<u>Appia</u>

Project Administration & Close-Out Instruction Manual ("Under Construction" Instructions)

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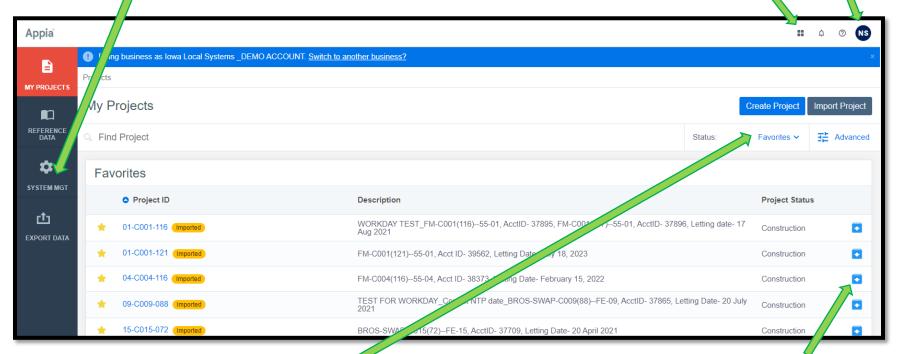
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1 - Basic Navigation

The circle with the initials is where you can navigate to the Account settings screen.

The menu bar on the left contains the main navigation tabs.

The four-square box is where you can navigate between Appia and Doc Express.



When a project is complete, use this button to archive it.

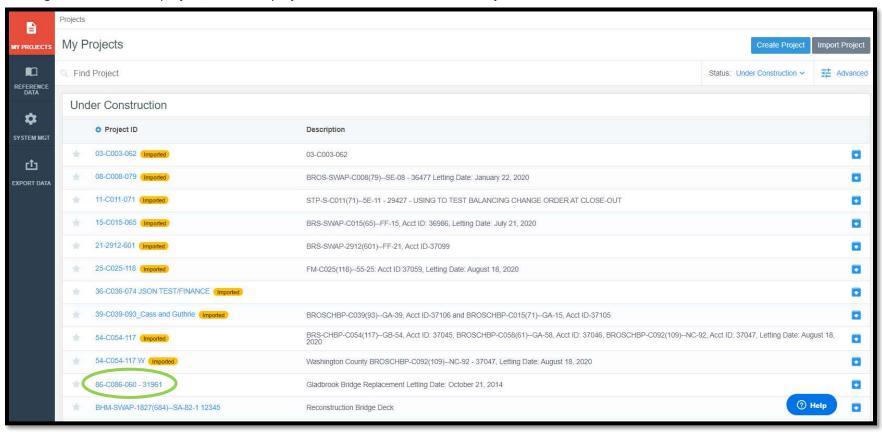
The Status area will show which types of projects you are actively viewing.

Use the pull-down menu to change between New, Under Construction, Completed, Archived, and Favorite projects.

2 - Accessing Your Project

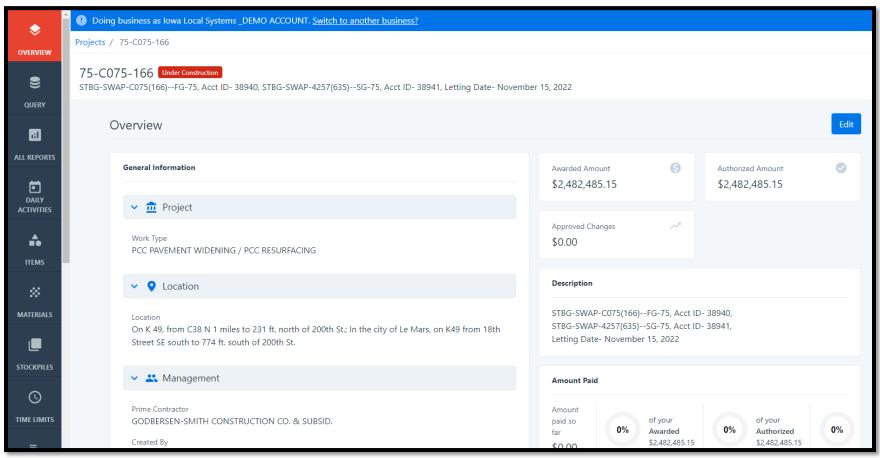
A. Project Listing

To navigate to the desired project, select the project from the list on the main "Projects" screen.



B. Project Overview Page

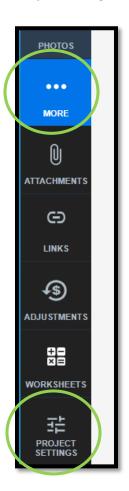
Once you have clicked into a project from the main project listing screen, you will be taken to the selected project's "Overview" screen. There are a number of summary blocks and widgets on this screen which show the basic project information. Many of these widgets will update to show current statistics as the project progresses.



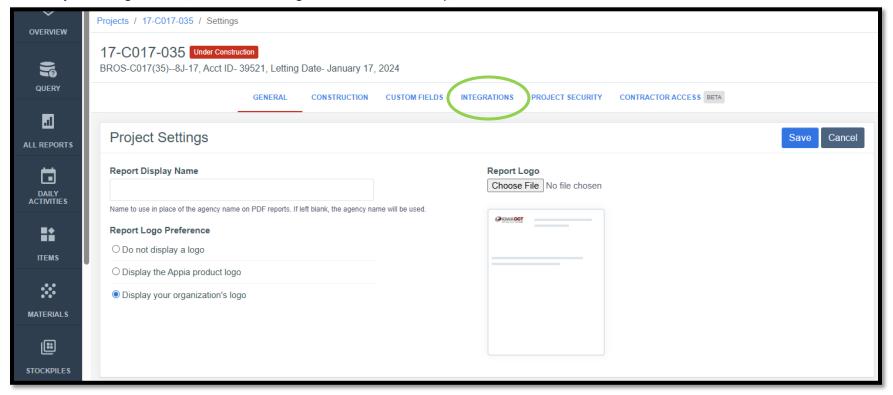
3 - Integrating Appia with Doc Express for Submittals

If the Appia – Doc Express integration is enabled, payments and change orders can be sent directly from Appia to Doc Express, and Doc Express transition statuses are delivered back to Appia. The use of this integration functionality is <u>required</u> for the automated payment process, which applies to county projects on the Farm-to-Market system let on or after January 2024.

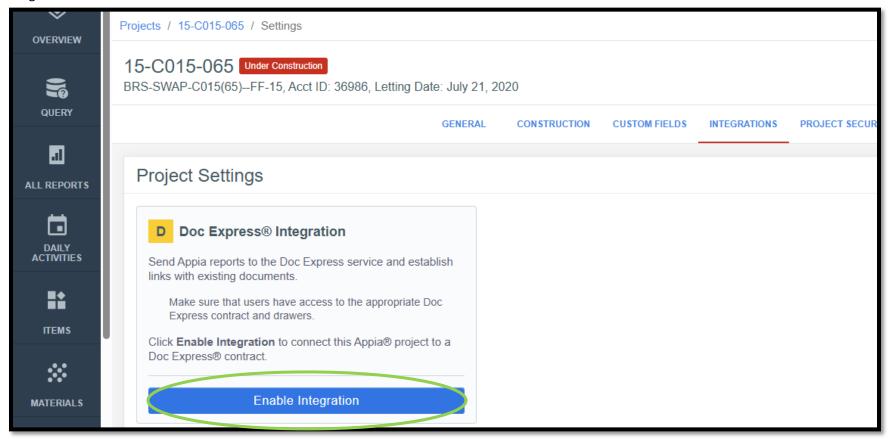
To enable the Doc Express integration, click into the desired project. Once in the project, click on the "More" left menu button. Then, click on "Project Settings" in the expanded menu.



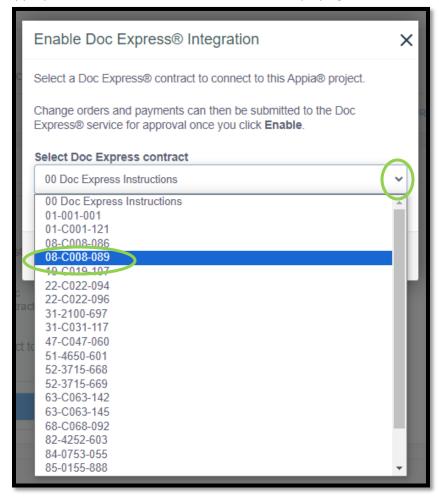
In the Project Settings window, click on the "Integrations" tab near the top, center of the screen.

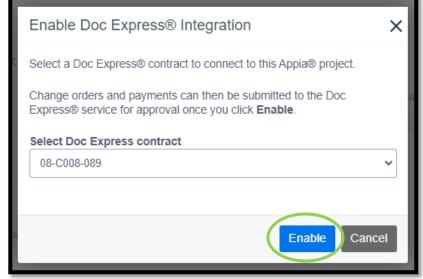


This will bring you to the Integrations screen. On the integrations screen, a Doc Express® Integration box will display. Click on the blue "Enable Integration" button at the bottom of the box.

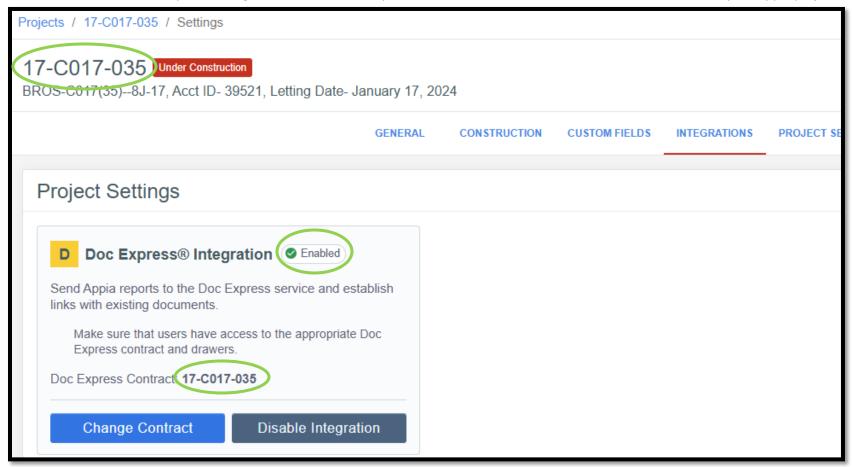


A pop-up box will appear called "Enable Doc Express® Integration. In the box is a pull-down menu under "Select Doc Express contract". In the pull-down menu, find and select the Doc Express contract that matches the contract ID of the Appia contract being connected. Once the appropriate contract has been selected and is displaying, click the blue "Enable" button in the lower, right corner of the pop-up box.

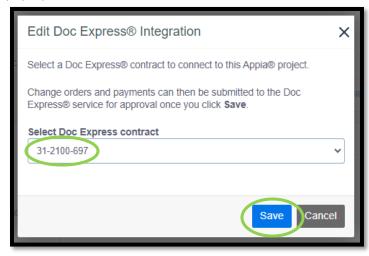




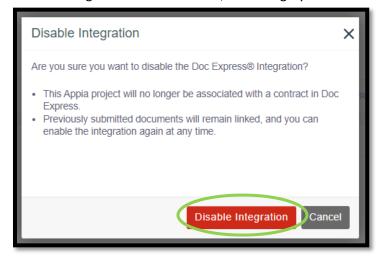
You will be returned to the Integrations screen. In the Doc Express Integration box, there will be a green circle with a check mark and the word "Enabled" next to the Doc Express® Integration box label. Verify that the selected contract ID matches the contract ID of your Appia project.



If you mistakenly chose the wrong contract, click on the blue "Change Contract" button. A pop-up window similar to the one previously described will appear. Select a different contract from the pull-down menu then click the blue "Save" button in the lower, right corner of the pop-up box.

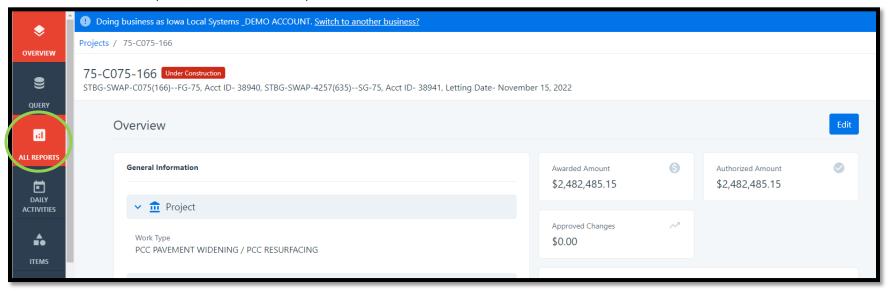


If you want to disable the Doc Express integration, click the gray "Disable Integration" button in the lower, right corner of the Doc Express® Integration box. A pop-up window will appear titled, "Disable Integration". If you want to disconnect/disable the integration, click on the red "Disable Integration" button. If not, click the gray "Cancel" button.



4 - Reports

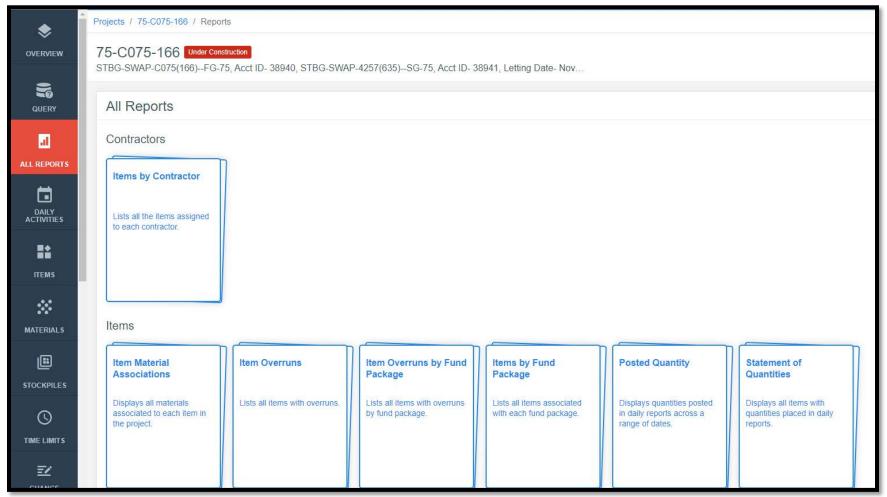
To access the standard reports, click on the "All Reports" button on the left menu.



The following screen will appear with a listing of the available reports. Reports available at this time are shown in the following list.

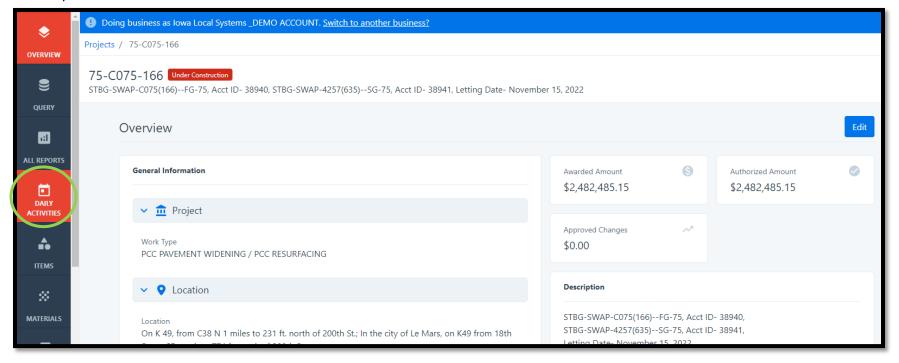
- Items by Contractor Lists items assigned to each contractor.
- Item Material Associations Displays all materials associated to each bid item in the project.
- Item Overruns Lists all items with overruns. Locals are encouraged to use this report to review items that exceed \$50,000 overage and therefore require a change order according to I.M. 6.000, Attachment D.
- Item Overruns by Fund Package List all items associated with each fund package.
- Posted Quantity Displays quantities posted in daily reports across a range of dates.
- Statement of Quantities Displays all items with quantities placed in daily reports.
- Unpaid Items Displays items in daily reports that have not yet been paid.
- Weekly Item Progress Displays quantities posted in daily reports within 7 days after selected start date.
- Materials Displays all materials that were added to the project.
- Payment History Contains all the payments that have been posted to this project.
- Project Status Displays an overview of the project information.
- Stockpile Status Displays all stockpiles that were created for this project.
- Time Limits Lists all of the working day time charges across a range of dates. **This is the equivalent report to Iowa DOT form 830238 "Weekly Report of Working Days".** This Appia form is used in place of the Iowa DOT form 830238. Follow the directions given in the "Time Limits" section of this instruction manual to ensure all of the necessary information is included on the report.

Although confusing, not all of the reports are shown in this tab that Appia is capable of producing. For example, payment reports are generated from the Payments tab, and a summary of all item posting entries (quantity and measurement entries) and can be generated from the Items tab. Directions on generating specific useful reports not found in the "All Reports" tab are given in the section of the instructions associated with the type of report in question.

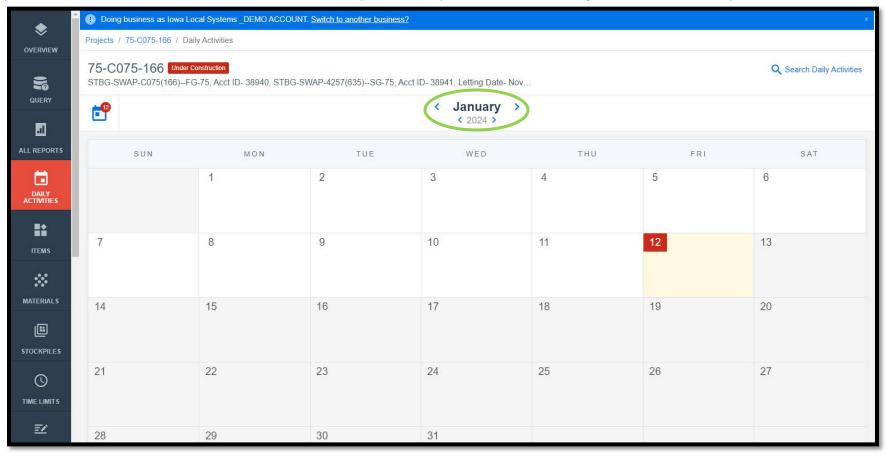


5 - Daily Reports and Postings

In Appia, the "Daily Activities" section is where you input the information traditionally entered into a "field book". This section is where you write the "Daily Reports" concerning the project progress and post quantities completed for bid items each day. To access this section, click on the "Daily Activities" button on the left menu.

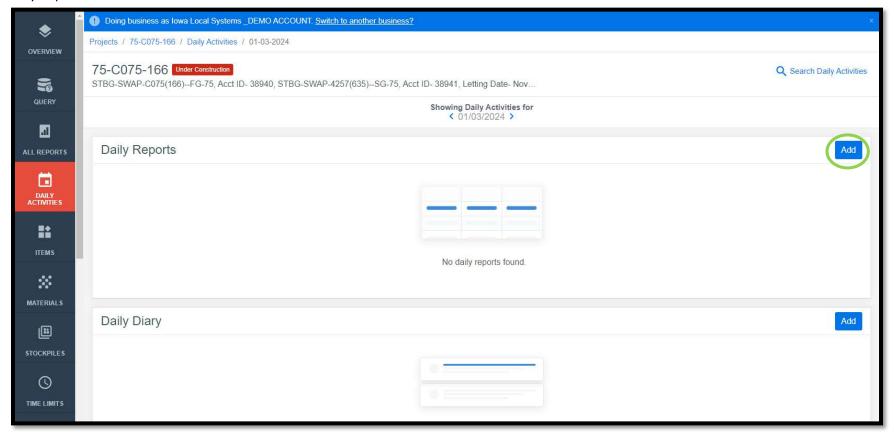


You will be brought to a screen showing a calendar. Click into the calendar to select the day for which you want to make an entry. If needed, you can use the blue arrows on each side of the month and year at the top of the calendar to navigate to a new month or year.



Note: Daily activities entries are not allowed before the "Notice to Proceed" date which was entered when the project was "Advanced to Construction". Local Systems recommends recording the "Notice to Proceed" as the date of full contract execution. Also, you cannot make entries for dates in the future.

Once you have selected a date, the following screen will appear. Click the blue "Add" button in the upper, right corner of the box to add a new Daily Report.



Local Systems recommends that all locals use the "Daily Reports" option to enter daily information rather than the "Daily Diary". Daily Reports are most like the conventional field book. They allow each inspector to write their own entry for project progress and provide a place to add item/quantity postings. In Appia, the Daily Diary option is used on a project manager level to summarize individual daily reports. It does not provide a place to enter item/quantity postings. If you are familiar with the program and want to use Daily Dairies in addition to Daily Reports, that is fine.

Note: Multiple inspectors may enter reports. However, each inspector may only enter one daily report per day.

Clicking to add a daily report will bring up the screen shown below. Notice there are 5 tabs across the top of the page. We will walk through each section.

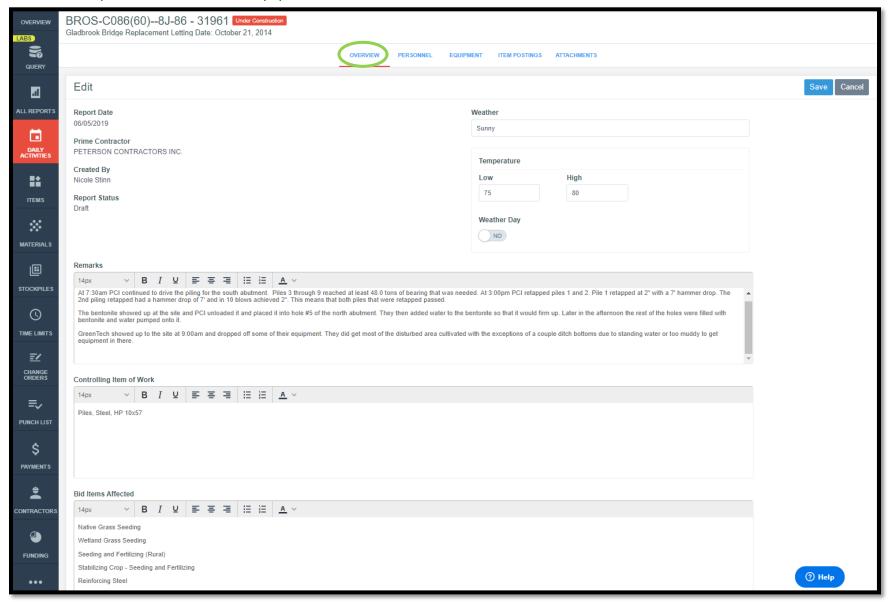
A. Overview Tab

The Overview tab opens first. In this tab, there are multiple sections.

- Weather Record an entry for the weather such as "raining in morning", "sunny", etc.
- Temperature Record the low and high temperatures for the day.
- Weather Day toggle Click to toggle this back and forth between "No" and "Yes". Mark "Yes" if it was a bad weather day. This weather day toggle is only informational. It does NOT connect to or transmit any information to the Time Limits section or the working day count.
- Remarks Record any pertinent information about any site activity, project progress or delay, or other information. This is equivalent to the "diary" entry in a traditional field book.
- Custom Fields Each agency can set up custom fields of their own choosing to be shown on this Overview screen. Custom fields will also be recorded and shown on Daily Report exports. Local Systems recommends setting up custom fields for "Controlling Item of Work" and "Bid Items Affected". These are easy places to record what bid items were important or had action on any given day.
 - o In order to set up custom fields, follow the directions in the "Reference Data: Lists > Editing Lists" section of the "Appia Project Creation & Account Management Instructions" found on the Doc Express and Appia webpage on the Local Systems website.

Click the blue "Save" button in the upper, right corner when entries on this page are complete.

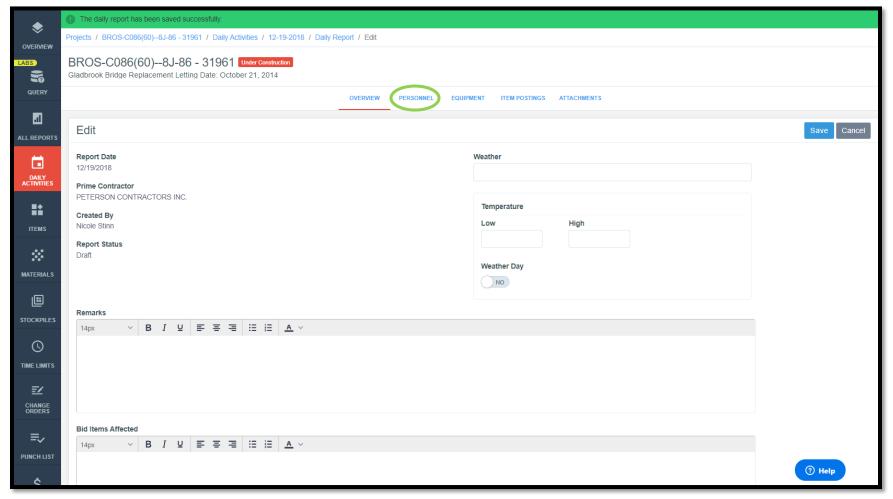
Here is an example of the Overview screen populated with information.



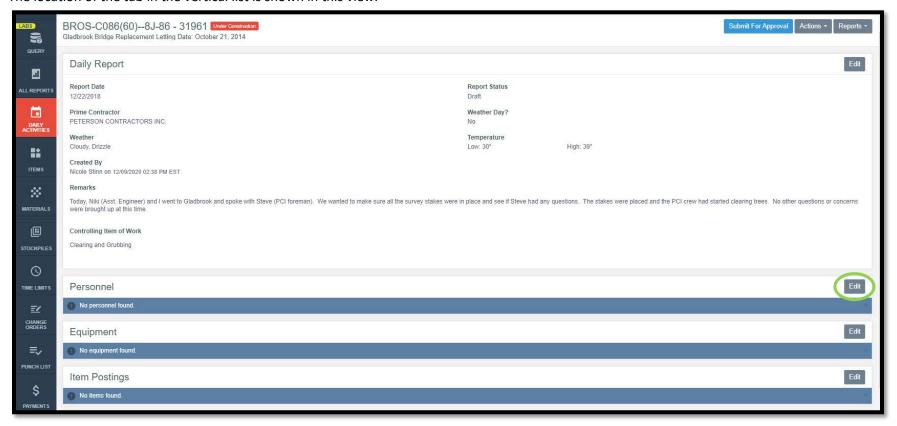
B. Personnel Tab

The second tab in the Daily Activities menu is Personnel. To navigate to the Personnel tab, you can click on either the tab name near the top of the screen or in the listing, depending on which view Appia is currently showing.

The location of the top tab is shown in the view below.



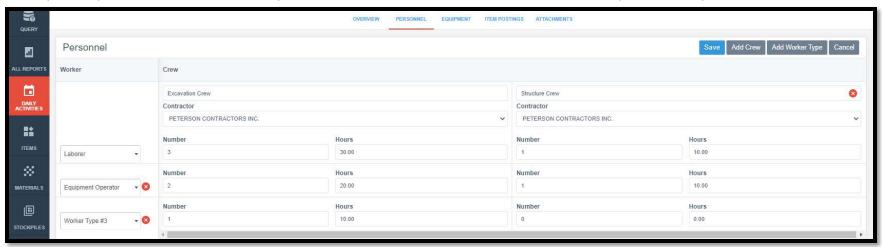
The location of the tab in the vertical list is shown in this view.



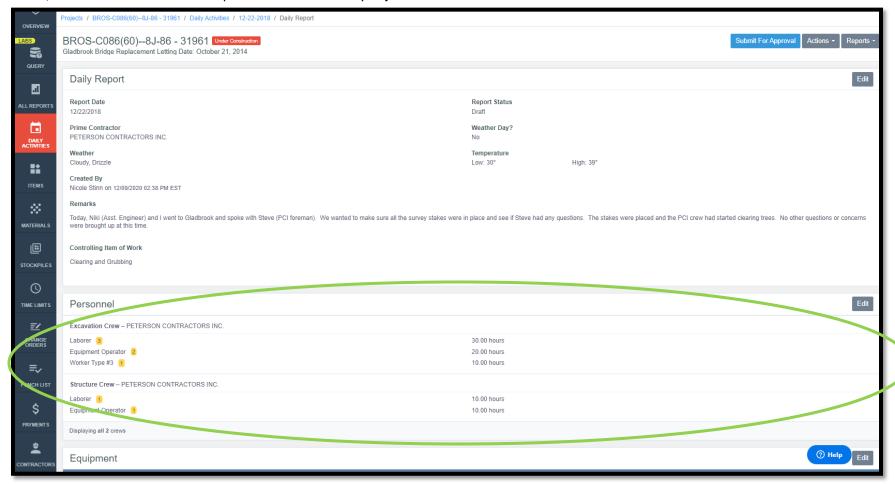
In order to edit the personnel information, click on either the Personnel tab at the top or on the "Edit" button on the right side of the Personnel line as shown in the screenshots above. Either click will bring you to the following screen. This screen will contain generic names for the worker type and crew number and will list "0" entries for the number of type of workers present and cumulative hours worked by that type of worker. You can replace the generic entries with names and types specific to your project. To add additional crews or additional types of workers, click the gray "Add Crew" or "Add Worker Type" buttons, respectively on the right side of the screen. When you have finished entering information, click the blue "Save" button on the right side of the screen.



You may enter specific information for as many of the fields as desired. The view below shows an example with multiple crews and workers.



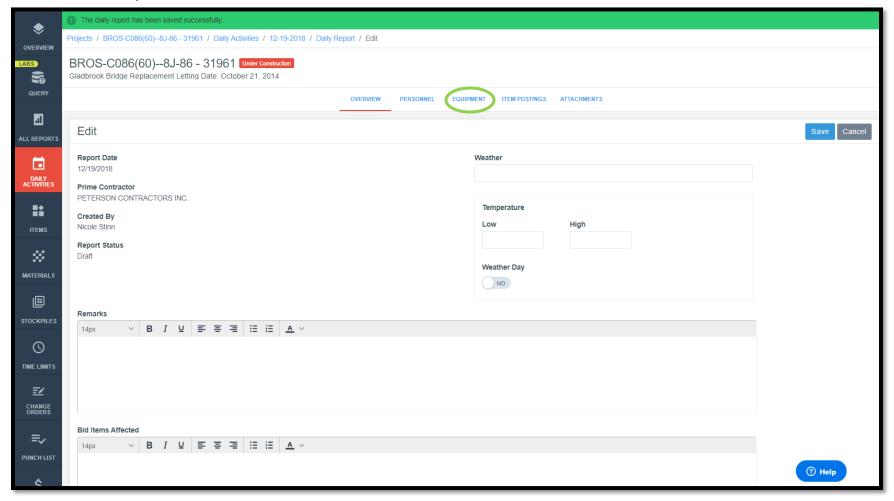
Once the personnel information has been entered and the save button has been clicked, you will be brought back to the main daily activity screen, which should now show the personnel information you just entered.



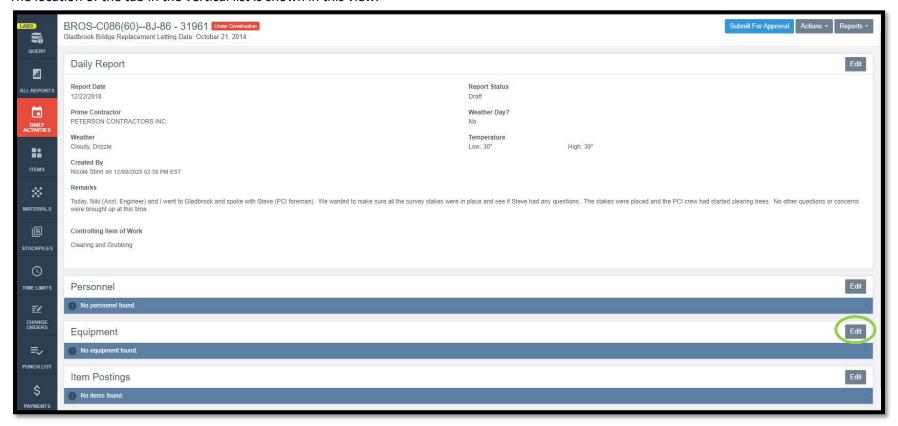
C. Equipment Tab

The third tab in the Daily Activities menu is Equipment. To navigate to the Equipment tab, you can click on either the tab name near the top of the screen or in the listing, depending on which view Appia is currently showing.

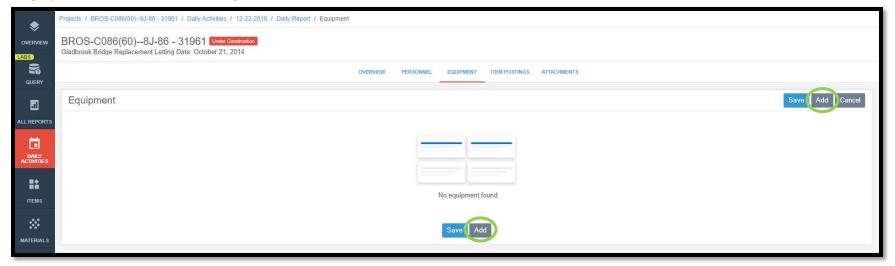
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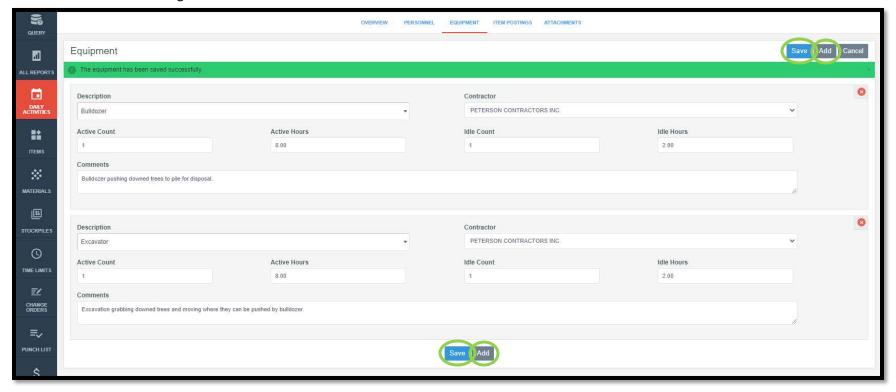
The location of the tab in the vertical list is shown in this view.



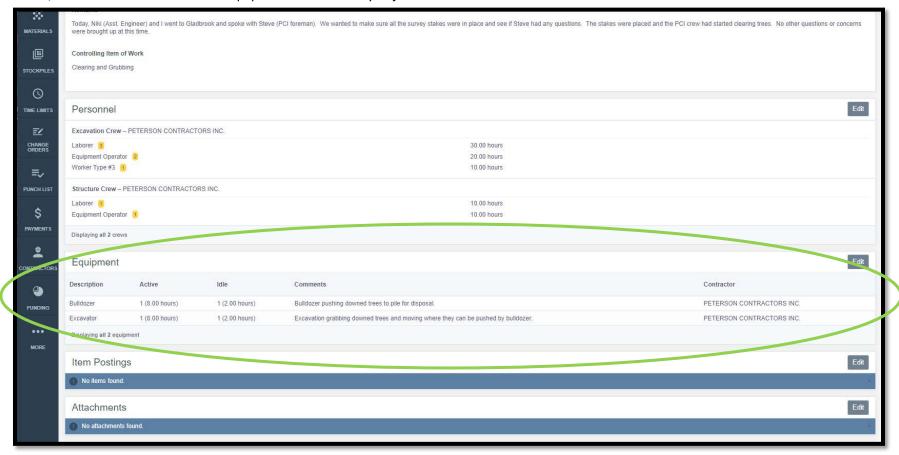
In order to edit the equipment information, click on either the Equipment tab at the top or on the "Edit" button on the right side of the Equipment line as shown in the screenshots above. Either click will bring you to the following screen. To add equipment information, click on the gray "Add" button on either the right side or bottom of the screen.



