



Bid Questions and Answers Report

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Proposal: T2772

Project: 434041-1-52-01

Letting Date: 5/20/2020

Localtion: CENTRAL OFFICE

Description: SR 105/SR A1A (HECKSCHER DR)

Question: 29450: The utility work schedules include 3 schedules from Comcast. The Comcast UWS for 435619-1-52-01 appears to include a significant amount of work that is duplicated in the other two schedules. Please clarify the scope and duration that Comcast requires to complete all work during construction.

Posted: 4/9/2020 2:43:49 PM

Answer: Initially, UWS were developed separately for 434041-1 and 434042-1 as separate projects. Comcast UWS for 435619-1 incorporates all the relocation work for the trail and two bridge projects (434041-1 and 434042-1).

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Question: 29459: Re 434041-1-52-01 site, plan sheets 32-34, new Rubble Riprap is to be placed around the bridge end bents. It doesn't appear that the excavation for this Riprap is included in the 120-1 Bid item quantity; or, that any excavation quantity was provided. Same regarding 434042-1-52-01. Please confirm if all of the excavation for the new Riprap is to be included in either bid item 530-1-4, or 530-3-3, or in what other bid item; or will it be paid under item 120-1. And what are these excavation quantities for the riprap at the bridges?

Posted: 4/13/2020 12:14:38 PM

Answer: Please see FDOT Specification Section 530 for payment for excavation for the Riprap.

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Question: 29501: Request complete pavement coring information(type of matl & thickness) for the existing mainline & shoulder pavements that are to be removed.

Posted: 4/16/2020 2:53:33 PM

Answer: The core data has been posted.

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Question:	29506: Re Special Provision section 7-1.6, a Work Plan governing the archeological monitoring activities is posted on a URL website. This website link was provided. This website contains all the obtained Permits & Utility Work Schedules for the project, but, it does not appear to contain the referenced Work Plan governing the archeological monitoring activities. Where can this Work Plan be accessed/obtained?	Posted:	4/17/2020 10:37:51 AM
Answer:	A new Archaeological Monitoring plan for FPID 43404115201, 43404215201, & 43561915201 for the May 2020 Letting has been posted.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/27/2020 8:25:14 AM
Question:	29569: Special Provisions article 110-6(pg. 27) is expanded: Certain project areas have been ID'd as containing Asbestos & are delineated in the plans. Where specifically in the Plans are these areas shown/ID'd? And, if these Asbestos types & levels are known then they are posted either in the specs, or in an asbestos abatement plan posted on the depts. website in the provided URL address. They have not been found in the project specs, and the URL address does not appear to contain this info. If the types/levels are known, then pls provide.	Posted:	4/22/2020 9:33:01 AM
Answer:	The documents have been load to CPP Online Ordering. 434041-1_Simpson_ACM.pdf 434042-1_Myrtle_ACM.pdf	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/23/2020 7:20:01 AM
Question:	29711: Can you please provide the geotechnical surveys?	Posted:	5/1/2020 9:58:02 AM
Answer:	The documents have been loaded to CPP Online Ordering.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	5/12/2020 7:40:58 AM
Question:	29731: It is understood from the specifications that construction materials must be stored outside of the Archeologically Sensitive Area; can cleared vegetation, topsoil or other excavated dirt from activities within the Sensitive Area be stockpiled within the area or should the contractor plan on trucking these out of the sensitive area on a daily basis?	Posted:	5/4/2020 9:10:03 AM
Answer:	Excavated Topsoil from the area that will be used as cover in the area could remain. The contractor should limit excavation and stockpiling within the archaeological zone to prevent destruction of the shell midden during construction.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	5/7/2020 9:18:15 AM
Question:	29732: Spec says Work will be ceased immediately if artifacts are discovered; what is FDOT's position on provisions to remedy any delays/damages the contractor may incur during the indefinite shutdown period	Posted:	5/4/2020 9:11:28 AM

