

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

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The plans call for widening of the existing approach slabs. Shouldn't there be a pay item for excavation and 304 in these areas. Also shouldn't there be a pay item for 304 under the existing approach slabs since they are being removed.

The existing approach slabs are currently full-width. The plan provides a 203 Excavation Item (Ref. 0004) to pay for excavation down to the level of the proposed Aggregate Base. The plan also provides for a 6" layer of Item 304 aggregate base (Ref. 0006) below the proposed approach slab. Any additional excavation required to expose the existing abutment for repairs would be included with the Lump Sum Item 503, Unclassified Excavation As Per Plan (Ref. 0037).

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