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Subject: **Auburn**
Federal Project No: AC-BR-1709(201)X
State Pin No: 017092.01
Amendment No. 3

Dear Sir/Ms:

The following question has been received:

Question: Amendment Two grants permission to place riprap and perform demolition "in the wet". SP 656 clearly states "all work shall be conducted in the dry." Please clarify.

Response: A floating turbidity curtain is an acceptable BMP for the installation of riprap provided that it avoids and minimizes sedimentation beyond the immediate work area and it does not impede the ability to build a stable toe of slope. Demolition debris should be contained and not allowed to enter the resource unless, after review by the Surface Water Resources Unit and Resident, it is deemed acceptable. This acceptance shall be based on site-specific conditions including flow conditions, substrate, method of concrete removal and volume concrete debris to be generated.

Consider this information prior to submitting your bid on April 28, 2010.

Sincerely,

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Contracts & Specifications Engineer



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