Answer:	The Department would evaluate the project conditions at that time.	Status: ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted: 5/15/2020 2:46:58 PM
Question:	29733: There currently is no bid item for 0102-76, Arrow Board/Advance Warning Arrow Panel. We assume this is because the designer TTCP does not require it. If this item is expected to be required, per the current TTCP, then request bid item 0102-76 be added to the bid. Should this item be included in the proposal bid item list?	Posted: 5/4/2020 9:49:04 AM
Answer:	Please refer to Standard Plan Index 102-603 "TWO-LANE, TWO-WAY WORK WITHIN THE TRAVEL WAY.	Status: ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted: 5/5/2020 7:09:52 AM
Question:	29756: Is the Contractor allowed to install a temporary work platform to build permanent bridge?	Posted: 5/5/2020 3:04:34 PM
Answer:	The environmental permits for the projects do not include impacts associated with construction of a temporary work platform to construct the permanent bridges. Construction activities are limited to the construction footprint identified in the plans and must meet the wetland impacts and permit requirements identified in the approved permits.	Status: ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted: 5/15/2020 2:45:46 PM
Question:	29774: Re 434042, TTCP Ph 1 shts 63->65(Sta 370+40 -> 375+85): the const of the new OBG-09 Widening & OBG-03 Shoulder in Ph 1A isn't shown as new const; it's shown as temp pavement & called out as temp pavt on shts 53 & 52; and the TTCP Typ. Sects also don't show it as new const. Similar on shts 55->57(Sta 351+20 to 357+40). We assume the OBG-06 Widening & OBG-03 Shoulder Pavt in these sta. ranges is const'd in Ph 1A & then temp used as temp pavt. Pls confirm. If not, in what Phase(Ph 3?) is the OBG-06 & OBG-03 work, w/in these station ranges, done?	Posted: 5/6/2020 2:28:22 PM
Answer:	This is shown as temporary pavement as the contractor is responsible for designing and maintaining temporary pavement throughout construction. There is no assurance that the pavement design for the shoulder is adequate to support traffic during construction. Nothing prohibits the contractor from constructing permanent pavement in the temporary pavement location provided it is strong enough to last through construction and be utilized for the path. If the contractor chooses to do this, a final lift of asphalt should be placed on the shoulder after its use as temporary pavement is complete. Removal of temporary pavement and construction of final pavement is called out to be constructed in phase 3. See phase 3 note 5 in the plans.	Status: ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted: 5/7/2020 8:45:36 AM

Question:	29776: FDOT has provided permits from the USACE and the SJRWMD for the 434041 project. Can the FDOT please provide the permits for the 434042 project? I.e., The permits supplied for this project only cover impacts at Simpson Creek. Are there permits that can be provided for the 434042 project to cover impacts at Myrtle Creek?	Posted:	5/6/2020 2:54:03 PM
Answer:	All Permits have been uploaded.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	5/12/2020 7:49:07 AM
Question:	29811: Is the intent to have item 521-72-40 Shoulder Concrete Barrier's footing constructed as the Trench Footing Section on index 512-001?	Posted:	5/8/2020 4:17:58 PM
Answer:	The intent was to utilize the trench footing option per Standard Plans 521-001 and as shown in the Typical Sections and Cross Sections in the plans.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	5/12/2020 7:37:40 AM
Question:	29862: Please provide a Pay Item for the Temp Critical SHEET PILE Walls. An Item is provided for the Temp MSE Walls but one is not provided for the SHEET PILE WALLS required on Plan Sheet 6 of each bridge package.	Posted:	5/12/2020 12:00:06 PM
Answer:	Per the note on Sheet B1-9 of each set of Structures plans, the temporary sheet pile walls are not considered critical walls. Per Specification Section 455-12.6.2, no separate payment will be made for non-critical temporary sheet pile walls.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	5/14/2020 7:48:24 AM
Question:	29872: Plan Sheet B1-20 of both bridge packages calls for the 36" Single Slope Railing to be doweled into the Bridge Deck. Is this crash worthy? Should there be a coupler system used here instead?	Posted:	5/12/2020 4:00:29 PM
Answer:	Construct the traffic railing in accordance with the details in the Contract Documents.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	5/14/2020 7:34:52 AM

