

****CONTRACTOR ANNOUNCEMENT****

As-Submitted Results

With the implementation of 100% electronic bidding, MDOT will now begin posting letting results immediately after the download of electronic bids is complete. The "As Read" portion of our Web site has been changed to read "As Submitted," to signify the receipt of the electronic bids rather than the bid amounts as they are read aloud. In conjunction with this change, beginning with the July 8, 2005 bid letting, the live audio Web cast of the bid letting will no longer be offered by MDOT.

Another new feature we are able to offer is the Apparent Bid results on the Bid Express Web site. The Apparent Bid results will work in the same manner as the As-Submitted results. You must, however, be a Bid Express Subscriber with a login ID and password to view Michigan's Apparent Bid results from Bid Express. Once logged in to Bid Express, navigate to the letting you wish to view the results, and click on Apparent Bid Results, located on the right-hand side of the page under Also Available.

Please allow approximately 25-45 minutes, after the close of the bid letting, to download the bids from Bid Express and to provide the As-Submitted and Apparent Bid results to you.

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