

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

Project No. 075005

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1) Plan sheet 13/25 states under item 515 - Prestressed concrete composite box beam bridge members that the fabricators name and contact information will be supplied to the contractor at the pre-construction meeting. Would it be possible to make that information available prior to the bid? We would like to contact the beam supplier to confirm the beam pick weights and possible delivery schedules, number of beams they are able to deliver per day. This information will allow the contractors to crane sizes and erection schedules. 2) Plan sheet 4/25 in the first column under ODNR preconstruction notification states at least 15 calendar days prior to the start of any work including the installation of maintenance of traffic signage, staging of equipment and/or materials... the contractor needs to contact ODNR and provide information as part of the preconstruction notification. If the contract bids on September 21, is awarded on September 27, and notification is sent to the ODNR that same day. The first day we will be able to set up signs or begin mobilization is October 13. This start date could require the placing of asphalt, striping, epoxy sealing in the last week of November when adverse weather conditions could keep the project from being completed. Can anything be done to allow a quicker start time by shorting the 15 day notice to ODNR?

A1) Estimated beam pick weights 29,600 lbs. Anticipated delivery date, week of October 22, 2007. All 10 beams to be delivered in one day. The day after the award of the Contract the Contractor will supply to the Department the specifications for the type of inserts to be cast into the Box Beams to support the Bidwell machine. A2) See addendum.

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Can the existing structure drawings be made available?

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