You may enter specific information for as many of the fields as desired. The view below shows an example with project information entered. Additional pieces of equipment can be added by clicking the gray "Add" button. When you have finished entering information, click the blue "Save" button on both the right side and bottom of the screen.



Once the equipment information has been entered and the save button has been clicked, you will be brought back to the main daily activity screen, which should now show the equipment information you just entered.

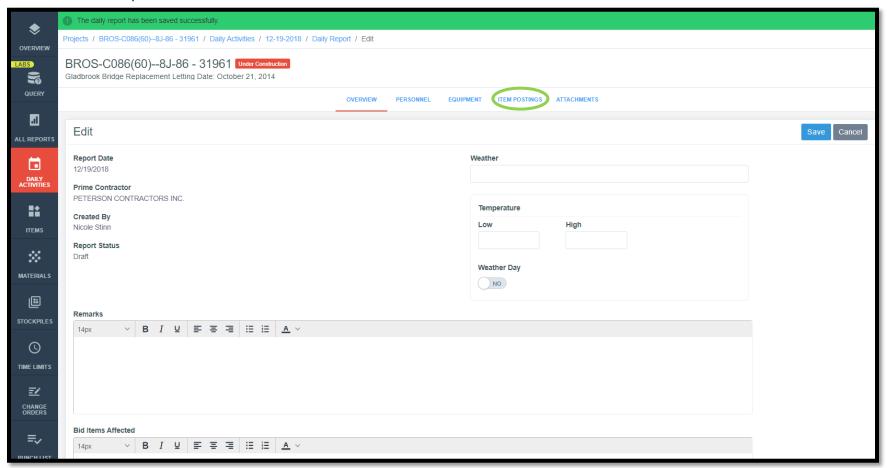


D. Item Postings Tab

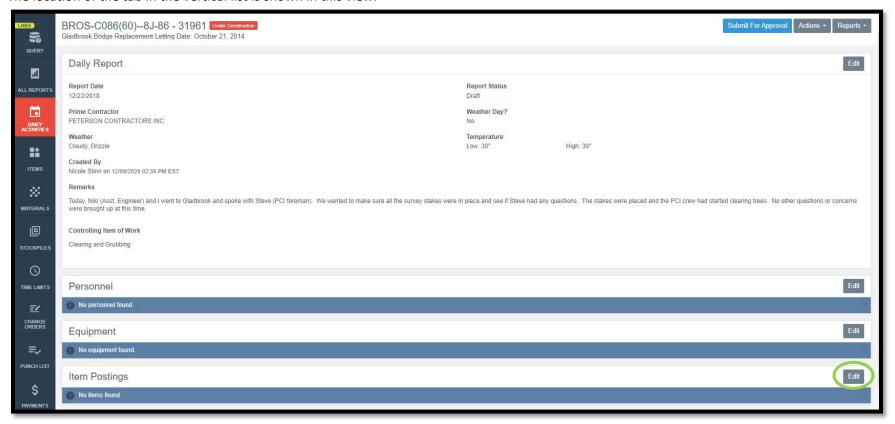
The fourth tab in the Daily Activities menu is Item Postings. Item postings are entries made for quantity progress on bid items. (Some users will have used DOT-provided "E-sheets" in Excel for the purpose of quantity entries and measurements in the past. This tab is where that information should be entered.)

To navigate to the Item Postings tab, you can click on either the tab name near the top of the screen or in the listing, depending on which view Appia is currently showing.

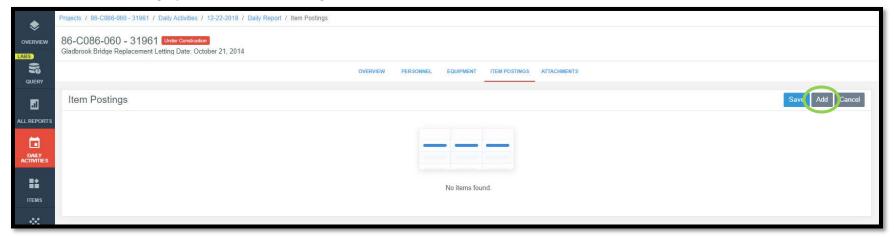
The location of the top tab is shown in the view below.



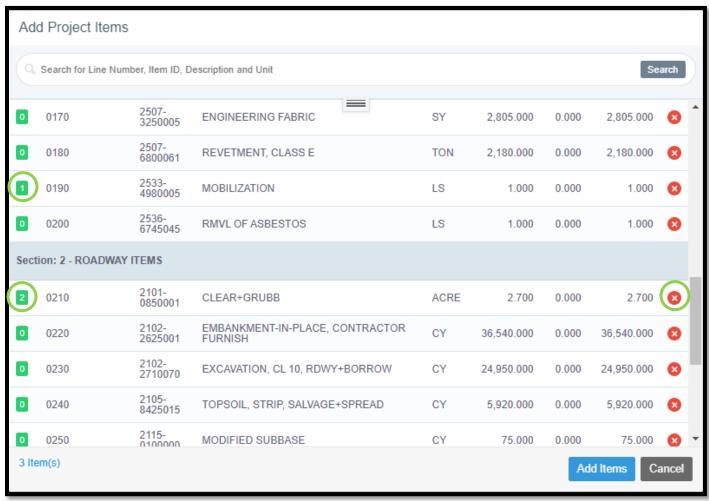
The location of the tab in the vertical list is shown in this view.



In order to edit the item posting (quantity posting) information, click on either the Item Posting tab at the top or on the "Edit" button on the right side of the Item Posting line as shown in the screenshots above. Either click will bring you to the following screen. To add item posting information, click on the gray "Add" button on the right side of the screen.



Clicking "Add" will cause a box to pop up containing all of the items on the contract. To add an entry for a particular item, simply click on the item. Clicking once will cause a "1" to appear in the green box on the left side of the item's line. Clicking the item again will change the number to "2". This number indicates the number of line entries that need to be added for a specific item. For example, if an item has associated work completed at two different locations, you would want to click twice to be able to add two quantity measurements to the report record. If you accidentally click on an item or click on an item too many times and have more entries than needed, simply click the red circle with the "x" on the right side of the line to remove the entry.

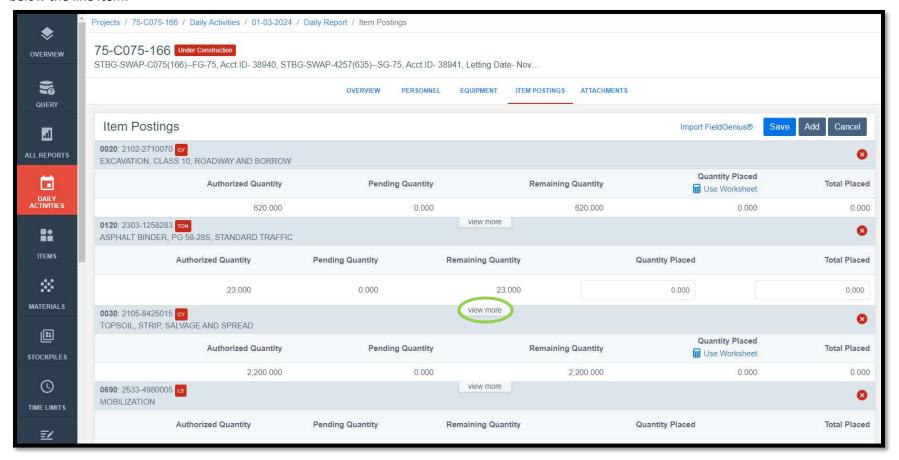


If you don't see the item you are looking for, you can search for it in the search bar at the top of the box. Also, the item could be on the next page. If you scroll through the items to get to the bottom of the box, an option for going to the next page will appear. When finished selecting

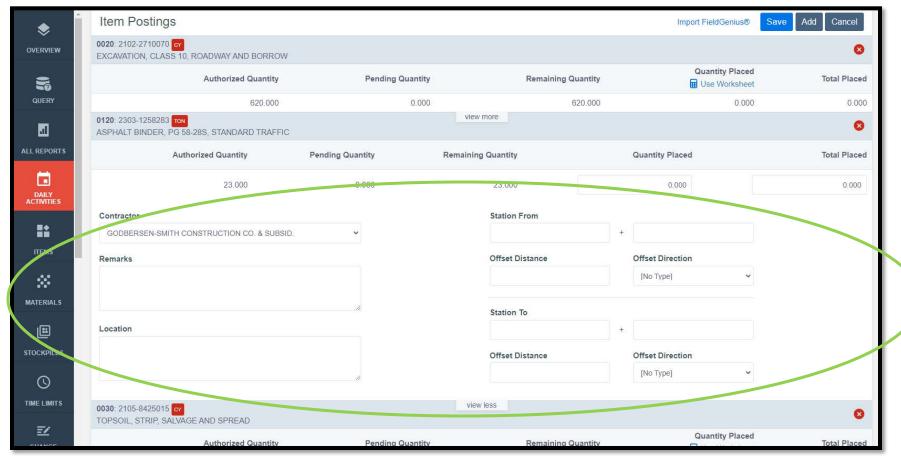
items for entry, click on the "Add Items" button in the bottom, right corner. Items added by change order will only be visible and available for selection if the change order is in pending or approved status.



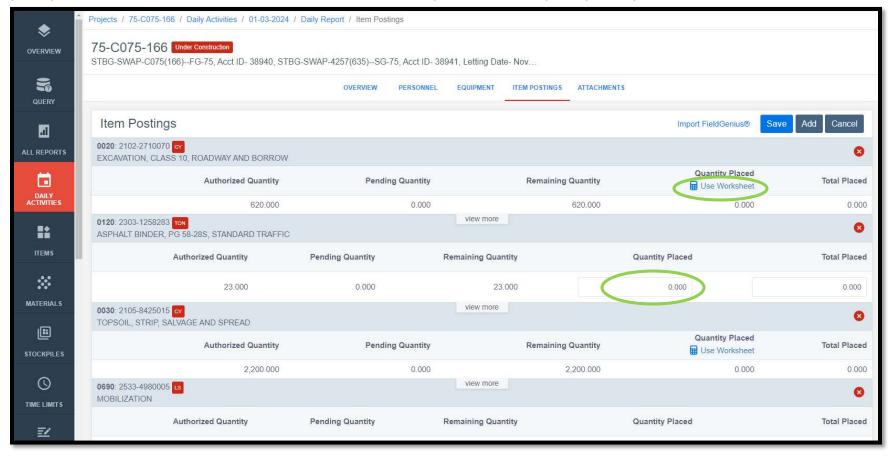
After clicking "Add Items" in the item selection box as shown above, the following screen will appear where you can enter measurements, location information, quantities, and other remarks. In order to enter all of the information, make sure to click on the "view more" box shown below the line item.



Clicking on the "view more" box will cause the item line to expand to show additional fields for data entry.

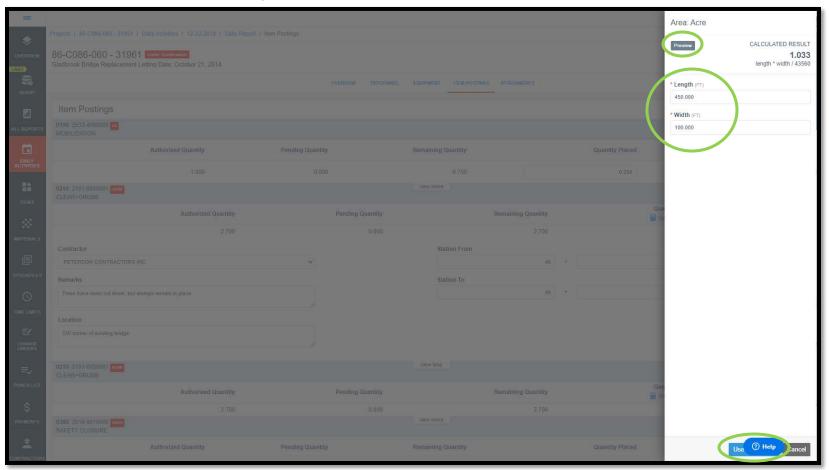


When a project has been set up with "yes" checked for using worksheets (see the construction settings), a blue calculator with "Use Worksheet" will show under the "Quantity Placed" column. If worksheets are being used, you must click on this calculator to enter measurements for quantity calculation. If there is no worksheet associated with the item, you can enter the quantity directly into the box.



Note: Measurements entered into the worksheet will later print on quantity reports. Local Systems staff need these measurements for audit/review purposes. If you override the worksheet calculation or if you have chosen not to use worksheets, you will need to enter all measurement information in the "Remarks" section under the "view more" box or attach any appropriate drawings or files to the daily report.

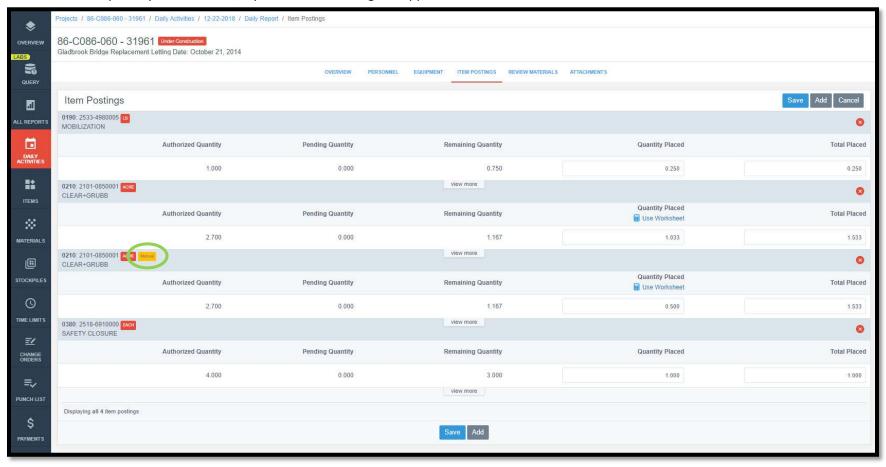
Here is an example of a worksheet that is used to calculate an item with Acre units. When using a worksheet, enter the measurements into the fields provided. Click on the gray "Preview" button near the top of the worksheet to have the worksheet calculate what your quantity is. When the entered information is found to be acceptable, click the blue "Use Worksheet" button at the bottom of the worksheet.



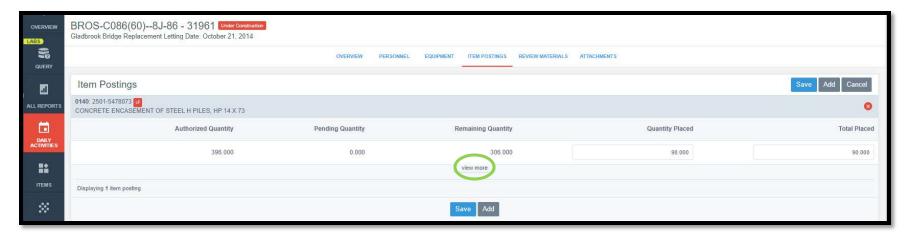
Note: If you have chosen to use worksheets, but you want to override the worksheet's calculation (i.e., for an irregular area), you must first use the worksheet to calculate a number. Then, you can manually override the calculated quantity if you wish. If you do override the quantity, you will need to enter all measurement information in the "Remarks" section under the "view more" box or attach any appropriate drawings or files to the daily report.

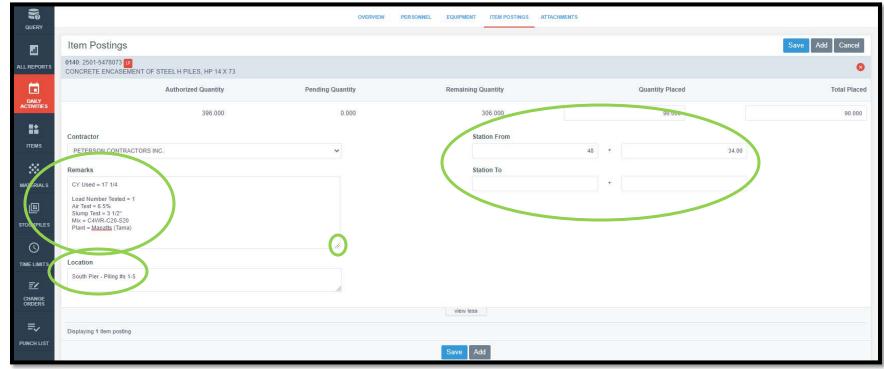
Note: Measurements entered in a worksheet will display in the Item History Report that Local Systems auditors will need. See the "Exporting Data: Export Reports section of the <u>Appia Project Creation & Account Management Instructions</u> for guidance on generating that report.

If the worksheet quantity is overridden, a yellow "Manual" tag will appear on the left side of the line above the bid item name.



***It is of the utmost importance that ALL relevant data for an item posting is entered. This includes test results, all appropriate measurements, location information, and anything else pertinent to the item posting. In order to enter these details, first make sure the "view more" tab for the item has been clicked and the "Remarks", "Location", and "Station" fields are visible. In those fields, enter all of the necessary information. An example is shown below. Hint: You can expand the "Remarks" box by clicking and dragging the small, gray triangle in the bottom, right corner.





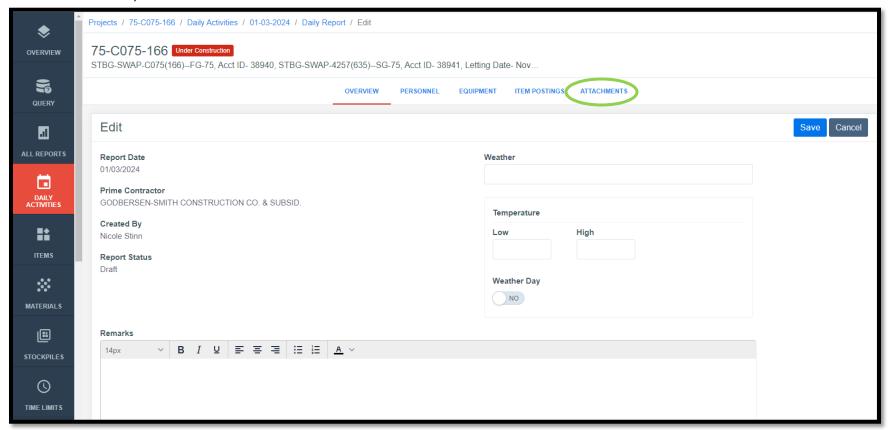
As an alternative to entering test results and other data in the remarks tab, users may use the DOT Excel-based "E-sheets". "E-sheets" must be uploaded to Doc Express for review/audit, but they may also be uploaded as an attachment to the Daily Report.

E. Attachments Tab

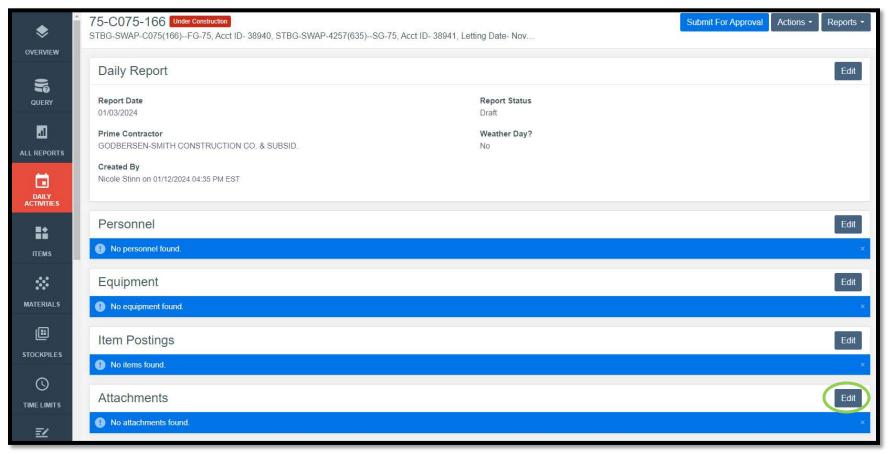
The fifth tab in the Daily Activities menu is Attachments. Appia supports attachments of all file type varieties (videos, documents, pictures, etc.) and sizes. Examples of attachments include but are not limited to videos of work or storm water inspections, survey point files, scanned hand-drawings, Excel quantity sheets (E-sheets), CAD drawings, etc.

To navigate to the Attachments tab, you can click on either the tab name near the top of the screen or in the listing, depending on which view Appia is currently showing.

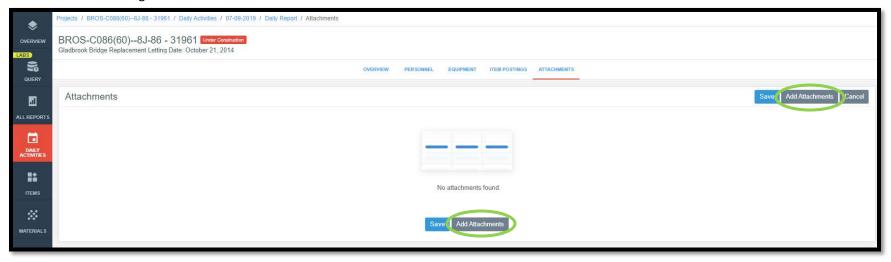
The location of the top tab is shown in the view below.



The location of the tab in the vertical list is shown in this view.



In order to add attachments, click on either the Attachments tab at the top or on the "Edit" button on the right side of the Attachments line as shown in the screenshots above. Either click will bring you to the following screen. To add an attachment, click on the gray "Add Attachments" button on either the right side or bottom of the screen.

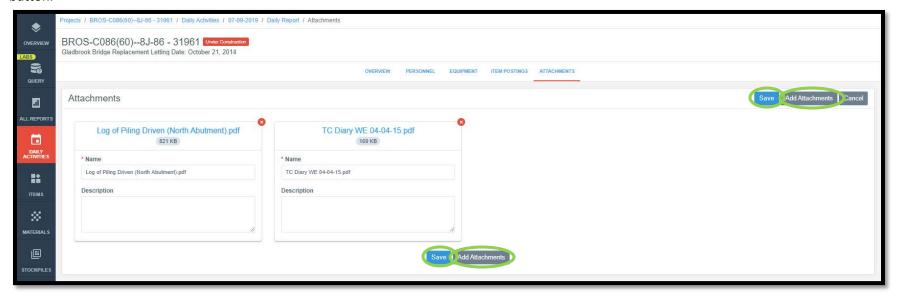


Clicking the "Add Attachments" button will cause the following pop-up box/graphic to appear. To add any desired attachments, either:

- open the file explorer on your computer and navigate to your desired file(s) and drag and drop the file into the box, or
- click on the blue "choose your files" link and then navigate to your desired file(s).



Once an attachment is chosen, the following screen will appear. If you are satisfied with the selected attachments, click the blue "Save" button in either the upper, right corner or at the bottom of the screen. If you wish to add additional attachments, click on the gray "Add Attachments" button.

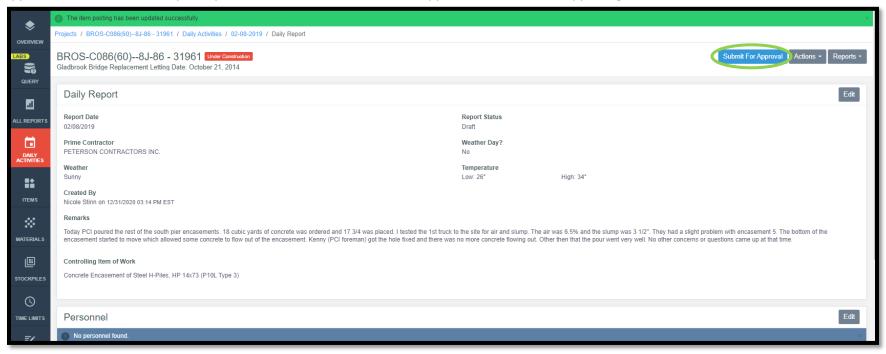


Selecting "Save" will bring you back to the Overview tab where your attachments will now be listed.



F. Submitting Daily Reports for Approval & Reviewing Materials

When an inspector is done filling out a Daily Report and has double-checked the accuracy of the entries, the report may be "Submitted for Approval". To do so, in the open report, click on the blue "Submit for Approval" button in the upper, right corner.



Depending on the role type set for the user submitting the report, a pop-up box may appear saying "The daily report has materials to be reviewed" when the "Submit for Approval" button is selected. This box is shown here.



There are often multiple materials associated with a given bid item (i.e., materials for a PCC item would include portland cement, fly ash, slag, potable water, aggregate, etc.). Certifications, or known sources, in the case of an approved source requirement, for ALL materials must be inhand before payment is made for the bid item associated with these materials. An exception would be cases where certifications are received as part of a plant book at the conclusion of an item's placement. If the necessary certifications and/or payrolls have NOT been obtained or if payment needs to be withheld on an item due to anticipated liquidated damages, refer to the Limiting Payment on Items for Certifications, Payroll, and Anticipated Liquidated Damages section.

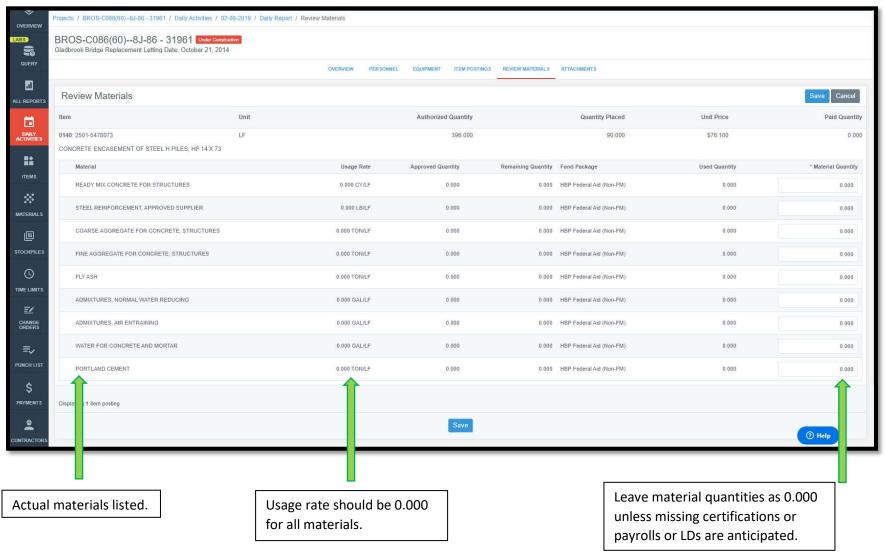
Appia will exclude the item posting(s) in the Daily Report from current and future payments as long as the Daily Report remains un-approved. Once it is approved, the item posting(s) will be pulled into a payment.

If you are the one in your organization who is responsible for reviewing all materials for the presence of the necessary certifications and for ensuring all payrolls have been received, you should click the blue "Review Materials" button. If you are not the person responsible for ensuring certifications are in hand, you can choose the "Submit for Approval" button in order to pass the review responsibility to the person who approves the report. The materials MUST be reviewed before Appia will allow the Daily Report to be approved.

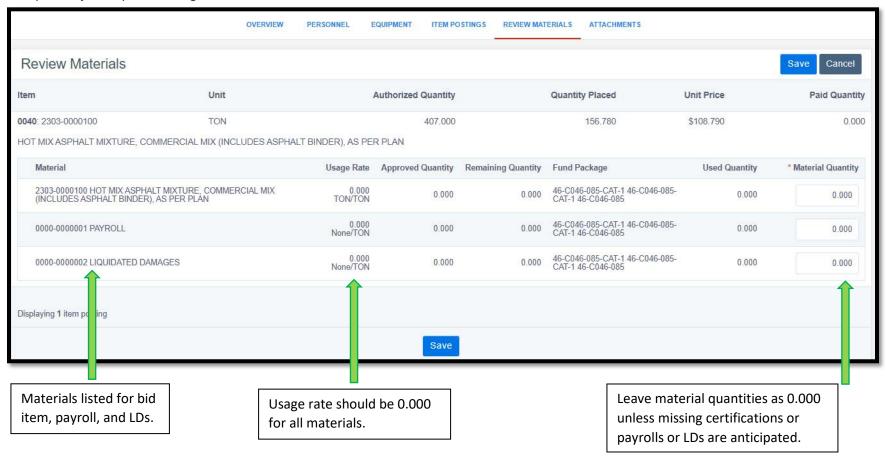
When the "Review Materials" choice is selected, a screen will appear showing each of the bid items and their associated materials. For projects imported prior to the implementation of Reference Data Collections (generally prior to 2025), each material associated with a bid item will display on the Review Materials screen. For projects imported using lowa DOT's Reference Data Collection, each bid item will have three "materials" lines: the bid item itself, a payroll item, and a liquidated damages item.

All materials have a usage rate set to 0.000, and the Material Quantity field on the Review Materials screen will default to 0.000. If certifications and payrolls have been obtained for all items posted in the Daily Report, and if payment does not need to be withheld for anticipated liquidated damages (see I.M. 6.000, Attachment D), leave all quantities on the Review Materials screen as 0.000. If all applicable certifications and payrolls have not been obtained for all items posted in the Daily Report, or if payment needs to be withheld for anticipated liquidated damages according to I.M. 6.000, Attachment D, refer to the Limiting Payment on Items for Certifications, Payroll, and Anticipated Liquidated Damages section. Entering quantities for materials WILL result in complications with payments if the appropriate approvals are not applied in the Materials module, so quantities should not be entered on the Review Materials screen unless limit payment on the item(s) is the intended consequence.

Example: Project imported prior to Reference Data Collections



Example: Project imported using Iowa DOT's Reference Data collection

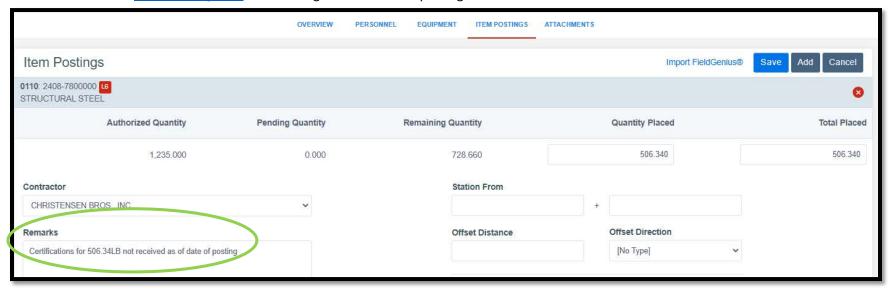


G. Limiting Payment on Items for Certifications, Payroll, and Anticipated Liquidated Damages

If any of the following criteria are met, payment should be limited/withheld on the affected bid item(s).

- The quantity of work posted in a Daily Report for the item is completed, but some or all certifications applicable to the bid item have not been received.
- Certified payrolls (for Federal-aid projects) have not been received for an item at the time a payment is to be made.
- Payment needs to be withheld on an item due to anticipated liquidated damages (see I.M. 6.000, Attachment D).

If payment is limited on an item for one of the above reasons, an explanation may be provided in the "Remarks" section of the Item Posting itself. See subsection Item Postings Tab for further guidance on item postings.



Option #1 (Preferred)

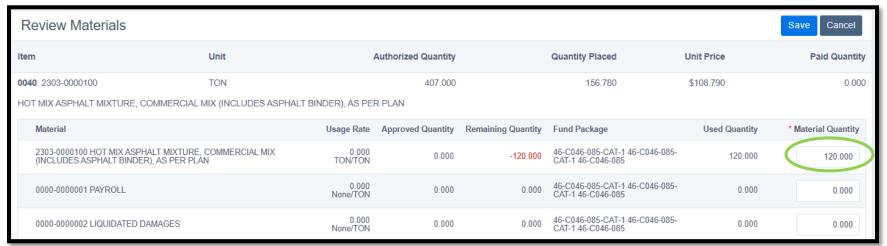
**The lines described below are only available by default for projects imported using Iowa DOT's Reference Data Collection. For projects imported prior to the use of Iowa DOT's Reference Data Collection, the user can manually add these Materials to their own Reference Data Collection (see the Reference Data: Bid Items & Materials section of the Appia Project Creation & Account Management Instruction Manual). The new material will then need to be associated to the applicable bid item (see the Reference Data: Bid Items & Materials section of the Appia Project Creation & Account Management Instruction Manual).

The <u>preferred method</u> of limiting payment is to utilize the functionality of the Materials module. This process starts with the Review Materials screen that must be reviewed and approved in order to approve a Daily Report. (See the <u>Submitting Daily Reports for Approval & Reviewing Materials</u> section for information on when/where this screen is encountered.) When payment needs to be limited due to one of the criteria listed above, a quantity is entered into the "Material Quantity" field on the applicable Material line. This quantity will display as an "insufficient quantity" (shortage) in the Materials module and will not be paid until an approved quantity is entered in the Materials module equal to the quantity entered as a "shortage" on the Review Materials screen. (See the <u>Releasing Previously Limited Payment on Items for Certifications</u>, <u>Payroll</u>, and <u>Anticipated Liquidated Damages</u> section for guidance on entering Materials approvals to release payment.)

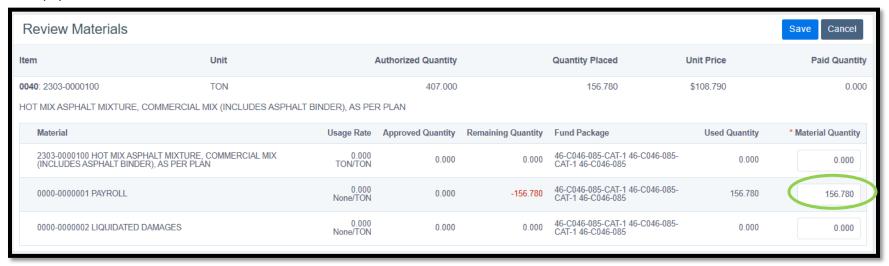
Only enter a Material shortage quantity in the Review Materials screen <u>associated with the Daily Report in which the item was posted</u>. Do not continue to enter the quantity in the Review Materials screen on subsequent Daily Reports unless additional quantity is posted that needs to be limited. Only enter the amount that needs to be limited each day for the postings reflected in the Daily Report. Quantities entered in the Review Materials screen become cumulative in the Materials module.

If only a portion of the posted quantity needs to be limited, you will need to enter the full posting amount in the Review Materials screen, and then you will need to enter an approval in the Materials module for the approved portion of the posting. This will result in the non-approved portion of the posting being considered "insufficient" as desired. If only the "shortage"/"insufficient" amount is entered in the Review Materials screen, none of the posting will get picked up in the payment.

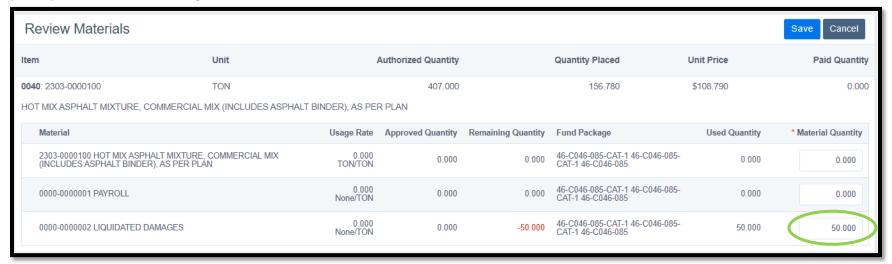
Example 1: If certifications are missing for the bid item for some, but not all, of the posted quantity, enter the whole posting amount in the "Material Quantity" field. Then, enter an approval in the Materials module for the <u>approved portion</u> of the posting. (See the <u>Releasing Previously Limited Payment on Items for Certifications, Payrolls, and Anticipated Liquidated Damages</u> section for guidance on approving Materials.)



Example 2: If payrolls have not been received covering any of the item progress posted in the Daily Report, enter the quantity of the bid item for which payrolls have NOT been received.



