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SUBJECT: Chief Engineer's
Directive –Form 25D-
55H

Incorporate the attached Form 25D-55H in all FHWA funded projects with a contract award date after October 23, 2023. Replace by addendum the current Form 25D-55H in projects that are still advertising. If a project has opened bids but will not award the contract until after October 23, incorporate the new Form 25D-55H by Change Order.

The new Form 25D-55H makes updates to comply with changes to form FHWA-1273. A section-by-section summary of changes can be found at <https://www.fhwa.dot.gov/construction/cqit/form1273.cfm>

On FHWA funded projects, the Special Notice to Bidders from the September 13, 2023 Chief Engineer's Directive is replaced with the attached Notice to Bidders. Use this Notice to Bidders on FHWA funded projects until October 23, 2024.

Contract Forms for Construction Bids are available online at:
<https://dot.alaska.gov/stwddes/dcsconst/>

Attachment: Form 25D-55H
Notice to Bidders; Form 25D-55H Updates

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