

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

Project No. 090118

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Question Number: 1

This question is regarding the MSE wall elevation and details shown on Sheet 65 and 66 of the contract drawings. The drawings indicate that the top of the coping is at the same elevation as that of the top of the pile cap. We request that the top coping be lowered from 1062.90 to 1061.90 since the pile cap interferes with the top level of reinforcing strips.

: The plan details are sufficient to construct the MSE wall however we will not object to contractor preference as stated in the question.

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Will the department consider extending the completion date into 2010 for structural steel painting operations only? What traffic control does the department desire for the painting of the structural steel where the bridge goes over I-75? Will the contractor be allowed to place barrier wall and close one lane of traffic on I-75? Hanging of tarps that must remain for more than an 8 hour night shift will be necessary for this operation. Will the department consider extending the completion date in 2009 as the MSE wall is one of the first construction operations needed to be built and it takes time for the submittals and precasting of these panels before they can arrive on site. Note: this is not asking for additional detour time simply a later completion date.

a.) The completion date will not be extended into 2010 for structural steel painting only. b.) Maintenance of traffic necessary for painting of structural steel where the bridge goes over I-75, is included on sheet 6 of the plans.

c.) The contractor will be allowed to place barrier wall and close one lane of traffic on I-75 in accordance with the permitted lane closure requirements included on sheet 6 of the plans. d.) After review, the completion date is appropriate considering the MSE wall panel delivery time and work that can precede the delivery of the panels.

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Please post existing plans.

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