Example 3: According to <u>I.M. 6.000</u>, <u>Attachment D</u>, when liquidated damages are anticipated, item progress shall be withheld on the prime contractor's item(s) in an amount sufficient to cover the anticipated damages. If this situation applies, enter a quantity in the "Material Quantity" field on the Liquidated Damages material line that equates to the value of the anticipated damages. (A manual calculation will need to be performed to calculate the correct quantity associated with the total \$ of the anticipated damages: \$ of Anticipated LDs / item unit price = quantity entered for withholding.)



When a Material quantity has been entered but has not yet been approved, which is the case for items on which payment is being limited, in the Work Performed tab of the Payment module, the item will have a red circle with a check mark. Additionally, the payment report will show that the entire quantity is not being paid.

Example Payment screen

		OVERVIEW	V SUMMARY WORK PERF	ORMED ATTACHMENTS			
Work Performe	ed						In dollars? YES
Line Number	Item ID	Unit	Authorized	Previous	Current	Overages	Insufficient
Section: 0001 - STP-S-	-C046(85)5E-46, Roadway Item	s					
0040	2303-0000100	TON	\$44,277.53	\$0.00	\$0.00		(0)
HOT MIX ASPHALT MIX	XTURE, COMMERCIAL MIX (INCI	UDES ASPHALT BINDER)	, AS PER PLAN				
8010	2102-5020010	STA	\$30,000.00	\$0.00	\$7,500.00		
OBLITERATE OLD ROA	ADBED						

Option #2 (Less Desirable)

The quantity placed value in the item posting on the Daily Report can be entered as 0.00, and the actual quantity placed that day can be recorded in the remarks for the item (under "view more") so as to have a record of it on the day that it occurred. Entering item progress this way when certifications or payrolls have not been received by the time a payment is to be processed will allow the Daily Report to be approved so that all other certified items posted that day can be processed as part of a payment without payment being made on a non-certified item.

If the certification or payroll is received after the Daily Report containing the 0.00 quantity item posting has been approved and a payment has been made covering that date, an entry can be made on a later Daily Report with a quantity placed, and remarks can be entered to say that certifications or payrolls were just received, but the actual work was completed on the date corresponding to the 0.00 entry. Then, this report can be approved, and the item will be paid on the next payment.

Option #3 (Less Desirable)

If there is more than one Appia user for your organization, a second user can enter an Item Posting with the actual quantity in a Daily Report on the date the work was performed. This daily report would need to remain un-approved until certifications are received. Once certifications are received, the report can be approved. It will be incorporated into the next payment even if it is prior to the payment dates covered by that payment.

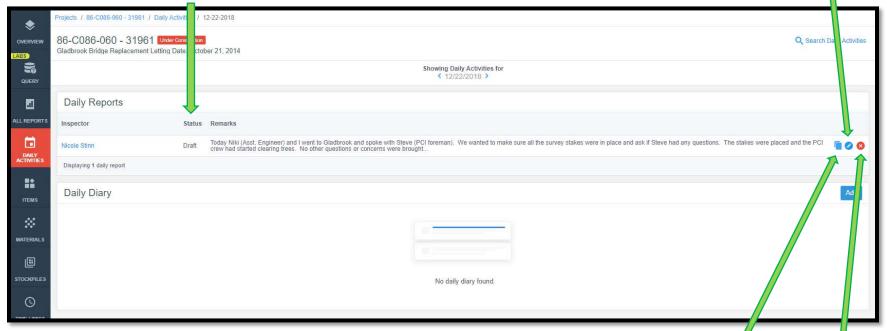
Option #4 - No payment

If a payment is not ready to be made, the Daily Report can simply be left in draft status until the certification or payroll is received. No items in the draft Daily Report will be brought into a payment.

H. Additional "Daily Activities" Information

If you close out of a Daily Report or want to make changes to a previously entered report, you can always select the date from the calendar and get back to the report. In order to open the report for editing, just click on the blue circle with the pencil in it on the right side of the line.

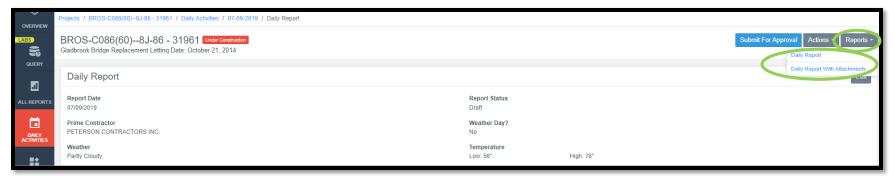
If you want to see what status your report is in (Draft, Pending, or Approved), you can look in the Status column on the view. Additionally, the calendar view will list the report's status.



If you want to use the information from the selected report to start another report rather than re-entering much of the same information (like personnel and equipment), you can click here to make a copy.

To delete a report, click on the red circle with the "x" at the right end of the line. Note: Once a report is approved, it may take a higher-level project role to un-approve and then delete it.

If you would like to generate a PDF of a Daily Report, select the desired report to open it and then click on the gray "Reports" button in the top-right corner of the Daily Report screen and choose either "Daily Report" or "Daily Report With Attachments" (if available) from the drop-down menu.



A PDF will be generated which captures all of the data entered for the report. If the "Daily Report With Attachments" option is selected, any attachments will print along with the report details. An example is shown below. (See the Attachments Tab section for instructions on adding attachments.)



Tama County Highway Department Daily Report BROS-C086(60)--8J-86 - 31961

Description

Gladbrook Bridge Replacement Letting Date: October 21, 2014

Report Date 02/08/2019

PETERSON CONTRACTORS INC. Prime Contractor

104 BLACK HAWK REINBECK, IA

Status Draft Weather Sunny Temperature 26° to 34°

Nicole Stinn on 12/31/2020 03:14 PM EST Created By

Remarks Today PCI poured the rest of the south pier encasements. 18 cubic yards of concrete was ordered and 17 3/4 was

placed. I tested the 1st truck to the site for air and slump. The air was 6.5% and the slump was 3 1/2". They had a slight problem with encasement 5. The bottom of the encasement started to move which allowed some concrete to flow out of the encasement. Kenny (PCI foreman) got the hole fixed and there was no more concrete flowing

out. Other then that the pour went very well. No other concerns or questions came up at that time.

Controlling Item of Work

Concrete Encasement of Steel H-Piles, HP 14x73 (P10L Type 3)

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Item Postings

1 item posting

Line Number	Item ID	Unit	Unit Price	Quantity Placed	Posted Amount
Section: 1 - ITEM	MS FOR A 244'-0 X 30'-0 I	PRETENSIONE	D PRESTRESSED CO	ONCRETE BEAM BRIDGE	
0140	2501-5478073	LF	\$76.100	90.000	\$6,849.00
CONCRETI	E ENCASEMENT OF STE	EL H PILES, HP	14 X 73		

Contractor: PETERSON CONTRACTORS INC.

Location: South Pier - Piling #s 1-5

Total Posted Amount: \$6,849.00

Station From: 48+34

Remarks: CY Used = 17 1/4 Load Number Tested = 1 Air Test = 6.5% Slump Test = 3 1/2" Mix = C4WR-C20-S20 Plant =

			ivialians (Tallia)
Funding I	Details		
HBP Federal Aid (Non-FM)		90.000	\$6,849.00
Material	Unit	Fund Package	Quantity Used
ADMIXTURES, AIR ENTRAINING	GAL	HBP Federal Aid (Non-FM)	0.000
ADMIXTURES, NORMAL WATER REDUCING	GAL	HBP Federal Aid (Non-FM)	0.000
COARSE AGGREGATE FOR CONCRETE, STRUCTURES	TON	HBP Federal Aid (Non-FM)	0.000
FINE AGGREGATE FOR CONCRETE, STRUCTURES	TON	HBP Federal Aid (Non-FM)	0.000
FLY ASH	TON	HBP Federal Aid (Non-FM)	0.000
PORTLAND CEMENT	TON	HBP Federal Aid (Non-FM)	0.000
READY MIX CONCRETE FOR STRUCTURES	CY	HBP Federal Aid (Non-FM)	0.000
STEEL REINFORCEMENT, APPROVED SUPPLIER	LB	HBP Federal Aid (Non-FM)	0.000
WATER FOR CONCRETE AND MORTAR	GAL	HBP Federal Aid (Non-FM)	0.000

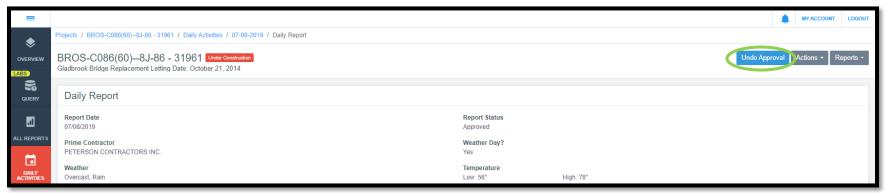
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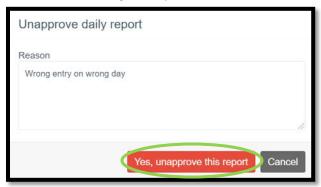
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I. Un-approving a Daily Report

There may be occasions which make it necessary for an approved Daily Report to be un-approved and revised. To undo the approval of a previously approved Daily Report, click on the blue "Undo Approval" button in the upper, right corner of the selected Daily Report. Note: Not all user roles have a high enough level of access to undo approval on a Daily Report. If this button does not appear, it is likely that your access type is not adequate to make the change.



When un-approval of a report is requested, this pop-up box will appear, and the person performing the un-approving action will have to enter a reason for retracting the report. When a reason has been entered, click the red "Yes, unapprove this report" button.

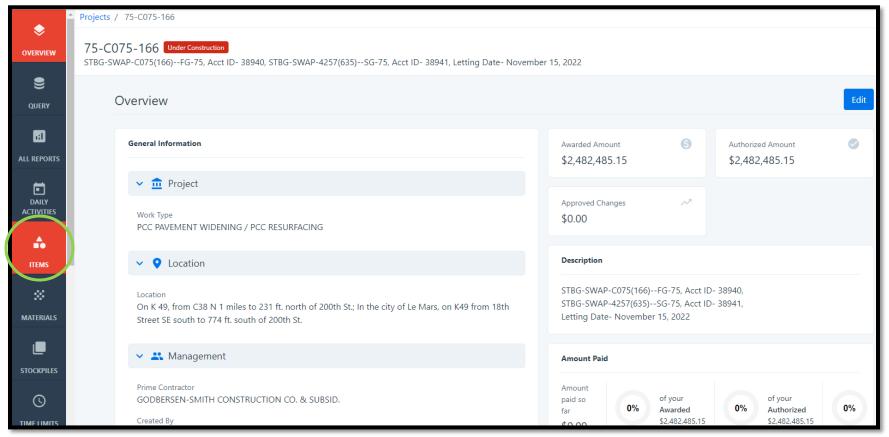


Once un-approved, the status of the Daily Report should change to "pending".

Note: If the Daily Report has been included on a payment that is in Pending or Approved status, the payment must be brought back to Draft status before the Daily Report can be unapproved. If the Daily Report has been included on a payment that has been put in Paid status, it cannot be unapproved (no exceptions!).

6 - Items

The Items tab contains a listing of each contract item and displays each item's progress to date. This tab can be accessed on the left toolbar as shown below. The Items tab is NOT where you record item quantity progress or input item quantities for payment. Item quantities are input in the Item Postings tab of the Daily Report. Refer to <u>Subsection D. Item Postings Tab</u> in <u>Section 4. Daily Reports and Postings</u> for information on entering quantities.



When the Items tab is opened, a view will appear showing each item and each item's progress.



Each section will have its own header, so if multiple sections (divisions) are present within a project, you will be able to identify the items within each section. Additionally, a total cost per section is shown in the right column at the bottom of each section's item listing as shown below. The total contract cost will be shown after the last section as well.

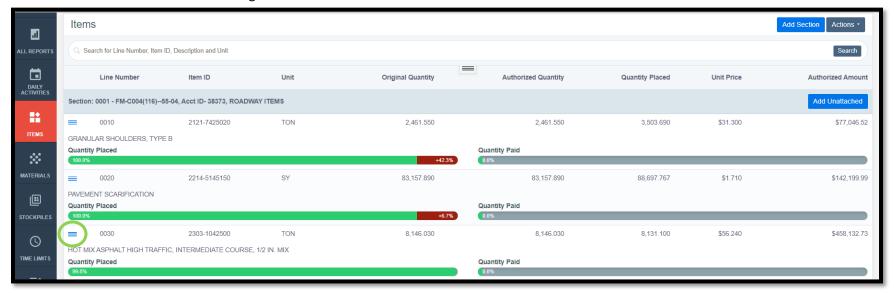


Note: For contracts containing multiple projects which share time limit constraints, each project in the contract will be set up and displayed as a section rather than as its own project. Multiple project contracts must be set up this way in order to share time charges.

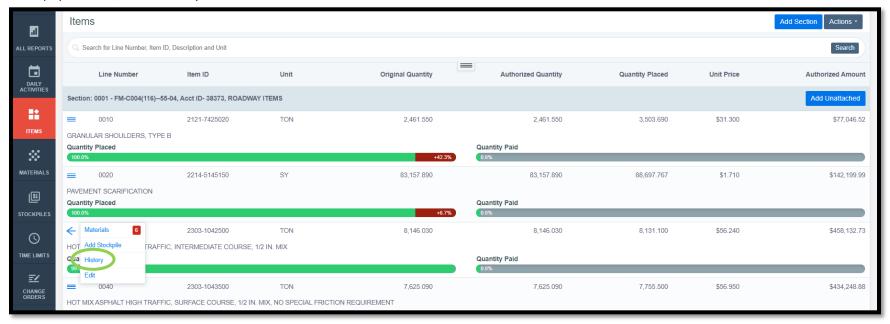
There is an option to add unattached items to the project. However, this should not be done for DOT-let projects. The DOT requires a change order to be used to add an item to a contract.



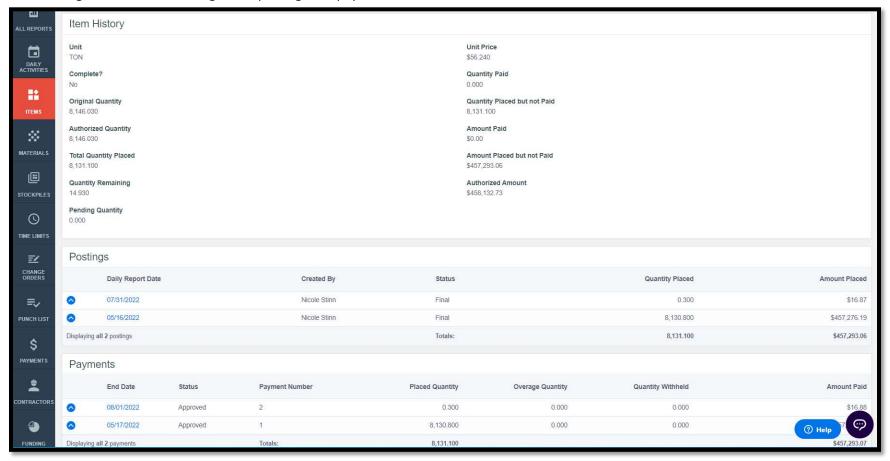
A history of the postings and payments made for any item can be found in the item's history. To view the Item History, click on the three blue lines on the left end of the line containing the desired bid item.



In the pop-out box, click "History".



The resulting screen will show a log of the postings and payments associated with the bid item.



7 - Materials

(Reserved for Future Instructions)

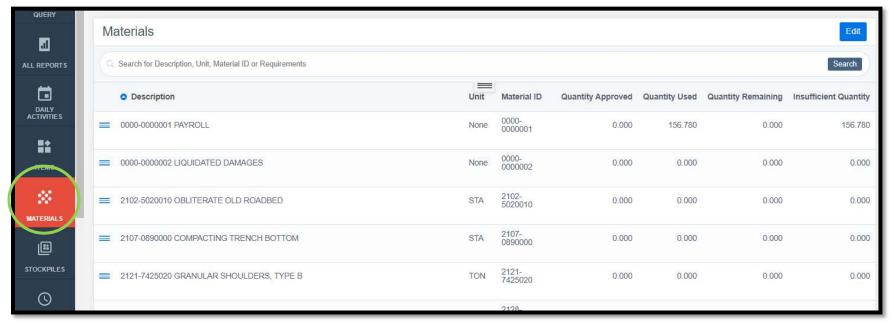
Reserved for future instructions on Materials Tab.

For lowa DOT administered projects, do NOT use or enter any values for Materials at this time, except when necessary to limit payment on items. Refer to <u>Limiting Payment on Items for Certifications</u>, <u>Payroll</u>, <u>and Anticipated Liquidated Damages</u> section and the <u>Releasing Previously Limited Payment on Items for Certifications</u>, <u>Payroll</u>, <u>and Anticipated Liquidated Damages</u> section for further guidance on limiting and approving item quantity payments.

A. Releasing Previously Limited Payment on Items for Certifications, Payroll, and Anticipated Liquidated Damages

If all applicable certifications and payrolls were not obtained for all items posted in the Daily Report, or if payment needed to be withheld for anticipated liquidated damages, payment should have been limited on the affected bid item. However, once all applicable certifications and payrolls have been received, or once a change order has been executed to add a bid item for liquidated damages, full payment on an item's posted quantity needs to be made. If payment was limited according to the preferred option of entering a material shortage quantity on the Review Materials screen (refer to the <u>Limiting Payment on Items for Certifications, Payroll, and Anticipated Liquidated Damages</u> section), a material approval now needs to be entered to allow payment on that quantity.

To approve all or part of an item's quantity for payment, click on Materials in the left menu.



A list of the Materials associated to the project's bid items will display. If a shortage quantity was entered on the Daily Report's Review Materials screen, the shortage quantity will show in the "Quantity Used" column. If that shortage has not yet been approved, even in part, the full shortage quantity will display in the "Insufficient Quantity" column, and the "Quantity Approved" column will show 0.000. If the shortage quantity has been partially approved, the non-approved portion will display in the "Quantity" column, and the approved portion will display in the "Quantity Approved" column. If a shortage quantity has been fully approved, the "Insufficient Quantity" column will show 0.000, and the "Quantity Approved" column will show the entire amount.



All Insufficient Quantities are being <u>withheld</u> (not picked up) from Payments. All values listed in the "Quantity Approved" column <u>are</u> being included in Payments. (If the "Quantity Used" shows 0.000, that item either has no quantity posted or was never limited and is therefore being fully paid.)

Approved Materials will get included in the payment after which a Material approval is entered even if they were withheld on a previous payment.

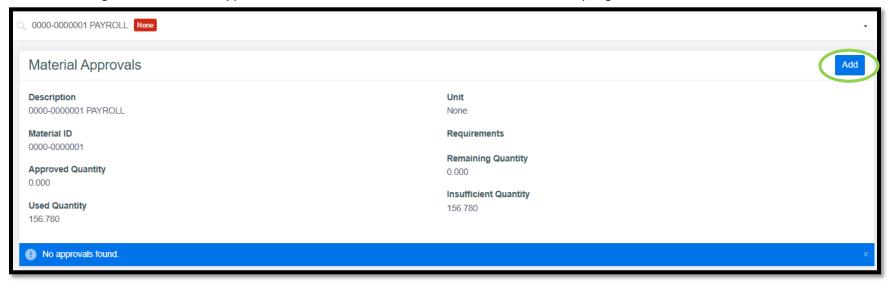
To approve a portion or all of the Insufficient Quantity for a Material, click on the three blue lines on the left side of the line containing the Material.



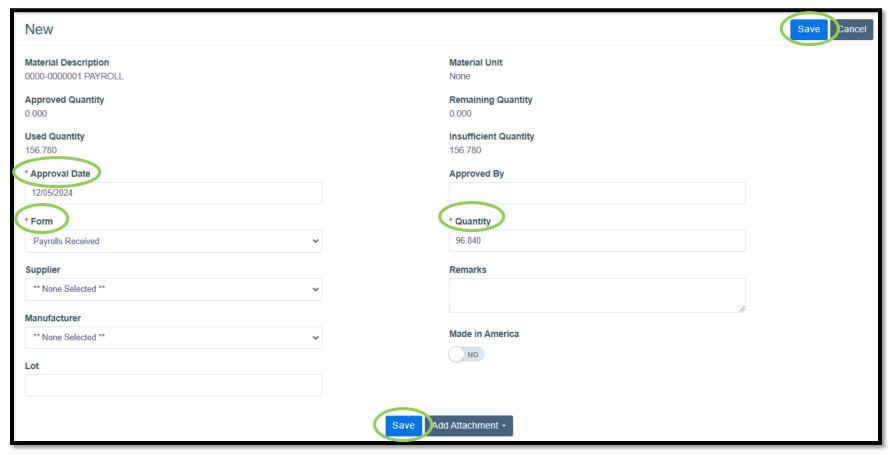
Then, click on "Approve" in the pop-up box.



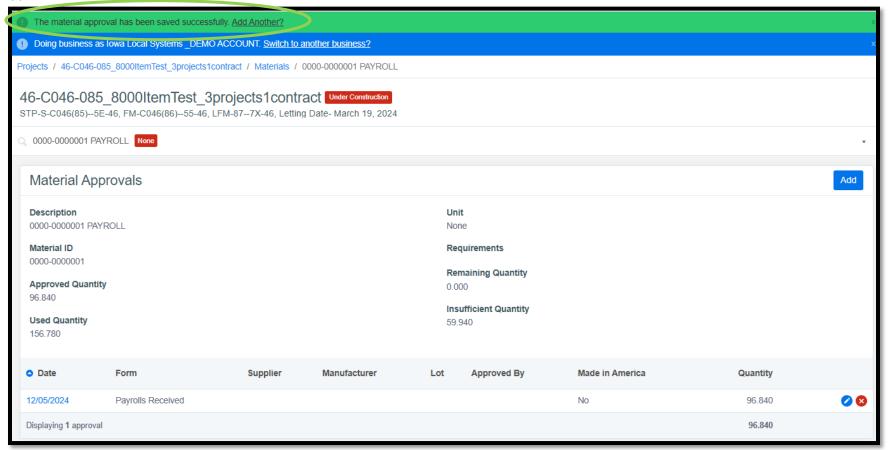
You will be brought to the Material Approvals screen. Click on the blue "Add" button near the top, right corner.



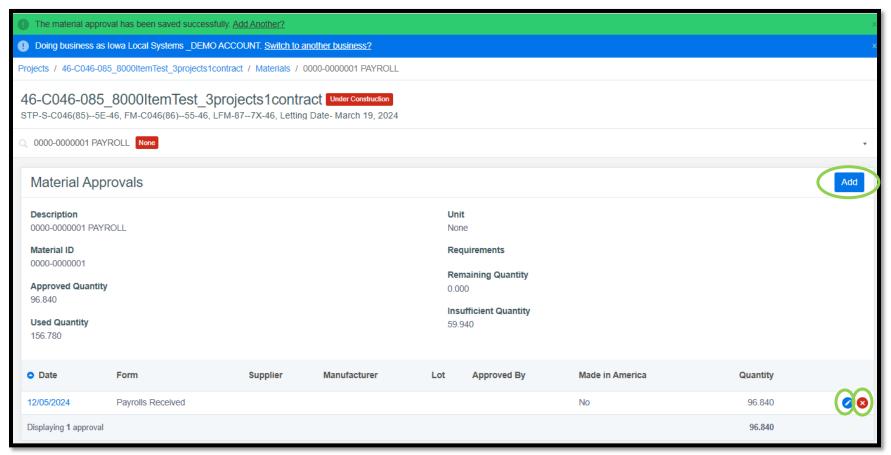
On the New approval screen, enter the "Approval Date" (date when certifications/payroll was received or liquidated damages were addressed by change order or other means) and the applicable "Form". (If the "Form" list does not contain "Payrolls Received" or "Liquidated Damages Addressed", they need to be added in the Reference Data. See subsection Overview of Lists in the Applia Project Creation & Account Management Instructions). Also enter the "Quantity" being approved. This is the quantity or portion of the quantity that was previously listed as a shortage on the Review Materials screen but now can be approved because all appropriate documentation is in place. The other fields are optional. When finished entering the approval information, click the blue "Save" button in either the upper, right corner or bottom, middle of the screen.



A green ribbon will appear across the top of the screen saying, "The material approval has been saved successfully. Add Another?", and the approval information will display.



To edit an approval entry, click on the blue circle with the pencil on the right end of the approval line, or to delete the approval, click on the red circle with the "x". Additional approvals (approvals received on different dates) can be added using the blue "Add" button in the top, right corner.



B. Reserved for Future Use

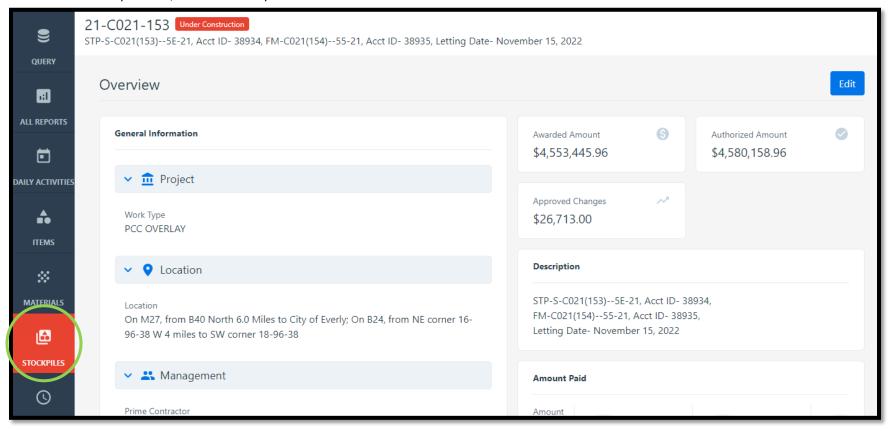
Reserved for future use

8 - Stockpiles

A. Adding a Stockpile Item

The Stockpiles screen is where all stockpile additions and reductions are entered. As long as the correct prices and quantities are entered, stockpile payments and reductions will be processed at the appropriate unit rates. The stockpile quantity automatically reduces for an item when that item is incorporated into an Item Posting unless the user has specified a future date for stockpile recoveries.

To access the Stockpiles tab, click on "Stockpiles" in the left menu.

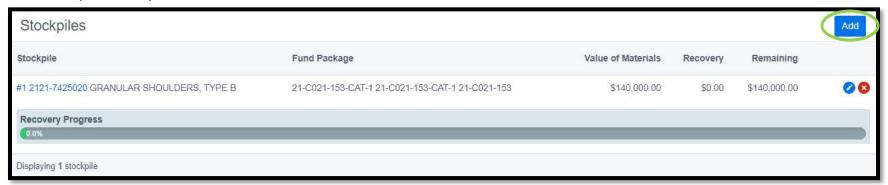


This will bring you to the Stockpiles screen. To add a new stockpile item, click on the blue "Add" button in the top, right corner of the screen. A separate stockpile entry is made for each bid item being stockpiled.

View if no stockpiles exist

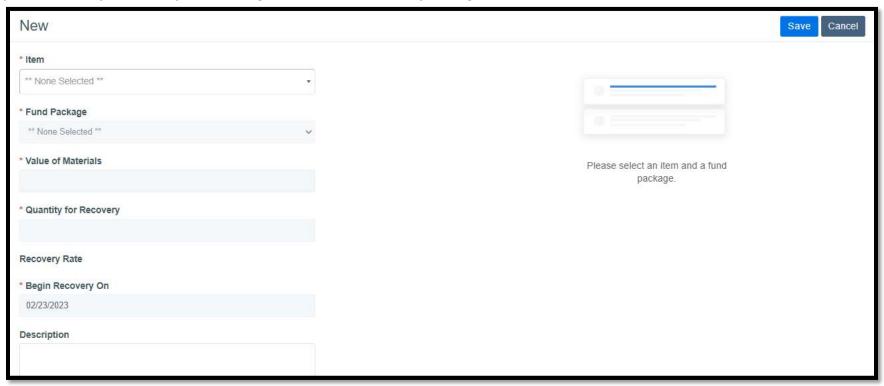


View if stockpiles already exist



A screen will appear in which the new stockpile information can be entered. Editable fields include "Item", "Fund Package", "Value of Materials", "Quantity for Recovery", "Begin Recovery On", and "Description". Some of the fields may not be editable immediately, but they will open up for editing as soon as the "Item" is chosen.

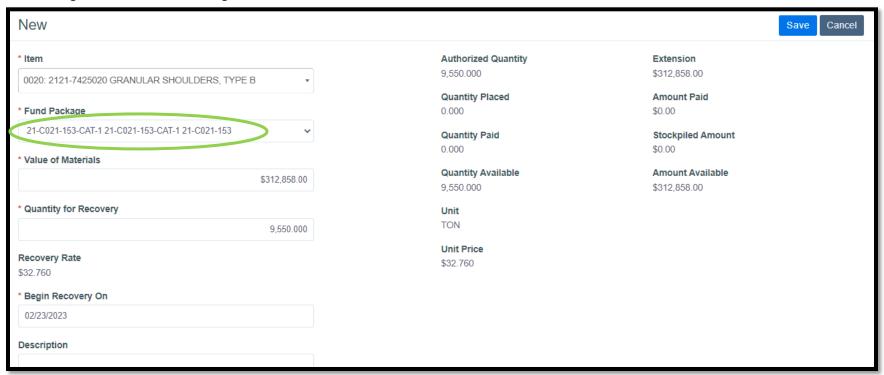
Do <u>NOT</u> hit the "Enter" key on the keyboard until you are done entering <u>ALL</u> data in this screen. If you do, it will save automatically, and you'll have to try to enter adjustments to get the numbers to match your original intent.



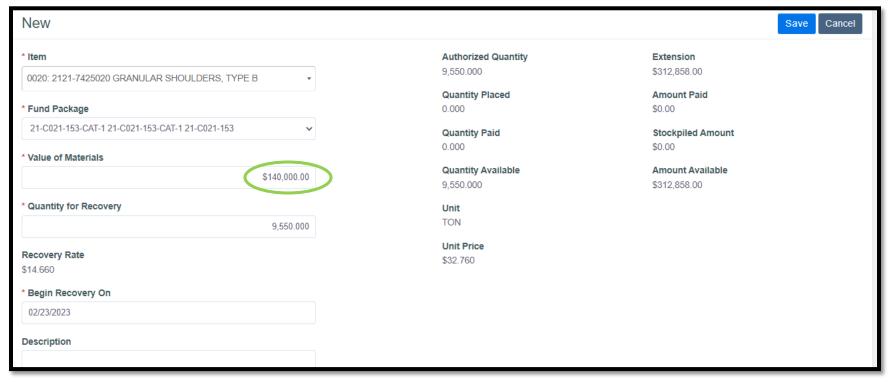
Item: The Item field is a pull-down box. Choose the item to be stockpiled. If the project contains multiple sections, make sure you scroll through the items to select the item from the correct section.



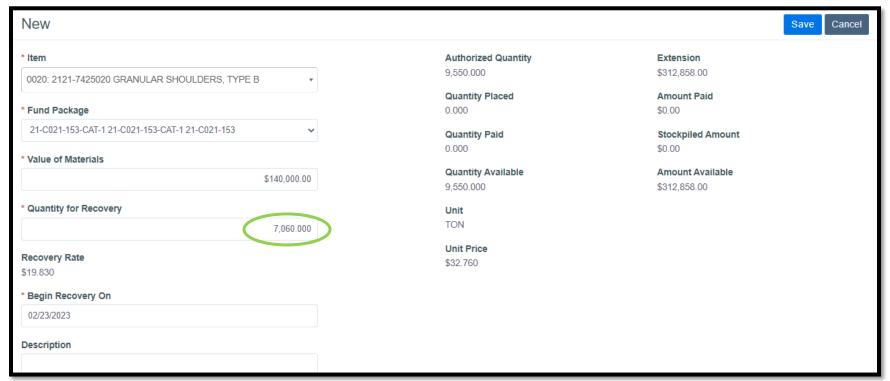
Fund Package: Select the Fund Package associated with the chosen item.



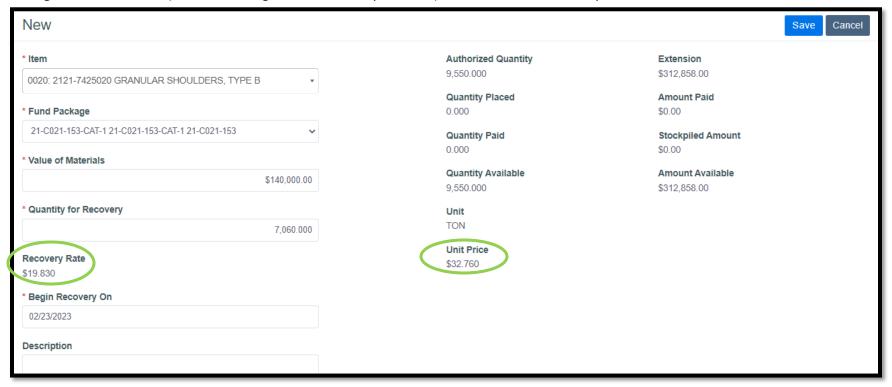
Value of Materials: The Value of Materials field will automatically populate with the extended (total) contract price for the selected bid item as soon as the Item is chosen. Override this value. The value you will enter is the invoice cost that the contractor must provide to you for the quantity of materials actually being stockpiled. This invoice cost needs to be factored at 100% (actual invoice cost) if the materials are stored on-site or 90% of the invoice cost if the materials are stockpiled offsite, according to I.M. 6.000, Attachment D, section 2.51.



Quantity for Recovery: The Quantity for Recovery is the quantity of materials being put into the stockpile or that are in the stockpile. The Quantity for Recovery field will automatically populate with the contract quantity or the quantity already posted in Item Postings for the selected bid item as soon as the Item is chosen. **Override this value**. The value you will enter is the actual quantity of the bid item material that is being stockpiled.



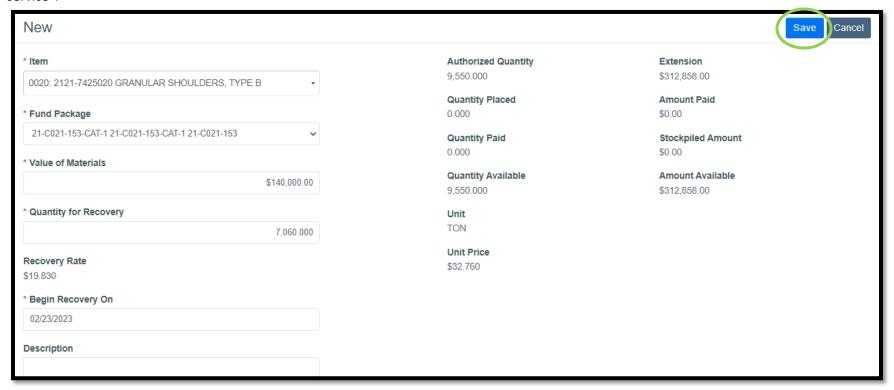
Recovery Rate: The Recovery Rate will automatically calculate based on the Value of Materials and Quantity for Recovery entries. It is the Value of Materials divided by the Quantity for Recovery. The Recovery Rate should be less than the Unit Price of the bid item. This is because stockpile payments are for material costs only, and bid item unit prices include materials, labor, and overhead costs. Double check the Recovery Rate against the Unit Price (shown to the right of the Recovery Rate line) to make sure the Recovery Rate is less.



