

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

Project No. 080072

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Question Submitted: 1/18/2008

Question Number: 1

The Plan Notes for Bid Reference 106 (Controller Unit, Type TS2/A2, With Cabinet, Type TS2, As Per Plan) indicate an Eagle call out. Is an Eagle specification properly justified on this project or should it be changed to an open specification?

Section 120-4 of the Transportation Engineering Manual provides guidelines in using proprietary items, such as the controllers. One of the requirements is that an agency has greater than 50% of a single brand before specifying a specific brand. ODOT District 6 has 99% of the Eagle Brand, so the requirements in the use of the Eagle brand have been met.

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Could you please remove the Item Special - Asbestos Abatement from this project (as has been done on other past projects) and contract for this work to be done directly with a hazardous removal contractor, thus relieving the General Contractor from the hazardous removal manifesting liability, requirements, etc.?

The District wants the asbestos abatement left in Project 080072. Pulling it out at this point will delay the building demolition and final utility relocation which will delay construction of this project.

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The proposal and plan page 58 note state that there are 64 Sq. Feet of sign for B/R # 89, which implies that the four (4) W3-3 are each 48" x 48". However, The sign sub-summary on page 53 of the plans details these signs as being 36" x 36" each, which would only be 36 square feet. Which is the correct size for these signs?

The 64 sq. ft. quantity on sheet 58 is correct for the new signs to be installed. The W3-3 signs in the sub-summary on sheet 53 are only for the removal of the existing signs and supports. The existing signs are 36"x36" and the proposed signs are 48"x48".

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Would ODOT consider adding a 410 Item to maintain the drives on the project.

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