

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

Project No. 040609

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Question Submitted: 11/22/2004

Question Number: 1

Does the existing deck thickness of 16 1/2" shown on sheet 58/72 include the asphalt overlay? What is the average thickness of the asphalt?

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Question Number: 2

Plan note "Item Special - Pile Encasement" on 57/72 states that concrete shall be placed with a form consisting of polyethylene or PVC pipe. Since the existing pier caps are to remain, the pipe will have to be split lengthwise to be used as a form. May we use a different form, such as a two-piece column form, that will be removed after the concrete has cured?

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Question Number: 3

Sheet 60/72 shows 8 "drains" in between the bottom of the proposed bridge deck and the top of both abutments. What are these drains to be made of, or are they to be voids?

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Please reference plan sheet 4A of 72.

The time limits listed for completion of each bridge structure seem extremely optimistic. We think a minimum of 30 days should be added to the durations for each structure.

The District has revisited the time limits on sheet 4A and has decided to retain the time restrictions currently contained in the plans.

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