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DATE: July 13, 2011

TO: All Prospective Bidders

SUBJECT: Response to Bidders' Inquiries No. 2

Contract Overlay - North Shingle Road (4 miles) Project

(Contract No. PW 10-30567, CIP No. 72179)

ITEM NO.	LOCATION, PAGE OR DRAWING NO.	DESCRIPTION OF CHANGE
2.01	SP- 42	Question: Section 10-1.12 Has the County already identified the areas of the existing pavement that do not meet the straight test or will the contractor be responsible for profilographing the existing road way to determine the areas that do not meet the straight test? Answer: See the second paragraph of Section 10-1.12 "Rubberized Hot Mix Asphalt (Gap Graded).
2.02	SP-7 and SP-37	Question: 1) Section 4-1.01 - will the Job Mix Formula be approved prior to the start of the 30 calendar day completion time? 2) Section 4-1.01 and Section10-1.09 - will the 30 day completion time include the placement of the portable changeable message signs 7 days prior to the start of the project? Answer: 1) The answer to this question depends on when the Contractor submits the Job Mix Formula to the County. If it is submitted sufficiently before the start date of the contract days stated in the Notice to Proceed, it is conceivable that the Job Mix Formula could be approved prior to the start of the 30 calendar days. Otherwise the answer is no.

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Holders who have already mailed their proposal can contact Janel Gifford at (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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