Ohio Department of Transportation Prebid Questions

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Will the District consider modifying the limits of the detour from 90 days to 120 days? With the amount of substructure work, new structural steel, slope and roadway work coupled with the gas company relocations, it is extremely unlikely that this work can be completed within this time 90 day frame. Our only other option would to include liquidated damages in our bid. Also, from our field visits it would appear that night work (double shifting) would be deterred due to the nearby neighborhoods.

Can you please clarify the SR 21 lane restrictions on page 6/86? Contrary to the lane closure chart, the plan note has very distinct instructions of when lanes can be used to work in. There are other activities that will need a lane closure. In the past, the lane chart has dictated the limits of closures which deviates from this plan note.

According to Addendum #2, the Asbestos Abatement will be completed by DEOG. Why does the Ref#22 still exist? What is being paid for if DOEG is completing the abandonment? Shouldn't DOEG be responsible to fill out and completely comply with the regulations of Akron Regional Air Quality Mgmt. District?

Thanks.

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Ref Nos. 103 & 136 Structural Steel Members, Level 2 As per plan

Can these be changed to galvanized steel. This will save the state approximately \$80,565.00 and it will also give the state competitive bidding on these items. there is currently only one fabrication shop in Ohio that can fabricate and metalize this project.

The District does not want galvanized beams. There may be predominantly one shop that does both, but there are multiple suppliers.

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