



Bid Questions and Answers Report

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District Address: District 2 Construction Office, located at 1109 South Marion Avenue, Lake City, FL 32025

District Phone: (386) 961-7532

Proposal: T2563

Project: 209659-3-52-01

Letting Date: 4/29/2015

Localtion: CENTRAL OFFICE

Description: SR 8 (I-10)

Question: 9575: Please provide the CSX Freight train counts/24hr. period & the CSX Passenger train counts/24hr. period for the R/R track adjacent to US-90. Thank you.

Posted: 4/1/2015 4:10:45 PM

Answer: There are approximately 10 freight trains per day at this location. There are no passenger trains running on this rail line at this time but the track is still rated for passenger service.

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Posted: 4/2/2015 2:54:25 PM

Question: 9700: Plans sheet #31(single asterisk)note for the SHLDR PAVEMENT & SHLDR GUTTER DETAIL FOR SINGLE LANE RAMP calls out that shoulder pavement less than 6' in width that adjoins shoulder gutter shall be the same type, depth and slope as the Ramp Pavement. Please confirm that this work is included in the pay area quantities for the Base Group bid items associated with the Ramp Pavement. That the extra costs for this special shoulder pavt work are not to be prorated into the base groups (i.e. OBG-01)used for the shoulder construction.

Posted: 4/8/2015 8:07:56 AM

Answer: The correct base group for these ramp pavement quantities are included within the summary of pay item totals in the plans.

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Posted: 4/9/2015 1:35:57 PM

Question: 9702: Ref Sh#51 Genl Note 11 re the disposal of the designated EZ Base material from the project limits, have arrangements been made with Trail Ridge Landfill to waive any tipping charges/disposal fees; or, is the contractor to include this cost in the bid? (We understand that an alternate approved solid waste lined landfill could be used; and that there would be no additional cost to the Department regardless of the approved disposal location.)

Posted: 4/8/2015 11:01:38 AM

Answer: No arrangements have been made with Trail Ridge Landfill to waive any tipping charges/disposal fees; the contractor is to include this cost in the bid.

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Posted: 4/9/2015 11:30:54 AM

Question:	9703: The plans & specs callout the excavation & disposal of EZ-Base Stabilized Subgrade from certain areas of the project. Please advise if any EZ-Base material was also used in the construction of the Base portion of any of the existing pavement in these same designated areas.	Posted:	4/8/2015 11:08:13 AM
Answer:	No, EZ base material was not used in the construction of the existing base layer.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/9/2015 11:31:58 AM
Question:	9704: What typical section is to be used for Ramp E3?	Posted:	4/8/2015 11:41:08 AM
Answer:	Typical No. 14 will be dimensionally correct for use on Ramp E3. The pavement section from Typical No. 14 will also be applicable to Ramp E3.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/15/2015 1:48:46 PM
Question:	9707: Typical Section #8 stops at Sta 437+48.33; however, on plan sheet #69 the 5ft shoulder construction continues to Sta 448+47.98. What is the shoulder pavement design for this +/- 1100 ft of shoulder?	Posted:	4/8/2015 4:17:51 PM
Answer:	The pavement design for the shoulder from 437+48.33 RT to 448+47.98 RT should match the pavement design provided for shoulder pavement on Typical Section 8. The quantities for this section were captured and included in the project totals.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/9/2015 11:33:44 AM
Question:	9759: On sheet 57 Ramp F1 is drawn as a double lane ramp; however, on sheet 69 this ramp is drawn a single lane ramp. Please clarify.	Posted:	4/13/2015 10:28:07 AM
Answer:	Ramp F1 is to be built as a two lane ramp per Typical Section No. 11 and 13 (plan sheet no. 32, 33)	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/15/2015 1:49:38 PM
Question:	9762: Sheet 31, note on Typical Section 9 states that "shoulder pavement less than 6' in width that adjoins shoulder gutter shall be the same type depth and slope as the ramp pavement." Is this thickened shoulder paid for as OBG 9 or OBG 1?	Posted:	4/13/2015 11:55:58 AM
Answer:	The thickened shoulder is paid for as OBG 9.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/15/2015 1:50:29 PM

