

**OKLAHOMA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
SPECIAL PROVISIONS
FOR
PROSECUTION AND PROGRESS**

These Special Provisions revise, amend, and where in conflict, supersede applicable sections of the 1999 Standard Specifications for Highway Construction, English and Metric, as applicable.

108.03 PROSECUTION AND PROGRESS. *(Add the following:)*

This project will be allowed a flexible start date for beginning the work. The Notice to Proceed for this project will be issued in the normal time period (approximately 30 days after the award.) The contractor may begin work any time after the issuance of Notice to Proceed but no later than _____. Time charges will begin on the date the contractor begins work or at the date specified in Notice to Proceed and will continue until the project is completed.

The contractor shall notify the Resident Engineer, and when applicable the County Commissioner, at least 14 calendar days prior to beginning work.

The purpose of this flexible start date is to allow the contractor to coordinate the start of his/her work on this project with other project on his roster of work. The provision being that once the work begins, progress will continue at an optimum rate, and time will be charged until the work is done.

There will be no additional compensation for any increased costs due to contractor beginning work at or near the end of the flexible period.