

# Q & A

Palo Pinto County, TX

US 281

CSJ: 0249-08-042 etc.

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- 1) Can we get a pdf of the cross sections posted on the FTP site?  
A) Attached
- 2) Can we get an XSR of the cross sections posted on the FTP site?  
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- 3) When the earthwork volumes were calculated was the top of the Lime Treatment or top of the Flex base used for the design surface?  
A) Top of the lime treated subgrade.
- 4) Your pay item for PCTB is F-shape, the only detail in the plans is for SSCB. The TCP refers to the SSCB detail.  
A) F-shape barrier should be used.
- 5) Can we get the time determination out on the FTP site?  
A) It is upload as information becomes available for posting.
- 6) Can we get any geotechnical reports and/or bore log information available out on the FTP site? Specifically in the area of the noise wall for the drilled shafts.  
A) The geotechnical report and pavement report that is completed will be posted to the FTP site. The geotechnical report specific to the noise wall is not complete. The geotechnical report specific to the noise wall will be completed once a property owner vote is held for the wall.
- 7) Will this project be managed by a CEI firm or TxDOT?  
A) All contracts are TxDOT administered.
- 8) What item does the removal of the 3' of pavement edge pay under, as there is no pavement removal item?

A) Item 110 Excavation

9) Can Prep, SWPPP and Culvert work be performed in phase 3 after those items are complete in phase 1?

A) The contractor is to first produce a baseline schedule for the work according to the original sequence and phasing outlined in the contract documents. After the baseline schedule is completed and reviewed for acceptance, TxDOT will then entertain ideas of schedule acceleration from the awarded contractor.

10) Can we work in multiple work areas in a phase, as long as those work areas are limited to 1 mile in length?

A) Yes

11) Can we get the pavement core information for the existing pavement out on the FTP site?

A) The pavement report that is completed will be posted to the FTP site.

12) In lieu of flex base per note 5 on the TCP, can we use the salvaged 3' existing pavement and base to shoulder-up the 3:1 taper at the drop off?

A) Yes

13) If new base is required for the 3:1 taper per note 5 of the TCP, can that flex base be paid under the 247 flexbase item, as it is by the CY & not the 12" SY?

A) New base is not required.

14) Per details A, B & C on the proposed Typical Sections it shows to apply chip seal oil, CRS-2 or CRS-2H, to the 3'-5' of TY A Backfill. Does the CRS-2 or CRS-2H material pay under the 316-6022 ASPH (CRS-2) item by the gallon or 134-6001 Backfill TY A by the station?

A) 134-6001 Backfill (TY A)

15) If the CRS-2 or CRS-2H applied to the 3'-5' edge is paid under the 134-6001 TY A Backfill item, at what application rate is it to be applied?

A) 0.2 gal/SY

16) Since it's not shown in the Typical Sections, how was the item 3077-6060 SP-D Level-up item quantified?

A) Cross sections were used to calculate level-up quantities.

17) In the General Notes on sheet 22D, Item 100, Preparing Right of Way, states "Removal of existing concrete pavement will be in accordance with item 104, 'Removing Concrete' except that this work will not be paid for directly, but will be subsidiary to Item 100, 'Preparing Right of Way.'" Where is this removal of concrete pavement located at?

A) This note was included for concrete driveway removals that are required in widening areas, such as DW N #128, DW S #53, DW S #57A, and DW S #97.