

**Bid Items Application Update to Bid Item Listings -- Sept. 14, 2015**

**Iowa Department of Transportation -- Office of Contracts**

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Bid items for Bid Items Application have been updated.

- Beginning on page 2 is a summary of the updates to the bid item files.
- New items are effective immediately unless otherwise noted.
- Use of new items on projects let before the effective date will not be permitted.
- Items shown as omitted shall not be used on projects to be let after the September 15, 2015 letting.
- FYI: 'Spec' changes to existing bid items are not included in this notification.

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Specifications for most bid items consist of five parts: 1) Description, 2) Materials, 3) Construction, 4) Method of Measurement, and 5) Basis of Payment. The Spec Codes defined below, and shown in the online Bid Item Description Book, are used to identify a source(s) where typical specs for the bid item located. The specific source will depend on the actual use and application of the bid item.

The policy of the Office of Contracts is that the designer of the projects let through the Iowa D.O.T. letting system ensures that all bid items have complete specifications.

Special attention is directed to the codes STD6, SP2, and PLAN that may use or need multiple sources. For many bid items with those codes, additional information is required. This could include entire specifications (all five parts) for a bid item, or modifications/changes/additional requirements to one or more parts of an existing specification. For most of those bid items, the specs could be included in the Item Reference Information or General Notes of the project plan. The designer is encouraged to use the Standard Specifications, Supplemental Specifications, etc. as resources for the proper language for any of the five spec portions for similar bid items.

Spec Code	Spec Source
STD	Standard Specifications - including General Supplemental Specifications
STD2	Standard Specifications - including applicable Supplemental Specifications
STD3	Standard Specifications - including applicable Supplemental Specifications or Standard Road Plans
STD4	Standard Specifications - including applicable Standard Bridge Plans
STD5	Standard Specifications - including applicable Standard Road Plans
STD6	Standard Specifications - including applicable Special Provisions or Project Plan
DS	Developmental Specifications
SS	Supplemental Specifications
SS2	Supplemental Specifications or Project Plan
SP	Special Provisions
SP2	Special Provisions or Project Plan
SBP	Standard Bridge Plans
SRP	Standard Road Plans
PLAN	Project Plan
PROP	Proposal Form

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**ENGLISH ITEMS**

The following items have been added to the valid bid item description listing:

Effect Dt	Item Code	Description	Unit	Spec
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The following bid items were added based on the needs of Designers for upcoming projects.

Oct 2015	2601-2634110	MULCH, MECHANICALLY-BONDED FIBER MATRIX	ACRE	STD
Oct 2015	2602-0000160	ROCK CHECK DAM	LF	PLAN
Oct 2015	2602-0000170	MAINTENANCE OF ROCK CHECK DAM	EACH	PLAN
Oct 2015	2602-0000180	REMOVAL OF ROCK CHECK DAM	EACH	PLAN

The following items have been identified as no longer being valid bid items, and have been omitted from the current version of Bid Items Application:

Item Code	Description	Unit
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2503-0116218	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 18X11"	LF
2503-0116222	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 22X14"	LF
2503-0116226	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 26X16"	LF
2503-0116229	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 29X18"	LF
2503-0116237	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 37X23"	LF
2503-0116244	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 44X27"	LF
2503-0116252	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 52X32"	LF
2503-0116259	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 59X36"	LF
2503-0116265	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 65X40"	LF
2503-0116273	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 73X45"	LF
2503-0116288	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 2000D, 88X54"	LF
2503-0116418	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 18X11"	LF
2503-0116422	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 22X14"	LF
2503-0116426	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 26X16"	LF
2503-0116429	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 29X18"	LF
2503-0116437	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 37X23"	LF
2503-0116444	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 44X27"	LF
2503-0116452	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 52X32"	LF
2503-0116459	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 59X36"	LF
2503-0116465	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 65X40"	LF
2503-0116473	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 73X45"	LF
2503-0116488	STRM SWR G-M, TRENCHED, RCAP 3000D, 88X54"	LF
2503-0126218	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 18"X11"	LF
2503-0126222	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 22"X13"	LF
2503-0126226	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 26"X15"	LF
2503-0126229	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 29"X18"	LF
2503-0126237	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 37"X23"	LF
2503-0126244	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 44"X27"	LF
2503-0126252	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 52"X32"	LF
2503-0126259	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 58"X36"	LF
2503-0126265	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 65"X40"	LF
2503-0126273	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 73"X45"	LF
2503-0126288	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 2000D, 88"X54"	LF
2503-0126418	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 18"X11"	LF
2503-0126422	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 22"X13"	LF
2503-0126426	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 26"X15"	LF
2503-0126429	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 29"X18"	LF
2503-0126437	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 37"X23"	LF
2503-0126444	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 44"X27"	LF
2503-0126452	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 51"X31"	LF
2503-0126459	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 58"X36"	LF
2503-0126465	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 65"X40"	LF
2503-0126473	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 73"X45"	LF
2503-0126488	STRM SWR G-M, TRNCHLES, RCAP 3000D, 88"X54"	LF
2503-0136218	STRM SWR G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP 2000D, 18X11	LF
2503-0136222	STRM SWR G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP 2000D, 22X14	LF
2503-0136226	STRM SWR G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP 2000D, 26X16	LF
2503-0136229	STRM SWR G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP 2000D, 29X18	LF
2503-0136237	STRM SWR G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP 2000D, 37X23	LF
2503-0136244	STRM SWR G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP 2000D, 44X27	LF
2503-0136252	STRM SWR G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP 2000D, 52X32	LF
2503-0136259	STRM SWR G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP 2000D, 59X36	LF
2503-0136265	STRM SWR G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP 2000D, 65X40	LF
2503-0136273	STRM SWR G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP 2000D, 73X45	LF

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2503-0136288	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	2000D, 88X54	LF
2503-0136418	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 18X11	LF
2503-0136422	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 22X14	LF
2503-0136426	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 26X16	LF
2503-0136429	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 29X18	LF
2503-0136437	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 37X23	LF
2503-0136444	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 44X27	LF
2503-0136452	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 52X32	LF
2503-0136459	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 59X36	LF
2503-0136465	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 65X40	LF
2503-0136473	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 73X45	LF
2503-0136488	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNCHD, RCAP	3000D, 88X54	LF
2503-0146218	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 18X11	LF
2503-0146222	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 22X14	LF
2503-0146226	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 26X16	LF
2503-0146229	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 29X18	LF
2503-0146237	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 37X23	LF
2503-0146244	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 44X27	LF
2503-0146252	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 52X32	LF
2503-0146259	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 59X36	LF
2503-0146265	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 65X40	LF
2503-0146273	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 73X45	LF
2503-0146288	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	2000D, 88X54	LF
2503-0146418	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 18X11	LF
2503-0146422	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 22X14	LF
2503-0146426	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 26X16	LF
2503-0146429	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 29X18	LF
2503-0146437	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 37X23	LF
2503-0146444	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 44X27	LF
2503-0146452	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 52X32	LF
2503-0146459	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 59X36	LF
2503-0146465	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 65X40	LF
2503-0146473	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 73X45	LF
2503-0146488	STRM SWR	G-M/CAS, TRNLES, RCAP	3000D, 88X54	LF
2525-0000105	TRAFFIC SWR	SIGNAL INSTALLATION		LS

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**METRIC ITEMS**

The following items have been added to the valid bid item description listing:

Effect Dt	Item Code	Description	Unit	Spec
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Metric items have not been updated as all metric items will become obsolete in October 2015.

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