

**TAS 21-8 / D214769**  
**Safety Upgrades and Miscellaneous Work from MP 304.5 to MP 313.8**  
**in the Syracuse Division of the New York State Thruway**  
**in Seneca and Cayuga Counties**

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**

- Q1. Regarding bid items 606.3042, 606.3062, 606.8803, 606.8805, & 606.8906, these are all precast concrete barrier items. For most NYS Thruway contracts there is a supplemental specification added to the contract proposal book, that designates that hot dip galvanized reinforcing be used on certain concrete bid items, usually including the precast concrete barrier. This special spec. was not included on this project. Is it the NYS Thruway Authorities intent that galvanized bar be used on the barrier items, & if so, will an addendum be issued to clarify this?
- A1. Hot dip galvanized reinforcing will be required for items 606.3042, 606.3062, 606.8803, 606.8805, and 606.8906. An amendment will be issued to add the special note to the contract proposal book.