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January 29, 2010
Subject: **Brewer**
Federal Project No: HP-1487(110)X
State Pin No: 014871.10
Amendment No. 1

Dear Sir/Ms:

Make the following change to the Bid Document:

In the Bid Book, after page 78, **ADD** the attached "RESET CONCRETE PAVERS" detail, 1 page dated 1/27/2010.

The following questions have been received:

Question: Under Item #608.261 (Reset Concrete Pavers) in the Special Provisions it states the scope of work will include (...furnishing and placing the 50mm HMA, 25mm sand cement base...). What type of HMA mix is required under this item and what is the gradation/composition of the sand cement base to be used?

Response: Mix type for the sand bedding can be either 12.5mm HMA base, or 9.5mm HMA.

Sand cement base is defined as washed mortar sand mixed at 6 parts sand to 1 part Portland cement. (6:1 ratio).

The 1 inch sand cement layer shall be graded and compacted to a smooth surface parallel to the proposed finished slope and grade.

Question: Sheet 10 of 42 shows SD-3, SD-4, SD-5 all being type "C" underdrain. This section crosses Betton Street. Could you indicate if this should be Opt. III pipe?

Response: Type C underdrain shall be used.

Question: This project requires the re-use of existing mast arm poles. Is it going to be acceptable to not have any temporary lights up or should there be an item to cover them?

Response: See General Note #15 on Sheet 16, which requires the contractor to provide temporary signalization during the relocating of the existing signals at Center Street. Payment is to be included in the LS item for Traffic Signals at Betton Street.



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Question: Full construction calls for 24" ASCG type "D" gravel and no type "A" which is typical for full construction. Should there be any type "A" considered for this application?

Response: Type A gravel is not required on this project.

Question: Could you please provide a detail for item 608.261, Reset Concrete Pavers?

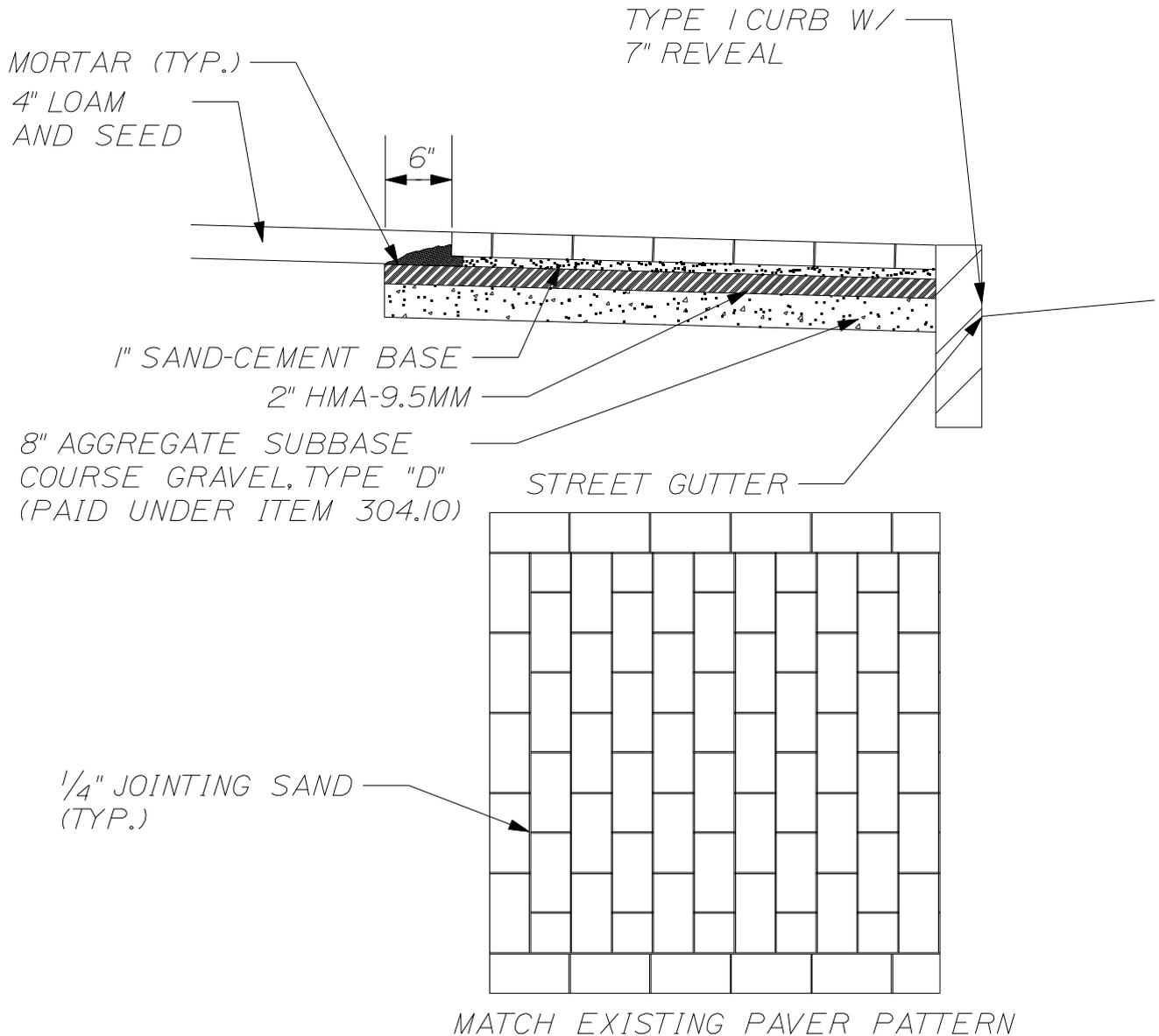
Response: Refer to "Reset Concrete Pavers" detail added in this amendment.

Consider this change and information prior to submitting your bid on February 3, 2010.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott Bickford". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Scott" being more prominent than the last name "Bickford".

Scott Bickford
Contracts & Specifications Engineer



NOTE:

1. PAY ITEM 608.261 SHALL INCLUDE RESET CONCRETE PAVERS, MORTAR, SAND CEMENT BASE, AND 2" HMA.

PIN 14871.10 - BREWER
RESET CONCRETE PAVERS
608(261)