



STATE OF MAINE
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
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COMMISSIONER

May 24, 2016
Subject: Culvert Replacements
State WIN: 022309.00
Location: **Dresden & Litchfield**
Amendment No. 1

Dear Sir/Ms:

Make the following change to the Bid Documents:

REMOVE, page 39, "SPECIAL PROVISION, SECTION 105, GENERAL SCOPE OF WORK (Contract Limits)", dated 05/03/2016 and **REPLACE** with attached revised "SPECIAL PROVISION, SECTION 105, GENERAL SCOPE OF WORK (Contract Limits)", 1 page, dated 05/24/2016.

The following question has been received:

Question: After running some initial numbers it appears that the department has not allowed enough time with the road closures as stated in Special Provision 105 to allow for installation/backfill/gravel installation and other work required in the construction notes and Special Provision 603. Would the Department please consider changing the road closure times to the following:

Pipe 1: 96 hours (4 days)
Pipe 2: 48 hours (2 days)
Pipe 3: 48 hours (2 days)
Pipe 4: 120 hours (5 days)

Response: It is not necessarily the Department's intent to do 100% of the work while the road is closed. It is our intention to get the pipe in and backfilled so the road can be opened to traffic. See the attached amended Special Provision 105.

Consider this change and information prior to submitting your bid on June 8, 2016

Sincerely,

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



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SPECIAL PROVISION
SECTION 105
GENERAL SCOPE OF WORK
(Contract Limits)

1. The MaineDOT will close the road down and set up detours for the following durations:
 - a. Pipe 1 a maximum of 60 hours.
 - b. Pipe 2 a maximum of 36 hours
 - c. Pipe 3 a maximum of 36 hours
 - d. Pipe 4 a maximum of 84 hours.
2. The Contractor will be responsible for all traffic control devices, flaggers, and maintenance of traffic control devices for work performed outside of the road closure time frame.
3. No work will be allowed May 27th – May 31st, July 1st – July 5th, and September 2nd – September 6th.
4. No work will be allowed Sundays.
5. A preconstruction meeting must be held prior to any work being started.
6. The Contractor will provide the Department a minimum of 14 calendar days' notice to schedule a preconstruction meeting.
7. The Contractor will provide the Department a minimum of 14 calendar days' notice to schedule a road closure.
8. The Contractor will only be allowed to work from sun rise to sun set unless proper lighting is provided and protective gear is worn as per the MUTCD.
9. The Contractor's erosion control plan and Traffic Control Plan must be approved prior to beginning work. Section 656 of the Standard Specifications shall apply.
10. MaineDOT is available to visit the site, if requested. Jamie Andrews is the MaineDOT's contact person. He may be contacted by phone at (207) 446-1768.