

Cumberland County CNQ901  
Pre-Bid Meeting Response to Questions

January 27, 2016 – 9:30 a.m.

**Questions**

It was discussed that responses to questions from the meeting will be posted prior to the letting date. The following questions were asked at the meeting (responses are in red);

1. Does the VEC easement area require Grubbing?

The VEC easement area restoration is to follow the Environmental permit requirements. The construction plans have a Phasing Note (1) on Sheet 59 under Erosion Prevention and Sediment Control (EPSC) that says, in part: “.....Trees are to be shredded to ground with stump and root ball to remain. The resulting mulch shall be spread evenly across the project easement.” Grubbing and/or burning is not included in the permit language, and is not permitted within the VEC easement.

2. How will the VEC easement area within the peninsula be accessed?

The utility (VEC) will provide access to this area through a permanent access easement.

3. Will precast boxes be considered?

Please refer to TDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction dated January 1, 2015. Precast boxes will be considered as specified in Section 105.02.

4. Where is borrow on the project?

Please refer to TDOT Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction dated January 1, 2015 and Procedures for Providing Offsite Waste and Borrow on TDOT Construction Projects. By definition borrow consists of material required for the construction of embankments or other portions of work obtained from approved sources outside the right-of-way.

5. Is burning permitted within the VEC easement?

See response to Question 1.