

**2020 Daviess County CCMG Sportsman Road Bid Question and Answers.**

**1. Q. What is the Completion Date?**

**A. November 15, 2020. Please list the contractor anticipated completion date with your bid.**

**2. Q. Is the existing stone base in the widening area sufficient or will stone need to be added?**

**A. Daviess County took random core samples and found 7" to 9" of stone in the area to be widened. So Yes.**

**3. Q. Is scarification to take place post asphalt widening?**

**A. Yes**

**4. Q. Joint adhesive quantity is tripled length why?**

**A. When the estimate was original completed there was a surface joint calculated at each widened area for a total of three joints. It has since been eliminated and now only a single center surface joint is required. Please adjust the bid number accordingly. Also please include an alternate bid for J Band to be used in the single centerline surface joint. This would be in lieu of the standard joint adhesive and liquid asphalt sealant.**

**5. Q. Is the liquid asphalt sealant to be applied to the widening joints and the centerline joint of the surface?**

**A. Yes, however in the alternate bid for J band the liquid asphalt sealant can be eliminated in the surface centerline joint.**

**6. Q. Will Daviess County all the County roads to be used to access the project with the loaded trucks?**

**A. Yes, but we would prefer that only the hard surface roads be used.**

**7. Q. Where does the County want the excavated and milled material placed?**

**A. Daviess County Highway Department at 5247 E 100 N Montgomery, In. 47558.**

**8. Q. As the widening approaches private drives, is the contractor to remove the portion of the drive or skip over and tie in smoothly?**

**A. This will be the contractor's choice. If the contractor does choose to remove the driveway approach they will need to put something back ASAP to allow the resident to maintain access without damaging their vehicle.**

**9. Q. Is the HMA base to be 19mm or 25mm?**

**A. The HMA base is to be 19mm.**

**10. Q. Who will take care of resetting the signs and mailboxes that need to be moved?**

**A. Daviess County Highway Department will take care of moving these. It will be up to the contractor to flag the mailboxes that need moved.**

**11. Q. Who will place shoulder stone in areas that it will be required?**

**A. Daviess County Highway Department will place the shoulder stone where needed.**

**12. Q. Can a revised quantity be provided for the joint adhesive since it is only to be applied to the center joint?**

**A. Yes. The new quantity shall equal the project length. The new total quantity is 33,870 LFT.**

**13. Q. Can you provide a quantity and unit of measure for bidding purpose concerning the alternate bid for J Band material?**

**A. Yes. The V Ram shall be applied at 18" wide and 1.47 lb/ft. See INDOT spec book section 401.15 for application spec.**

**14. Q. Please verify the width of the milled corrugations to be bid?**

**A. Milled corrugations shall be 8" in width. Refer to the latest INDOT standard specs section 606 for all other detail.**

**15. Q. Pavement markings?**

**A. Latest INDOT Standard specifications section 808 shall apply to the pavement markings..**

**16. Q. Can the vegetation that exist on the stone shoulders be "peeled off" onto the existing dirt shoulders thus exposing the stone that must be excavated and hauled to the County garage?**

**A. Yes under two conditions. 1. After the removal "peeling", the vegetation dies, the material must be graded back against the new paved shoulder to a smooth condition. 2. This will not be allowed in front of residents that are mowing the area as a yard.**

**Note: The County Highway Department plans to spray and kill the shoulder vegetation approximately 30 days prior to the project start date to assist with this issue.**

**17. Q. In the 5/4/2020 Q & A it states the lineal feet of joint adhesive for the surface is to be the length of the job which is 33,870'. Can it be assumed that the Liquid Asphalt sealant bid should be the 33,870' in length as well?**

**A. Yes.**