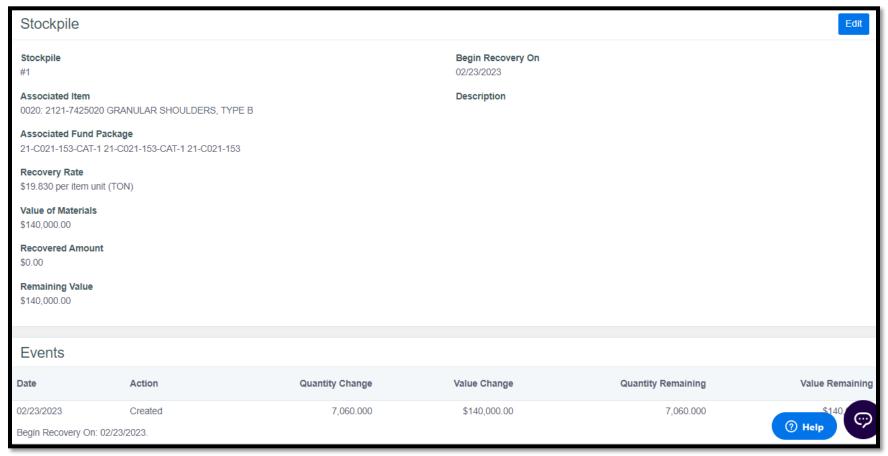
Begin Recovery On: This is the earliest date on which the stockpile payment can be reduced (the earliest date when you can begin recovering the funds advanced to the contractor). Generally, this date is/should be left as the day of creation of the stockpile. However, if there is some reason you want to be able to incorporate a bid item's material into a project and pay for the bid item without reducing the stockpile, this field could be set for a future date.

Description: Enter a description here, if desired.

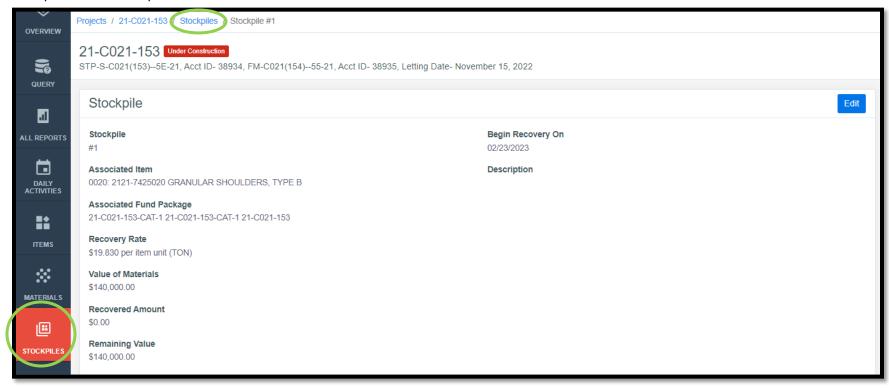
Once all of the necessary and pertinent information has been entered into the editable fields, and once the Recovery Rate has been checked against the Unit Price, click the blue "Save" button in the top, right corner to save the stockpile information and place the stockpile "into service".



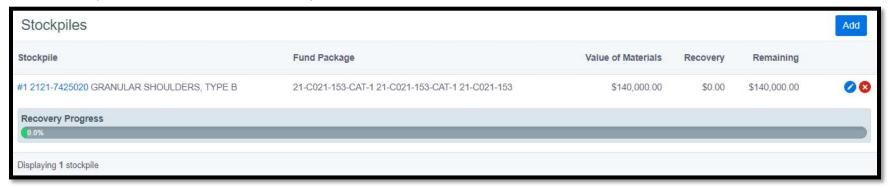
You will be returned to a Stockpile screen containing summary information for the stockpile just created.



To return to the main stockpile screen where all stockpiles are listed, either click on "Stockpiles" in the left menu or use the navigation path at the top to select "Stockpiles".



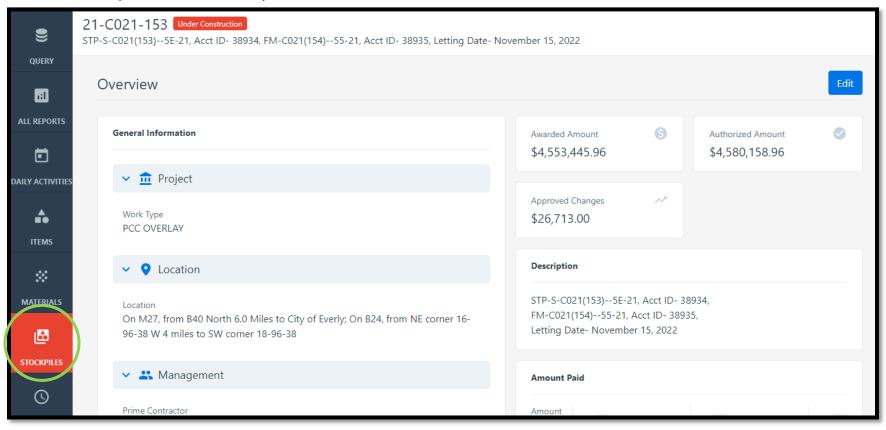
The main Stockpile screen will show all of the stockpiles that have been created.



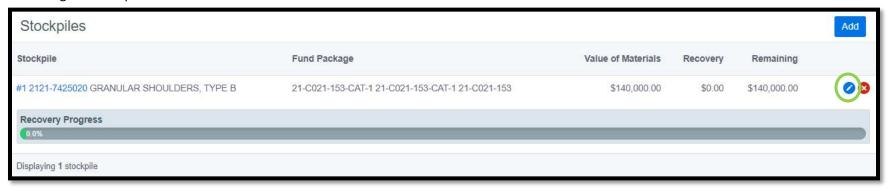
B. Editing an Existing Stockpile

As long as the correct prices and quantities are entered, stockpile payments and reductions will be processed at the appropriate unit rates. Stockpiles should not be edited just to make a reduction when the bid item is incorporated into the project. The stockpile quantity automatically reduces for an item when that item is incorporated into an Item Posting unless the user has specified a future date for stockpile recoveries. Stockpiles should only be edited if changes need to be made to the original stockpile material prices or if additional quantity is being added to the stockpile.

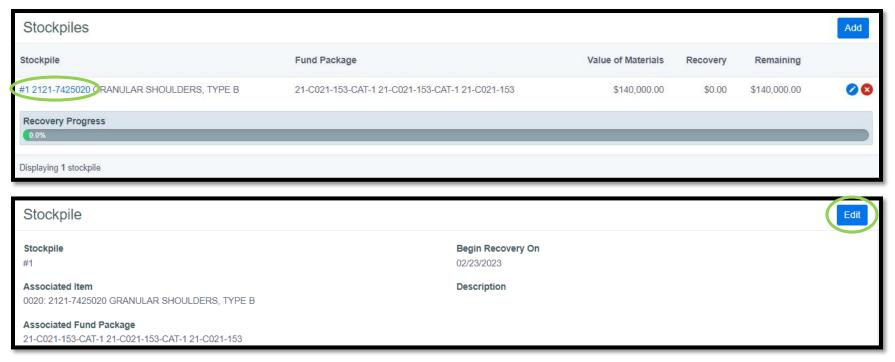
To access the Stockpiles tab, click on "Stockpiles" in the left menu.



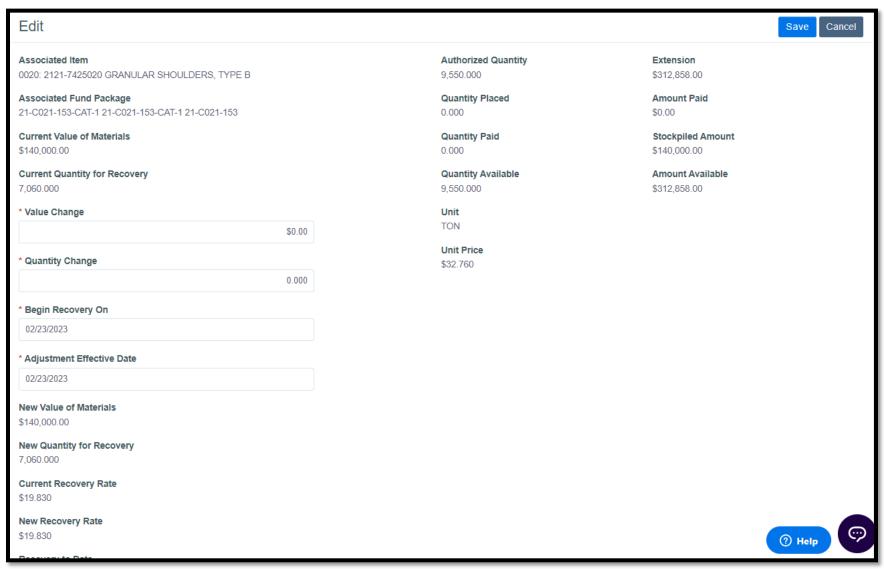
This will bring you to the Stockpiles screen. To edit an existing stockpile entry, click on the blue circle with the pencil on the right end of the line containing the stockpile information.



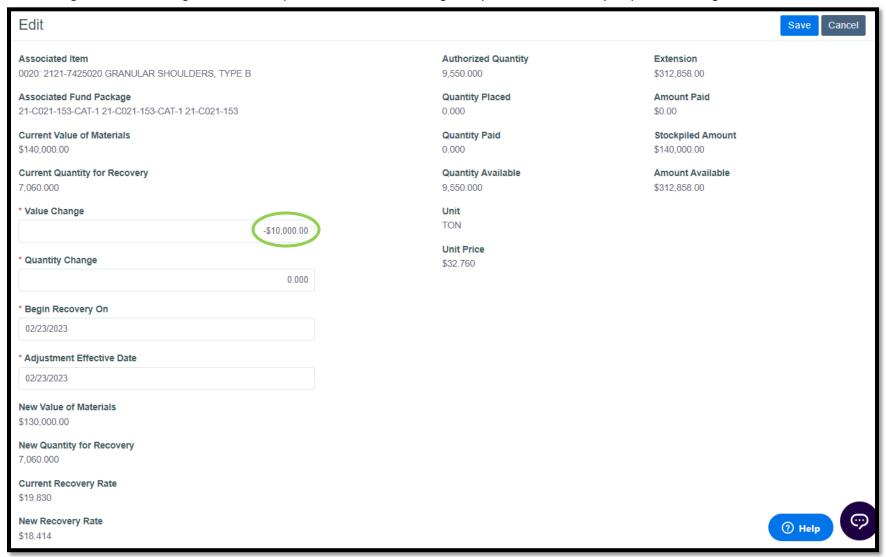
Alternately, click on the blue text on the left end of the stockpile line. Then click the blue "Edit" button in the top, right corner on the next screen.



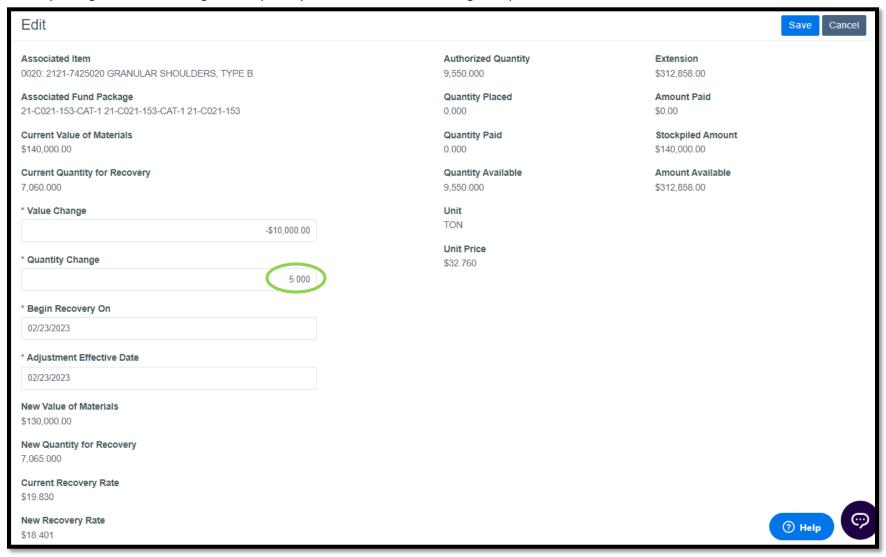
The screen that opens contains editable fields: "Value Change", "Quantity Change", "Begin Recovery On", "Adjustment Effective Date", and "Notes".



Value Change: Enter the change in the invoice price of the materials being stockpiled. This value may be positive or negative.



Quantity Change: Enter the change in the quantity of the bid item that is being stockpiled.



New Value of Materials: This is the new value of the stockpiled materials. It is the original Value of Materials plus the Value Change.

New Quantity for Recovery: This is the new total quantity of the stockpiled materials. It is the original Quantity for Recovery plus the Quantity Change.

New Recovery Rate: The New Recovery Rate value will automatically calculate based on the values input in the Value Change and Quantity Change fields. The New Recovery Rate is the New Value of Materials divided by the New Quantity for Recovery. The New Recovery Rate should be less than the Unit Price of the bid item. This is because stockpile payments are for material costs only, and bid item unit prices include materials, labor, and overhead costs. Double check the New Recovery Rate against the Unit Price (shown to the right of the Recovery Rate line) to make sure the New Recovery Rate is less. Also double check the New Recovery Rate against the original Recovery Rate to make sure the adjustment seems appropriate.

Begin Recovery On: This is the earliest date in which the stockpile payment can be reduced (the earliest date when you can begin recovering the funds advanced to the contractor). Generally, this date is/should be left as the day of creation of the stockpile. However, if there is some reason you want to be able to incorporate a bid item's material into a project and pay for the bid item without reducing the stockpile, this field could be set for a future date.

Adjustment Effective Date: This is the date that changes to the stockpile recovery rate will become effective. You cannot enter a date in the past.

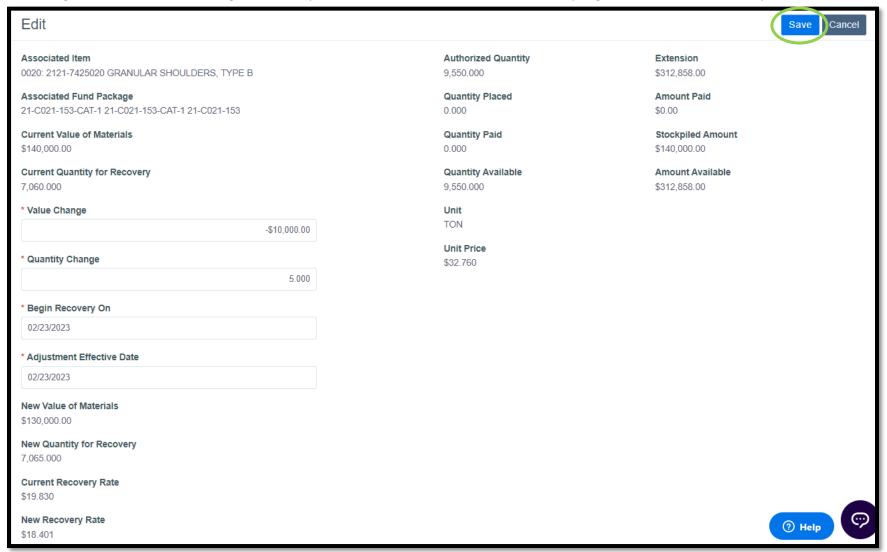
Notes: Enter a note here, if desired.

Add Attachment (button): Add an attachment, if desired. An example of an attachment would be the invoice for the materials.

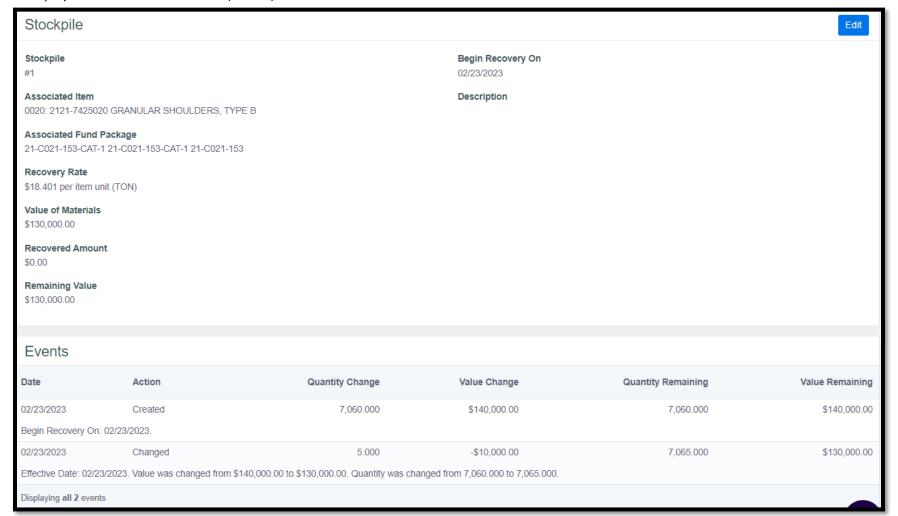
View of bottom part of screen with remaining fields and "Add Attachment" button.



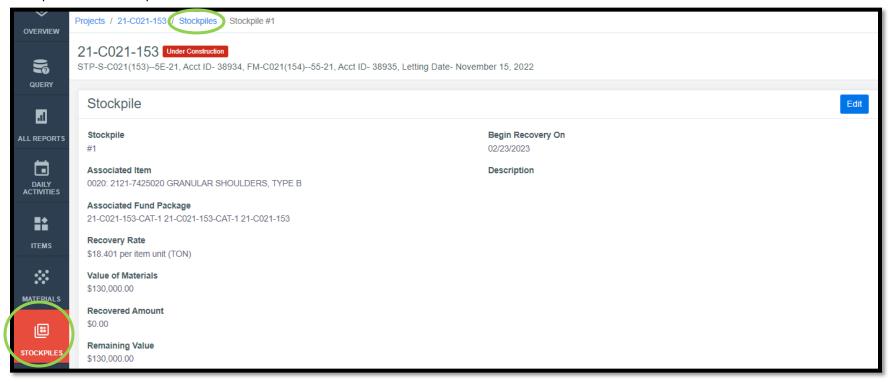
Once all of the necessary and pertinent information has been entered into the editable fields, and once the New Recovery Rate has been checked against the Unit Price and original Recovery Rate, click the blue "Save" button in the top, right corner to save the stockpile information.



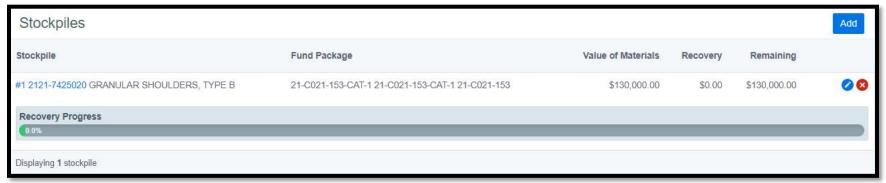
You will be returned to a Stockpile screen containing summary information for the stockpile just created. The updated stockpile information will be displayed. A list of modifications (Events) is shown at the bottom.



To return to the main stockpile screen where all stockpiles are listed, either click on "Stockpiles" in the left menu or use the navigation path at the top to select "Stockpiles".



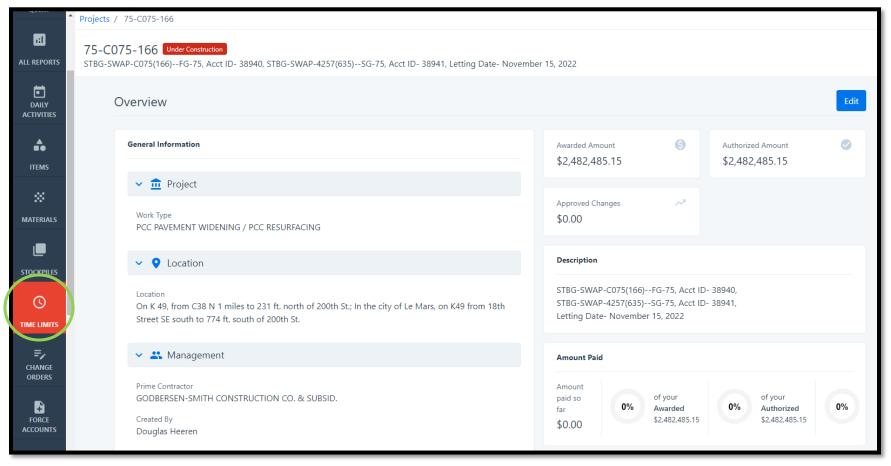
The main Stockpile screen will show all of the stockpiles that have been created.



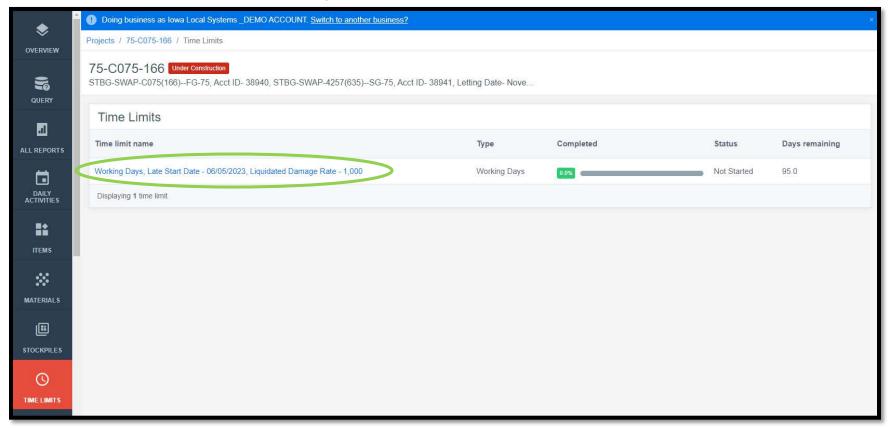
9 - Time Limits

The Time Limits tab is where time charges (working day charges) are recorded. Weekly working day reports are generated based off of information input on this tab.

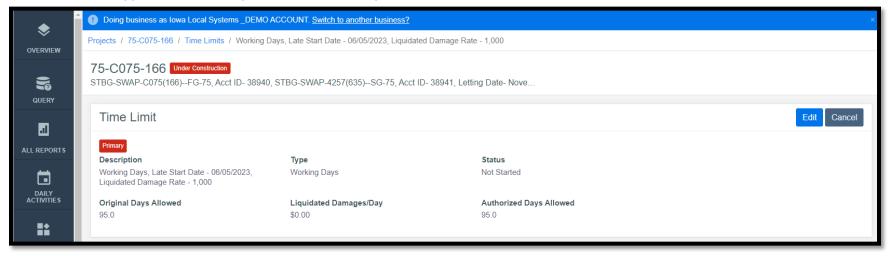
To access this section, click on the "Time Limits" button on the left menu.



You will be brought to the Time Limits screen. If there is only one time limit associated with the contract, there will only be one time limit shown on the screen (as shown in the screenshot below). If there are multiple time limits, multiple lines will show. To access the details for a specific time limit or to edit a time limit, select the blue description text of the desired limit.



Now, a screen will appear with summary information for the specific time limit chosen.

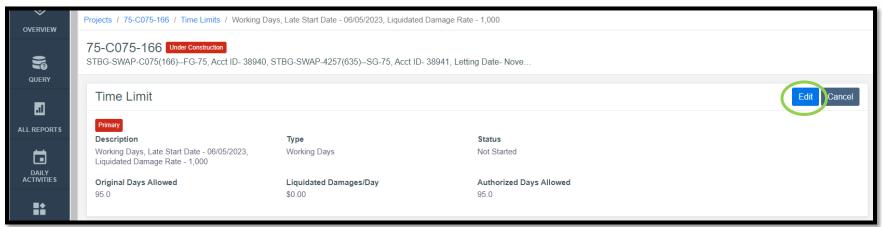


General information about time charges are displayed on this Time Limits screen. Informational fields shown include:

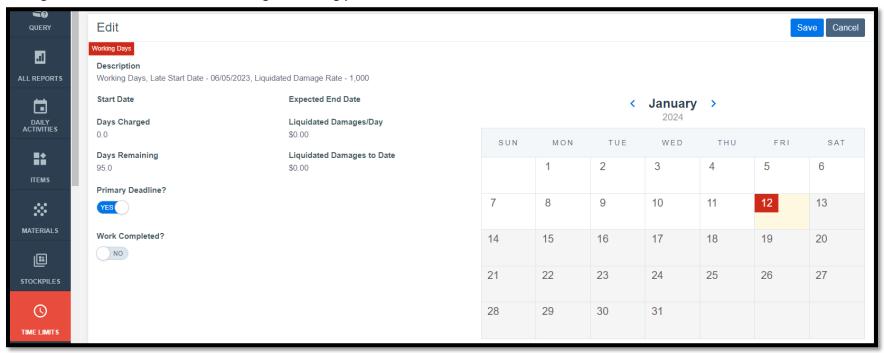
- Description: This will include the late start date or completion date and the liquidated damage value.
- Type: This is type of time limit(s) on the contract (i.e., Working Days, Calendar Days, Completion Date)
- Status: This is the status of the Time Limit (i.e., Not Started, In Progress, Completed)
- Original Days Allowed: Days allowed on the original contract.
- Liquidated Damages/Day: If the project was let under DOT specifications, this field should show \$0.00.
 - o If there is a value in this field and the time limits on the contract are exceeded, Appia will automatically calculate the liquidated damages to be assessed for each overrage day and will automatically deduct them from payments. This is NOT the way the lowa DOT handles the assessment of liquidated damages. Rather the DOT requires that a change order be used to add an item for assessing liquidated damages. Therefore, in order to avoid the automatic calculation of damages and deduction of damages from payments, we enter a \$0.00 value in this field. Project set-up files generated by Local Systems will already have this value adjusted to \$0.00.
 - o If Appia is being used for a project not using DOT specifications, the user can decide if they want to enter the liquidated damages in this field for automatic deduction on payments if time limits are exceeded.
- Authorized Days Allowed: Days allowed including any extensions of time limits added via change order.

A. Entering Time Charges

In order to edit/enter time charges (day charges), click on the blue "Edit" button on the right side of the screen.



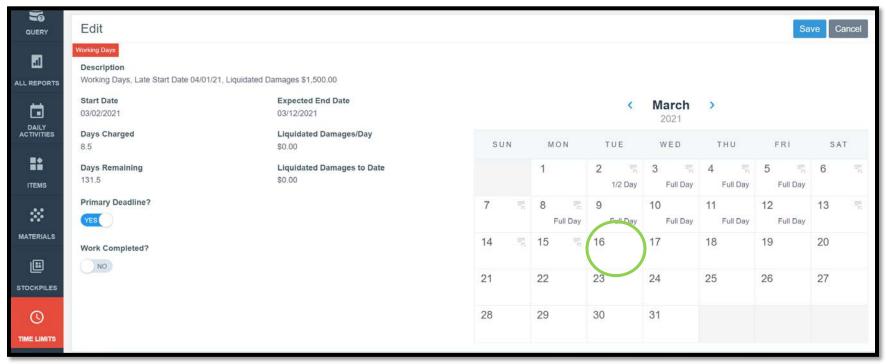
Clicking on the Edit button to edit time charges will bring you to this screen.



Summary information is shown on left side of this screen. "Primary deadline" should be marked "Yes" unless the project has specific site times (phases) set up which are not on the critical path to completing the project and that specific site time is the one to which time charges are being made.

"Work Completed" should be marked "No" until the project has been finaled and retainage has been released. This toggle only needs to be switched to "Yes" when the user is ready to undergo Appia's final payment process to complete a project and move it out of the "Under Construction" status to the "Completed" status. For guidance on whether or not to use Appia's Final Payment process for the actual final payment, see the Final Payment section of these instructions, and for instructions on working through Appia's final payment process, see the Appia's Final Payment Process – Including Balancing Change Order and Appia's Final Payment Process – Without Balancing Change Order sections of these instructions.

To enter a time charge for a day, click on the desired date on the calendar view.



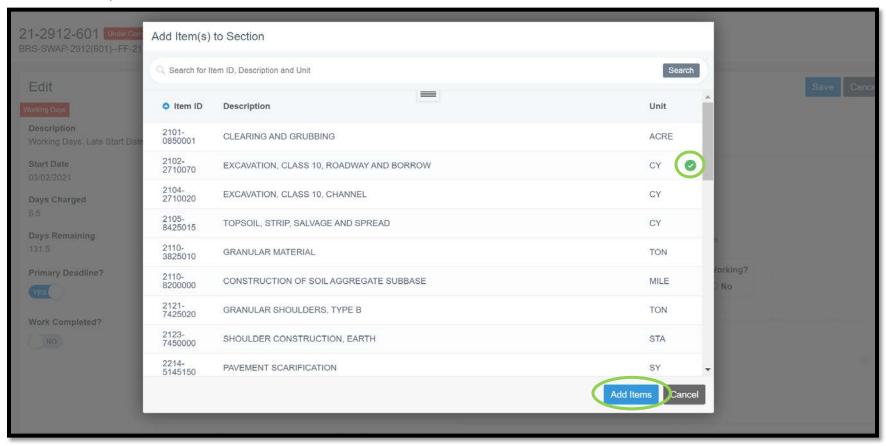
Note: No time charges can be entered on a date before the "Notice to Proceed" date or on dates in the future.

A data entry box will appear in place of the calendar view.



In the data entry box enter the controlling item by clicking on the "Add Controlling Item" button. The controlling item is the item that is most controlling the progress of the work on the project on that date. In other words, select the item which is currently controlling the critical path. Clicking on the "Add Controlling Item" link will bring up a screen showing all bid items on the contract as shown below. Select the desired item.

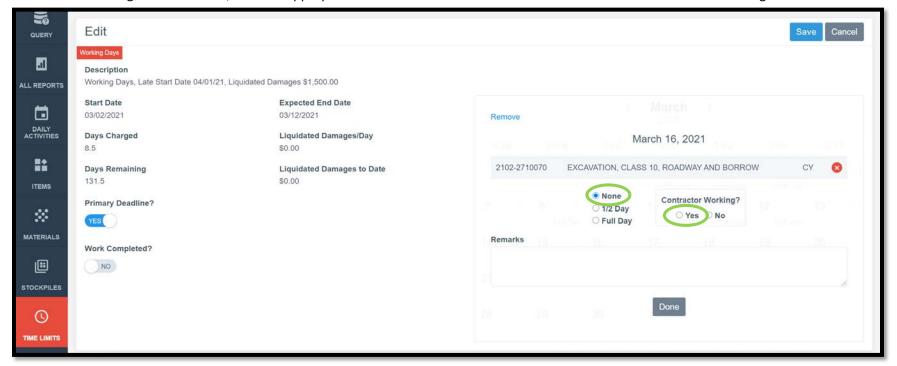
When the item is selected, a green circle with a check mark will appear on the right side of the line. When you are satisfied that the correct item has been selected, click on the blue "Add Items" button at the bottom.



Your selection should now be shown where the "Add Controlling Item" option was previously shown. If you chose the wrong item, click on the red circle with the "x" to the right of the item name and choose a different item.



Next, for working day contracts, select the share of the day to be charged (None, ½ Day, Full Day) by clicking the appropriate radio button to the left of the time charge amount. Also, click the appropriate radio button to indicate whether the contractor was on site working or not.

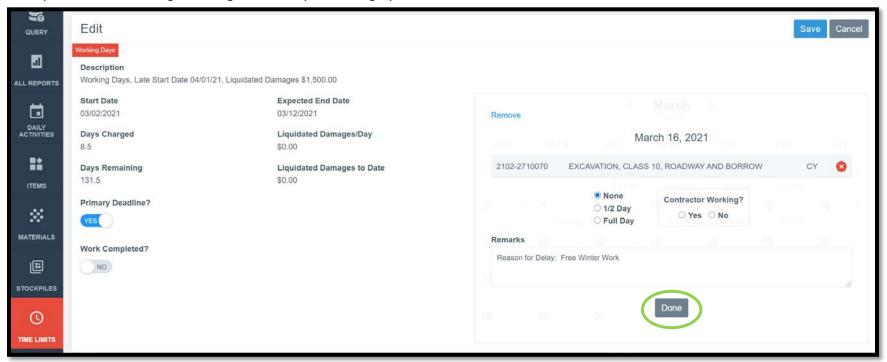


Last, enter a remark. The remarks section should always be filled out for days with 0 or ½ day charges. For those days with 0 or ½ day charges, a "Reason for Delay" must be shown in the remarks field. Additional information can be added as well if desired. Failure to enter a remark on days with zero charges (None) will cause the recording of the day to be omitted from the Time Limit (Weekly Working Day) Report.



[&]quot;Reason for Delay" remarks should always be entered for Saturdays and Sundays as well when no day has been charged. In those cases, the "Reason for Delay" can be listed as "Weekend" or "Saturday"/ "Sunday".

When you are done entering the charge for the day, click the gray "Done" button.



This will return you to the calendar view. If a charge of either ½ day or full day was entered, the charge will show on the calendar. If "None" was selected for the day charge, no charge will appear on the calendar. However, if an entry was made in the "Remarks" section for a day, the calendar will show a notepad icon to indicate an entry was made.

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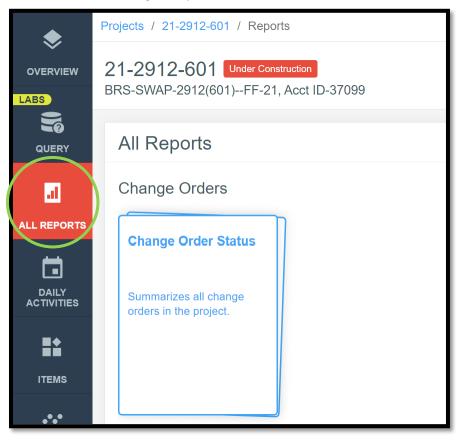
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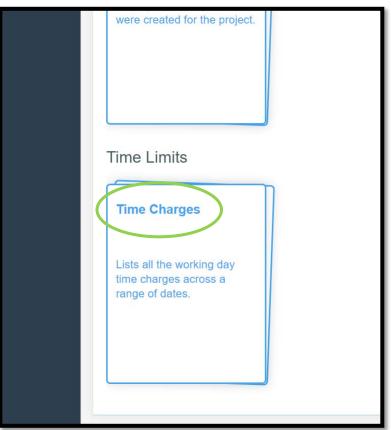
When all time limit entries have been made, be sure to click the blue "Save" button in the top, right corner before navigating away from this screen. Failure to click the "Save" button will result in the loss of all time limit entries made while you were in the Time Limits tab.



B. Generating a Time Limit Report (Weekly Working Day Report)

To generate a Weekly Working Day Report, navigate to the All Reports tab on the left menu. Scroll down to find the "Time Charges" report. Click on the "Time Charges" report.

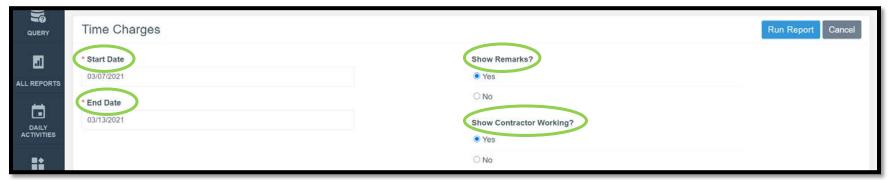




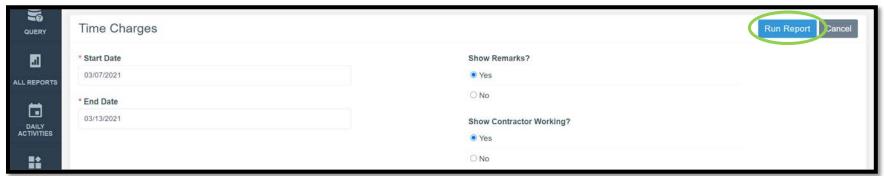
Clicking on the "Time Charges" Report will cause the following screen to appear.

