

**BID REFERENCE DOCUMENT**

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**Letter of Clarification No. 02**

**TO:** **PLAN HOLDERS**

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**SUBJECT:** OR47: Nehalem River Bridge Project  
Nehalem Highway  
Columbia County  
Structure and Painting  
Bids Closing September 2, 2021

The following are the Agency's responses to Bidders' questions/requests for clarification:

Question #1

Are the handrails to be cleaned and painted?

Response #1

Bid per plan. Pedestrian rail is included as a work item.

Question #2

There is a substantial amount of platform, containment, abrasive blasting, painting, traffic control, and steel repair equipment and materials that will need to be committed to this project. Is there a staging area available for Contractors use? If so, where?

Response #2

No.

Question #3

Load restrictions on the bridge?

Response #3

Truck load limits are currently being established that will be posted when complete.

Question #4

What are you allowing for single lane closures?

Response #4

Bid per plan.

Question #5

Staging clamps or Tie ups allowed 2.5" away? Center of beam?

Response #5

A response is being developed that will be included in a later clarification.

Question #6

What is the OHW elevation mark for the Project? I didn't see an elevation shown in the plans or specs.

Response #6

Bid per plan. The Engineer will identify and mark the regulated work area.

Additional Information:

1. Optional site visit on Monday (08/23/21)
2. Please do not move bird nests – APHIS on this project.
3. Water really gets high in the stream over the year.