

Delaware Department of Transportation

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

**T201606302.01**

**Pavement & Rehabilitation, Sussex II, (US113, P.C.C. Pavement) 2016**

**Friday, September 18, 2015**

<b>Q #</b>	<b>Question</b>	<b>Answer</b>
12	Which item # pays for the 5" type b for the temporary crossovers?	The 5" type B shall be paid under item 401810.
11	On plan sheet 37, it shows adding 4' width to shoulder with 2" type c over 6" gabc. Which item # will pay for the 2" type c? Also, just to confirm, is the widening temporary or permanent?	The 2" type C overlay shall be paid under item 401801. The widening is temporary.
10	Regarding plan sheet 37, the plan view for temporary crossovers shows 2" type c over 6" gabc, and the typical section shows 2" type b over 6" gabc. Which is it? And which item # will be used to pay for the hot mix?	The temporary driveway crossover overlay is 2" type C to be paid under item 401801.
9	Stormwater Management Plans 7 through 17 show existing edge of pavement grades for one edge of the existing concrete pavement, are any other grades given? At what elevation and slope is the new pavement to be installed?	The grades and elevations shown are intended for the proposed storm-water work only. The new pavement shall be replaced in kind back to its original grade.
8	Should there be an item (743019) for the tubular markers that are required?	Tubular markers are Incidental to item 763643 Maintenance of Traffic – All Inclusive.
7	Note 15 on sheet 1 states to fill conflicting rumble strips. Is there an item for that work, since the contractor is unaware of the quantity? Is there a special provision for this work? What material does the Department approve for that work?	Conflicting rumble strips are not anticipated.
6	Note 10 on sheet 1 refers to an item that is not in the contract.	That is correct. The temporary driveways and access shall be constructed as shown per the plans using bit. asphalt overlays and base material.
5	If the contract runs over the 90 days, will the contractor be responsible for snow removal?	Yes, the contractor is responsible for the snow removal within the project limits.

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4	<p>Since this contract involves night-work should the following pay items be added to the contract?</p> <p>743024 Temporary Warning Signs and Plaques EA-DY</p> <p>743006 Plastic Drums EA-DY</p>	<p>Items are incidental to item 763643 Maintenance of Traffic – All Inclusive.</p>
3	<p>In connection with Bid Item 304502, there need to be Bid Items established for Borrow Type D and for Portland Cement, per the payment provisions for the Bid Item.</p>	<p>The two items Borrow Type D and Portland Cement are incidental to item 304502. An addendum will be issued to revise the spec. under payment provisions.</p>

**Tuesday, September 15, 2015**

2	<p>Upon discussing this project with the Concrete Suppliers within range of the jobsite, we are concerned that it is going to be very difficult, if not impossible, to obtain sufficient material to get the concrete paving done within the 90 Calendar Day limit established by the Department. We are being told that concrete could only be supplied to the jobsite for a maximum of three days per week, due to Federal hours of Service for the Ready Mix Truck Drivers. Suppliers do not have sufficient additional drivers to place on their trucks for the additional days.</p> <p>We request consideration of extending the start of this project until the Spring of 2016, and allowing additional time to complete the work.</p>	<p>No.</p>
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**Tuesday, September 08, 2015**

1	<p>With the short bidding time, and shorter time to the NTP on this project, we are concerned about the logistics of Assembling Soil Cement production facilities. There will not be enough time to obtain DNREC permits for any required Soil Cement Central mixing facilities. We request that consideration be given to mix-in-place Soil Cement.</p>	<p>Yes, the mix-in-place construction method may be used as long as the contractor can meet the standards set forth in the specs.</p>
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