OPSS. PROV 408 CONSTRUCTION SPECIFICATION FOR ADJUSTING OR REBUILDING MAINTENANCE HOLES, CATCH BASINS, DITCH INLETS, AND VALVE CHAMBERS

Comments received by TCP			
Comment ID	Organization	Comment	Response
237	Anonymous	Adjusting is defined as only applying to an "existing" structure. What happens if you need to install a new structure and then change the elevation of the frame and grate on this new structure multiple times? I would think that the definition needs to refer to existing OR new structure. Further to the above, 408.09.01.03 indicates that interim adjustments of a new structure shall be counted as an adjustment and 408/09.01.03 refers to multiple adjustments of new structures; all of this reinforces the suggestion that the definition should be revised.	The words "or new" have been added in the definition of the term "adjusting".
237	Anonymous	Clause 408.09.01.03 states that if we identify multiple adjustments of a new structure in the documents, all of those adjustments count as only one adjustment, but if we don't identify an adjustment, it is to be counted as an additional adjustment. The HICO cost for	Disconnect is addressed by removing the second sentence from the Clause 408.09.01.03.

		adjustment will not represent a single adjustment but will represent multiple adjustments and hence be misleading. Perhaps we should pay for each individual adjustment individually.	
237	Anonymous	On that preceding point, I understand that there is a continuing debate between the CA's and Contractors about payment for adjustments; this update to the specification should resolve that issue clearly once and for all so there are no further debates.	The proposed resolution to the debate is as follows: • only one adjustment payment per new or existing drainage structure. • Contract Documentation shall include the number of all expected adjustments, including seasonal and construction staging, facilitating the proper estimate of the bidding price for the adjustment item.