

# Ohio Department of Transportation

## Prebid Questions

Project No. 085012

Sale Date - 11/6/2008

Question Submitted: 9/3/2008

Question Number: 1

Will prevailing wages apply to this project?

**On project 085012, PID 84917, WOO-Mitchell Road, prevailing wages are applicable. The project is considered a renovation and not new construction.**

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Can the final completion date be extended into the spring of 2009 to allow contractor to purchase asphalt? The asphalt plants are all scheduled to close prior to 12/01/08. Perhaps a milestone date for Force Main Completion of 12/15/08 with a Contract Completion of 4/30/09.

**The availability of asphalt will be based on the work schedule of the successful bidder. Please bid the plan as shown. The completion date will remain 12/15/2008.**

Question Submitted: 9/4/2008

Question Number: 3

We represent E/One and the model DH502 packaged grinder station is shown on pg 6 of the plans. We believe that the correct model for this application is a DH152. The model DH152 also has duplex pumps. However, the basin capacity is more equivalent to the alternative Myers grinder station basin size that is shown on the same page. We cannot be price competitive with the oversized basin that is shown with the model DH502. We would like to email a drawing of the model DH152, that could then be put out on Monday by addendum.

**While the Basin capacity of the DH152 is closer to the capacity of the SRA-125D the pumps of the two systems have different capacities. The peak flow of the sites operation will be during the winter. This is due to washing the salt trucks/plows. During this peak time the flows may exceed the capacity of the E/one pumps for short durations. The larger tank would provide the necessary storage during these periods to make the system function (during the truck washing periods). The Myers system has a smaller basin but the pumps can handle more flow. These pumps should handle the flows during peak truck washing times. Therefore bid as is.**

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