On this screen, make sure you:

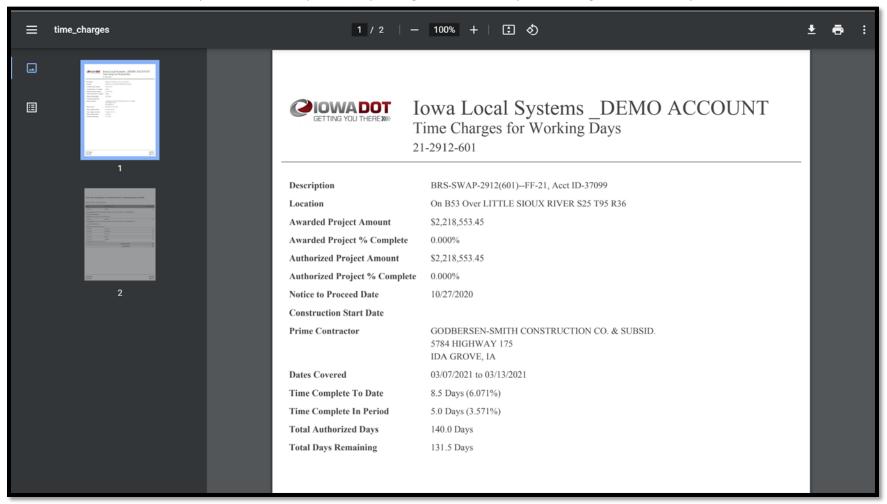
- Select the Start Date and End Date corresponding to the week for which you want to generate the report. The Start Date should be a Sunday, and the End Date should be a Saturday.
- Select "Yes" for Show Remarks.
 - Selecting yes will show any zero-charge day on the report which had an entry in the "Remarks" field as noted in the preceding section of these instructions.
- Select "Yes" for Show Contractor Working.
 - Selecting yes does not indicate that the contractor was working every day the report covers. Rather, it tells Appia to include the
 information for that field on the report. If marked yes, the report will show the individual entries you made for each date
 showing whether the contractor was working or not.



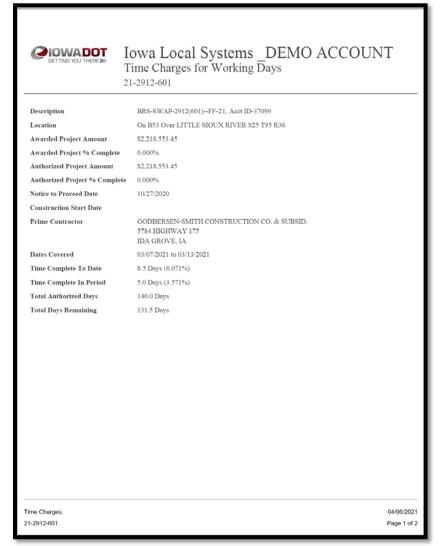
When the appropriate dates have been entered and report choices marked, click on the blue "Run Report" button in the top, right corner.



A new window will open in your internet browser with the generated report. This report can be downloaded and saved into the desired location. Once saved, it can be uploaded to Doc Express. (Depending on the browser you are using, this screen may look different.)



A sample report is shown here. Note that all remarks, controlling items, and contractor working choices are shown with each date's entry.

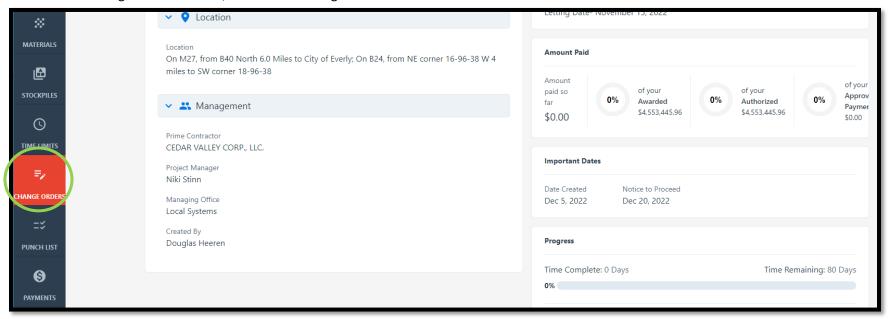




10 - Change Orders

The Change Order tab is where change orders are created and approved. Multiple change order drafts can be worked on concurrently.

To access the Change Orders section, click on the Change Order button in the left menu.



A. General Change Order Information

Clicking on the Change Order button in the left menu will bring you to this screen. If you have not yet created any change orders, a message saying "No change orders found" will display. Conversely, if you have already created a change order(s), it will be displayed on the screen.

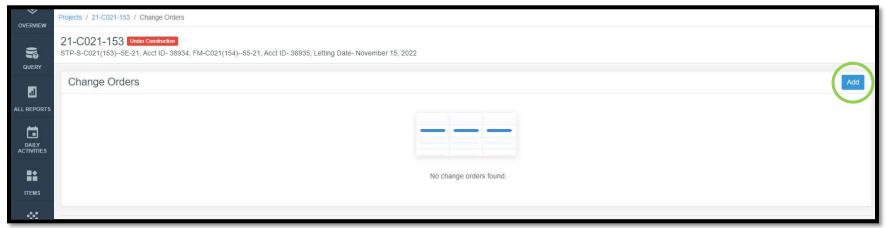
Note: Before creating ANY change orders, ensure you have created the Change Order Custom Fields in your Reference Data and have the correct Change Order Types listed, as required by Local Systems. For guidance on creating the custom fields and updating lists, refer Section to 20, subsection B. Editing Lists in the <u>Appia Project Creation & Account Management Instructions</u>.

Note: If multiple projects are tied in one contract, create a separate change order for each project.

Note: Refer to Section 13 (default settings) or Section 5 (project-specific settings) of the <u>Appia Project Creation & Account Management</u>

<u>Instructions</u> for guidance on creating signature lines for change orders. For projects let through the Iowa DOT, do NOT have the Contractor, Project Engineer, or Person in Responsible Charge wet-sign a change order document. Those signatures must take place electronically in Doc Express.

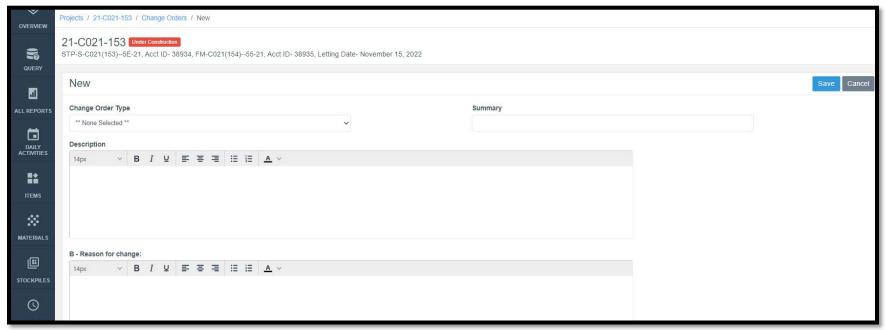
To create a new change order, click the blue "Add" button in the top, right corner.



To edit an existing change order, click the blue circle with the pencil on the right end of the line containing the desired change order.



Clicking on either the "Add" or "Edit (pencil)" button will bring you to the screen shown below. (The "Edit" screen will include tabs across the top: "Overview", "Quantities", "New Items", "Time Limit Changes", "New Time Limits", and "Attachments".)



Note: The Change Order Custom Fields are fields B through E.

B. Change Order Descriptive Information Screen (Initial Creation) / Overview Tab (Edit Mode)

In this screen pictured above, there are multiple fields of information that need to be populated. Refer to <u>I.M. 6.000</u>, <u>Attachment D</u>, section 2.36 for more complete guidance on change orders.

- Change Order Type: This is a pull-down menu that allows you to select type of change order applicable to the situation.
 - o Refer to I.M. 6.000, Attachment D, section 2.36 to determine Substantial/Non-Substantial status.
 - o Refer to the Final Highway Funding Sources document found the Contract Documents Drawer in Doc Express to determine Participating/Non-Participating status. If you are unsure, please contact your Local Systems Field Technician.
 - When a non-participating item is included on a change order, before going any further, ensure that a non-participating funding package exists. If a non-participating funding <u>package is not present, add one.</u>
 Refer to Section 4 of the Appia Project Creation
 Account Management Instructions for guidance on creating funding packages.
 - When both participating and non-participating items are included on the change order, ensure the items are placed in the appropriate funding packages.
 - Current choices for change order types include:
 - Substantial
 - Non-Substantial



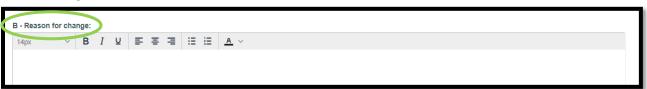
• Summary: This field may be left blank.



- Description: Enter a description of the modification to be made.
 - o Refer to <u>I.M. 6.000</u>, <u>Attachment D</u>, section 2.36. See Section A of the "Preparation of Change Order (Form 831240 or Appia Change Order)" subsection.
 - Check the contract to verify contract item line numbers. For existing items, use the original line number, not a 7000 number.
 - Look at any previous change orders to check 8000 line numbers for any previously added new items. Continue numbering sequentially, starting at 8001. If there are multiple projects included in the contract, each project should add new items starting at 8001 but should include an alphabetical supplement to the number (example: 8001a, 8001b, etc.)



- B Reason for change: Enter a description of the reason for the modification(s) to the contract.
 - o Refer to I.M. 6.000, Attachment D, section 2.36. See Section B of the "Preparation of Change Order (Form 831240 or Appia Change Order)" subsection.



- C Settlement of cost(s) of change as follows with items addressed in Sections F and/or G: Explain the payment method associated with the modification(s) (ex. Contract Unit Price, Agreed Unit Price, Agreed Lump sum, Force Account, Specified Rate, Mutual Benefit).
 - o Refer to <u>I.M. 6.000</u>, <u>Attachment D</u>, section 2.36. See Section C of the "Preparation of Change Order (Form 831240 or Appia Change Order)" subsection.



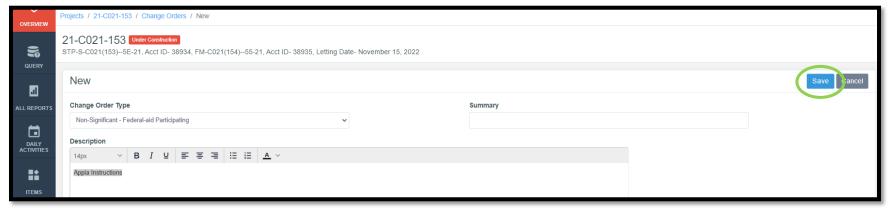
- D Justification for cost(s): Provide rationale/justification for accepting the proposed costs associated with the modification(s).
 - o Refer to <u>I.M. 6.000</u>, <u>Attachment D</u>, section 2.36. See Section D of the "Preparation of Change Order (Form 831240 or Appia Change Order)" subsection.



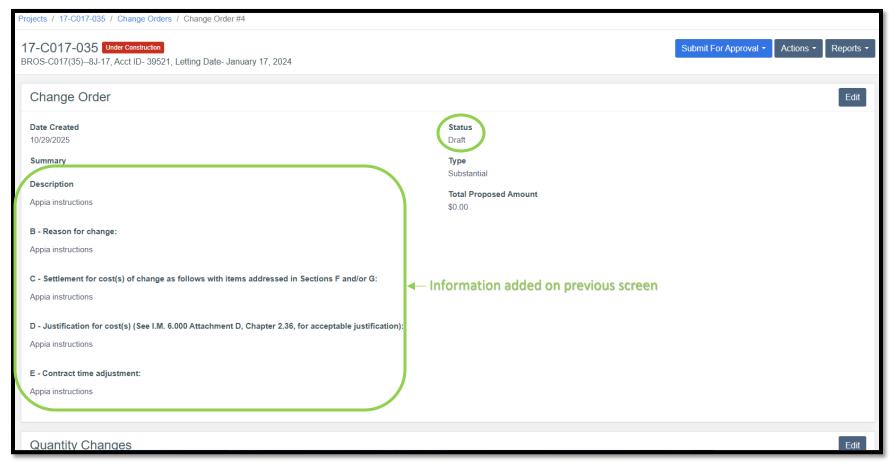
- E Contract time adjustment: Provide an explanation of the impact of the proposed modification to the contract's time limits. Also, explain how the time adjustments, if applicable, were determined.
 - Choices for impacts are:
 - No Working Days Added
 - Working Days Added
 - Unknown at this time This option should be avoided unless impacts to time cannot be quantified until after the work is complete.
 - o Refer to I.M. 6.000, Attachment D, section 2.36. See Section E of the "Preparation of Change Order (Form 831240 or Appia Change Order)" subsection.



When information has been entered in all of the fields, click the blue "Save" button in the top, right corner.

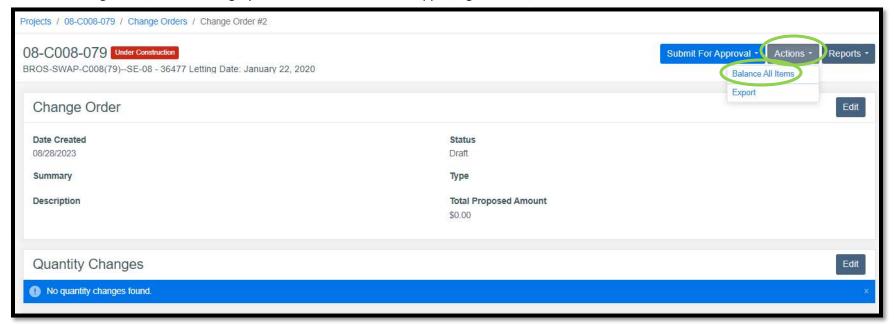


After clicking the "Save" button, you will be directed to the screen shown below. At the top, the descriptive information entered on the previous screen is displayed. This view shows the current status of the change order. At the bottom, numerical values for change order modifications are entered.

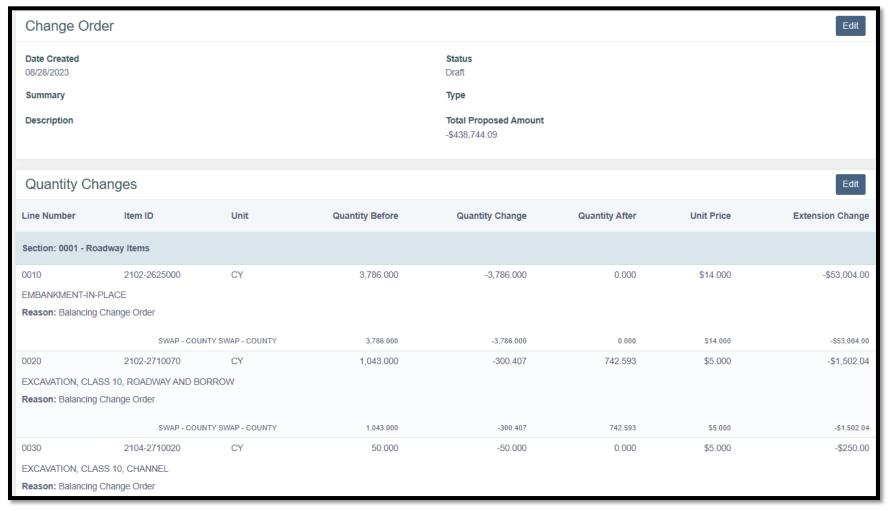


C. Creating an Auto-Populated Balancing Change Order Using a Standard Change Order

To create a balancing change order from a standard change order (not a balancing change order created as part of the final payment process), within the change order, click on the gray "Actions" button near the upper, right corner, and select "Balance All Items".



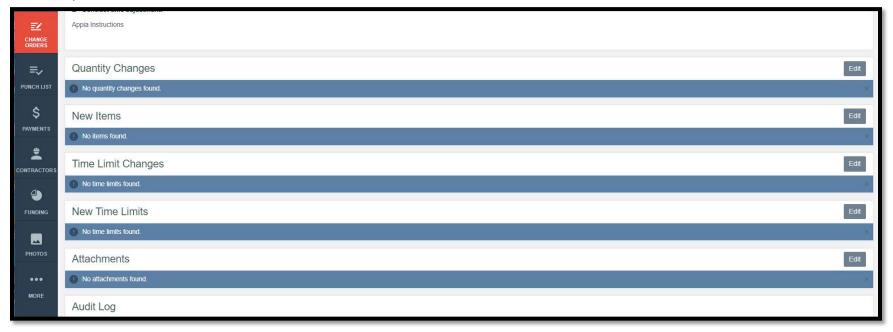
The changed quantities will automatically be generated for all affected items. Changes are shown in the Quantity Changes section.



The "Balance All Items" option can be re-selected as many times as needed to refresh quantities if item quantities change while the change order is still in draft status.

D. Numerical Values Change Order Entry Screen

Below the descriptive information are options for "Quantity Changes", "New Items", "Time Limit Changes", "New Time Limits", and "Attachments". Each of these options is detailed below. (If editing an existing change order, these options will be listed in tabs near the top of the screen.)



View of tabs in edit mode

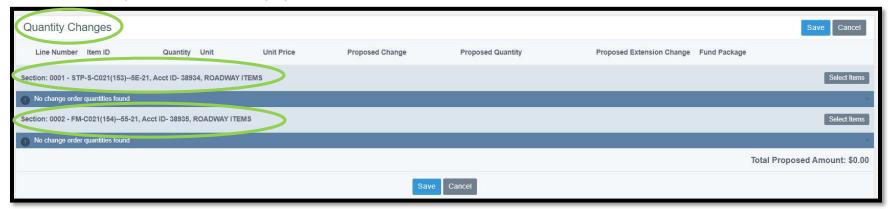


1) Quantity Changes / Quantities Tab (Edit Mode)

Use Quantity Changes when making a change to an existing contract item. To enter a quantity change, click the gray "Edit" button on the right end of the Quantity Changes line. (If in edit mode, click on the "Quantities" tab near the top, center of the screen.)



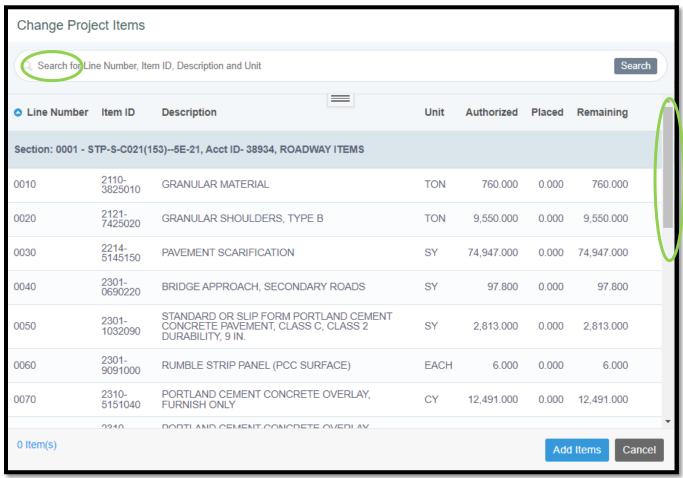
This will bring you to the Quantity Changes data entry screen. If there are multiple sections in your Appia project (different tied projects in the contract or different divisions within a contract), you will see lines for each independent section as shown below. If only one section is present on the contract, only one section will be displayed.



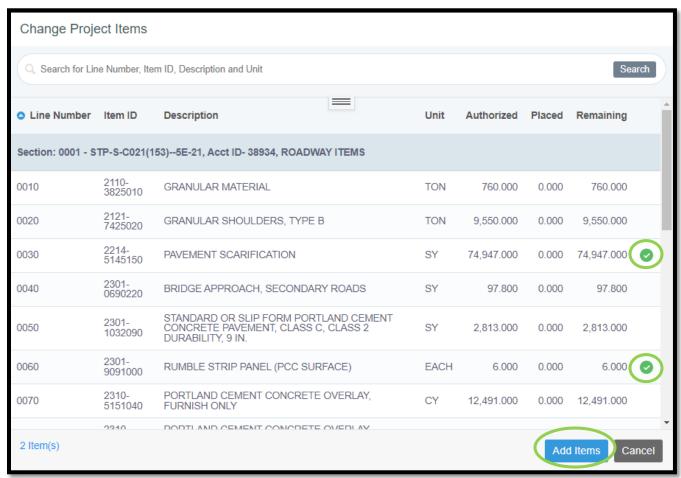
To select the item(s) that is being modified in the change order, click the gray "Select Items" button on the right end of the line. For Appia projects with multiple sections, be sure to click the "Select Items" button on the line that corresponds with the section containing the already-existing item. You may add items to each section within the same change order if needed. You may add items to multiples sections within the same change order if needed only if the sections are divisions under one project number (accounting ID). Do NOT add items to multiple sections in one change order if the sections represent separate projects tied together in one contract (separate accounting IDs).



When "Select Items" is chosen, the window shown below will pop up. It contains a list of the items in that section already existing in the contract. You can search for a particular item in the search bar, or you can use the scroll bar on the right side (or scroll with your mouse) to scroll through the items. If there are many items on the contract, there may be multiple pages of items. An option to navigate to another page can be found by scrolling to the very bottom of the list. To select an item, simply click on the line containing the item's information.

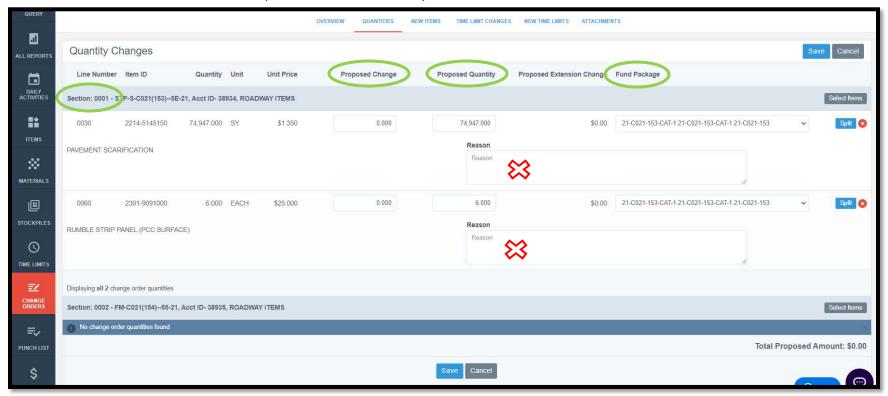


To select a particular item, simply click on the line containing the item's information. Once selected, a green circle with a check mark will appear on the right end of the line. Select all desired items. If an item is selected by mistake, simply click the line containing the item's information again, and the green circle will disappear. When all desired items have been selected, click the blue "Add Items" button in the bottom, right corner of the window.

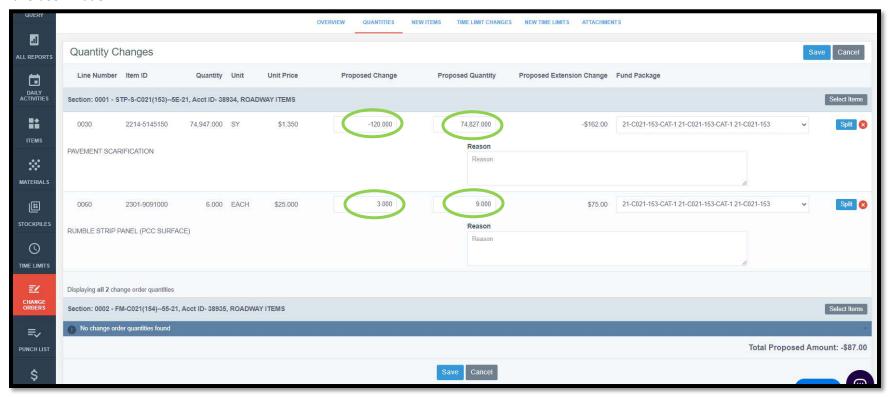


Add items to any/all sections desired. You may add items to multiple sections within the same change order if needed <u>only if the sections are divisions under one project number (accounting ID)</u>. Do NOT add items to multiple sections in one change order if the sections represent separate projects tied together in one contract.

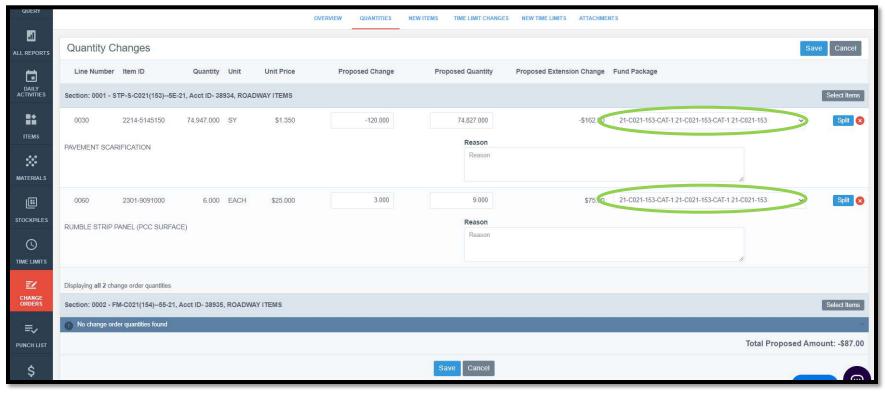
When the "Add Items" button is clicked, you will be brought back to the Quantity Changes section. Lines will display containing information for any of the items selected in the window above. Ensure the items were added to the correct section. The fields for "Proposed Change", "Proposed Quantity", "Fund Package" (if there are multiple fund packages on the contract), and "Reason" will be editable. You may leave the "Reason" field blank. All reasons and descriptions were added on the previous screen.



Enter a value in <u>either</u> the "Proposed Change" or "Proposed Quantity" field, not both. Entering data in one of these fields will automatically cause the other field to update accordingly. Entries in the "Proposed Change" field should reflect the increase or decrease (positive or negative) in quantity to the existing item. Entries in the "Proposed Quantity" field should reflect the final total for the item after increases or decreases have been made.



Choose the "Fund Package" in the drop-down that corresponds to the contract section that you are modifying with that line-item entry. If there is only one fund package for the contract, you will not see this option. If your quantity change is non-participating, ensure you select a non-participating funding package. Refer to Section 4 of the Account Management Instructions for guidance on creating funding packages.



If the quantity change for any given item needs to be split amongst multiple funding packages, click the blue "Split" button on the right end of the line containing the item's information. The "split" option will only shown if there are two or more fund packages available to choose from.



Once the "Split" button is clicked, boxes will appear under the item for each existing fund package. Enter the quantity corresponding to each of the funding packages in the associated box. The total "Proposed Change" will update automatically.



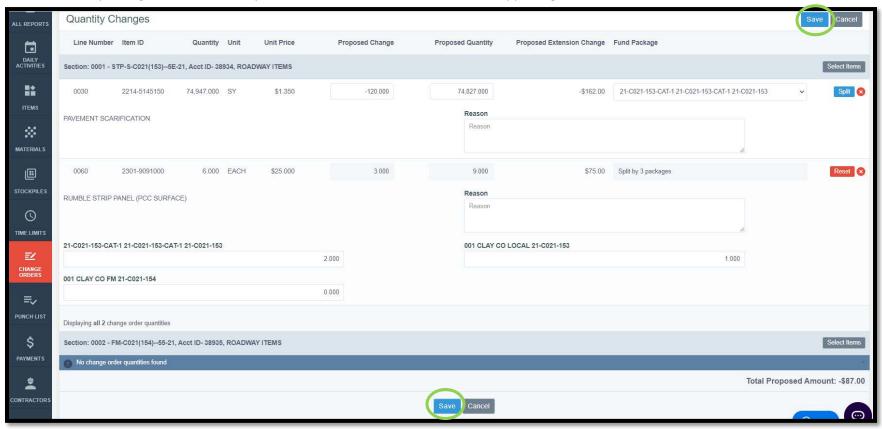
If you pushed, "Split" by mistake or no longer wish to split the change in quantity amongst multiple fund packages, simply click the red "Reset" button in the upper, right corner of the item's line.



To delete an item that was added by mistake, click on the red circle with the "x" at the right end of the line containing the item's information.



Once all Quantity Changes entries are complete, click the blue "Save" button in the upper, right corner or in the bottom, center of the screen.

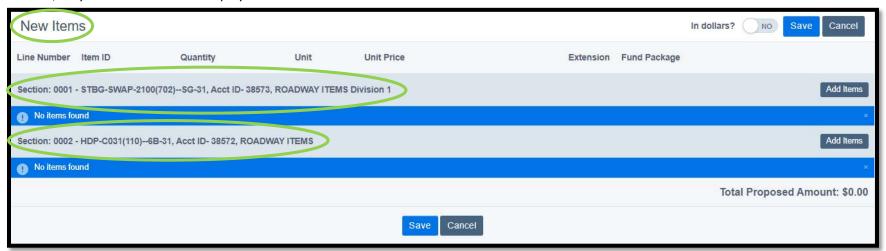


2) New Items / New Items (Edit Mode)

Use New Items when adding an item that does not yet exist in the chosen section of the contract. To enter a new item, click the gray "Edit" button on the right end of the New Items line. (If in edit mode, click on the "New Items" tab near the top, center of the screen.)



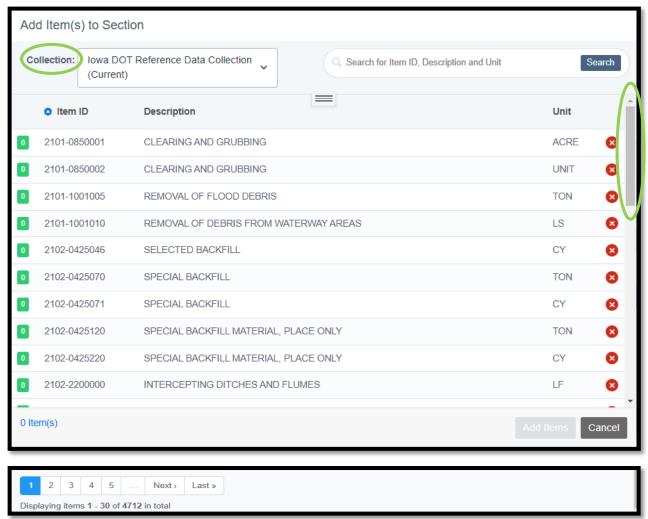
This will bring you to the New Items data entry screen. If there are multiple sections in your Appia project (different tied projects in the contract or different divisions within a contract), you will see lines for each independent section as shown below. If only one section is present on the contract, only one section will be displayed.



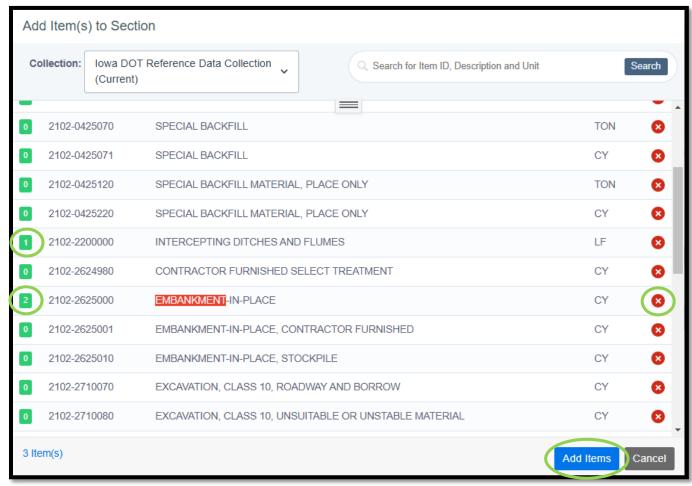
To select the item(s) that is being added by the change order, click the gray "Add Items" button on the right end of the line. For Appia projects with multiple sections, be sure to click the "Add Items" button on the line that corresponds with the section the item is to be added to. You may add items to multiple sections within the same change order if needed <u>only if the sections are divisions under one project number. Do NOT add items to multiple sections in one change order if the sections represent separate projects tied together in one contract.</u>



When "Add Items" is chosen, the window shown below will pop up. It contains a list of the items available in your Reference Data. If no items are currently in the view, select the appropriate reference data collection from the drop-down menu in the upper, left corner of the window. (Refer to Section 17 of the Account Management Instructions for guidance on adding items to Reference Data if your item is not available.) You can search for a particular item in the search bar, or you can use the scroll bar on the right side (or scroll with your mouse) to scroll through the items. An option to navigate to another page can be found by scrolling to the very bottom of the list.



To select an item, simply click on the line containing the item's information. A number "1" will appear in the green rectangle on the left side of the line containing the item's information. Select items as many times as needed. If an item is selected more than once, a number corresponding to the number of selections will appear in the green rectangle (i.e., a "2" for two entries, a "3" for three entries, etc.). Multiple items may be selected. Select all desired items. If an item is selected by mistake, simply click on the red circle with the "x" on the right end of the line containing the item's information, and the number in the green rectangle will be reduced. When all desired items have been selected, click the blue "Add Items" button in the bottom, right corner of the window.

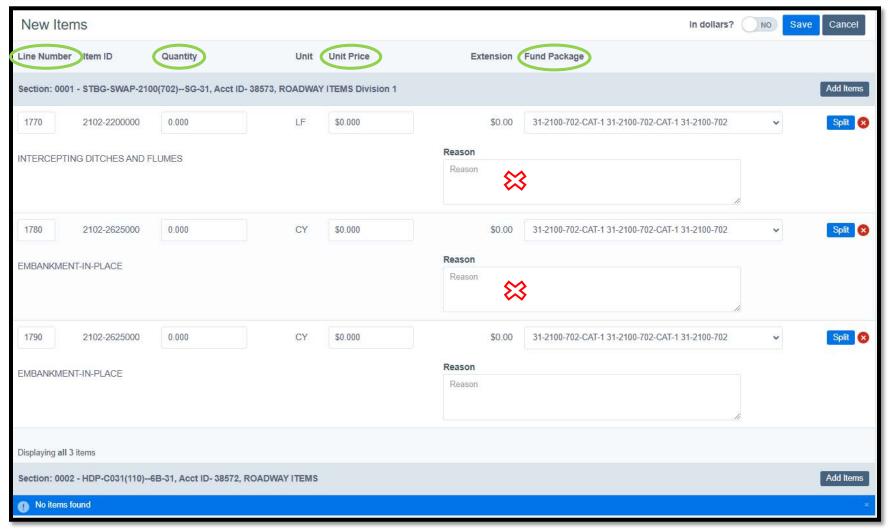


Add items to any/all sections desired.

When navigating between pages of items, a pop-up window may appear saying you have unsaved changes and asking if you want to continue. Click the blue "OK" button.



When the "Add Items" button is clicked, you will be brought back to the New Items section. Lines will display containing information for any of the items selected in the window above. Check to make sure the items were added to the correct section. The fields for "Line Number", "Quantity", "Unit Price", "Fund Package", and "Reason" will be editable. The Fund Package option will only be shown if there are multiple fund packages available for the project. You may leave the "Reason" field blank. All reasons and descriptions were added on the previous screen.



For projects let prior to 2025 only, for the first new item, override the auto-populated Line Number by entering 8010.

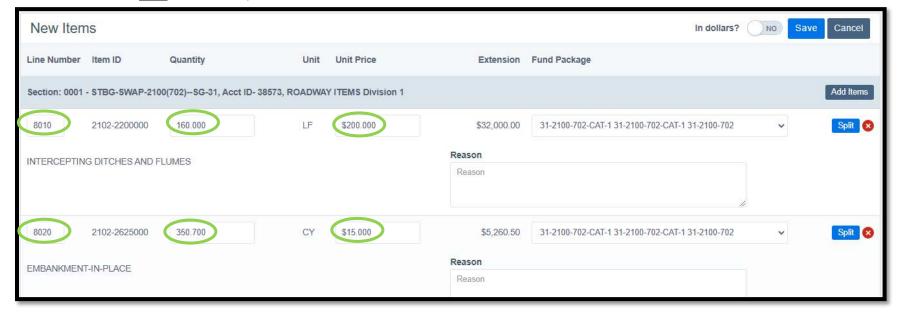
After the first new item, Appia will continue numbering sequentially by increments of 10 (8020, 8030, etc.).

For projects let in 2025 and after, the project setup file will contain a "dummy" 8000 item as a placeholder. Because of this, the first new item added to the contract will automatically receive the 8010 number, so the user will not have to adjust the numbering, except for on contracts with multiple projects to accommodate the alphabetical supplement.

