

TxDOT Directive

Subject: Contractor Determined Start Dates for Projects

Purpose: To promote cost savings and competition by allowing contractor determined start dates for projects

Policy:

Special provisions to Item 8 will be required on all projects allowing work to start up to either 60 or 90 days after written authorization to begin work. These special provisions are intended to give the contractor flexibility in scheduling their work load.

Exceptions to this policy must be approved by the District Engineer.

General Comments:

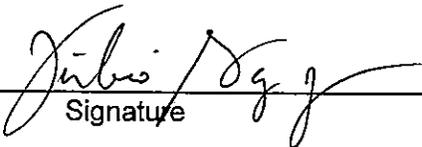
The DE may consider exceptions to the policy based on the following criteria:

- Work is critical to the safety of the traveling public,
- Work is seasonally driven,
- Funding considerations,
- Other factors.

The special provisions will allow the contractor to begin work prior to the delayed start work date.

If the contractor chooses to start early time charges will begin also.

2/26/2010
Effective Date


Signature

Special Provision 008--007 (90 Day)

Special Provision 008--006 (60 Day)