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MEMORANDUM

MEMO TO:

All Prequalified Contractors

FROM:

Rick Stansel, Director

Division of Contract Procurement

THROUGH:

Amos Hubbard Jr., Deputy State Highway Engineer

Chairman Prequalification Committee

DATE:

November 1, 2002

SUBJECT:

Asphalt Paving Prequalification

Effective with the January 2003 letting, the prequalification work item of Bituminous Concrete Paving will change. All Contractors with work item C, Bituminous Concrete Paving, will be required to provide evidence of quality control in order to bid bituminous paving projects with the department.

Two new work items (with requirements for each item) have been established for bituminous paving projects. The new work items are:

C-1 Option "B" Bituminous Concrete Paving

This work item is for asphalt paving projects where all paving is performed utilizing the option "B" specifications. The requirement to obtain this item is to have access to a qualified Superpave Plant Technologist. Documentation is a signed, dated letter from a qualified Superpave Plant Technologist indicating the individual will provide all necessary quality control for the named contractor.

C-2 Option "A" Bituminous Concrete Paving

This work item is for Asphalt Paving projects where **any** portion of the paving is performed utilizing the option "A" specifications. Requirements to obtain this item include access to a qualified Superpave Plant Technologist and access to equipment utilized in taking required cores and weighing of samples in accordance with option "A" paving. Documentation is a signed, dated letter from a qualified Superpave Plant Technologist indicating the individual will provide all necessary quality control for the named contractor. In addition, an equipment list or letter of lease for all equipment utilized in the taking of cores in accordance with option "A", is required.



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A request letter, along with the proper documentation for work item(s) desired is to be submitted to the Prequalification Section, Division of Contract Procurement. Contractors who do not update their Asphalt Work item will have Bituminous Concrete Paving removed from their Certificate of Eligibility effective at close of business of the January 13, 2003 Prequalification Committee meeting.

The Division of Materials offers training sessions for new technologists. For the 2003 season, schedules are as follows:

January 28-31, 2003 and March 4-7, 2003.

For additional information or to register, please contact the Division of Materials at (502) 564-3160.