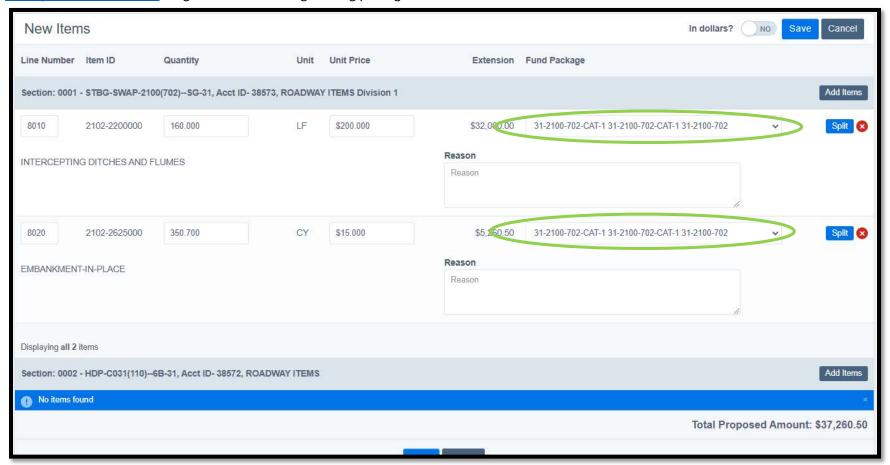
However, for all projects, a new item for liquidated damages always needs to be numbered 8998 per <u>I.M. 6.000</u>, <u>Attachment D</u>, so the item number for this item in particular will need to be overwritten, and the next item added after this liquidated damages item will need to be set back to the previous numbering sequence.

Refer to I.M. 6.000, Attachment D, section 2.36. See Section A of the "Preparation of Change Order (Form 831240 or Appia Change Order)" subsection for guidance on numbering.

Also, enter a value in each the "Quantity" and "Unit Price" fields.



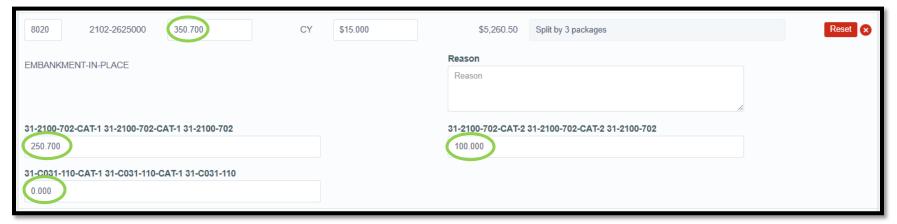
Choose the "Fund Package" in the drop-down that corresponds to the contract section that you are modifying with the line-item entry. If your new item is non-participating, ensure you select a non-participating funding package. Refer to Section 4 of the Appia Project Creation & Account Management Instructions for guidance on creating funding packages.



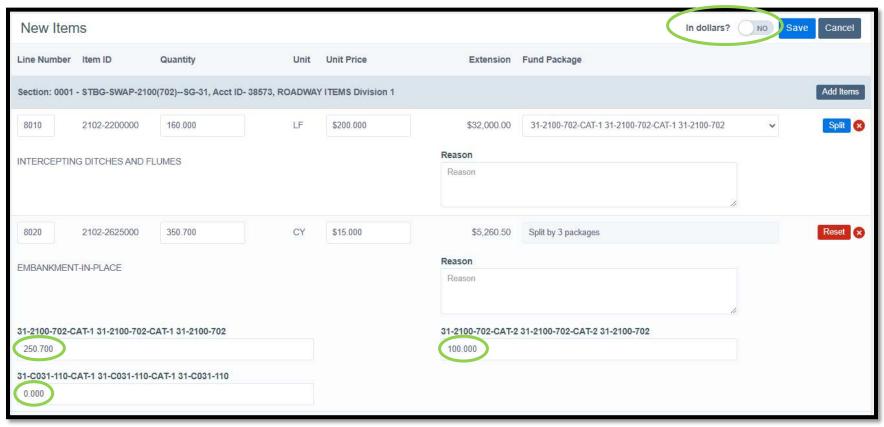
If the quantity for any given item needs to be split amongst multiple funding packages, click the blue "Split" button on the right end of the line containing the item's information.



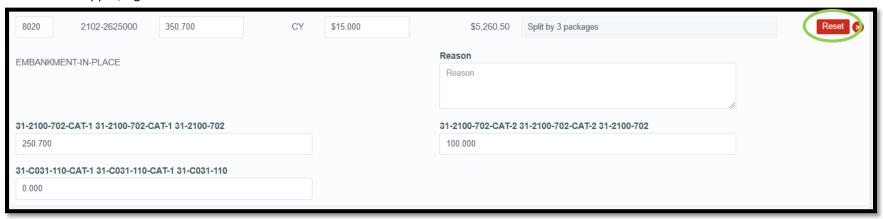
Once the "Split" button is clicked, boxes will appear under the item for each existing fund package. Enter the quantity corresponding to each of the funding packages in the associated box. Once you enter a quantity in one of the fund packages, Appia will automatically assign the balance to another funding package using the total quantity assigned on the main item entry line. (In the screenshot shown below, total quantity of 100.000 was entered on the main item entry line. When a quantity of 250.700 was entered in the first funding package line, it automatically assigned a quantity of 100.000 to the second fund package line.) For splits between more than two fund packages, you may need to keep adjusting the numbers in the individual fund packages until you achieve the correct split. Make sure you only assign quantity to fund packages applicable to the section the new item was added to.



If you wish to view/enter dollar amounts rather than quantities for split funding packages, click on the "In dollars?" toggle near the upper, right corner of the screen.



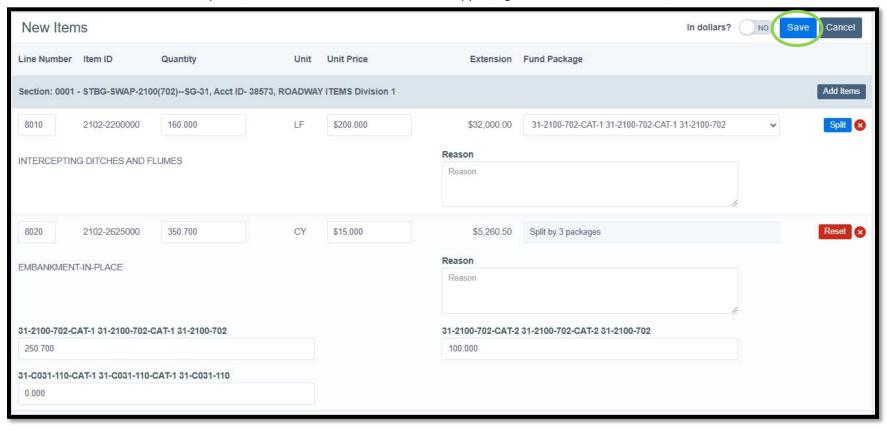
If you pushed "Split" by mistake or no longer wish to split the change in quantity amongst multiple fund packages, simply click the red "Reset" button in the upper, right corner of the item's line.



To delete an item that was added by mistake, click on the red circle with the "x" at the right end of the line containing the item's information.



Once all New Item entries are complete, click the blue "Save" button in the upper, right corner or in the bottom, center of the screen.

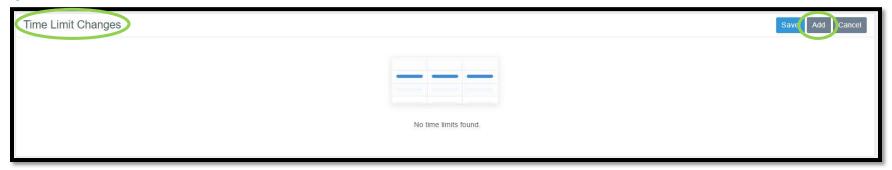


3) Time Limit Changes / Time Limit Changes (Edit Mode)

Use Time Limit Changes when making a change to an existing contract time limit (i.e., extending the number of working days on a contract). To enter a time limit change, click the gray "Edit" button on the right end of the Time Limit Changes line. (If in edit mode, click on the "Time Limit Changes" tab near the top, center of the screen.)



This will bring you to the Time Limit Changes data entry screen. To modify an existing time limit, click on the blue "Add" button in the upper, right corner.



An "Add Time Limit(s)" window will pop up. If multiple time limits are present on the contract, there will be multiple lines displaying, one for each distinct time limit. As shown in the screenshot below, the "Add Time Limits" button in the lower, right corner is initially grayed out.



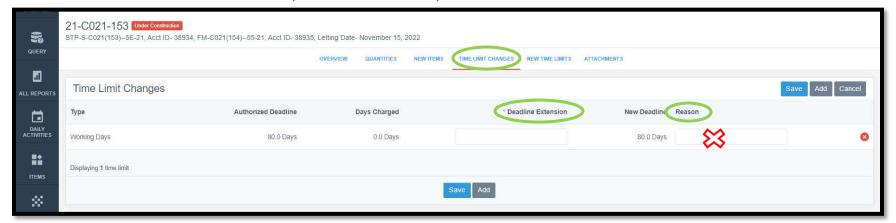
View with multiple time limits



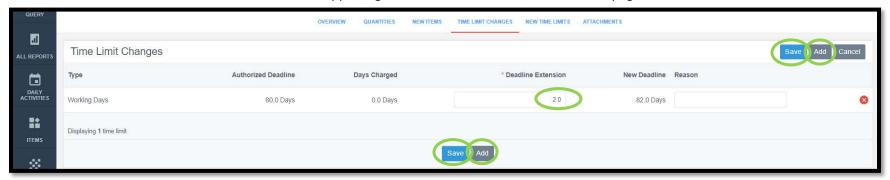
To move forward with the modification, click on the line containing the time limit to you want to change. A green circle with a check mark will appear on the right end of the line containing the time limit information, and the "Add Time Limits" button in the lower, right corner will turn blue. Click on the "Add Time Limits" button.



When the "Add Time Limits" button is clicked, you will be brought to the Time Limit Changes screen. Lines will display containing information for the time limits that you selected in the previous window. The fields for "Deadline Extension" and "Reason" fields will be editable. You may leave the "Reason" field blank. All reasons and descriptions were added on a previous screen.

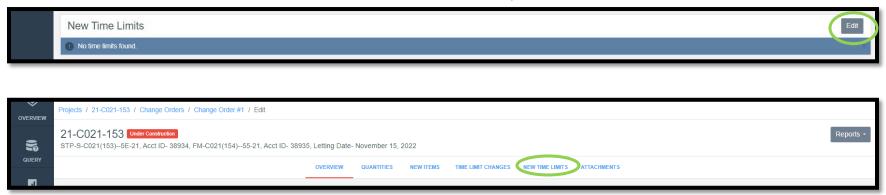


In the "Deadline Extension" field, enter a value reflecting the amount the existing time limit is to be changed. For example, if three working days are being added, enter "3.0". The value entered may be either positive or negative (an increase or a reduction in days). The "New Deadline" field will automatically update to add in/subtract the value entered in the "Deadline Extension" field. If you missed adding a time limit and want to add it now, click on the gray "Add" button in the upper, right corner or bottom, center of the page. If all time limit modifications have been entered, click on the blue "Save" button in either the upper, right corner or the bottom, center of the page.



4) New Time Limits / New Time Limits (Edit Mode)

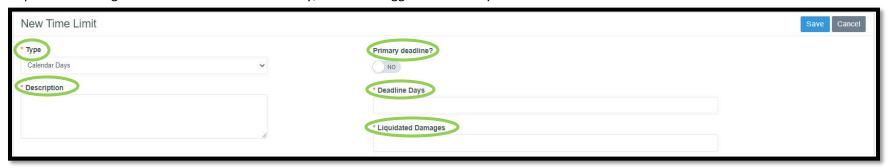
Use New Time Limits <u>only</u> when adding a completely new time constraint to the contract, such as a new site time. Do not use this option if you are simply adding/subtracting days from an existing time limit. To enter a new time limit, click the gray "Edit" button on the right end of the New Time Limits line. (If in edit mode, click on the "New Time Limits" tab near the top, center of the screen.)



This will bring you to the New Time Limits screen. To add a new time limit, click on the blue "Add" button in the upper, right corner.



Clicking the blue "Add" button will bring you to the New Time Limit data entry screen. The fields for "Type", "Description", "Deadline Days", and "Liquidated Damages" will be editable. Additionally, there is a toggle for "Primary deadline?".



In the "Type" box, there is a pull-down menu with three choices: "Calendar Days", "Completion Date", and "Working Days". Choose the appropriate option for your new time limit.



In the "Description Box", enter the following pieces of text information separated by commas.

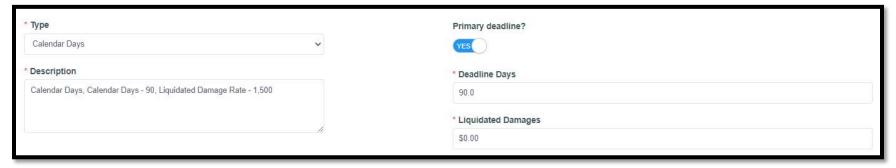
- The type of time limit (whichever of the three choices was chosen in the pull-down menu under "Type").
- The time limit constraint
 - o For calendar day limits, enter "Calendar Days xx" with "x" being the number of days.
 - If the limit is associated with a specific site time rather than an overall contract limit, enter the description of the phase/site being addressed instead of "Calendar Days xx". For example, "Road closure of Melrose Avenue".
 - o For completion day limits, enter "Completion Date mm/dd/yyyy"
 - For working day limits, enter "Late Start Date mm/dd/yyyy", or "Specified Start Date mm/dd/yyyy", or "Approximate Start Date mm/dd/yyyy"
- The liquidated damages. Enter "Liquidated Damage Rate x,xxx" with "x" being the \$ of damage per day.

In the "Deadline Days" or "Deadline Date" box, enter the number of days for the time limit, or, in the case of a completion date time limit, select the appropriate completion date from the calendar that will pop up when you click in the box.

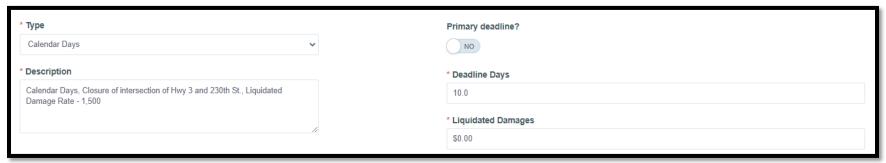
In the "Liquidated Damages" box, <u>enter 0.00</u>. If a value is entered into this field, Appia will automatically deduct damages from the "bottom line" of a payment if the time limit is exceeded. This is <u>not</u> how lowa DOT allows damages to be handled. Liquidated damages must be addressed by a separate change order specific to the number of days that incurred damages. Entering 0.00 in this field will result in a zero calculation if days are exceeded, so no damages will be taken from the "bottom line" of payments without a change order.

For the "Primary deadline?" toggle, toggle the switch to "Yes" (blue) if this site time is the time constraint for the overall contract. Leave the toggle switch at "No" (gray) if the time limit being created is a site time or is not the time constraint for the overall contract.

Calendar Day example - Overall contract limit



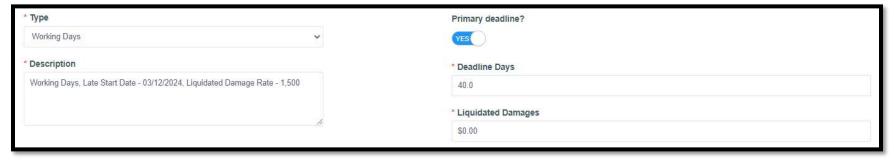
Calendar Day example - Site time only



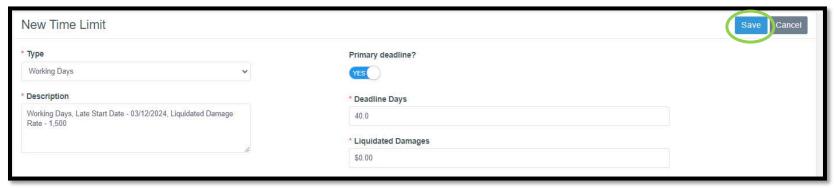
Completion Date example



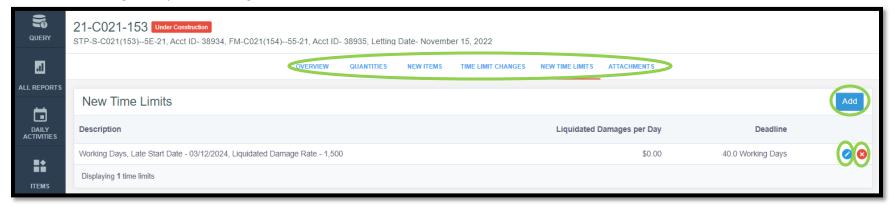
Working Days example



When all of the information has been entered in the fields, click the blue "Save" button in the upper, right corner.



When the "Save" button is clicked, you will be brought back to the New Time Limits screen. This screen will now include a line displaying the information for the new time limit you just created. If you wish to add another time limit, click the blue "Add" button in the upper, right corner. If you wish to edit the new time limit you just created, click on the blue circle with the pencil on the right end of the line containing the time limit information. If you wish to delete the new time limit you just entered, click on the red circle with the "x" on the right end of the line containing the time limit information. If everything is correct, and you don't want to make any further changes to new time limits, simply click on one of the other tabs along the top of the change order window.

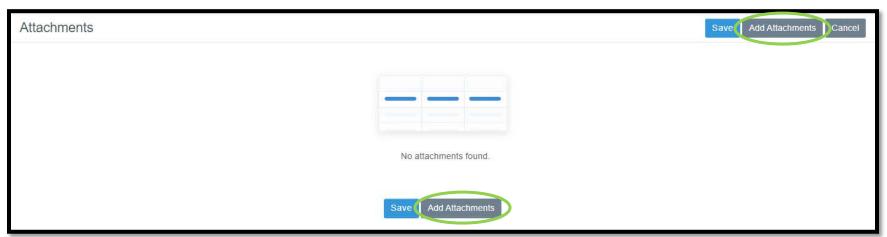


5) Attachments / Attachments (Edit Mode)

Attachments may be added to a change order. They can be downloaded for viewing. The printed change order report will show that files were attached to the change order, but the attachments themselves will not print/display in the change order report. To add an attachment to a change order, click the gray "Edit" button on the right end of the Attachments line. (If in edit mode, click on the "Attachments" tab near the top, center of the screen.)



This will bring up the Attachments screen. Click on the gray "Add Attachments" button in either the top, right corner or bottom, center of the screen.



An upload window will pop up with a message saying, "DRAG and DROP or choose your files". Either drag the desired file from an open windows explorer file to this box or click on "choose your files" to navigate to the desired file. Any file type/size is acceptable.



Once a file is added, the pop-up window will disappear, and the Attachments screen will come back. Now, it will show a file. Rename the file in the "Name" field and add a description of the file in the "Description" box.



If you want to add another attachment, click the gray "Add Attachments" button in either the top, right corner or bottom, center of the screen. A message may pop up saying you have unsaved changes and asking if you want to continue. Click the blue "OK" button. Your previously uploaded file will not be removed. The pop-up window will then appear that allows you to drag and drop or choose your file. Enter the name and description for your newly added file.





If you uploaded the file by mistake, click on the red circle with the "x" in the upper, right corner of the box with the file's information. If you have uploaded the desired files and everything looks correct, click the blue "Save" button in either the top, right corner or bottom, center of the screen.



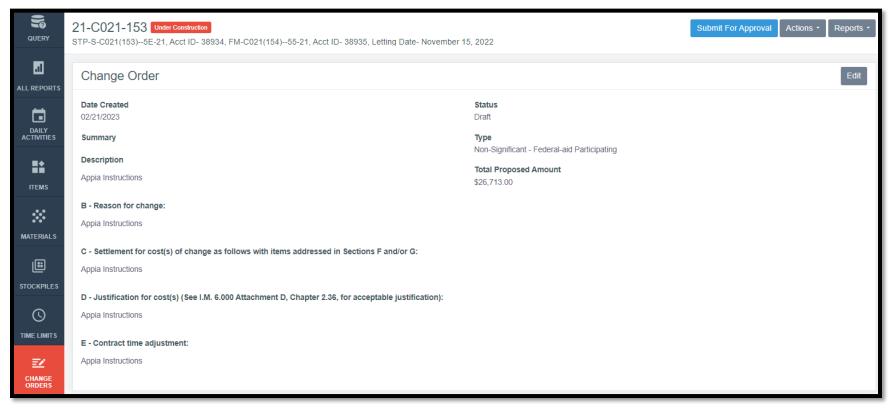
Clicking "Save" will bring you back to the change order screen. Attached files will display as shown in the screenshot below. These files can be downloaded for viewing by clicking on the blue circle with the down arrow on the left side of the file information line.

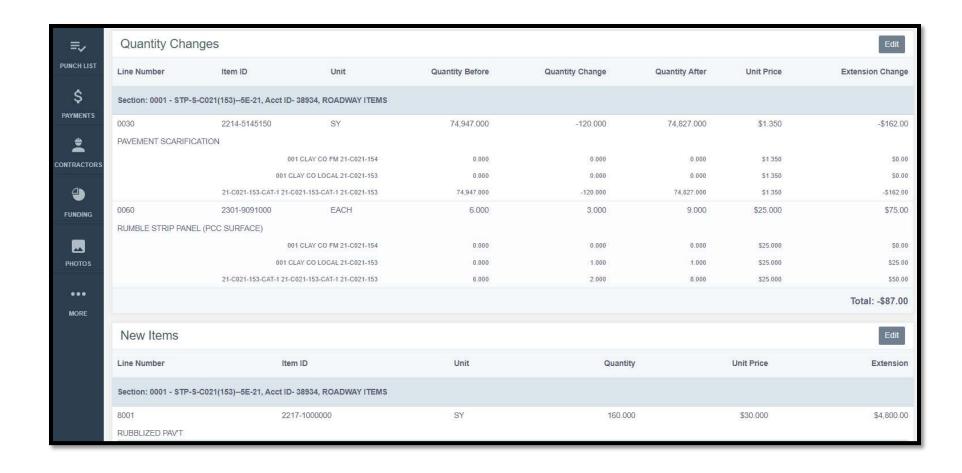


When printed, attachments will show at the end of the change order as shown in the screenshot below.

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Document	Name	Description	Submission Date
20190607_074806.jpg	20190607_074806.jpg	Photo of high water at east pier	02/22/2023 11:32 AM EST
All_BRB_Points.xlsx	All BRB Points.xlsx	Excel file containing survey points	02/22/2023 11:22 AM EST
2 attachments			

All information entered in any of the change order screens or tabs will update and display in the main change order view. An example is shown below.





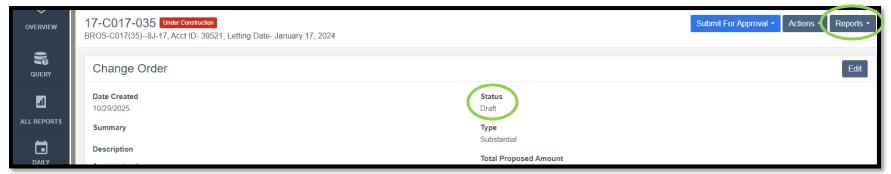
8002	2301-0690180	SY	100.000	\$220.000	\$22,0
BRIDGE APPROACH, RK-18					
001 CLAY CO LOCAL 21-C021-153: 21-C021-153-CAT-1 21-C021-153-CA					
					Total: \$26,80
Time Limit Changes					
Туре	Original Deadline	Current Deadline	Proposed Extens	ion	Proposed De
Working Days	80.0 Days	80.0 Days	2.0 D	ays	82.0
New Time Limits					
Description			Liquidated Damages	per Day	De
Working Days, Late Start Date - 03/12	2024, Liquidated Damage Rate - 1,500			\$0.00	40.0 Working
Displaying 1 time limits					
Attachments					
Name	Description		Submission Da	ate	
① 20190607_074806.jpg	Photo of high water	at east pier	02/22/2023 11:3	32 AM EST	
		survey points	02/22/2023 11:2		

E. Producing a PDF of the Change Order

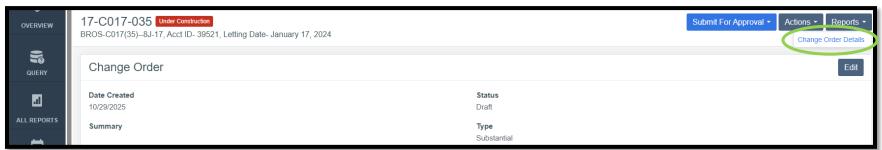
When all of the necessary and pertinent information has been entered into the change order, generate a PDF of the draft change order by clicking on the gray "Reports" pull-down in the upper, right corner of the change order screen. (Note: The change order "report" is NOT in the "All Reports" menu in Appia.)

Note: Except for FM-only and locally funded projects, do NOT click on the "Submit for Approval" button until the Administering Team has approved the draft change order. For further guidance on when to apply approvals, see Section <u>E. Approval Process for Change Orders</u>. (FM-only and locally funded projects do not require pre-approval from the Administering Office.)

You can see the status the change order is currently in under "Status".



From the "Reports" pull-down menu, select "Change Order Details".



A PDF of the change order will be download in your browser. Save the PDF to the desired location on your device or server. Change orders that are in "Draft" status will print with a "DRAFT" stamp across them. When the change order has been "Submitted for Approval", the status will show as "Pending". When the change order has been "Approved", the status will show as "Approved".

GETTING YOU THERE >>>>	Iowa Local Systems _DEMO ACCOUNT Change Order Details 21-C021-153
Description	STP-S-C021(153)5E-21, Acct ID- 38934, FM-C021(154)55-21, Acct ID- 38935, Letting Date- November 15, 2022
Prime Contractor	CEDAR VALLEY CORP., LLC. 2637 WAGNER ROAD WATERLOO, IA
Change Order	
Status	Draft
Date Created	02/21/2023
Type	Non-Significant - Federal-aid Participating
Change Order Description	Appia Instructions
Awarded Project Amount	\$4,553,445.96
Authorized Project Amount	\$4,553,445.96
Change Order Amount	\$26,713.00
Revised Project Amount	\$4,580,158.96
B - Reason for change: Appia Instructions	
C - Settlement for cost(s) of ch	ange as follows with items addressed in Sections F and/or G:
Appia Instructions	
D - Justification for cost(s) (Se	ee I.M. 6.000 Attachment D, Chapter 2.36, for acceptable justification):
Change Order Details: 21-C021-153	02/22/2023 Page 1 of 4

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E - Contract time adjustment:

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Increases/Decreases

Line Number	Item ID	Unit	Unit Price	Curre	nt	Chang	ge	Revis	sed
				Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount	Quantity	Amount
Section: 0001 - STP-S-C021(153)5E-21, Acct ID- 38934, ROADWAY ITEMS									
0030	2214-5145150	SY	\$1.350	74,947.000	\$101,178.45	-120.000	-\$162.00	74,827.000	\$101,016.45
PAVEMENT SCA	RIFICATION								
					Fun	ding Details			
		001 CLAY CO	FM 21-C021-154	0.000	\$0.00	0.000	\$0.00	0.000	\$0.00
		001 CLAY CO LO	CAL 21-C021-153	0.000	\$0.00	0.000	\$0.00	0.000	\$0.00
	21-C021-153-C	AT-1 21-C021-153-C	AT-1 21-C021-153	74,947.000	\$101,178.45	-120.000	-\$162.00	74,827.000	\$101,016.45
0060	2301-9091000	EACH	\$25.000	6.000	\$150.00	3.000	\$75.00	9.000	\$225.00
RUMBLE STRIP	PANEL (PCC SURI	FACE)							
					Fun	ding Details			
		001 CLAY CO	FM 21-C021-154	0.000	\$0.00	0.000	\$0.00	0.000	\$0.00
		001 CLAY CO LO	CAL 21-C021-153	0.000	\$0.00	1.000	\$25.00	1.000	\$25.00
	21-C021-153-C	AT-1 21-C021-153-C	AT-1 21-C021-153	6.000	\$150.00	2.000	\$50.00	8.000	\$200.00
2 items			Totals		\$101,328.45		-\$87.00		\$101,241.45
Change Order Details	s:								02/22/2023
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New Items

Line Number	Item ID	Unit	Quantity	Unit Price	Extension	
Section: 0001 - STP-S-C021(153	3)5E-21, Acct ID- 38934, ROADV	VAY ITEMS				
8001	2217-1000000	SY	160.000	\$30.000	\$4,800.00	
RUBBLIZED PAV'T						
			Fu	nding Details		
	21-C021-153-CAT-1 21-C02	I-153-CAT-1 21-C021-153	160.000	\$30.000	\$4,800.00	
8002	2301-0690180	SY	100.000	\$220.000	\$22,000.00	
BRIDGE APPROACH, RK-18	BRIDGE APPROACH, RK-18					
			Fu	nding Details		
	001 CLAY	CO LOCAL 21-C021-153	20.000	\$220.000	\$4,400.00	
	21-C021-153-CAT-1 21-C02	I-153-CAT-1 21-C021-153	80.000	\$220.000	\$17,600.00	
2 items					Total: \$26,800.00	

Funding Summary

Fund Package	Original Amount	Authorized Amount	Proposed Change	Revised Amount
21-C021-153-CAT-1 21-C021-153-CAT-1 21-C021-153	\$2,764,180.92	\$2,764,180.92	\$22,288.00	\$2,786,468.92
001 CLAY CO LOCAL 21-C021-153	\$5,475.00	\$5,475.00	\$4,425.00	\$9,900.00
001 CLAY CO FM 21-C021-154	\$1,783,790.04	\$1,783,790.04	\$0.00	\$1,783,790.04
3 fund packages	\$4,553,445.96	\$4,553,445.96	\$26,713.00	\$4,580,158.96

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Time Limit Changes

Туре	Original Deadline	Current Deadline	Proposed Extension	Proposed Deadline
Working Days	80.0 Days	80.0 Days	2.0 Days	82.0 Days
Working Days, Late Start D	Date - 05/22/2023, Liquidated Damage Rate - 1			

1 time limit

New Time Limits

Туре	Proposed Deadline	Proposed Cost per Day
Working Days	40.0 Working Days	\$0.00
Working Days, Late Start Date - 03/12/2024, Liquidated Damage Rate - 1,500		

1 time limit

Attachments

Document	Name	Description	Submission Date
20190607_074806.jpg	20190607_074806.jpg	Photo of high water at east pier	02/22/2023 11:32 AM EST
All_BRB_Points.xlsx	All BRB Points.xlsx	Excel file containing survey points	02/22/2023 11:22 AM EST
2 attachments			

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F. Approval Process for Change Orders

City Projects

City projects are reimbursement-style projects. These projects do <u>not</u> get processed through the Contractor Pay System (CPS). Reimbursement-style projects will <u>not</u> follow the automated process and will <u>not</u> be transmitted directly to the Finance Bureau for processing.

For reimbursement-style projects, PDF change orders are created and are manually uploaded to Doc Express. Alternately, for these projects, cities may take advantage of the Appia-Doc Express integration that allows for direct transmittal of documents from Appia to Doc Express and for the return of Doc Express transition statuses to Appia. However, the use of this integration is not required.

County Projects **NOT** on the Farm-to-Market System

County projects that are not on the Farm-to-Market system are reimbursement-style projects. These projects do <u>not</u> get processed through the Contractor Pay System (CPS). Reimbursement-style projects will <u>not</u> follow the automated process and will <u>not</u> be transmitted directly to the Finance Bureau for processing.

For reimbursement-style projects, PDF change orders are created and are manually uploaded to Doc Express. Alternately, for these projects, counties may take advantage of the Appia-Doc Express integration that allows for direct transmittal of documents from Appia to Doc Express and for the return of Doc Express transition statuses to Appia. However, the use of this integration is not required.

County Projects ON the Farm-to-Market System LET PRIOR TO JANUARY 2024

For projects let prior to January 2024, change orders for CPS projects (county projects on the Farm-to-Market system) are generated in Appia and are placed in Doc Express. The Local Systems Regional Field Engineer or Technician then sends them to the Finance Bureau at DOT.LocalSystems@iowadot.us if the project includes State-aid or Federal-aid funding. For FM-only projects, the county sends them to the Finance Bureau at DOT.LocalSystems@iowadot.us directly. These projects will not follow the automated payment process and will not be transmitted directly to the Finance Bureau for processing.

Alternately, for these projects, counties may take advantage of the Appia-Doc Express integration that allows for direct transmittal of documents from Appia to Doc Express and for the return of Doc Express transition statuses to Appia. However, the use of this integration is not required.

County Projects ON the Farm-to-Market System LET JANUARY 2024 OR LATER

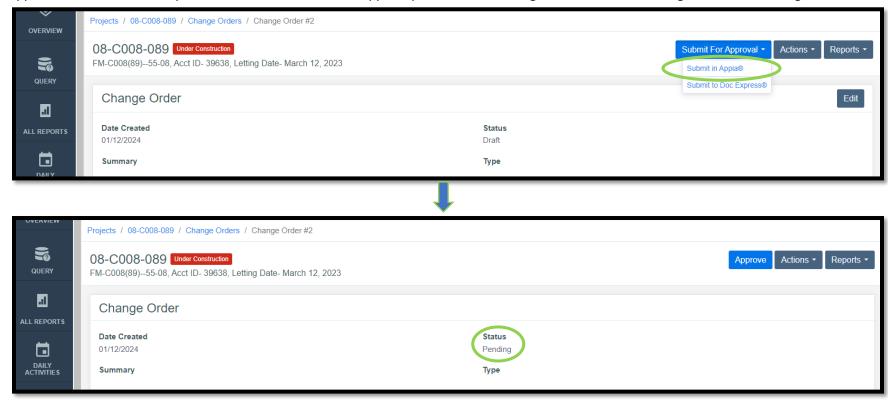
For projects let on or after January 2024, change orders for CPS projects (county projects on the Farm-to-Market system) must follow the automated process. These change orders are generated in Appia, submitted to Doc Express via Appia, signed in Doc Express, updated in Appia, and sent directly to the Finance Bureau from Appia for processing.

1) Submitting Change Orders for Approval NOT Using the Doc Express Integration

Step 1: When all of the necessary and pertinent information has been entered into the change order, send a PDF of the <u>DRAFT</u> change order to the Administering Team. For Local Systems, this would be your Field Technician. For Systems Planning, this would be the Grant Manager and the Plan Review and Contract Support Specialist. The Administering Team will mark up the document and/or provide feedback on any changes necessary. See the <u>Producing a PDF of the Change Order</u> section for guidance on producing the change order "report" to send to the Administering Team.



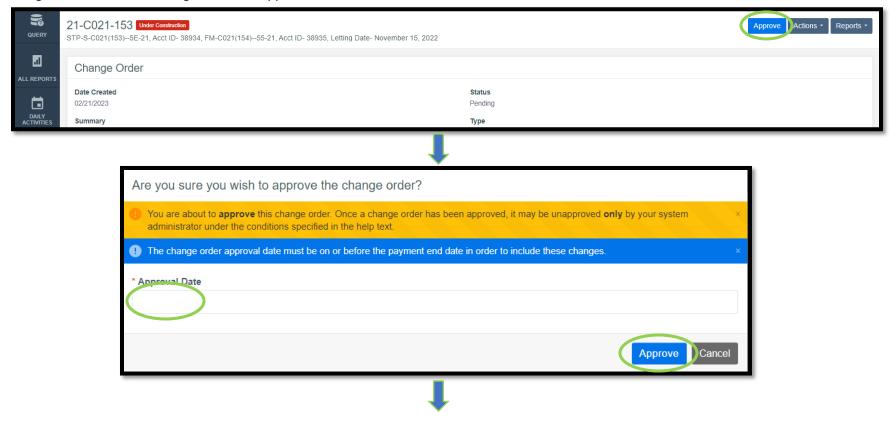
<u>Step 2</u>: Correspond with the Administering Team and make the requested changes. Send another draft copy of the PDF with all changes incorporated to the Administering Team for their final "ok". Once all edits have been made and the Administering Team has approved the draft copy, click the blue "Submit for Approval" button near the top, right corner of the screen. You then have two options for approval: "Submit in Appia" or "Submit to Doc Express". Choose the "Submit in Appia" option. This will change the status of the change order to "Pending".

