: 7/22/2009

Question Number: 1

Could ODOT please issue the existing bridge drawings for this project.

<ftp://ftp.dot.state.oh.us/pub/Districts/D03/420006/>

Question Submitted: 7/23/2009

Question Number: 2

Will ODOT make the office calculations available?

<ftp://ftp.dot.state.oh.us/pub/Contracts/Attach/LOR-77306/>

Question Submitted: 8/11/2009

Question Number: 3

Addendum 1 did not establish a bid item for the ARRA signing as was indicated in an answer to a previous pre-bid question. Is ARRA signing required on this project? A previous pre-bid questions indicates that detour signing is not part of this project. Is the note on page 9/100 going to be adjusted to indicate the detour signing is by others and a note added to page 10/100 to indicate the detour signing is by others?

Question Submitted: 8/11/2009

Question Number: 4

A note on plan page 78/100 and 91/100 indicate various bearing components "shall be painted using the same prime coat and top coat color as the structural steel." I don't believe the structural steel on this project is being painted, there are not any bid items for painting structural steel. All of these components are weathering steel, do they need to be painted? Is there an intermediate coat required? if so what color should it be?

Question Submitted: 8/3/2009

Question Number: 5

The piling general notes on sheet 68/100 state to "...perform one restrrike test on each of the two piles that were dynamically load tested." There are two restrikes but only one dynamic load test setup in the bid quantities. Please revise the dynamic load test bid quantity if the department wishes to test two piles.

Question Submitted: 8/3/2009

Question Number: 6

Can permanent metal bridge deck forms be used for the falsework on this project?

The District does not permit the use of stay-in-place forms. No addendum required.

Question Submitted: 8/5/2009

Question Number: 7

The plans do not include a pay item for detour signing. Will a separate pay item be added to cover this work? Additionally, is it the contractors responsibility to install and remove the local detour route?

Q-1. The plans do not include a pay item for detour signing. A-1. The detour signing is not part of this project. Q-2. Will a separate pay item be added to cover this work? A-2. No. Q-3. Additionally, is it the contractors responsibility to install and remove the local detour route? A-3. No.

Question Submitted: 8/5/2009

Question Number: 8

The plans indicate that ARRA signs shall be installed and paid for under a contract unit price per each, however there is not a bid item for this work. Will a pay item for ARRA signs be added or is the contractor to include these costs somewhere else?

The item was added by Addendum #1, sent to Central Office Contracts Addendum on 6/22/09.

Question Submitted: 8/5/2009

Question Number: 9

The quantities for bid items 85,111, and 113 seem overstated. Please verify these quantities are correct.

The quantities have been checked by the designer and are correct.

Question Submitted: 8/5/2009

Question Number: 10

Sheet 5/100 shows the existing asphalt on the bridge approach slabs as either 9.5" or 12" thick. Is this correct? Also, what is the asphalt thickness on the bridge decks?

Q-1. Sheet 5/100 shows the existing asphalt on the bridge approach slabs as either 9.5" or 12" thick. Is this correct? A-1. Yes. Q-2. Also, what is the asphalt thickness on the bridge decks? A-2. We did not core the deck so we do not know what the thickness is.

All prospective bidders, subcontractors, suppliers, materialmen and all others who have an interest in these prebid questions and answers are advised that these items are being provided for informational purposes only and are not part of the bidding documents. If a question warrants a clarification, the Department will issue an addenda addressing the request for clarification to all plan holders. If the Department believes that the bidding documents adequately address the request, the contractor will be advised accordingly.

Ohio Department of Transportation Prebid Questions

Question Submitted: 8/7/2009

Question Number: 11

when will the bid item quantity sheets be corrected to match the addendum 1

Upon request of the awarded contractor

All prospective bidders, subcontractors, suppliers, materialmen and all others who have an interest in these prebid questions and answers are advised that these items are being provided for informational purposes only and are not part of the bidding documents. If a question warrants a clarification, the Department will issue an addenda addressing the request for clarification to all plan holders. If the Department believes that the bidding documents adequately address the request, the contractor will be advised accordingly.