

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

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This project calls for conduits at different locations to be removed and replaced. Headwalls are removed and replaced with concrete masonry. At several locations there exists not headwalls, but long (50-75') concrete trenches several feet deep. Are these trenches to be removed under the Headwall Removed item and replaced with Concrete Masonry or are we to tie the new conduits into the existing trenches?

Ref# 21 60" Conduit Type B, without any details as to placement, appears to require an amount of embankment to bring the surrounding roadways to grade once the conduit is placed. Is any embankment required to be included in the bid item or will it be paid for separately?

A1) The existing concrete trenches at the outlet to the pipes are to remain. The proposed conduit will need to butt up to the existing concrete trenches, but the concrete trenches are not to be disturbed. A2) For all types of pipes in a cut situation, payment for backfilling of the entire trench (up to the subbase) is paid for with the 603 item.

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