

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

Project No. 090243

Sale Date - 4/15/2009

Question Submitted: 11/17/2008

Question Number: 1

Please explain why the quantity for field office is set up for 13 months when this project should be completed in less than 4 months. Also, are there restrictions to the start of the project that are not defined in the plans that prevents work from beginning in 2009? Is there a reason the completion date is June 30th of 2010? This project could easily be complete in this construction season.

The District has reviewed the project's June 30, 2010 completion date and finds it acceptable. The quantity for the Field Office is based on the completion date. All restrictions for the project are stated in the plans. The contractor should bid the plan as shown.

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Are there any finials required on this project. If so, where are they located. On plan sheet 45/64, there is a requirement for additional aluminum panels to replace 3 spans at the maximum aluminum noise barrier height. There are no aluminum panels to be installed on this project and the aluminum panel note on sheet 45/64 has been crossed out. Please verify that there are no aluminum panels (installed or additional) on this project and that the note for additional panels should be crossed out. On plan sheet 45/64, please verify that the 10 additional concrete panels are required on this project or is the plan note intended for a previous project. There is a large amount of additional panels required in relation to the size of this project compared to the much larger previous project.

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Concerning Reference Line 0006 - Fence, Snow, As Per Plan. The Plan Note does not give any indication of the fence material to be used. We understand "Snow Fence" to be wood slat and wire fencing with temporary metal posts. Does the State expect the contractor to install the chain link fence detailed in the 607 Specification, or something similar to what is commonly known as "Snow Fence"? Thank You.

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