Ohio Department of Transportation Prebid Questions

Project No. 080171 Sale Date - 3/26/2008

Question Submitted: 2/15/2008 Question Number: 1

It appears that the quantity of Portable Changeable Message Sign, As Per Plan, 12 Sign Month, was not carried to the general summary and proposal, and therefore needs a bid item added to allow for payment.

Question Submitted: 2/16/2008

Question Number: 2

WILL THE DEPARTMENT REQUIRE THE 452 PAVEMENT PLACEMENT HALF WIDTH TO MAINTAIN LOCAL TRAFFIC? WILL THE DEPARTMENT CONSIDER CHANGING THE TYPE 2A CURB WITH TYPE 2 CURB AND GUTTER? WILL THE DEPARTMENT CONSIDER PAYING THE INCREASED COST FOR CLASS MS CONCRETE FOR THE 452 PAVEMENT TO MINIMIZE INCONVENIENCE TO THE RESIDENTS OR WILL DRIVE ACCESS BE ALLOWED TO BE CLOSED FOR LONG PERIODS WHILE PLACING AND CURING 452 PAVEMENT? WILL A SELF-PROPELLED PAVING MACHINE BE REQUIRED FOR THE 452 PAVEMENT?

ANS: NO, but local traffic will be maintained. ANS: Please bid according to plan. ANS: Local access is to be maintianed. Please bid accordingly. ANS: Yes, the machine is required.

Question Submitted: 2/17/2008

Question Number: 3

WOULD THE DEPARTMENT CONSIDER SUBSTITUTING A UNILOK TYPE SEGMENTAL RETAINING WALL SYSTEM FOR THE RIP RAP STONE WALL DUE TO AVAILABILITY AND COST OF THE RIP RAP STONES?

Please bid according to the note for ITEM 657 - RIPRAP, MISC.: STONE RIPRAP WALL on page 70/89.

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