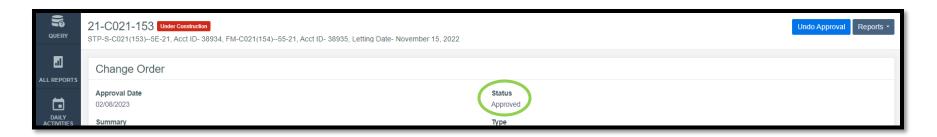


Note: Once the change order is in "Pending" status, items within it can be posted in an Item Posting in Daily Reports.

<u>Step 3</u>: Generate a new PDF of the change order document following the steps in Section <u>D. Producing a PDF of the Change Order</u>. Upload this "Pending" status change order to Doc Express for all parties' signatures.

<u>Step 4</u>: Once all signatures have been applied in Doc Express and the document has been transitioned to 'Completed' status, click the "Approve" button near the top, right corner of the change order screen. You will be prompted to add the Approval Date. The Approval Date is the date the change order was transitioned to "Completed" in Doc Express. After entering the Approval Date, click on the blue Approve button. This will change the status of the change order to "Approved".





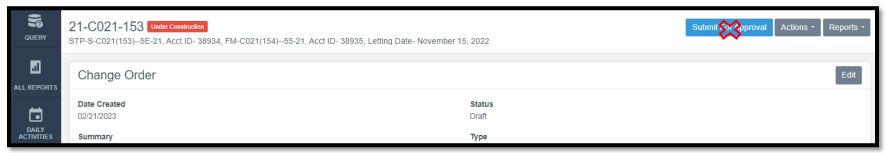
<u>Step 5</u>: Your change order has now been finalized. Change order items will now be available for incorporation into Payments.

2) Submitting Change Orders for Approval Using the Doc Express Integration

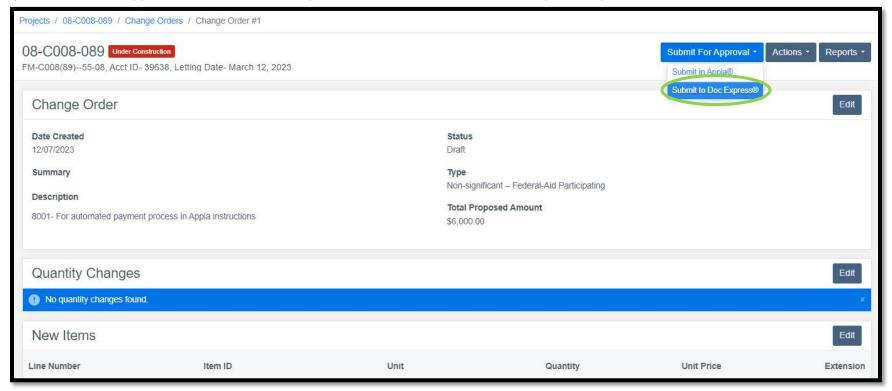
Note: In order to submit a change order for approval using the method described in this section, the Appia project must be integrated with the associated Doc Express Contract. If you have not enabled that integration yet, you will need to do so. Please see the Integrating Appia with Doc Express for Submittals section.

Note: For county FM projects let on or after January 2024, in order to make the automated process work, the "CPS Contractor Pay Finance" user must be added to the project, and the API Access for this user must be toggled "On". If "CPS Contractor Pay Finance" is not currently a user in the project, or if that user's API Access is not toggled "On" in the default/global user list, address those issues before proceeding. See the Default Settings: Users – Adding/Deleting, Roles, Project Access, Licenses and the Project Settings sections in the Account Management Instructions for guidance on adding the "CPS Contractor Pay" user and on the API Access toggle.

Step 1: When all of the necessary and pertinent information has been entered into the change order, send a PDF of the <u>DRAFT</u> change order to the Administering Team. For highway and bridge projects, this would be your Local Systems Regional Field Technician (or Discretionary Grant/Earmark Technician, if applicable). For non-highway and bridge projects, this would typically be the Grant Manager and the Plan Review and Contract Support Specialist from the Local Systems Grant Team. The Administering Team will mark up the document and/or provide feedback on any changes necessary. See the <u>Producing a PDF of the Change Order</u> section for guidance on producing the change order "report" to send to the Administering Team.

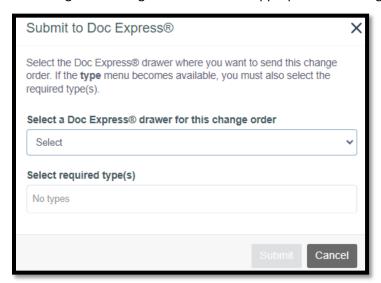


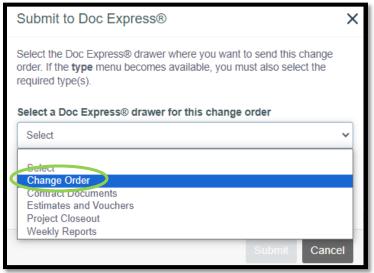
Step 2: Correspond with the Administering Team and make the requested changes. Send another draft copy of the PDF with all changes incorporated to the Administering Team for their final "ok". Once all edits have been made and double-checked (don't forget to override the line numbers on the new items to 8000 numbers!) and the Administering Team has approved the draft copy, the change order needs to be "Submitted for Approval". For these automated change orders, "Approval" includes approvals in both Doc Express and Appia. To submit a change order for approval, click on the blue "Submit for Approval" button in the top, right corner. A pull-down menu will appear with two options: "Submit in Appia®" and "Submit to Doc Express®". Click on the "Submit to Doc Express®" option.



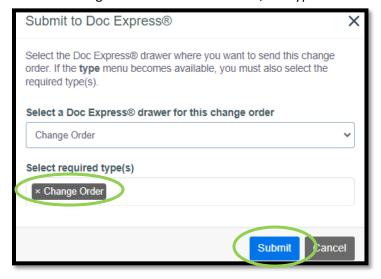
Do NOT Approve the change order in Appia until it is transitioned to "Completed" in Doc Express as described on the following pages!

A pop-up box with pull-down menus will appear where you will select the appropriate Doc Express drawer and type for the document you are submitting. The Change Order drawer is appropriate for change orders.

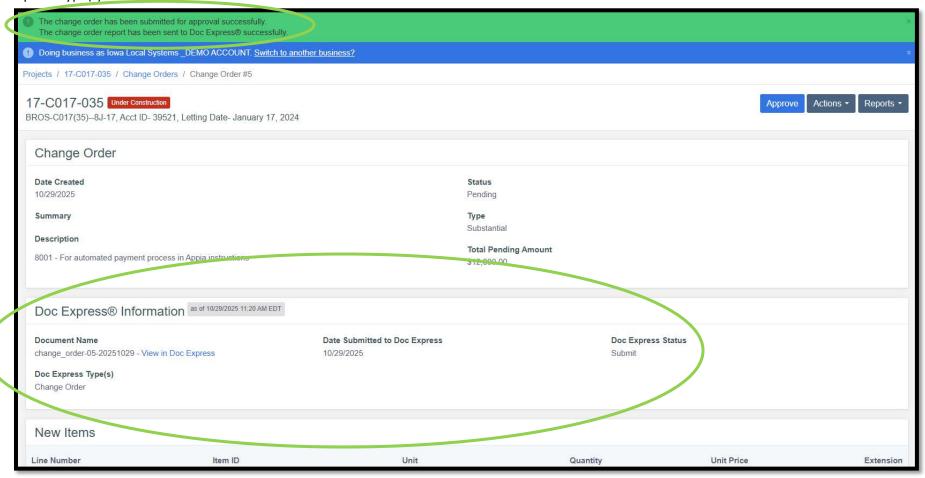




Once the Change Order drawer is selected, the type will automatically populate. Click the blue "Submit" button in the lower, right corner.



You will be returned to the change order. A green ribbon should appear across the top of the screen saying, "The change order has been submitted for approval successfully." and "The change order report has been sent to Doc Express® successfully.". Additionally, the Doc Express® Information now shows for the change order, including the Document Name, Date Submitted to Doc Express, Doc Express Status, and Doc Express Type(s).

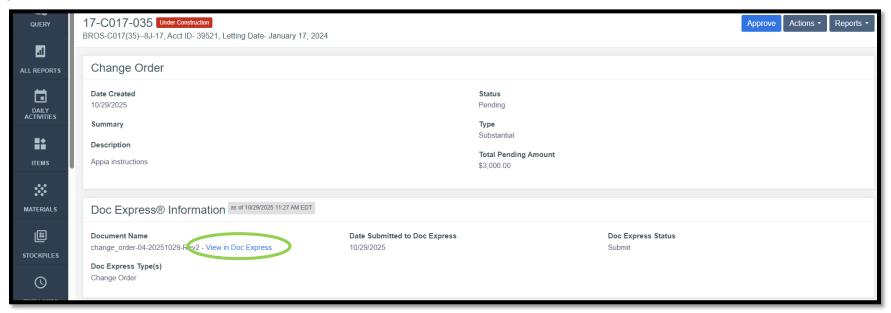


At this point, the document needs to be signed and transitioned in Doc Express by the appropriate people (engineer, PIRC, etc.). Navigate to Doc Express to complete the transition and signature process. You can navigate to Doc Express by either opening a new browser tab and going to

the Doc Express website, by clicking on the four-square box in the upper, right corner of the Appia screen and selecting Doc Express, or by clicking on the View Doc Express link found in the Doc Express Information section on the Change Order screen in Appia.



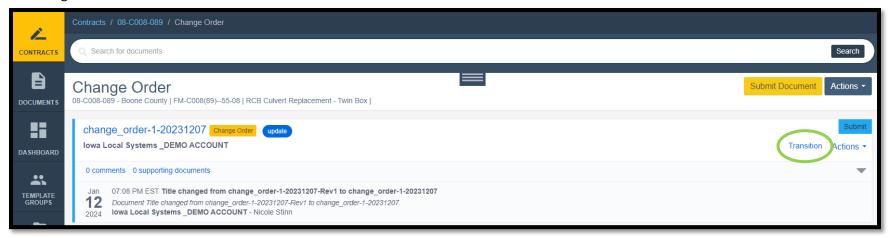
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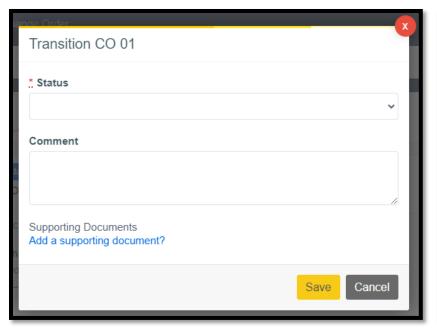
Once in Doc Express, select the appropriate contract and the appropriate drawer for the change order being submitted. The change order will show with a name similar to the one shown in the screenshot below. Do NOT update the name of the document.

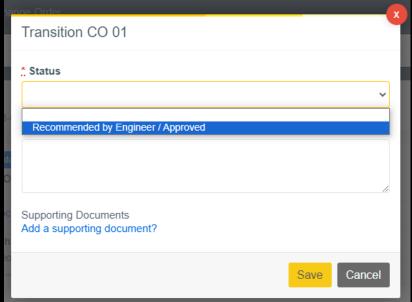


The appropriate person should now transition the change order. To do so, click on the blue "Transition" text on the right end of the line containing the document.

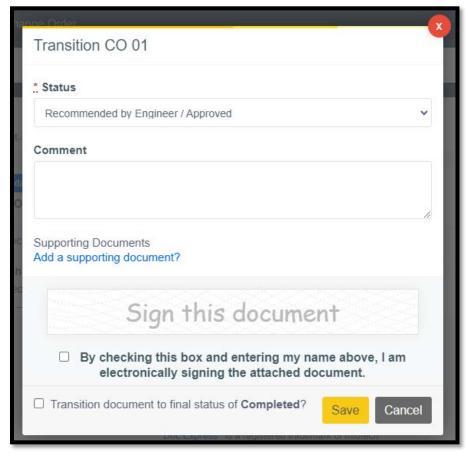


A pop-up box will appear with a pull-down menu to choose the "Status" and a Comment field. Select the appropriate status from the pull-down menu. The use of the Comment field is optional.



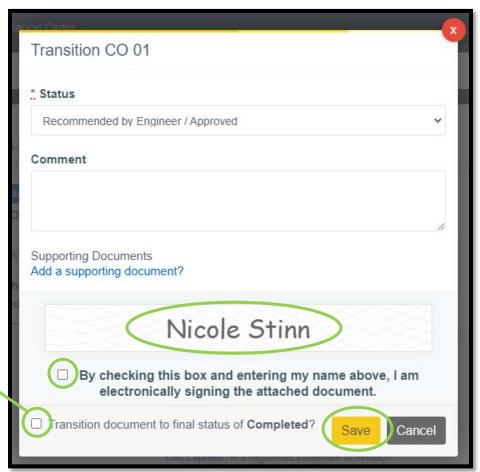


If a Status is selected that requires a signature, a box will automatically appear that says, "Sign this document".



Sign the document by typing your name into the "Sign this document" box and check the box by the signature acknowledgment box. Signatures should ONLY be applied by the person with the authority to approve payments (the project engineer and/or the PIRC).

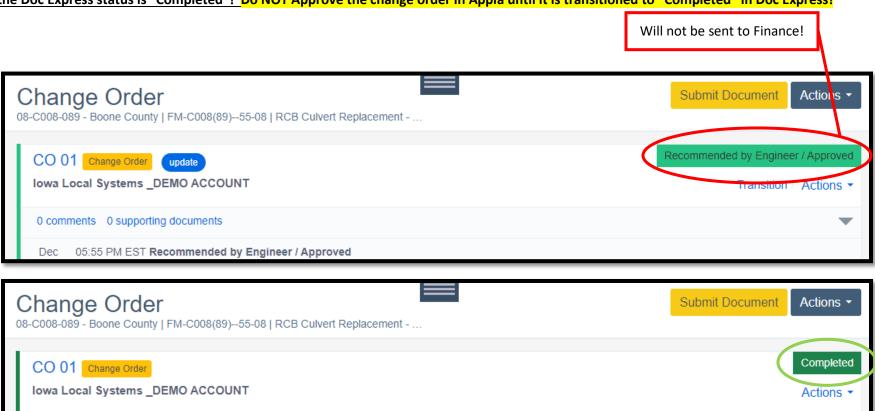
IF no additional signatures are needed in the workflow (county FM-only projects), check the box for "Transition document to final status of Completed?". If additional signatures are needed (all projects except county FM-only projects), leave this box un-checked. Then click the yellow "Save" button in the lower, right corner of the box.



Check this box if no further signatures are required on the document. Otherwise, leave it un-checked.

The new status should now show on the right end of the line containing the document. If this status is "Completed", you are ready to return to the Change Order in Appia. If not, the appropriate person/people should transition the document until it reaches the "Completed" status.

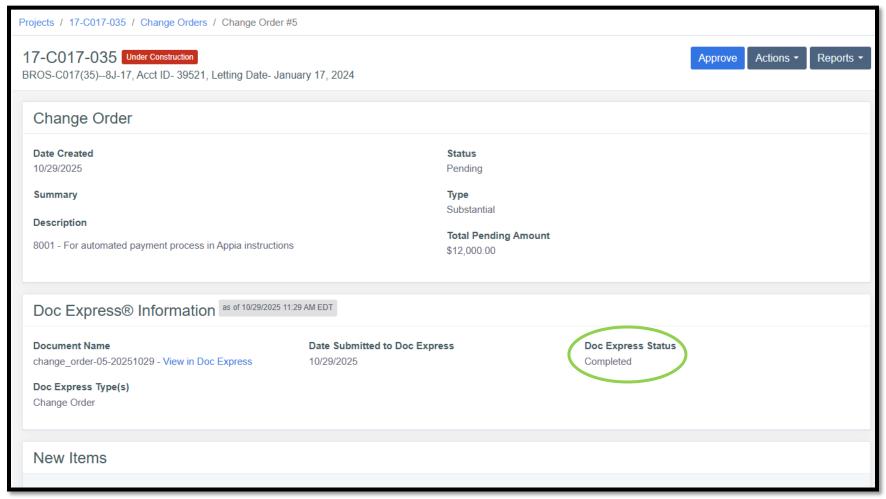
For county projects let on or after January 2024 using the automated process, change orders will NOT transmit to the Finance Bureau unless the Doc Express status is "Completed"! Do NOT Approve the change order in Appia until it is transitioned to "Completed" in Doc Express!



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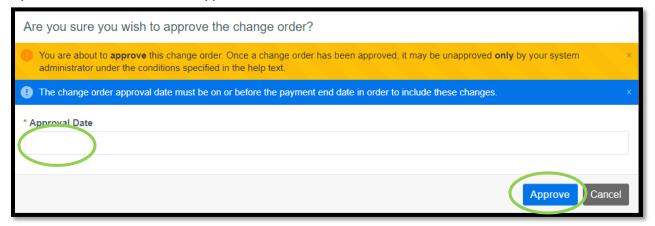
Once the document has been transitioned to a Completed status, navigate back to the change order in Appia. The Doc Express Status shown should now say "Completed". If the status did not update, refresh the browser page.



Once the Doc Express status of "Completed" is showing in the change order and you are SURE the change order is ready to be submitted to the Finance Bureau for processing, click on the blue "Approve" button in the upper, right corner of the Change Order screen.



Enter the Approval Date in the pop-up box that appears. The Approval Date is the date the change order was transitioned to Completed in Doc Express. Then click on the blue Approve button.



For contracts let in January 2024 or later, clicking "Approve" WILL send the change order to Finance. Do NOT email the change order report to the DOT.LocalSystems@iowadot.us email address also. Emailing the change order will cause confusion and errors. If you do not receive any communications to the contrary, YOUR CHANGE ORDER WENT THROUGH SUCCESSFULLY.

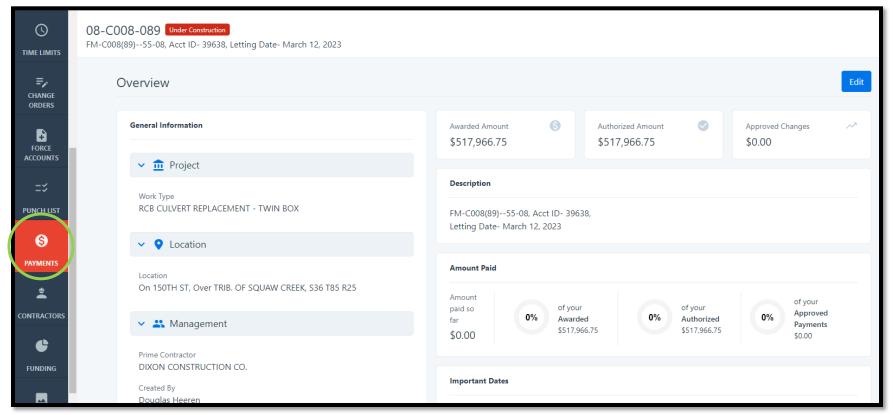
11 - Punch List

(Reserved for Punch List instructions)

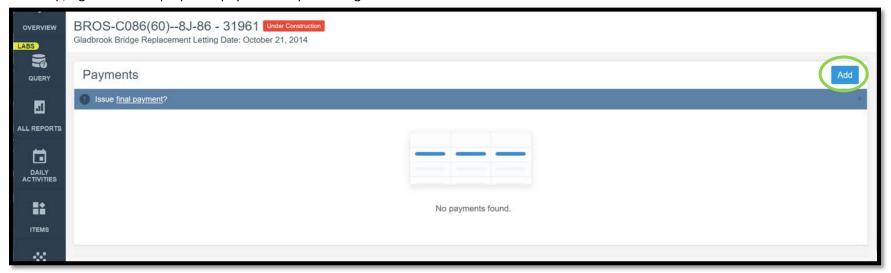
This section is reserved for future instruction on using the Punch List tab.

12 - Payments

To access the Payments section, click on the Payments button in the left menu.



When Payments has been selected and no payments have been made to date, the following screen will appear. Click on the blue "Add" button in the top, right corner to prepare a payment for processing.



If other payments have been made to date, the previous payments and their statuses will be shown on a listing on this screen. Click on the blue "Add" button in the top, right corner to prepare a payment for processing.



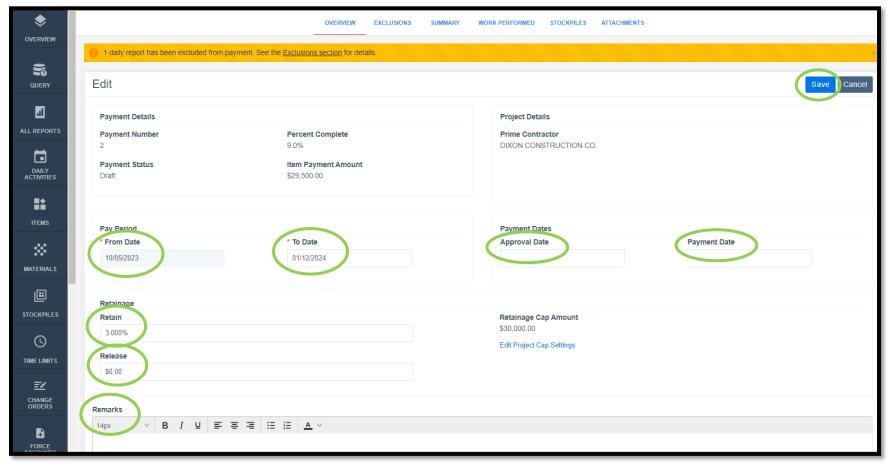
When a new payment is added, or an existing payment is opened for editing, the following screen will appear. There are five tabs across the top: Overview, Summary, Work Performed, Stockpiles (if stockpiled materials are being paid in the payment) and Attachments. A sixth Exclusions tab will show if any Daily Reports are being excluded from the payment.

A. Overview Tab

Some information is automatically populated, but the "From"/"To" Dates, the Retainage information, the Approval Date, the Payment Date, and any additional Remarks must be entered by the user.

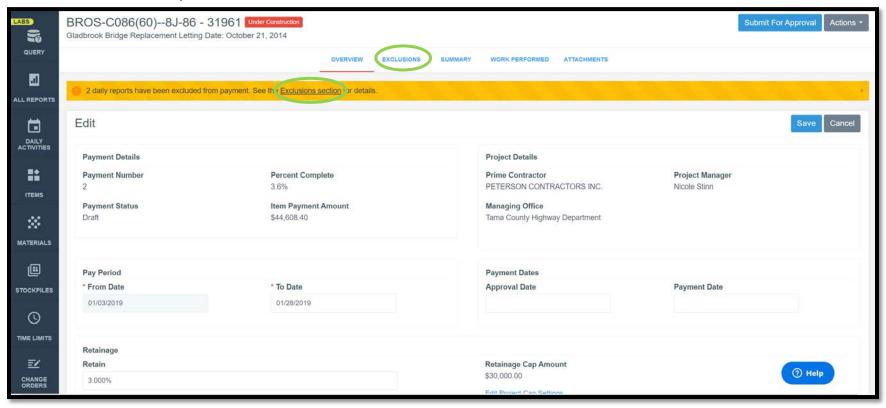
- From/To Dates: Be sure to enter a date range which covers only items that have certifications unless the quantity for a non-certified item has been adjusted to 0.00 as explained in the Entering Item Posting for Items Without Certifications or Without Certified Payrolls subsection of these instructions.
 - Note: The "To Date" date will populate with the day the payment is created. If you do not complete the payment the day you create it and you wish to go back later and add coverage for work on additional days, you will need to adjust the To Date.
- Retainage Retain: For the first payment on any contract, make sure to enter the retainage percentage (3.000% for projects using lowa DOT Standard Specifications). (This percentage will then stay there for future payments and will not have to be input every time.)
- Retainage Release: This should be kept at \$0.00 until approval has been given by Local Systems to release the retainage. This will generally happen after a project has been reviewed/audited or the review has been waived or when a contractor requests an early retainage release.
 - Note: For projects using a standard payment for the final payment, when generating a final payment report, the payment process described here will be used, and retainage will be released using this field. Appia's final payment will NOT be used as the final payment for DOT administered projects. For further guidance on using a standard payment for the final payment, see the Standard Payment for Final Payment section. For guidance on determining which final payment process to use, see the Making a Final Payment section.
- Approval Date: Enter the date that the payment was approved.
- Payment Date: This is the date the payment was processed, either by your local agency for reimbursement projects or by the DOT for projects paid from the Farm-to-Market account. **Do NOT enter a payment date until you know the payment has been processed successfully**, and the processed payment matches your Appia payment report. The payment can be approved before entering a payment date.
- Remarks: Enter any relevant remarks or explanations to accompany the payment report. The remarks section should especially contain the words "Semi-Final Payment" or "Final Payment" for those respective payments.

Once all of the appropriate fields have been filled out, click the blue "Save" button in the top, right corner.

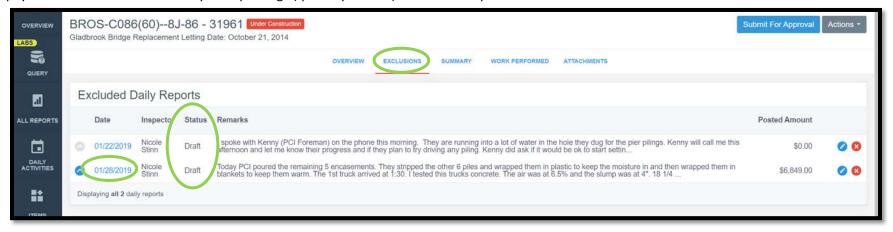


B. Exclusions of Daily Reports from Payments

If the From/To Date range of the payment includes Daily Reports which have not been approved, a yellow ribbon will appear across the top of the Overview screen. To view which reports have been excluded, click on either the "Exclusions section" link in the yellow ribbon or the "Exclusions" tab across the top.



Any Daily Reports being excluded from the payment will be shown. You will be able to see their status showing they have not yet been approved. Daily Reports will be excluded if they are in either Draft or Pending status. If a Daily Report has been excluded, it means that payment will not be made on any item postings (quantity entries) made that day.

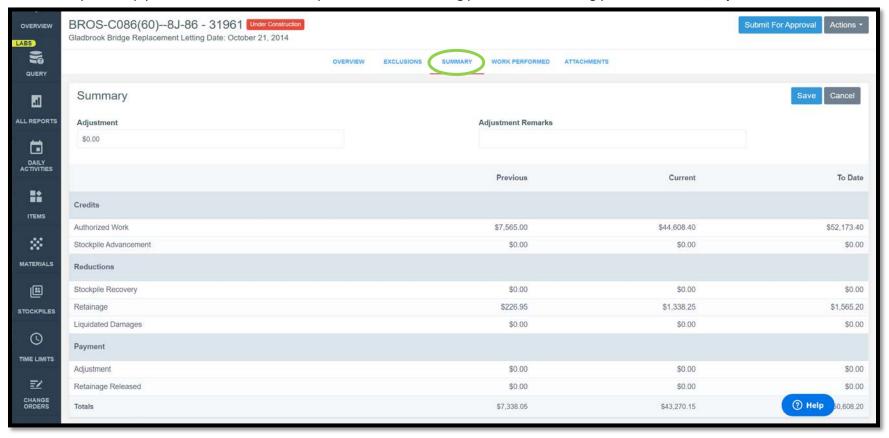


If you intended to leave the Daily Report in Draft/Pending status so as not to pay for an item (in the case of missing certs, missing or incorrect payrolls, or for other reasons), simply leave that Daily Report excluded and do nothing on this screen.

If you intended to include items on the excluded reports in the payment you are working on, you can click on the date of the Daily Report in blue on the left side to be taken directly to the Daily Report to submit it for approval. Once approved, you will need to navigate back to the Payments tab to finish inputting/reviewing the payment. Once an excluded report has been approved, you will see that the Payments tab updates so that it no longer shows as an exclusion.

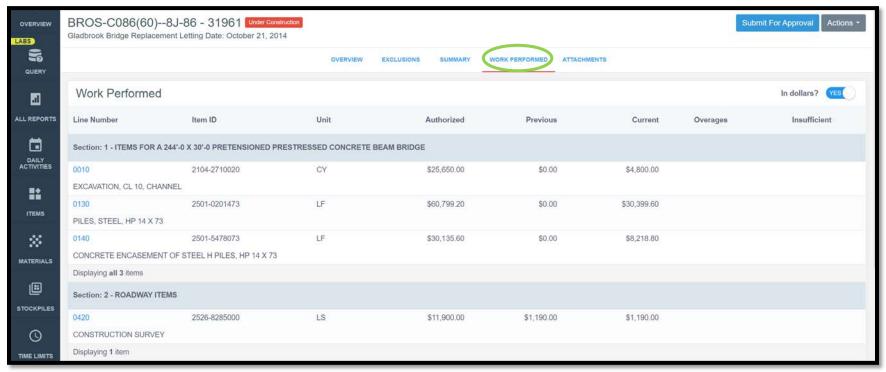
C. Summary Tab

The Summary tab simply shows a breakdown of components which are being paid. There is nothing you need to enter/adjust on this tab.

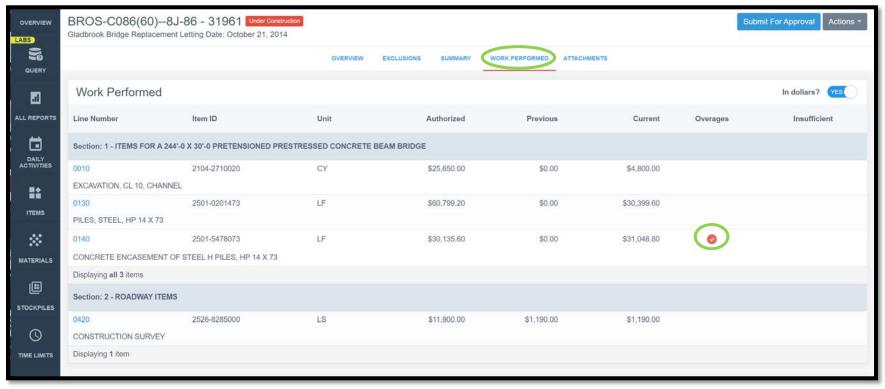


D. Work Performed Tab

The "Work Performed" tab shows a listing of each item for which payment is being made as part of this payment. You can toggle between a "dollars" view or a "quantity" view by using the "In dollars?" toggle. You should verify that all information looks correct in this tab, but there is nothing for you to enter/adjust.



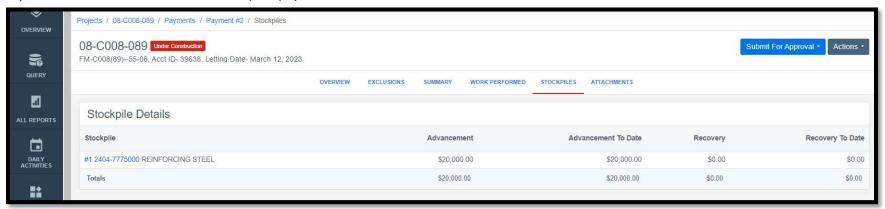
If payment is being made on a quantity that exceeds the item's authorized quantity (contract quantity + quantity authorized by change orders), a red circle with a check mark will appear to the right of the item's line. If there is an overage, you should check to make sure it does not exceed the \$50,000 threshold that necessitates a change order. If it does exceed \$50,000 in overage, you must process a change order before proceeding with payment on the full quantity for that item.



Note: The "Item Overruns" report in the "All Reports" tab may be helpful in identifying items with overages as well.

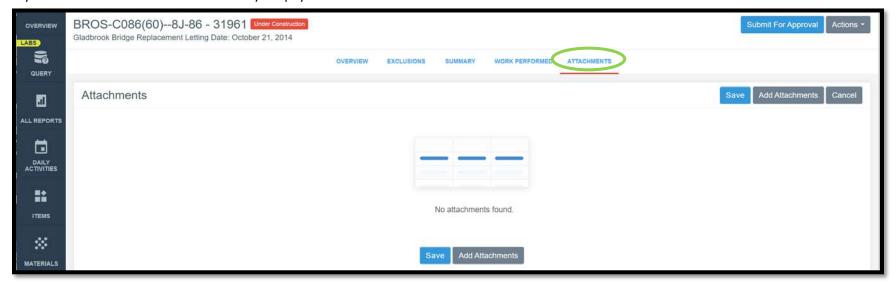
E. Stockpiles Tab

Any desired attachment can be added to your payment.



F. Attachments Tab

Any desired attachment can be added to your payment.



Just click on the gray "Add Attachments" button and drag and drop the desired file or choose the file by navigating to the location on your computer or device where the attachment is saved.



G. Approving & Submitting a Payment – FOR CITY, COUNTY NON-FM, & COUNTY FM PROJECTS LET PRIOR TO JANUARY 2024

Reimbursement Projects

City Projects & County Projects NOT on the Farm-to-Market System

City projects and county projects not on the Farm-to-Market system are reimbursement-style projects. These projects do <u>not</u> get processed through the Contractor Pay System (CPS). Reimbursement-style projects will <u>not</u> follow the automated payment process and will <u>not</u> be transmitted directly to the Finance Bureau for processing.

For reimbursement-style projects, PDF payment reports are created and are uploaded to Doc Express. Then, a reimbursement request is submitted to the Administering Team using the appropriate Claim for Reimbursement form. (See <u>I.M. 6.110</u>, <u>Attachment E</u> for links to the Claim for Reimbursement forms. See the section titled Estimates and Vouchers Drawer or Estimate Payments Drawer Documents.)

Also, for these projects, cities may take advantage of the Appia-Doc Express integration that allows for direct transmittal of documents from Appia to Doc Express and for the return of Doc Express transition statuses to Appia. However, the use of this integration is not required.

Contractor Payment System (CPS) Projects

County Projects ON the Farm-to-Market System LET PRIOR TO JANUARY 2024

For projects let prior to January 2024, payment reports for CPS projects (county projects on the Farm-to-Market system) are generated in Appia, placed in Doc Express, and then emailed to the Finance Bureau at DOT.LocalSystems@iowadot.us. These projects will not follow the automated payment process and will not be transmitted directly to the Finance Bureau for processing.

Appia Auto-Pay Projects

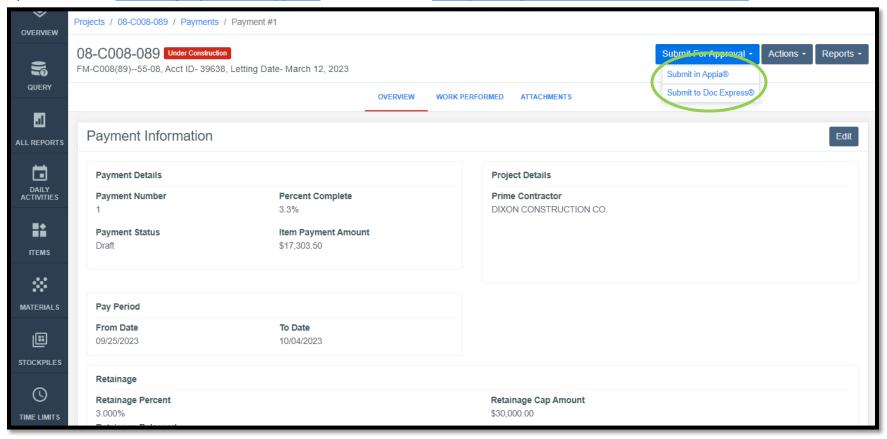
County Projects ON the Farm-to-Market System LET JANUARY 2024 OR LATER

For county FM projects let on or after January 2024, this section is not applicable.

