

Bid Items Application Update to Bid Item Listings -- Feb. 25, 2016

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 March 15, 2016 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 [English Bid Item Description Book](#) and [Metric 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 item was added based on the needs of Designers for upcoming projects.

Apr 2016	2403-7304000	COLORED SEALER REPAINTING	SY	SP
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The following bid items are to be added by the October 2016 General Supplemental Specifications.

Oct 2016	2303-1031500	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, BASE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1031750	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, BASE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1032500	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, INTERMEDIATE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1032750	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, INTERMEDIATE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033380	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/8 IN. MIX, NO SPECIAL FRICTION REQUIREMENT	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033382	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/8 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-2	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033383	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/8 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-3	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033384	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/8 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-4	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033500	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, NO SPECIAL FRICTION REQUIREMENT	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033502	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-2	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033503	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-3	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033504	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-4	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033750	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, NO SPECIAL FRICTION REQUIREMENT	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033752	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-2	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033753	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-3	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1033754	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-4	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1041500	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, BASE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1041750	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, BASE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1042500	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, INTERMEDIATE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1042750	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, INTERMEDIATE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1043500	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, NO SPECIAL FRICTION REQUIREMENT	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1043502	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-2	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1043503	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-3	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1043504	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-4	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1043750	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, NO SPECIAL FRICTION REQUIREMENT	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1043752	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-2	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1043753	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-3	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1043754	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-4	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1051500	HOT MIX ASPHALT VERY HIGH TRAFFIC, BASE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1051750	HOT MIX ASPHALT VERY HIGH TRAFFIC, BASE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1052500	HOT MIX ASPHALT VERY HIGH TRAFFIC, INTERMEDIATE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1052750	HOT MIX ASPHALT VERY HIGH TRAFFIC, INTERMEDIATE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX	TON	STD
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Oct 2016	2303-1053503	HOT MIX ASPHALT VERY HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-3	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1053504	HOT MIX ASPHALT VERY HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-4	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1053750	HOT MIX ASPHALT VERY HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, NO SPECIAL FRICTION REQUIREMENT	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1053752	HOT MIX ASPHALT VERY HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-2	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1053753	HOT MIX ASPHALT VERY HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-3	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1053754	HOT MIX ASPHALT VERY HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 3/4 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-4	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1131500	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, BASE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1132500	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, INTERMEDIATE COURSE 1/2 IN. MIX	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1133500	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, NO SPECIAL FRICTION REQUIREMENT	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1133502	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-2	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1133503	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-3	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1133504	HOT MIX ASPHALT STANDARD TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-4	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1141500	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, BASE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1142500	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, INTERMEDIATE COURSE 1/2 IN. MIX	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1143500	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, NO SPECIAL FRICTION REQUIREMENT	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1143502	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-2	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1143503	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-3	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1143504	HOT MIX ASPHALT HIGH TRAFFIC, SURFACE COURSE, 1/2 IN. MIX, FRICTION L-4	SY	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1252343	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 52-34S, STANDARD TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1252344	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 52-34H, HIGH TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1252345	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 52-34V, VERY HIGH TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1252346	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 52-34E, EXTREMELY HIGH TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1258283	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 58-28S, STANDARD TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1258284	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 58-28H, HIGH TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1258285	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 58-28V, VERY HIGH TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1258286	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 58-28E, EXTREMELY HIGH TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1264223	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 64-22S, STANDARD TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1264224	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 64-22H, HIGH TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1264225	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 64-22V, VERY HIGH TRAFFIC	TON	STD
Oct 2016	2303-1264226	ASPHALT BINDER, PG 64-22E, EXTREMELY HIGH TRAFFIC	TON	STD

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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2505-4021700	STEEL BEAM GUARDRAIL END TERMINAL	EACH
2505-4021701	STEEL BEAM GUARDRAIL FLARED END TERMINAL	EACH

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