



OHIO TURNPIKE AND INFRASTRUCTURE COMMISSION

Notice of Preliminary Project Plans & Request for Comments

Project No. 43-23-04

Bridge Replacement

Ohio Turnpike over Tinkers Creek M.P. 185.6

Summit and Portage Counties, Ohio

NOTICE

The Ohio Turnpike and Infrastructure Commission (“Commission”) intends to advertise Project No. 43-23-04 (the “Project”) in April 2023 for competitive bidding and before advertising the Project, the Commission is asking interested contractors to review the preliminary plans and provide comments to the Commission for its consideration in finalizing the Project plans and special provisions.

Drone video of the Project site can be accessed using the link on the Commission’s website under Project No. 43-23-04. Interested contractors can request a copy of the preliminary plans, Geotech reports, **Item 530 Special DMM spec and Existing Plans** by submitting a request in writing to purchasing@ohioturnpike.org. The preliminary plans will be transmitted by e-mail using an FTP file transfer link.

The Commission’s anticipated schedule for this Project is as follows:

- Notice to Proceed: July 5, 2023
- Date of Access: July 5, 2023
- Substantial Completion:
 - Westbound Structure September 30, 2024
 - Eastbound Structure September 1, 2025
- Final Project Completion November 20, 2025

Comments on the preliminary plans will be received through **5:00 PM on March 20, 2023**. We kindly request that those offering comments submit their comments as soon as possible versus waiting until the deadline. All communications must be made in writing through purchasing@ohioturnpike.org. Any direct contact with Commission staff will not be answered.

OTHER INFORMATION

This is a preliminary project notice.

- The Commission will be collecting comments from the industry for its consideration in finalizing the Project plans and special provisions.
- The Commission will not respond to comments or questions submitted in response to this notice. No addenda or similar communications will be issued.
- The preliminary plans represent the Commission's intended Project No. 43-23-04 but do not constitute any representation, promise, agreement or guarantee with respect to the Project's final plans, specifications, special provisions, terms, conditions, schedule or otherwise.
- The Commission will not grant access to the Project site for on-site visits during this preliminary stage. Please view the drone video posted on the website.
- No contract is being awarded at this time.
- Participation is voluntary. The Commission will not provide any compensation for time spent reviewing the preliminary plans or providing comments.

Thank you for considering participating in this preliminary project process!