

ORIGINATION FORM

Specification: Standard Specification 9-8, Special Provision 9-8 (00908010ES applicable to ARRA projects only), 555-8, 556-8, 557-6 and 611-2.3.3

Subject: As-built drawings, certified survey, Bore Path Reports and Plowing Path Reports

Origination date: 04/21/2010

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Problem statement: Current specifications require contract administrators track payment for individual pay items associated with directional bores, jack & bores, vibratory plowing and signalization items and withhold payment of those individual items until as-built plans, bore path reports and plowing path reports are submitted.

Proposed solution: Require that final payment in accordance with 9-8 be withheld until all as-built plans, bore path reports and plowing path reports are submitted by the contractor and accepted by the department.

Information source: Changes suggested by District Construction Engineers

Recommended Usage Note: None

Estimated fiscal impact, if implemented: None

Implementation of these changes, if and when approved, will begin with the January 2011 letting.



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MEMORANDUM

DATE: May 25, 2010

TO: Specification Review Distribution List

FROM: Rudy Powell, Jr., P.E., State Specifications Engineer

SUBJECT: Proposed Specification: 5550800 Directional Bore – Basis of Payment.

In accordance with Specification Development Procedures, we are sending you a copy of a proposed specification change.

This change was proposed by Alan Autry of the State Construction Office to specify that offer of payment will be made upon submittal and Department acceptance of as-built plans instead of withholding a percentage of the unit price.

Please share this proposal with others within your responsibility. Review comments are due within four weeks and should be sent to Mail Station 75 or to my attention via e-mail at ST986RP or rudy.powell@dot.state.fl.us. Comments received after **June 22, 2010** may not be considered. Your input is encouraged.

RP/cah
Attachment

DIRECTIONAL BORE
(REV ~~5-11-10~~5-19-10)

ARTICLE 555-8 (Page 700-701) is deleted and following substituted:

555-8 Basis of Payment.

Price and payment will be full compensation for all work specified in this Section, including furnishing and installing pipe or conduit, from plan point of beginning to plan point of ending at plan depth, removal of excavated materials and spoils, removal and disposal of drilling fluids, backfilling, and complete restoration of the site. Bundled product in a single bore will be paid for as a single bore based on the required drill bit head or back reamer head size. Separate payment shall not be made for individual products in a bundle.

The installation and attachment of tracking conductors (wire or tape) will be included in the cost of the bore and will not be paid for separately.

No payment will be made for failed bore paths, injection of flowable fill, products taken out of service or incomplete installations.

No payment will be made for directional boring until a Bore Path Report has been delivered to the Engineer. After the Engineer's acceptance of the Bore Path Report, *final* payment *is contingent upon* will be made in the amount of 70% of the unit price bid, for ~~Directional Boring~~. The remaining 30% of the unit price bid will be made after submittal *and Department acceptance* of As-Built Plans, ~~in accordance with 555-6.2~~.

Payment will be made under:

Item No. 555- 1- Directional Bore - per foot of bore diameter.