

# A Contractor's Perspective of an A+ Paving Project



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# Prebid to Job Award

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Jobs Advertisement- Earlier the Better

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Plans and Proposal Review

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Ask Questions on Bids

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Actual Jobsite Review

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Bid Review in Advance of Bid Day

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Submit bid early incase there is errors

# Safety

## Safety Starts before the project starts

- Pre project training
- What is needed for this project
- What are potential safety hazards

## Management Support

- Provide safety equipment and training
- Be involved in identifying risks

## Risk Assessments

## Near Miss Sharing

# Project Management

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- Scout Project- Look for production and safety issues
- Begin communication with DOH prior to the project start
- Identify any utility issues
- Establish safety plan
- Coordinate needed materials with Asphalt plant
- Communicate with internal employees and departments that will be involved
- Project Layout/Paving Plan
- Have Proper Equipment on Site

# Project Paving

- Proper project Layout
- Traffic Control is Setup Properly
- Have PreShift Meeting
- Communication with Asphalt Plant
- Have correct Number of Trucks
- Truck Spacing
- Cut Joints and Sweep & Clean Roadway
- Spray Tack
- Proper Paving Speed and Application Rates

# Quality Control

- Quality Control Plans
  - Type of Materials
- Communication of correct Mix Designs
  - Between QC and Plant
- Proper working equipment
  - Gauges, PWL tools
- Establish Roller Pattern
- Continually Monitor and make necessary adjustments
- Communication between DOH and contractor

# Successful Project Completion

Project looks Good

Project meets and exceeds  
quality standards

Everyone involved walks away  
and is proud of the project.