

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

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Ref 18 Luminaire Carriage Lowering Device. If the towers are all to be replaced, what towers is this item of work tailored around? Is this a duplication of Ref 19?

Ref 28 - Transformer Pad Concrete. What is this item? There is no description of work nor does it match any specification or standard drawing item.

Ref 29 - Control Center CABINET complete. if we are removing the existing control center and foundation - how or where does this cabinet mount. Shouldn't this item include the stand, etc. as shown on HL 40.20 which would require the payment of a complete power service?

Ref 31 - Replace pull box cover complete - plan note calls for this item to include the cost of removing the old pull box. if we are removing the old pull box, why are we replacing the cover?

1) The intent of the lowering device is to work with existing tower configurations, to lower the luminaires prior to removal. Due to varying tower luminaire configurations, include both References 18 and 19 in the bid. 2) See Standard Drawing HL-40.20 (included on title sheet). Build transformer pad per standard drawing. 3) See Standard Drawing HL-40.20 (included on title sheet). The "as per plan" note specifically calls for reusing the existing power service. 4) Some pull boxes will require only the replacement of the cover. Others will require full replacement. In cases where entire pull boxes are replaced, the cost of removal is included in the pay item.

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