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Subject: Bridge Rail & Post Replacement
State WIN: 024246.00
Location: **Waterville & Benton**
Amendment No. 1

Dear Sir/Ms.:

The following question has been received:

Question: Looking at drawing can't offer the post bolt hole size expansion slots referenced on the drawing. We can do the expansion slots for the splice pattern. See attached drawing of GHP PIV 213. Will this work?

Response: Yes, standard sized guardrail panels with standard hole locations, standard sized slots (3/4" x 2-1/2") and standard hardware is acceptable in lieu of the slots (15/16" x 3") and hardware detailed in SECTION A-A on Plan Sheet 2 of 3. Please note that due to the length of bridge and expansion joint locations some field cutting, drilling and adjustments may be necessary to facilitate guardrail expansion at the bridge joints.

Consider these changes and information prior to submitting your bid on **May 22, 2019**.

Sincerely,

George M. A. Macdougall P.E.
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