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July 19, 2011
Subject: **Portland**
Federal Project No: NH-1310(700)E
State PIN: 013107.00
Amendment No. 2

David Bernhardt
COMMISSIONER

Dear Sir/Ms:

The following questions have been received:

Question: What work does the Heavy Wage rates included in the back of the book cover?


Response: The Heavy Wage rates cover the sewer, water, and gas work. The Highway rates apply to the remaining work.

Question: The specifications require the use of Etheridge Foundry Frame and Grates for Catch Basins in the City of Portland. Etheridge Foundry is not an approved supplier for MDOT Projects. There is no approved equal for this product. Please clarify what supplier should be used.

Response: These are for the City of Portland and the responsibility of the City. The State is just responsible for pavement preservation in this section of Forest Avenue. They are to be used for sidewalk CB locations only.

Consider this information prior to submitting your bid on July 20, 2011.

Sincerely,


Scott Bickford
Contracts & Specifications Engineer



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