

Answers to Prebid Questions:

- Q: Further to data on sheet 976 please confirm that all steel components of the TL-4 transparent barrier system are coated "buff" after galvanizing.
- A: Per note 8 on sheet 976, only the vertical support posts shall be coated as per item 514, Buff color.
- Q: We would suggest that coating be applied to all areas "exposed to view". Since there is colored acrylic sheeting covering all steel from the top of the precast barrier to the deck, could this portion of the steel framing just be left in a galvanized state?
- A: Per note 8 on sheet 976, only the vertical support posts shall be coated as per item 514, Buff color.
- Q: It is clear on sheet 976, that the non transparent acrylic panels are to be "buff color". Is the GSCC transparent sheet to be clear transparent with black filaments or a tinted color, (smoky brown), with black filaments?
- A: There are no non transparent acrylic panels specified for this project. The transparent panels are not to be tinted, but should contain black filaments.
- Q: On past projects the icon(sign) panels have always been a separate bid item to avoid an escalated cost for the regular noise wall items. Will ODOT consider the sign panels as a separate unit price item?
- A: The icons should be included in the bid price of the concrete panels.
- Q: Please clarify that the icon, (sign)panels is a projected relief from the face of the panel. What is the minimum relief of this projection?
- A: The minimum relief should conform to the manufacturers specifications.
- Q: Please clarify the brick formliner finish on the absorptive surface. Is the brick size 4" x 12" or 6" x 12"?
- A: The "brick" size should be 2- 2/3" x 8". See addendum this addendum.
- Q: There is no specific elevation view of the residential side of the panels. Typically the rolled brick pattern has been a large CMU type pattern (8" x 16"). Please calrfiy the pattern on the concrete face of the noise wall panels.
- A: The "brick" size should be the same on both sides 2-2/3" x 8".
- Q: Also please clariy the coating for this side. Are the mortar joints to be left natural color? or is the whole panel to be coated one color, (buff)?
- A: The panel color should be Federal color #595B-20109 Red Brick. A separate mortar joint color is not to be utilized on this project. See addendum this addendum.
- Q: On sheet 973 Post and panel caps are detailed and there is a note that integral caps are acceptable as decided by the project engineer. Integral caps cannot have the same dimensions as detailed on sheet 973, (20" wide for panel cap, and 26" wide for post caps)