

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

DAVID A. COLE
COMMISSIONER

November 22, 2010 Subject: Wells

Federal Project No: NH-7998(10)E

State Pin No: 007998.10 Amendment No. 3

Dear Sir/Ms:

Make the following changes to the bid Documents:

In the Bid Book (page 1) "NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS", **CHANGE** the bid opening date in the first sentence from "November 24, 2010" (changed in amendment #1) to read "**December 8**, 2010". Make this change in pen and ink.

In the Bid Book (page 1), NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS, CHANGE the "basis of award" (changed in amendment #2) to read as follows;

"The basis of award will be Section 0001 plus the chosen alternate" Make this change in pen and ink.

The following questions have been received:

Question: Please provide detail on the breakaway device, Item 645.161.

Response: Item 645.161 was removed from the contract

Question: Please provide detail on the aluminum pole as well as a mounting detail of the

sign, Item 645.281

Response: Item 645.281 was removed from the contract

Question: What do the 63 item 645.161 breakaway devices and the 63 item 645.281 5" aluminum poles bolt to? The existing signs that are to be reinstalled are posts. There does not seem to be any existing bases and there in no bid item for new bases.

Response: Items 645.161 & 645.281 were removed from the contract.



Question: Plan Sheet 11 of 153, general Notes #13 - #16, Entrances, which items of the driveway entrances will be paid for?

Response: Common Borrow, Excavation, Pavement, Subbase

a. Residential Drives (note #13): Item 403.209 - Hot Mix Asphalt, 9.5m Nominal Maximum size (sidewalks, drives, islands & incidentals) &

Item 304.1 - Aggregate Subbase Course Gravel

b. Commercial Drives (note #14): Item 403.209 - Hot Mix Asphalt, 9.5m Nominal Maximum size (sidewalks, drives, islands & incidentals)

Item 304.1 - Aggregate Subbase Course Gravel

- c. Unpaved Drives (note #15): Item 304.1 – Aggregate Subbase Course Gravel
- d. Crushed Stone Drives (note #16): Item 411.12 2" Crushed Stone Surface Item 304.1 - Aggregate Subbase Course Gravel

Question: Given the deficit of millings to produce PM rap, will the Contractor be allowed to use the macadam in the PM rap?

Response: No

Consider these changes and information prior to submitting your bid on **December 8**, 2010.

> At Buhl Scott Bickford

Sincerely,

Contracts & Specifications Engineer