

Delaware Department of Transportation

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

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DECK PATCHING, NORTH, INTERSTATE, OPEN END, FY16-18, NEW CASTLE COUNTY

Friday, October 23, 2015

Q #	Question	Answer
3	<p>Plan note 27 indicates that item 602575 is to be used for repairs up to 3” and 602577 is to be used for repairs greater than 3”. If that is the case, what is item 602576 (repairs between 3” and < full depth) to be used for? If item 602576 will not be used on this contract (per the notes), can it be eliminated or have its quantity revised to reflect the intent of the documents?</p>	<p>Plan note 27 will be deleted on Addendum #1.</p>
2	<p>The bid documents calls for the use of item 602580 for removal and replacement of portions of the structure. Item 602001 is included to replace the removed material with new concrete. We are requesting that language be added to clarify which item is to be used in a given situation.</p>	<p>A new plan note will be added on Addendum #1.</p>
1	<p>Note 25 on sheet 5 of the Plans and Specifications states: "If temporary PCC barrier including the necessary end treatments is required, it is incidental to the applicable deck patching repair item." Regarding this note we don't see how a contractor can estimate the cost of the temporary PCC barrier when we do not know the quantity, the type of barrier (pinned or not), the type of end treatments etc. DelDOT has appropriate bid items for all of this work. We are requesting that this note be deleted and the corresponding bid items, with quantities, be added to the bidding documents. This will eliminate the unknown and avoid unnecessary expense to DelDOT.</p>	<p>This plan note will be deleted and quantities added on Addendum #1.</p>