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David Bernhardt
COMMISSIONER

July 13, 2015
Subject: Girder Replacement
State WIN: 021475.00
Location: **Oakfield**
Amendment No. 1

Dear Sir/Ms:

The following questions have been received:

Question: I think the completion date is unrealistic for this project. Can you change the completion date to late November, 2015?

Response: The completion date of the project shall remain as October 30, 2015.

Question: Will shop welded full pen splices be allowed to make up the W36 X 160 beams (G1 & G2)? We'd need to have one (1) shop welded splice per girder length.

Response: No, shop welded full pen splices will not be allowed.

Question: Please provide the paint spec for the structural steel. Is the steel to be shop coated or field coated?

Response: The structural steel shall be shop coated. Areas not shop coated shall be coated in the field after erection. A special provision will be added showing the coating color.

INSERT attached "SPECIAL PROVISION, SECTION 506, Zinc Rich Coating (shop applied)", 1 page, dated July 13, 2015 after page 35.

Consider this change and information prior to submitting your bid on **July 22, 2015**.

Sincerely,

George M. A. Macdougall P.E.
Contracts & Specifications Engineer



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SPECIAL PROVISION
SECTION 506
Zinc Rich Coating (Shop Applied)

The structural steel shall be coating using federal color Standard 595C, color number 14272.

Areas not coated in the shop shall be coated in the field after erection.