

# Ohio Department of Transportation

## Prebid Questions

Project No. 040537

Sale Date - 10/20/2004

Question Submitted:

Question Number: 1

1) 1387 SF of item 519 patching concrete structures is included for bridge locations 2-6. The only specific description of the areas to be patched per structure is in the proposed work column (pg 7/22). Is it correct that the 519 items only apply to the curb areas of these structures? If other areas must be accessed such as the substructure, then additional or different types of traffic control would be required. 2) Ref page 20/22: RESTRICTIONS In paragraph 3, does "Any roadway not listed ..." apply to the Lake County secondary roads over IR 90 or the GEA-6-1067 structure? In paragraph 6 does this note apply to the mainline OR 90 roadway only? 3) There is no specific maintenance of traffic plan described for GEA-6-1067. Can this route be closed for 5 days or shall temporary red lights or flagging be employed? 4) Will a LEO be required for implementing any of the maintenance of traffic and if so, how will it be paid?

**Response to question 1: It is correct that the 519 item only applies to curb areas. This project does not include substructure patching. Response to question 2: Response to question pertaining to paragraph 3: Paragraphs 1 through 7 of the Restrictions section of the Maintaining Traffic note are requirements that apply to all the structures on the project, unless an exception is listed. Paragraph 8, which states "A complete closure of ..." should be listed as an exception to paragraphs 1 through 7. Therefore, Locations 2 through 6 are permitted to be closed for five consecutive days. Paragraph 3 will not apply to Locations 2 through 6 during the five day closure, but will apply any other time. Paragraph 3 does not apply to Location 1. Response to question pertaining to paragraph 6: No, however, one 11' lane with a signalized or flagger closure is permitted and will satisfy this requirement. Response to question 3: Location 1 cannot be closed. A signalized or flagger closure is permitted. Response to question 4: Law Enforcement Officers will not be required.**

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Question Number: 2

1) ITEM 526 APPROACH SLAB REPAIR HAS A PLAN QUANTITY OF 1 SY. PLAN SHEET 19 OF 22 SHOWS A REMOVAL AREA OF 1' x 1'. IS THE PROPOSAL UNIT INCORRECT, OR DOES THE DEPARTMENT ANTICIPATE THE REMOVAL AREA TO INCREASE BEYOND WHAT IS SHOWN?

**The work shown on sheet 19 of 22 is an accurate representation of the work anticipated. Since the unit of payment for Item 526 is square yards, the one square foot area of repair work was rounded up to the nearest square yard for purposes of bidding. Therefore, please bid the work as 1 square yard of Item 526.**

All prospective bidders, subcontractors, suppliers, materialmen and all others who have an interest in these prebid questions and answers are advised that these items are being provided for informational purposes only and are not part of the bidding documents. If a question warrants a clarification, the Department will issue an addenda addressing the request for clarification to all plan holders. If the Department believes that the bidding documents adequately address the request, the contractor will be advised accordingly.