

# Ohio Department of Transportation

## Prebid Questions

Project No. 040442

Sale Date - 7/28/2004

Question Submitted: 7/19/2004

Question Number: 1

We are a prospective sub-contractor on this project and were wondering if a bid would be accepted using SDR 32.5 HDPE Pipe as an alternative to lining the existing culverts with another CMP Pipe? If you need further clarification or additional information, please don't hesitate to call us at the number above.

**Thank you for your question regarding this project. The district and this office have reviewed the bidding documents and have found them to be sufficiently clear and biddable. No addendum will be issued and the bid letting will proceed as scheduled. No, the SDR 32.5 HDPE pipe will not handle the 36.4 feet of earth loading above it.**

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Question Number: 2

Reference # 12.

Shouldn't the quantity be 1 ls instead of 1000 ea?

**The proposal bid item #12 is correct. Per Supplemental Spec 832, dated 4-17-04, the 1,000 represents dollars for Temporary Sediment and Erosion Control.**

Question Submitted: 7/26/2004

Question Number: 3

Concerning Pipe Liner Backfill. Plans say use non-shrink, non-metallic grout. Supplemental Spec allows a Low Slump Mortar which can be Ready Mix produced. Is LSM allowed?

**Bid using non-shrink, non-metallic grout as specified in the plans.**

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.