

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

Project No. 078019

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Question Submitted: 8/31/2007

Question Number: 1

Bit items 98 and 99 appear to have incorrect units.

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1. The noisewall method of measurement on sheet 271 states that noise barrier constructed below the ground line shall not be included for payment. This is not consistent with current ODOT practice. Typically the wall is paid for from bottom of panel to top of coping. The plan quantity for this project is also indicative of this, please delete this note. 2. The noisewall basis of payment on sheet 271 includes permanent erosion control items to be included with the noisewall. Since there are already separate pay items set up for this project, can this portion of the note be eliminated? This will help to clarify to the field staff how these items are to be measured and prevent doubling of the quantities in the bid resulting in a better price to the owner. 3. The noise barrier supplier list on sheet 272 is outdated. Some of these suppliers are no longer in business and new suppliers are available. Please update this list with the most current ODOT approved list.

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Bid reference # 34 calls for 7500 sy of Geogrid. No spec is indicated on the plans for this material. See page 7.

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Question Number: 4

Sheet 270 allows the use of alternate noisewall post spacings to those shown in the plans. If the contractor elects to use a 24' post spacing, what drilled shaft depth will be required?

As stated in the note on sheet 270 (paragraph 6), any alternative details must be submitted and approved by the Engineer. For estimating purposes you may assume the drilled shaft depth for a 24' post spacing and 9' tall wall for this project should be 7.5 ft.

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