

**NEW YORK STATE THRUWAY AUTHORITY
DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING**

**ALBANY, NY
FEBRUARY 4, 2026**

**AMENDMENT NO. 1
TO**

**CONTRACT TAB 26-7
D215075
SAFETY IMPROVEMENTS, DRAINAGE REPAIRS
AND MISCELLANEOUS WORK ON I-90
BETWEEN MP 430.6 AND 438.5
IN THE BUFFALO DIVISION
OF THE NEW YORK STATE THRUWAY
IN ERIE COUNTY**

**IN THE LETTING OF
FEBRUARY 11, 2026**

NOTE: This amendment shall be attached to and become a part of the Proposal for Contract **TAB 26-7**.

NOTICE

For Electronic Bidders, the Project's amended EBSX file will automatically account for any necessary item changes (deletions, changes in quantities, or additions) that this Amendment may describe as being required regarding the project's estimated cost. Instructions to make physical changes to the Project Proposal's bid sheets are intended for "paper" Bidders who choose to submit bids via paper.

PROPOSAL

1. **DELETE** the following Item:

<u>Contract Proposal Page</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Estimated Quantity</u>
148	621.05020004	Preparing Grade for Vegetation Control Strip	LF	18,000.00

The "paper" Bidder shall **CROSS OUT** and not enter a bid for these items in the Contract Proposal. If the Bidder fails to make these changes, the Authority will do so and adjust the TOTAL BID, accordingly.

DELETE all other references to the above item in the Contract Plans and Contract Proposal.

2. **DELETE** Pages 26 and 27. The Special Specifications for Item 621.05020004 are being removed from the contract documents.

3. **ADD** the following Item:

<u>Contract Proposal Page</u>	<u>Item No.</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Estimated Quantity</u>
149A-A1	621.51050003	Grading Maintenance, Cleaning, Trimming & Reshaping Existing Roadside Section	LF	18,000.00

The “paper” Bidder must **RETURN THE ATTACHED PAGE 149A-A1** with its bid for this Contract.

4. **ADD** the attached Special Specification for Item 621.51050003, pages **26-A1** and **27-A1**.

PLANS

5. **DELETE** Drawing Number MSD-1, Sheet 7 of 57, and **SUBSTITUTE** with the attached Drawing Number MSD-1, Sheet 7-A1 of 57. Previous reference to Item 621.05020004 has been replaced with reference to Item 621.51050003, instead.

The Bidder **MUST** complete Page **165** of the Proposal acknowledging receipt of this amendment. If the Bidder fails to complete the “Amendment Acknowledgement” sheet, his bid could be declared informal thereby delaying award of the contract.

PLEASE BE GOVERNED ACCORDINGLY WHEN SUBMITTING BIDS.

Brent E. Howard, P.E.
Chief Engineer

ITEM 621.51050003 - GRADING MAINTENANCE, CLEANING, TRIMMING & RESHAPING EXISTING ROADSIDE SECTION

DESCRIPTION:

This work shall consist of grading, cleaning, trimming and reshaping existing shoulders, foreslopes, ditches and backslopes, adjacent to the existing travel lanes, so that adequate unobstructed free flowing drainage is restored. The contractor shall accomplish the following appropriate descriptions of work to fit the existing field conditions, AOB E:

- A. Trim, grade and reshape existing shoulders from edge of existing travel lanes to the breakpoint, including behind all guiderail, at the slope and width specified on the typical sections AOB E, including removal of excess material.
- B. Trim, grade and reshape existing slopes (front and back) to the lines and grades shown on the typical sections AOB E, including removal of excess material.
- C. Trim, grade and reshape existing shoulder, from edge of existing travel lanes, and backslope in cut section at the slope and width specified on the typical sections AOB E, including removal of excess material.
- D. Grade, clean and shape ditches and backslopes, including removal of excess material as per typical section, to establish and restore proper drainage AOB E.
- E. Trim, grade and reshape existing slopes behind existing curbs or gutters, including removal of excess material, as per typical sections AOB E.

Materials:

Materials shall meet the material requirements of the Standard Specification section 610-2.02 Establishing Turf.

Construction Details:

This work shall include the following, as appropriate:

1. Removing and disposing of sod, deteriorated shoulder stabilization material and other loose, unsuitable or excess material on the shoulder.
2. Grading the existing shoulder to a uniform cross slope so that the top surface shall provide positive, uninterrupted surface flow drainage.
3. Grading and removing excess material beyond the existing shoulder break as detailed on the typical sections AOB E.
4. Removing excess material where the existing shoulders are high or have insufficient slope AOB E.
5. Grading and reshaping of existing slopes (front and back), shall include removal of earth, sod, brush (up to 3 inches in diameter) and debris to limits shown on the typical sections or AOB E.
6. The grading, cleaning and shaping of existing ditches and backslopes shall consist of rendering the ditches and backslopes free of obstructions including the removal of earth, sod, brush (up to 3 inches in diameter) and debris to the limits shown on the typical sections or AOB E.
7. Material removed from existing ditches, shoulders, and slopes (front and back) shall be disposed of in conformance with the provisions of subsection 203-3.02B Disposal of Surplus Excavated Materials. No material will be disposed of within the right of way.

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8. The contractor shall exercise due care to protect all trees, fences, markers, culverts, underground structures, utilities and appurtenances within and adjacent to the work area. Any damaged facilities shall be replaced in kind at the contractor's expense.
9. Disturbed earth areas within the work limits shall be graded in a manner approved by the Engineer and seeded AOB in accordance with section 610-2.02 Establishing Turf.

Method of Measurement:

This work shall be measured as the number of linear feet measured along each outside edge of shoulder along which such work is performed. No payment will be made for intersections or driveways. The Engineer will determine the areas where work is not required, in advance of work operations.

Basis of Payment:

The unit price bid per foot shall include the cost of all labor, material and equipment necessary to satisfactorily complete the work. Refer to section 107-08 of the Standard Specifications for seeding and mulching of disturbed areas within the ROW.



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Proposal Schedule of Items

Proposal ID: D215075

Project(s): B53812

Contractor: _____

SECTION:

Alt Set ID:

Alt Mbr ID:

Proposal Line Number	Item ID Description	Approximate Quantity and Units	Unit Price		Bid Amount	
			Dollars	Cents	Dollars	Cents
0200	621.51050003 GRADING MAINTENANCE, CLEANING, TRIMMING AND RESHAPING EXISTING ROADSIDE SECTION	18,000.000 LF	_____	_____	_____	_____
	Section:		Total:		_____	_____

