

Ohio Department of Transportation Prebid Questions

Project No. 070204

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Question Number: 1

Will a temporary waterline be required to facilitate removal of the existing waterline within the vicinity of the proposed culvert or can the existing watermain be fed from both sides of the proposed culvert, thus requiring the installation of the 12" valves prior to the existing watermain removal? Please advise.

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According to the utility note, there are numerous utilities that will interfere with the new construction. The note is vague as to which utilities are to remain in place and which are to be relocated. Please clarify. Also, there is no time frame set up for utility relocations. With a thirty-day road closure period, the time required for utility relocation is crucial. We are assuming a notice to proceed date of mid to late May. Can we assume that the utility companies will have their utilities relocated prior to notice to proceed?

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1. Plan Sheet 13 of 28 states that the existing 4" gas line and the existing telephone ducts are to be relocated by the owners of these utilities. Addendum No. 1, Revised Utility Note, states that all utilities will remain in place. Please clarify these conflicting notes. If the lines are to be relocated, please provide the new location and the time required for the utility owners to relocate their lines. 2. The Utility Note in the original proposal stated that utility relocation plans are on file in the District 12 Utilities Office. In conversations with the Utilities Office, I have been unable to get any information about these plans. Are there utility relocation plans available?

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