

# Ohio Department of Transportation

## Prebid Questions

Project No. 050430

Sale Date - 8/10/2005

Question Submitted: 7/11/2005

Question Number: 1

The proposal list the pavement markings as 642 Paint, but the plans say 646 Epoxy.

Please Clarify

**The sub-summary table shown on page 6 should have read 642. The general summary and proposal are correct. It is the district's intent to use Item 642 paint on this project.**

Question Submitted: 7/19/2005

Question Number: 2

Would the Department consider extending the completion date on this project to 2006? With the project selling this late in the year, completion by November 15 will be difficult. The availability of the bridge beams and paving in cold weather could be a problem.

**The District has considered your request and respectfully declines to change the completion date.**

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Question Number: 3

The typical section for the approach slabs indicate no asphalt wearing course. However, according to section C-C on plan sheet 15/19, it appears the approach slabs are to receive an asphalt wearing surface. Please clarify. Do the quantities for asphalt concrete need adjusted if the approach slabs require the overlay?

**The approach slab typical section shown detail on page 2 is in error. The approach slabs are to be overlaid with an asphalt wearing surface. The quantities are correct and shown on page 8/19. Please refer to the general column under the asphalt items shown on this page.**

Question Submitted: 7/19/2005

Question Number: 4

The Maintenance of Traffic is very vague on the drawings.

I am assuming the job is a full closure given the detour route shown on sheet 4/19.

What is the duration of the closure?

Is ODOT or contractor responsible for signage other than the advance warning signs and Type 3 barricades?

Also, there is no information about Designated Local Maintenance Routes.

**A1. Correct; A2. The MOT stated that the bridge must be open Labor Day. The closure duration may range from after the holiday until the completion date. A3. ODOT is responsible for the detour signage. A4. The district will coordinate with the county for any needed designated local route after bidding.**

Question Submitted: 7/20/2005

Question Number: 5

With the completion date being 11/15/05, will placement of polymer modified asphalt binder be acceptable after the November 1st weather limitations date?

**The requirements of CMS 401 apply to this project.**

Question Submitted: 7/21/2005

Question Number: 6

My question concerns the Spray-applied elastomeric waterproofing and primer in bid references 57 & 58. I have been searching for a product which meets the specs, but have not yet found one. No manufacturers are listed on the plans. My many years in the highway market have not yet ever seen a product like this for ODOT bridge decks. I noticed the plans were prepared by 3 engineers at District #2 (James Bradley, Juanita Huss, & Jorey Provo). Maybe they can indicate the manufacturers who have this product.

**Here are 2 contacts for the material. Bridge Preservation, LLC; PO Box 10223; Kansas City, MO 64171 Tech. Support 905-560-3646 Sales and Marketing: 203-322-5684 bridgepreservation.com; R.J. Watson, Inc. Contact: Joe Bilotti 78 John Glenn Drive Amherst, NY 14228 Phone: 716.691.3301 Fax: 716.691.3305 www.rjwatson.com**

Question Submitted: 7/25/2005

Question Number: 7

All three major box beam suppliers are booked up thru the end of October. We would not receive beams until the first week of November. We are requesting the completion date be moved to November 23.

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Question Submitted: 8/8/2005

Question Number: 8

Contract Completion date? Porposal Addendum says 60 days form Notice to Proceed Date. Will Notice to Proceed be issued this year if contractor wants to start and complete the project this year?

**The District can not give you a definitive answer without first seeing the successful bidders CPM schedule. The District is not totally opposed to the contractor starting this fall but the weather concerns would need to be mitigated before district approval.**

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