



STATE OF MAINE
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
16 STATE HOUSE STATION
AUGUSTA, MAINE
04333-0016

JOHN ELIAS BALDACCI
GOVERNOR

DAVID A. COLE
COMMISSIONER

May 21, 2007
Subject: **Andover**
Project No. NH-1001(540)X
Pin No. 10015.40
Amendment No. 1

Dear Sir/Ms:

Please make the following changes to the Bid Documents:

In the Bid Book, on the: "Contract Agreement, Offer & Award" two sets, eight pages total, under sub section "B. Time" CHANGE the completion date from **October 1, 2007** to **November 15, 2007** on both sets. Make this change in pen and ink.

On "Special Provision, Section 107, Time" one page total, dated May 3, 2007 CHANGE the completion date from **October 1, 2007** to **November 15, 2007**. Make this change in pen and ink.

ADD the attached: "Special Provision, Section 203, Excavation Embankment, (Dredge Materials)" two pages total, dated 16 May 2007.

The following questions have been received.

Question: The project is scheduled for completion in October, Re: Item 621.81 Live Stakes, dormant Live Stakes will not be available, is it possible to install these in the Spring of 2008 during the establishment period?

Response: No, see the change revising the completion date made earlier in this amendment.

Question: Please provide a source for *Salix petiolaris* deciduous shrubs and Live Stakes.

Response: Sources for *Salix petiolaris* can be found on the following website: <http://hortiplex.gardenweb.com/plants/sources.html>. Native substitutions with the same size and growth habits may be considered.



PRINTED ON RECYCLED PAPER

Consider this information and changes prior to submitting your bid on May 30, 2007.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. Bickford". The signature is stylized and cursive.

Scott Bickford

Contracts & Specifications Engineer

SPECIAL PROVISION
SECTION 203
EXCAVATION AND EMBANKMENT
(Dredge Materials)

Description: Dredge Material (See MDOT Standard Specifications § 101.2) is regulated as a Special Waste.

In accordance with CMR 418, one hundred cubic yards or less of Dredge Material Beneficially Used in the area adjacent to and draining into the dredged water body is exempt from Beneficial Use Permits.

The Maine Department of Environmental Protection has ruled that river bottom material moved solely to allow construction and then replaced essentially in the location from which it was moved is not deemed to be Dredge Material regulated by the DEP. River bottom material moved to allow placement of the riprap associated with the Andover Wetland Mitigation project and then replace in essentially the location from which it was moved and to the original river bottom profile shall not be deemed a Beneficial Use of Dredge Material. These materials shall not be included in the Dredge Material quantities.

It is anticipated that approximately 20-cubic yards of river bottom will be moved in relation to the placement of riprap. All river bottom material not replaced in essentially the location from which it was moved and to the original river bottom profile shall be placed into onsite Beneficial Use.

CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS

Management: The contractor shall Beneficially Use all Dredge Material excavated at the Andover Wetland Mitigation project in the area adjacent to and draining into the dredged water body. No more than 100-cubic yards of Dredge Material may be excavated.

Method of Measurement: Dredge Material will be measured by the cubic yard of material removed.

Basis of Payment: Payment for the Beneficial Use of Dredge Material will be incidental to the Contract Pay Items.

Payment shall be full compensation for excavation, dewatering, managing, transporting, and placement of the Dredge Materials.