Question:	9862: Please provide the speed of the trains	Posted:	4/17/2015 2:56:12 PM
Answer:	The maximum speed that the train can run at this location is 79 MPH.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/21/2015 10:54:24 AM
Question:	9870: Please clarify what Bid Item 455-18, Protection of Existing Structures for Bridges 720821, 720822 and 720823 is for.	Posted:	4/17/2015 4:00:12 PM
Answer:	Sheets B2-1, B3-1, and B4-1 contain the following annotation "Monitor and Protect Existing RR tracks for settlement". Additional guidance is included in FDOT Specifications Section 7-11.4 and Section 455-1.1.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/21/2015 11:00:24 AM
Question:	9871: What drawing number or specification number explains the scope of work in Bid Item 455-18, Protection of Existing Structures?	Posted:	4/17/2015 4:04:12 PM
Answer:	Sheets B2-1, B3-1, and B4-1 contain the following annotation "Monitor and Protect Existing RR tracks for settlement". Additional guidance is included in FDOT Specifications Section 7-11.4 and Section 455-1.1.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/21/2015 10:59:07 AM
Question:	9895: Can a copy of the Temporary Easement agreement between CSX and the Department be provided?	Posted:	4/20/2015 5:09:59 PM
Answer:	The Temporary Construction Easement is posted to the CPP Online site, for information only.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/23/2015 9:02:34 AM
Question:	9907: In Article 8-12 of the standard specifications, it states that the Contractor may be responsible for delay damages suffered by third parties in addition to Liquidated Damages. Please provide the types of damages that the Contractor may be responsible for under this Article as well as the third parties that may be affected.	Posted:	4/21/2015 1:08:39 PM
Answer:	In terms of third parties, it is incumbent upon the Contractor to become familiar and comply with any and all rules, laws, etc. per FDOT Specification 7-1 Laws To Be Observed.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/22/2015 8:31:18 AM
Question:	9924: Why is there a 180 day acquisition/flexible start time on this project?	Posted:	4/22/2015 10:45:09 AM

Answer:	To acquire the parts for the Steel girder bridge (#720823).	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/22/2015 11:36:29 AM
Question:	9926: In the Contamination Assessment Reports, the report titled "Use of EZ Base on SR 23 as a Stabilizing Material for Stabilized Subgrade" concludes that EZ Base is an acceptable material for stabilizer as long as certain parameters are met. Then why does it have to be removed if encountered as per General Note # 11 on Sheet 51?	Posted:	4/22/2015 10:56:32 AM
Answer:	Comply with the contract documents.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/23/2015 4:08:30 PM
Question:	9927: Based on the favorable results from "Use of EZ Base on SR 23 as a Stabilizing Material for Stabilized Subgrade" report, can EZ Base be utilized on this project?	Posted:	4/22/2015 11:09:04 AM
Answer:	EZBase cannot be utilized on this project.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/23/2015 4:08:55 PM
Question:	9934: Is temporary sod paid for under pay items 0570 1 1 Performance Turf? or 0570 1 2 Performance Turf (Sod)?	Posted:	4/22/2015 2:23:50 PM
Answer:	Temporary sod should be paid for under 0570 -1 -2 Performance Turf (Sod). See FDOT Specification Section 104.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/23/2015 8:13:53 AM
Question:	9952: Plans do not call for Class V finish at any of the Bridge Structures. Please confirm that Class V is not required and if so, what type of surface finish will be needed.	Posted:	4/22/2015 5:07:52 PM
Answer:	Class V finish on the Bridge Structures is not required. Use a General Surface Finish per FDOT Specification Section 400-15.1.	Status:	ANSWER PUBLISHED
		Posted:	4/23/2015 8:15:24 AM
Question:	10048: The approximate quantities page has listed 36,829 SF of sheet piling steel, temp-critical what are the sections? specify	Posted:	4/27/2015 3:49:49 PM

Answer: Questions posted to this site before 5:00 P.M. (EST) on the seventh calendar day prior to the bid opening, or tenth 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.

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Posted: 4/28/2015 3:25:26 AM