Question:	29898: Regarding Schedule, the plans call for Myrtle Bridge to be 100% complete before constructing Simpson Bridge. Please CONFIRM contractors will NOT be allowed to build both bridges at once.	Posted:	5/13/2020 2:21:07 PM
Answer:	Only one set of temporary signals may be in place at a time. During the time that the one-lane temporary signals are in operation on either bridge, no work at the other bridge site requiring the use of additional lane closures or additional temporary signals is allowed.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	5/14/2020 4:07:34 PM
Question:	29900: Pay item 0548 13: Summary of Quantities sheet SQ-6 on T2772 43404215201-PLANS-01-ROADWAY plans lists Temp. Wall 1 to 3, however the structural plans shows total of 6 Ea Temp. Walls (Bridge 720857 sheet B1-1 shows Temp wall 1 through 4 and Bridge 720856 sheet B1-9 shows Temp wall 1 and 2). Further, T2772 43404115201-PLANS-01-ROADWAY sheet 5 shows no quantity under column 43404115201 for this pay item.	Posted:	5/13/2020 3:46:00 PM
Answer:	Both bridge projects (434041-1-52-01 & 434042-1-52-01) are anticipated to require temporary non-critical sheet pile walls for the phased bridge construction. These walls are designated as Temporary Wall No. 1 and 2 in the 434041-1-52-01 Structures Plans and Temporary Wall No. 3 and 4 in the 434042-1-52-01 Structures Plans. Per FDOT Specification Section 455-12.6.2, no separate payment will be made for these non-critical temporary sheet pile walls. In addition to the non-critical sheet pile walls, temporary non-critical MSE walls are anticipated to be required for the phased roadway construction for the 434042-1-52-01 project only. These walls are designated as Temp. Wall No. 1, 2, and 3 in the Temporary Traffic Control Plans (sheet Nos. 51-53) and quantified under pay item no. 548-13 and tabulated on sheet SQ-6 of the Roadway Plans.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	5/15/2020 2:46:39 PM
Question:	29901: Pay Item 0110 1 1: Summary of Quantities sheet SQ-3 on T2772 43561915201-PLANS-01-ROADWAY do not lists any quantity for clearing & Grubbing from STA 136+28.00 to STA 139+61.01 as indicated on Typical Section 1 on Sheet No.3	Posted:	5/13/2020 3:48:20 PM
Answer:	The quantity for this section is included in the Summary of Clearing & Grubbing & Removal Items under Area ID 74349 which is stationed from the SR 105 B/L Survey Alignment Sta. 340+62.66 to Sta. 362+84.68.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	5/14/2020 4:08:14 PM
Question:	29937: How will the Reinforcement for the Sidewalk on Sheet BW-2 Section T-T be paid? Is it incidental to the sidewalk or to be paid under Reinforcement - Retaining Wall? How will the couplers be paid as well?	Posted:	5/15/2020 4:50:14 PM

Answer:	<p>Reminder: For 30 day advertisements: Questions posted to this site before 5:00 P.M. (EST) on the seventh calendar day prior to the bid opening, or tenth calendar day prior to the December bid opening, will be responded to by the Department. For questions posted after these times, an answer cannot be assured. For all questions posted before the deadline, the Department will provide and post responses at the same website before 8:00 A.M. (EST) on the second calendar day prior to bid opening.</p>	Status: ANSWER PUBLISHED
	<p>For 60 day advertisements: Questions posted to this site before 5:00 P.M. (EST) on the tenth calendar day prior to the bid opening, will be responded to by the Department. For questions posted after this deadline, an answer cannot be assured. For all questions posted before the deadline, the Department will provide and post responses at the same website before 8:00 A.M. (EST) on the second calendar day prior to bid opening.</p>	Posted: 5/18/2020 3:25:04 AM
	<p>Take responsibility to review and be familiar with all questions and responses posted to this website and to make any necessary adjustments in the proposal accordingly</p>	