

Q&A

CSJ: 0079-01-038 Brown County

Q1) We would like to have some clarification on the temporary shoring for this job.

A1) The special shoring required for construction is as per Item 403.3 "The Contractor is responsible for the temporary special shoring design unless complete details are included on the plans." Since we did not specify the type of shoring, we are giving the Contractor the option as per the Spec to design what they would want. Please refer to Item 403 for the requirements of the special shoring.

Q2) What type of filler material is required for the rumble strips?

A2) Filler material is any of the following options as per Special Specification 5092:

Furnish materials. Use materials that meet the requirements of the following:

- Item 300, "Asphalts, Oils, and Emulsions"
- Item 330, "Limestone Rock Asphalt Pavement"
- Item 334, "Hot-Mix Cold-Laid Asphalt Concrete Pavement"
- Item 340, "Dense-Graded Hot-Mix Asphalt (Small Quantity)"
- Item 350, "Microsurfacing"
- DMS 9202 "Asphaltic Concrete Patching Material (Stockpile Storage or Bagged)."

Q3) How is the temporary CTB to be pinned to the ground?

A3) Refer to SSCB (5) -10 Detail 2 in the plans for pinning.

Q4) Is blade laying the 4' temporary asphalt for the first detour allowed?

A4) As per Special Specification 3076.3 Equipment: Provide required or necessary equipment in accordance with Item 320, Equipment for Asphalt Concrete Pavement. 320.2.3.4 Motor Grader. Provide a self-propelled grader, when allowed, with a blade length of at least 12 ft. and a wheelbase of at least 16 ft.

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Q5) Wanted some clarification on the Brown County hwy67 railroad underpass job. In the plans it appears we are going to be responsible for the purchase and stockpiling for TxDOT to retain ownership in the Coleman maintenance yard in regards to the temporary concrete barrier wall. If we are responsible for purchasing, need to know exact spec required and if it needs to be new or can be used. Also, whether we will be required to grout/rub any damage before return and stockpile. If we are not responsible for purchase, need to know the location of TxDOT barrier and whether there is enough quantity and correct spec. If TxDOT does not want to purchase and retain ownership of new barrier and does not currently own adequate supply, could the barrier also be rented and paid under the furnish pay item?

A5) Bid as shown. Contractor will purchase barrier wall and then stockpile it so TxDOT will keep it.

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