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June 1, 2020
Subject: Pavement Milling, Open-Graded
Friction Course with Safety Improvements
State WIN: 024849.00
Location: **South Portland**
Amendment No. 1

Dear Sir/Ms.:

The following question has been received:

Question: Can a regular broom pick up behind the mill and then the Vacuum broom come in behind that and clean the pavement? We have contacted a vac-broom contractor and they say it does not pick up behind the mill very well.

Response: A side cast and pick-up broom may be used in conjunction with the required regenerative air broom. If a pick-up broom is used minimal water shall be used to minimize packing and choking of the lower ATPB base. Compressed air with air lance may be needed to loosen packed millings from the lower surface and around structures before and during the sweeping and vacuuming operations.

Consider these changes and information prior to submitting your bid on **June 3, 2020**.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "George M. A. Macdougall".

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