



Bid Questions and Answers Report

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Location: CENTRAL OFFICE

Description: CR 941 (BOCA CHICA RD)

Question:	7648: With respect to the back face of the piles with three sided jackets, is electrical continuity testing and correction of pile reinforcing steel to be limited to the two corner strands only?	Posted:	7/14/2014 10:26:03 AM
Answer:	For the existing end bent piles with three-sided jackets, electrical continuity testing and correction of pile reinforcing steel along the back face of the existing pile (the face of the pile abutting the existing end bent panel) shall include the corner strands only.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	7/14/2014 12:59:48 PM
Question:	7658: Can work be performed under the bridge (spalls, jackets) without road closures?	Posted:	7/15/2014 5:49:22 PM
Answer:	Road closure is not permitted. Sheet B1-12 (Jacket Construction Sequence Note #10) and in the Traffic Control Plans outline the restrictions established in order to complete work without a road closure.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	7/16/2014 1:26:38 PM
Question:	7659: Can pile jacket form be de-watered while filling with structural concrete?	Posted:	7/15/2014 5:50:12 PM
Answer:	The pile jacket form shall be de-watered prior to the placement of the fill material.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	7/16/2014 1:19:32 PM
Question:	7660: Can stiff-backs be attached to retaining wall with bolts and thereafter removed and bolt holes filled?	Posted:	7/15/2014 5:51:00 PM
Answer:	The details Sheet B1-10 shall be followed. The bolts attaching the stiff back to the retained abutment are permanent and shall be left in place.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	7/16/2014 1:30:59 PM

Question:	7661: Can mangroves be trimmed at the wing-walls on the end bents by the contractor or is an arborist needed? Is a permit needed to trim the mangroves in these locations?	Posted:	7/15/2014 5:52:25 PM
Answer:	The Contractor can trim mangroves without an arborist. A permit will not be needed to trim mangroves as long as the Contractor does not cause destruction of the mangroves.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	7/17/2014 5:18:38 PM
Question:	7662: Page B1 note 10 of the jacket construction sequence on the plans states that concrete removal should not extend within the limits of the piling reinforcing steel; page 32 of the specs #457 3.2 states that excavation should be performed to 3/4 to 1 inch behind exposed reinforcement. Clarification is requested for this matter.	Posted:	7/15/2014 5:54:19 PM
Answer:	Concrete removal shall not extend within the pile reinforcing cage per Sheet B1-12 Jacket Construction Sequence Note #10.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	7/16/2014 1:46:34 PM
Question:	7663: Will digging be allowed to install zinc as per plans if necessary or have other approaches already been decided?	Posted:	7/15/2014 5:54:58 PM
Answer:	Per the plans the Zinc Anode shall be installed above the existing ground line, digging is not required.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	7/16/2014 12:39:58 PM
Question:	7664: Are the existing pile jackets structural?	Posted:	7/15/2014 5:55:19 PM
Answer:	The Contractor shall assume that the existing pile jackets are structural.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	7/16/2014 12:47:41 PM
Question:	7665: Can all existing jackets be removed prior to installation of new jackets? Will this be necessary before approval and ordering of the new CP jackets?	Posted:	7/15/2014 5:56:15 PM
Answer:	All existing jackets may not be removed prior to the installation of new jackets. Verification of existing pile dimensions and ordering of jackets and jacket materials per Sheet B1-12 Jacket Construction Note #12 shall comply with the sequence and location of pile jacket work outlined on Sheet B1-12 (Jacket Construction Sequence Note #10).	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	7/16/2014 12:45:12 PM