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DATE: August 4, 2009

TO: All Prospective Bidders

SUBJECT: Response to Bidders' Inquiries No. 1
 Asphalt Concrete Overlay 2009- Malcolm Dixon Road
 (Contract No. PW 09-30417)

ITEM NO.	PAGE OR DRAWING NO.	INQUIRY/RESPONSE
1	SP-32	<p>Question: Section 9 (See SP-32, "Description of Work") does not reference Adjustment of Existing Valve Covers and Manhole. Will lowering and raising of these valve covers and manholes within the project limits be considered part of the Scope of Work for this project?</p> <p>Answer: No, this work is not included in the scope of Work, The Contractor shall overlay over the utilities. The utility companies will raise the existing valve covers and manholes after the completion of this overlay contract.</p>
2	SP-32 & SP-38	<p>Question: Section 9 (See SP-32, "Description of Work") does not reference Striping. Is removal and replacement of striping part of the Scope of Work for this project?</p> <p>Answer: Malcolm Dixon Road does not have any existing laneline or centerline striping. Section 10-1.08 "Temporary Pavement Delineation" of the Special Provisions is not applicable.</p>
3	SP-32	<p>Question: Section 9 (See SP-32, "Description of Work") does not reference Shoulder Backing. Is shoulder backing part of the Scope of Work for this project? If not, how long will temporary edgeline delineation be required prior to this work being performed by others?</p> <p>Answer: Shoulder Backing and the appropriate signage and delineation will be provided by County forces.</p>
4	SP-40	<p>At the pre-bid meeting on July 29, 2009, DOT Highway Maintenance Supervisor noted the two narrow bridges at the west end of the project. The Contractor shall not overlay either bridge. DOT Maintenance will provide conform grinding at both ends of both bridges.</p>

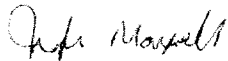
Holders who have already mailed their proposal can contact Janel Gifford at (530) 642-4988 (email: Janel.Gifford@edcgov.us) to arrange return of their proposal.

Inform all suppliers and subcontractors as necessary.

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Sincerely,



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