

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

Project No. 060279

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Question Submitted: 6/14/2006

Question Number: 1

Bid Reference 109; Reuse of Strain Poles, as specified on plan page 43 of 132, calls for anchor bolts and bolt covers to be furnished for this item. However, the size of the existing three (3) strain poles is not given in the plan set. Please specify what size the existing poles are so these items can be furnished.

The bolt sizes required will need to be field verified; the District does not have the strain pole type/size on file - the pole had been hit and was replaced by County forces. As per ODOT specifications (2005 CMS, Section 102.05), the Bidder is to investigate the project site.

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Question Number: 2

Bid item 63 609 Curb and Gutter, Type 2 1907 Ft

The typical section on sheets 5b and 6 it shows the gutter thickness to be 12 3/4". Do you want 12 3/4" or 9"?

As per the typical sections, the proposed gutter thickness is 12-1/2". (12-3/4" or 9" is not specified in the plans)

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Question Number: 3

There appears to be a discrepancy with Bid reference #100. The pay item is for messenger wire, 7 strand 3/8" diameter with accessories, as per plan. However the as per plan note calls for 1/4" diameter to be used as a tether.

Which messenger size is correct?

Is the messenger wire to be installed as a tether, or as a normal installation to support the signal heads and wire?

The plan note Item 632 - MESSENGER WIRE, 7 STRAND 3/8" DIA., WITH ACCESSORIES, AS PER PLAN - on sheet 43 of 132 - states the 1/4" galvanized messenger wire is for the tethering of the bottom of the LED signal heads. The plan note, the subsummary & the traffic signal plan - require the 3/8" messenger wire to suspend the signal heads (TOP) and the 1/4" messenger wire to tether the signal heads (BOTTOM).

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Question Number: 4

Bid item 64 609 Curb, Type 6 1132 FT

Plan sheets 66 and 67 show the curb to continue from station 14+00 thru 17+00, but the summary sheet on sheet 54 does not take this 300 feet into account. Where does this curb actually end at station 14 or 17?

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