

Ohio Department of Transportation

Prebid Questions

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In order to construct the footer portion of the Rock Fall Barrier it is necessary to excavate to a depth of 18inches (shown on p.9). Since the wall is to be built less than 12feet away from the traveled lane (shown on p.2), according to the Drop-offs in Work Zone Standard this would represent a drop-off that would require Portable Concrete Barrier overnight. Should there be an item added to the proposal for placement of Portable Concrete Barrier? Or will this short-term drop-off be permissible?

The MOT note requires the Contractor to have all lane closures removed by the end of the work day. Any open trench at the end of the work day will have to be backfilled. Because of the location of the barrier wall, and not allowing any open trenches, portable concrete barrier is not required.

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