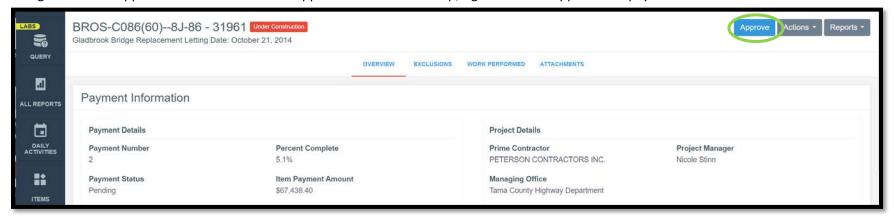
1) Submitting Payments for Approval

Note: Remember to enter 3% retainage on your first payment!

Once all of the information is entered for a payment and has been double-checked, the payment needs to be "Submitted for Approval" and then "Approved". To submit a payment for approval, click on the blue "Submit for Approval" button in the top, right corner. A pull-down menu will appear with two options: "Submit in Appia®" and "Submit to Doc Express®". Either option is acceptable for the projects subject to this section. However, the following guidance in this section assumes the "Submit in Appia®" option was chosen. For guidance on "Submitting to Doc Express®", see the Submitting Payments for Approval section under the County FM Projects LET ON OR AFTER JANUARY 2024 section.



After the payment has been "Submitted for Approval" via "Submit in Appia", an "Approve" button will appear for any person having a high enough role to do approvals. Click on the blue "Approve" button in the top, right corner to approve the payment.



2) Uploading Payment to Doc Express for Signatures

Using the <u>Naming Convention</u> to determine the appropriate drawer and file name, upload a PDF of the approved payment to Doc Express for signatures. See the <u>Generating a Payment Report</u> section for guidance on producing the appropriate PDF payment report.

3) Making a Progress Payment

Reimbursement Projects

City Projects & County Projects NOT on the Farm-to-Market System

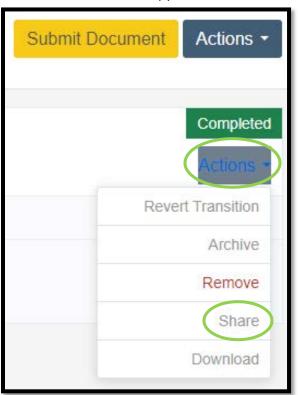
Once the payment report is signed in Doc Express, create a claim/invoice locally. Once the claim has been paid locally, submit a reimbursement request to the Administering Team using the appropriate Claim for Reimbursement form. (See <u>I.M. 6.020</u> for links to the Claim for Reimbursement forms.)

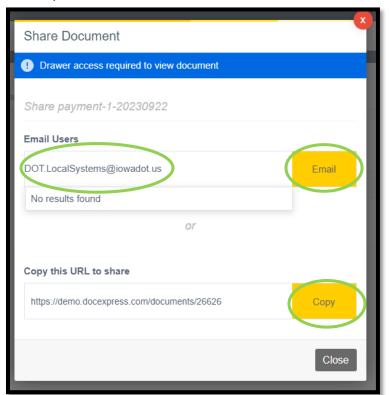
Contractor Payment System (CPS) Projects

County Projects ON the Farm-to-Market System LET PRIOR TO JANUARY 2024

Send the Doc Express signed payment report to the Finance Bureau at DOT.LocalSystems@iowadot.us. Submittal can be done in one of two ways.

- Download the signed payment report from Doc Express, save it to your device, and attach it in the email submittal.
- Include a link to the payment report in the email submittal.
 - o To do this, in Doc Express, on the right side of the line containing the payment report, click on the "Actions" pull-down, and select "Share". A pop-up box will appear, either type in the DOT.LocalSystems@iowadot.us email address into the top line and click "Email" OR click "Copy" on the second line and then paste the link into the submittal email.





4) Making a Final Payment

When a local agency has completed the semi-final payment and after the Administering Team has audited/reviewed the project or waived the audit/review, it is time to move forward with processing a final payment.

Note: For county projects, a Board of Supervisors signature is required on the final payment. If a signature line has not been created for the Board already, please create it prior to creating the final payment report. See either the Default Settings or Project Settings sections of the Applia Project Creation & Account Management Instructions for setting up signature lines on payment reports.

Two processes exist for generating a final payment.

- 1. Standard Payment Process: See the Standard Payment for Final Payment subsection for guidance.
- 2. Appia's Final Payment Process: See the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process Including Balancing Change Order</u> or the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process Without Balancing Change Order</u> subsection, whichever is applicable.

Please refer to the guidance below for the appropriate final payment option.

Reimbursement Projects

City Projects & County Projects NOT on the Farm-to-Market System

May use either the Standard Payment Process or Appia's Final Payment Process (recommended)

Contractor Payment System (CPS) Projects

County Projects ON the Farm-to-Market System LET PRIOR TO JANUARY 2024

Use the Standard Payment Process only in order to avoid conflicts with the Contractor Pay System (CPS).

a) Standard Payment for Final Payment

Please see the <u>Standard Payment for Final Payment</u> section in the <u>Final Payment</u> section.

b) Appia's Final Payment Process

See the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process – Including Balancing Change Order</u> or the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process – Without Balancing Change Order</u> subsection, whichever is applicable.

H. Approving & Submitting an Automated Payment – FOR COUNTY FM PROJECTS LET ON OR AFTER JANUARY 2024 ONLY

Reimbursement Projects

City Projects & County Projects NOT on the Farm-to-Market System

City projects and county projects not on the Farm-to-Market System are reimbursement-style projects and are not applicable to this section. These projects do <u>not</u> get processed through the Contractor Pay System (CPS). Reimbursement-style projects will <u>not</u> follow the automated payment process and will <u>not</u> be transmitted directly to the Finance Bureau for processing. See section <u>Approving & Submitting a Payment – FOR CITY, COUNTY NON-FM, & COUNTY FM PROJECTS LET PRIOR TO JANUARY 2024</u> for guidance approving and submitting payments for cities.

Contractor Payment System (CPS) Projects

County Projects ON the Farm-to-Market System LET PRIOR TO JANUARY 2024

For county projects on the FM system let prior to January 2024, this section is not applicable.

Appia Auto-Pay Projects

County Projects ON the Farm-to-Market System LET JANUARY 2024 OR LATER

For projects let on or after January 2024, payments for CPS projects (county projects on the Farm-to-Market system) follow the automated payment process. These payments are generated in Appia, submitted to Doc Express via Appia, signed in Doc Express, updated in Appia, and sent directly to the Finance Bureau from Appia for processing.

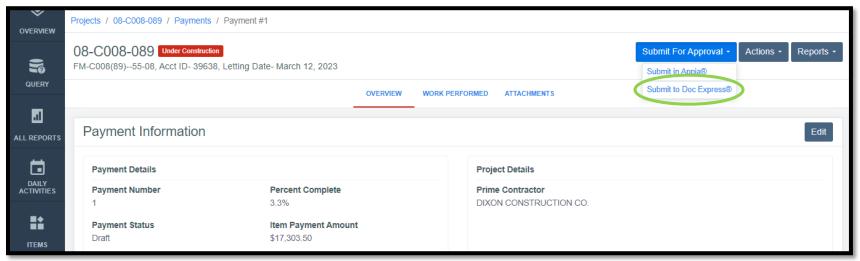
1) Submitting Payments for Approval

Note: Remember to enter 3% retainage on your first payment!

Note: In order to submit a payment for approval using the method described in this section, the Appia project must be integrated with the associated Doc Express Contract. If you have not enabled that integration yet, you will need to do so. Please see the Integrating Appia with Doc Express for Submittals section.

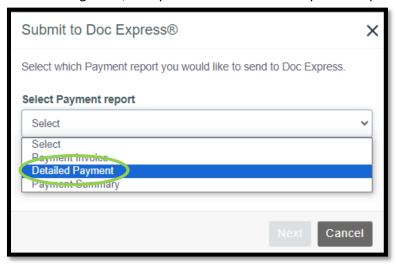
Note: For county FM projects let on or after January 2024 (auto-pay projects), in order to make the automated process work, the "CPS Contractor Pay Finance" user must be added to the project, and the API Access for this user must be toggled "On". If "CPS Contractor Pay Finance" is not currently a user in the project, or if that user's API Access is not toggled "On" in the default/global user list, address those issues before proceeding. See the Default Settings: Users – Adding/Deleting, Roles, Project Access, Licenses and the Project Settings sections in the <u>Appia Project Creation & Account Management Instructions</u> for guidance on adding the "CPS Contractor Pay" user and on the API Access toggle.

Once all of the information is entered for a payment and has been double-checked, the payment needs to be "Submitted for Approval". For these automated payment projects, "Approval" includes approvals in both Doc Express and Appia. To submit a payment for approval, click on the blue "Submit for Approval" button in the top, right corner. A pull-down menu will appear with two options: "Submit in Appia®" and "Submit to Doc Express®". Click on the "Submit to Doc Express®" option.

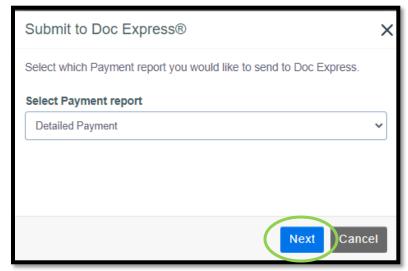


Do NOT Approve the payment in Appia until it is transitioned to "Completed" in Doc Express as described on the following pages!

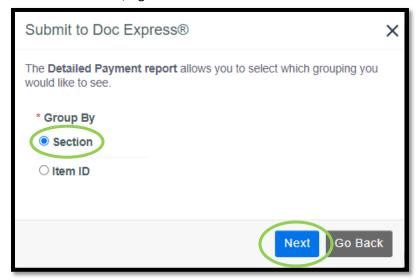
A pop-up box will appear in which a payment report needs to be selected from the drop-down menu. Unless instructed otherwise by the Administering Team, always select the "Detailed Payment" report.



When the appropriate report is showing in the "Select Payment report" line, click on the blue "Next" button in the lower, right corner of the box.

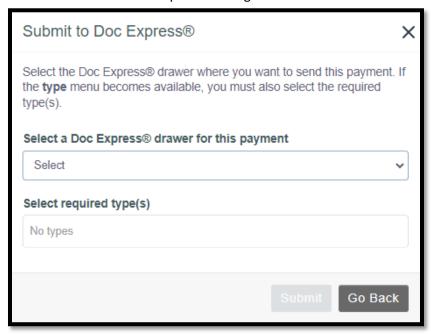


Another pop-up box will appear asking how the report should be grouped. Leave the Group By "Section" option selected. (This option keeps all of the bid items in order and groups them by project/division when a contract has more than one project/division.) Then, click the blue "Next" button in the lower, right corner of the box.

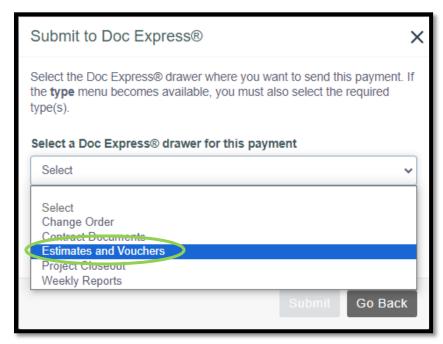


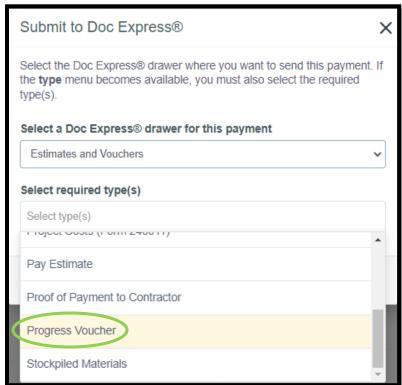
A third pop-up box with pull-down menus will appear where you will select the appropriate Doc Express drawer and type for the document you are submitting. The following example screenshots are for an estimate payment (a progress payment). For the pre-audit agreement/estimate payment (formerly known as the semi-final payment), the drawer and type will differ according to the Doc Express naming convention.

Please reference the Doc Express Naming Convention to determine the appropriate drawer and type for selection.

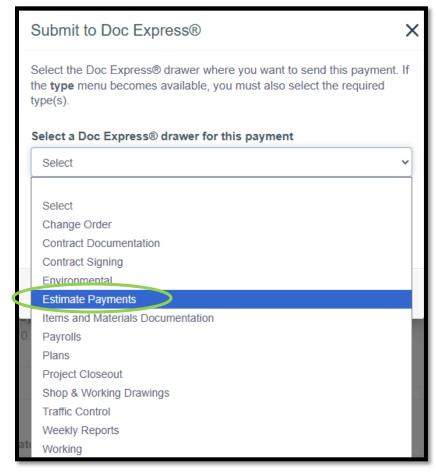


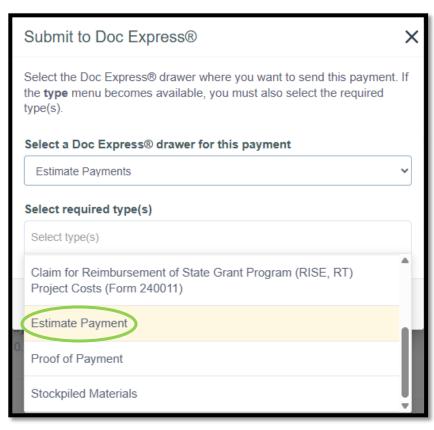
Pre-July 2025 Letting - Drawers and Types





July 2025 Letting and Later - Drawers and Types

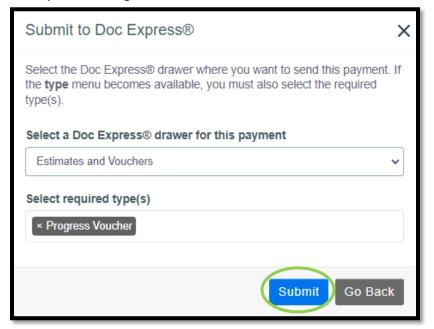




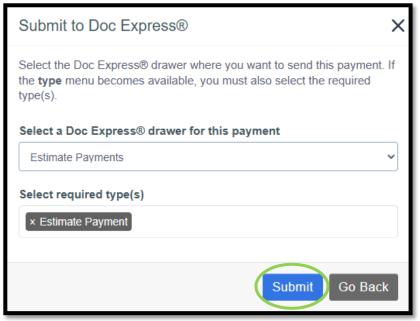
Note: Remember to reference the Doc Express Naming Convention to determine the appropriate drawer and type for selection. **Pre-Audit**Agreement/Estimate Payments (previously referred to as semi-final payments) and final vouchers will go in a different drawer and have a different type than what is shown in the screenshots on this page.

Once the correct drawer and type have each been selected from the pull-down menus, click on the blue "Submit" button in the lower, right corner of the box.

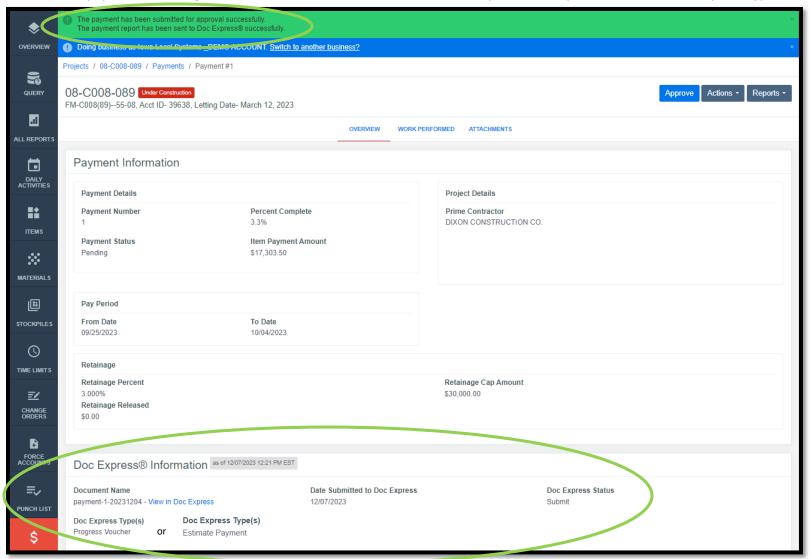
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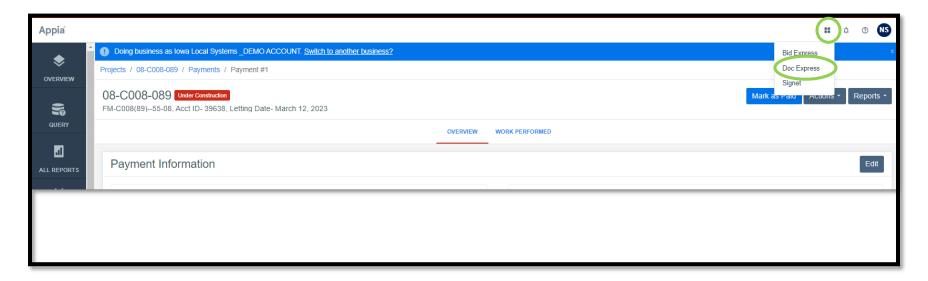
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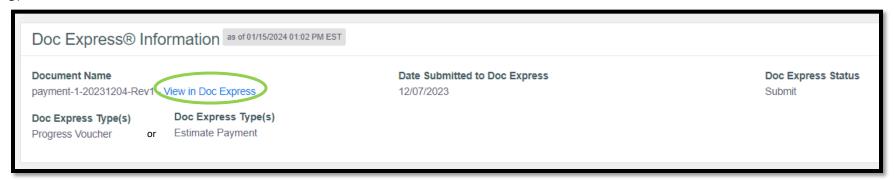
You will be returned to the Payment. A green ribbon should appear across the top of the screen saying, "The payment has been submitted for approval successfully." and "The payment report has been sent to Doc Express® successfully.". Additionally, the Doc Express® Information now shows for the payment, including the Document Name, Date Submitted to Doc Express, Doc Express Status, and Doc Express Type(s).



At this point, the document needs to be signed and transitioned in Doc Express by the appropriate people (engineer, PIRC, etc.). Navigate to Doc Express to complete the transition and signature process. You can navigate to Doc Express by either opening a new browser tab and going to the Doc Express website, by clicking on the four-square box in the upper, right corner of the Appia screen and selecting Doc Express, or by clicking on the View Doc Express link found in the Doc Express Information section on the Payment overview screen in Appia.



Or



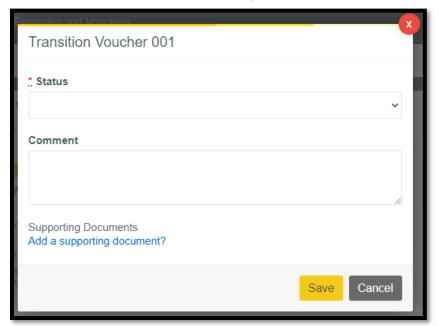
Once in Doc Express, select the appropriate contract and the appropriate drawer for the payment being submitted. The payment will show with a name similar to the one shown in the screenshot below. Do NOT update the name of the document. Note: The name of the Drawer will be "Estimate Payments" if the project was let in July 2025 or later.

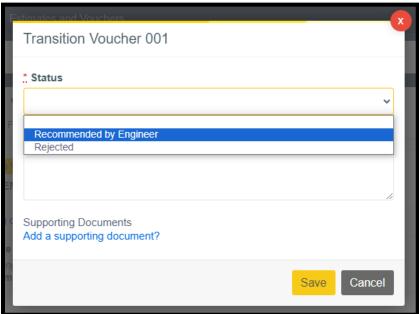


The appropriate person should now transition the payment. To do so, click on the blue "Transition" text on the right end of the line containing the document.

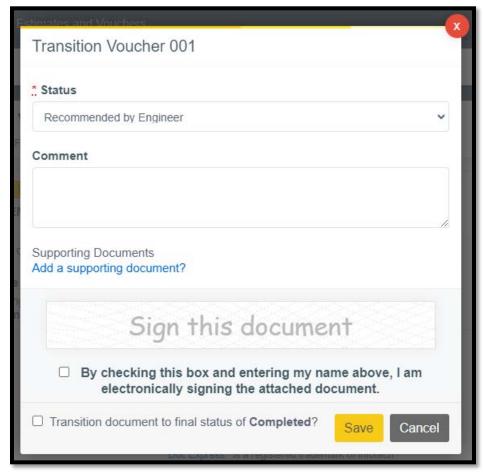


A pop-up box will appear with a pull-down menu to choose the "Status" and a Comment field. Select the appropriate status from the pull-down menu. The use of the Comment field is optional.



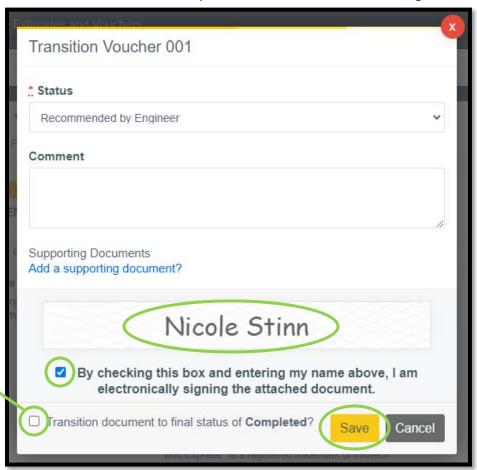


If a Status is selected that requires a signature, a box will automatically appear that says, "Sign this document".



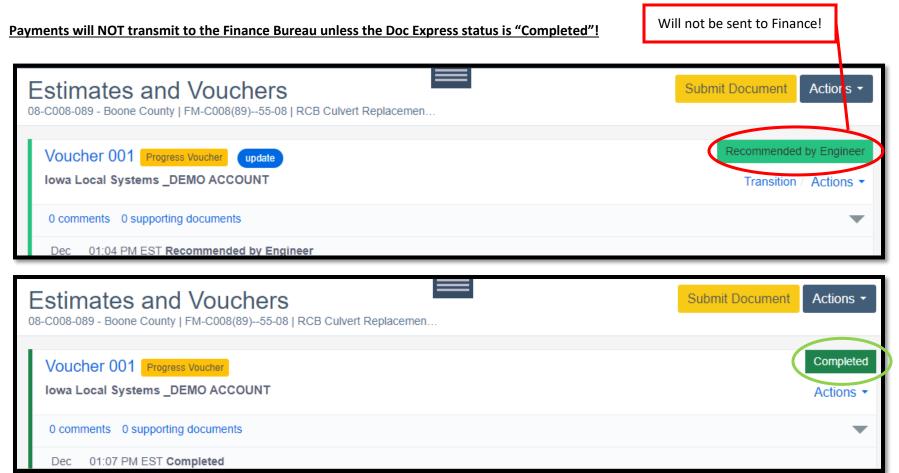
Sign the document by typing your name into the "Sign this document" box and check the box by the signature acknowledgment box. Signatures should ONLY be applied by the person with the authority to approve payments (the project engineer and/or the PIRC).

IF no additional signatures are needed in the workflow, check the box for "Transition document to final status of Completed?". If additional signatures are needed, leave this box un-checked. Then click the yellow "Save" button in the lower, right corner of the box.

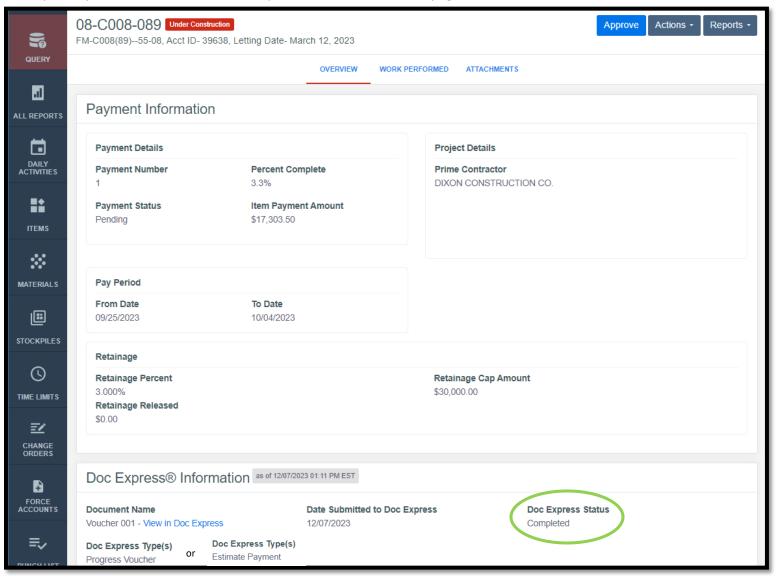


Check this box if no further signatures are required on the document. Otherwise, leave it un-checked.

The new status should now show on the right end of the line containing the document. If this status is "Completed", you are ready to return to the Payment in Appia. If not, transition the document until it reaches the "Completed" status.

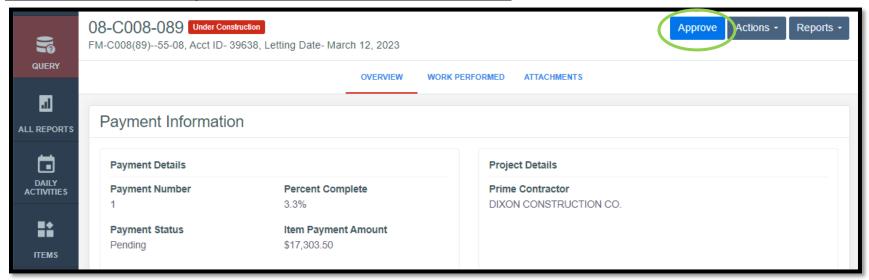


Once the document has been transitioned to a Completed status, navigate back to the Payment in Appia. The Doc Express Status shown should now say "Completed". If the status did not update, refresh the browser page.



Once the Doc Express status of "Completed" is showing in the payment and you are SURE the payment is ready to be submitted to the Finance Bureau for processing, click on the blue "Approve" button in the upper, right corner of the Payment screen. Do NOT approve the payment in Appia until the Payment has been transitioned to "Completed" in Doc Express. Appia will NOT automatically pull in the updated Doc Express status, and the payment will not be processed because the updated status is not reflected.

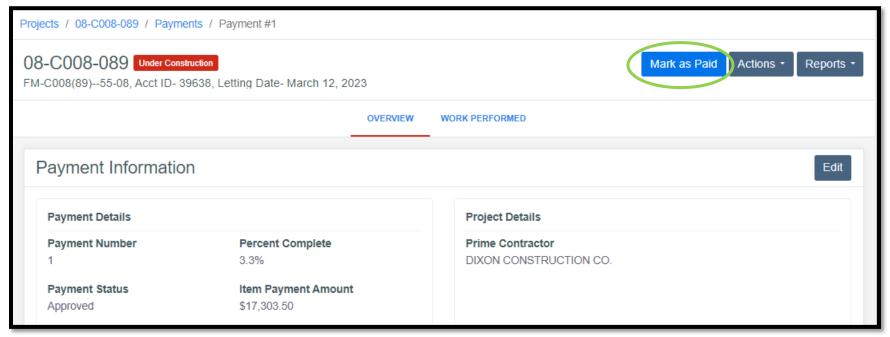
For contracts let in January 2024 or later, clicking "Approve" WILL send the payment to Finance. Do NOT email the payment report to the DOT.LocalSystems@iowadot.us email address also. Emailing the payment will cause confusion and errors. If you do not receive any communications to the contrary, YOUR PAYMENT WENT THROUGH SUCCESSFULLY.



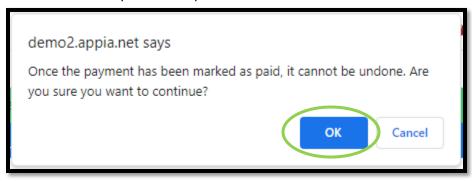
Once the payment has been made a Proof of Payment document will be uploaded to Doc Express by the Local Systems Bureau. Once the Proof of Payment has been uploaded <u>and the LPA has checked the Proof of Payment against their submitted Appia payment report</u>, the payment can be Marked as "Paid" in Appia.

Marking a payment as "Paid" is "undo-able". It will lock down all approved reports/entries in Appia made prior to the "Paid" date. This includes change orders and daily reports. Marking a payment as "Paid" is recommended in order to avoid payments from being intentionally or unintentionally un-approved and changed after they have already been submitted to the Finance Bureau for processing. However, do NOT mark a payment as "Paid" until you are sure are prior entries are in order.

To mark a payment as "Paid", click on the blue "Mark as Paid" button near the top, right corner of the Payment screen.



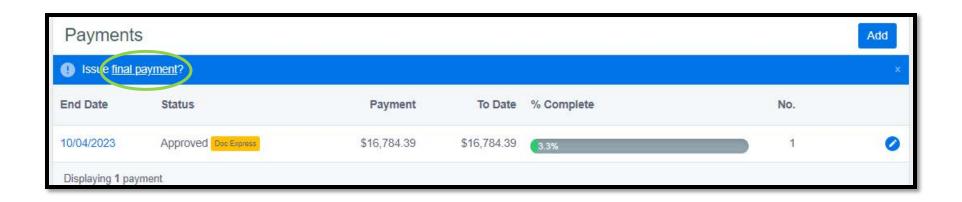
A pop-up box will appear near the top of the screen asking if you are sure you want to continue and that the action cannot be undone. Click the blue "OK" button if you want to proceed.



A green ribbon will appear at the top of the Payment screen saying, "The payment has been paid."

2) Making a Final Payment

When a local agency has completed the semi-final payment, and after the Administering Team has audited/reviewed the project or waived the audit/review, it is time to move forward with processing a final payment, which includes any remaining adjustments to bid items and retainage release. For projects subject to this section, Appia's final payment process must be utilized. This process includes the creation of a balancing change order, if the applicable setting did not get un-checked, and requires marking items and time limits as "complete". See the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process – Including Balancing Change Order</u> or the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process – Without Balancing Change Order</u> subsections for guidance on this process.



I. Early or Partial Retainage Release

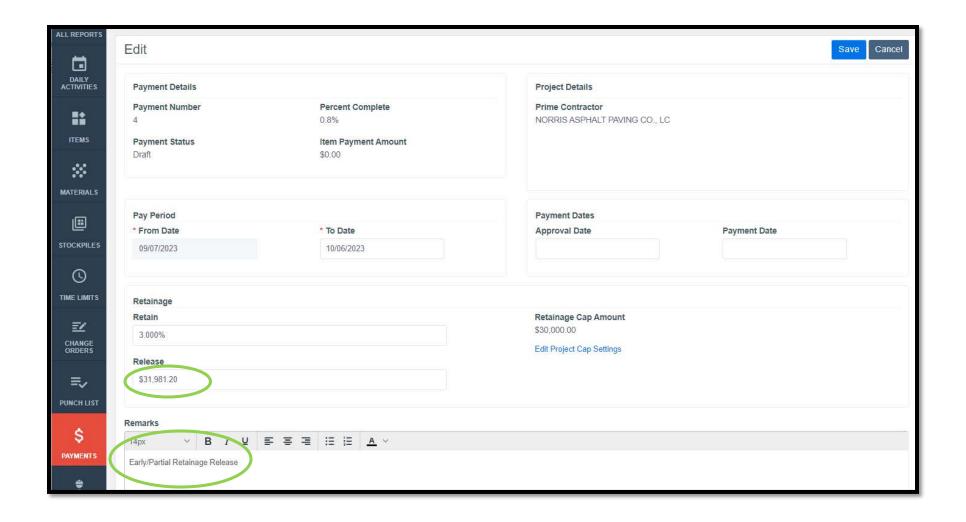
In the event a contractor requests an early/partial release of retained funds, a payment may be created for this purpose. Before completing any early/partial retainage release payments, refer to <u>I.M. 6.000</u>, <u>Attachment D</u> (section 2.28) and confirm with your <u>Local Systems Field Engineer</u> or Systems Planning Project Manager that a release is acceptable. Under no circumstances should a Local Public Agency release the full retainage until the project audit/review has been completed or waived by the Administering Team and the Administering Team has given the "ok" to release the retainage.

To create a payment with a partial retainage release, you will generate a standard payment in the same manner you've generated progress payments throughout the rest of the project. (See each of the previous subsections in this <u>Payments</u> section for instructions on creating payments.) Early retainage release payments should only include the retainage release and should not include any item progress payments. Appia will automatically include any item postings in the date range specified for the payment, so be sure to either run the payment for the retainage release in a week with no other item progress postings or keep the Daily Reports with the postings in draft status so they are not incorporated into the retainage release payment.

- To release retainage, simply enter the amount of retainage that needs to be released in the "Release" field. (The Retainage % should not need to be adjusted and can be left at the % used throughout the project.)
 - The value of retainage previously held on that contract can be found in the summary block on the last issued payment or on the "Overview" screen for the project. (Click "Save" to see the summary block on the "Overview" screen if in editing mode.)
- Remarks: In the "Remarks" field, enter "Early/Partial Retainage Release".
- From/To Dates: Double check that you are paying to the last date desired.
- Exclusions: Double check that any exclusions are appropriate before approving your payment.

Click the blue "Save" button in the top, right corner and submit the payment for approval as typical when all details have been entered. A "Detailed Payment" report can then be generated which will summarize the payment.

See screenshot on the next page.



J. Final Payment

When a local agency has completed the semi-final payment, and after the Administering Team has audited/reviewed the project or waived the audit/review, it is time to move forward with processing a final payment.

STOP: Do NOT make final payment and release retainage on a DOT-administered project unless the Administering Team has completed or waived their audit/review and has given the "ok" to make final payment.

Two processes exist for generating a final payment.

- 1. Standard Payment Process: See the Standard Payment for Final Payment subsection for guidance.
- 2. Appia's Final Payment Process: See the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process Including Balancing Change Order</u> or the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process Without Balancing Change Order subsection</u>, whichever is applicable.

Please refer to the guidance below for the appropriate final payment option.

Reimbursement Projects

City Projects & County Projects NOT on the Farm-to-Market System

May use either the Standard Payment Process or Appia's Final Payment Process (recommended)

Contractor Payment System (CPS) Projects

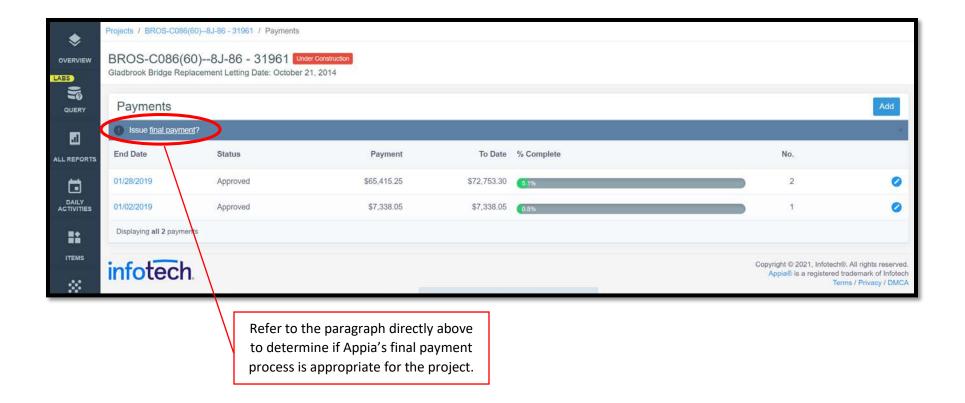
County Projects ON the Farm-to-Market System LET PRIOR TO JANUARY 2024

May use either the Standard Payment Process or Appia's Final Payment Process (recommended)

Appia Auto-Pay Projects

County Projects ON the Farm-to-Market System LET ON OR AFTER JANUARY 2024

Use Appia's Final Payment Process only.



Note: For county projects paid through the FM account, a Board of Supervisors signature is required on the final payment. If a signature line has not been created for the Board already, please create it prior to creating the final payment. See either the Default Settings or Project Settings sections of the <u>Appia Project Creation & Account Management Instructions</u> for setting up signature lines on payment reports.

1) Standard Payment for Final Payment

To create a final payment report using the standard payment method, you will generate a standard payment report in the same manner you've generated progress payment reports throughout the rest of the project. (See each of the previous subsections in the <u>Payments</u> section for instructions on creating payment reports.)

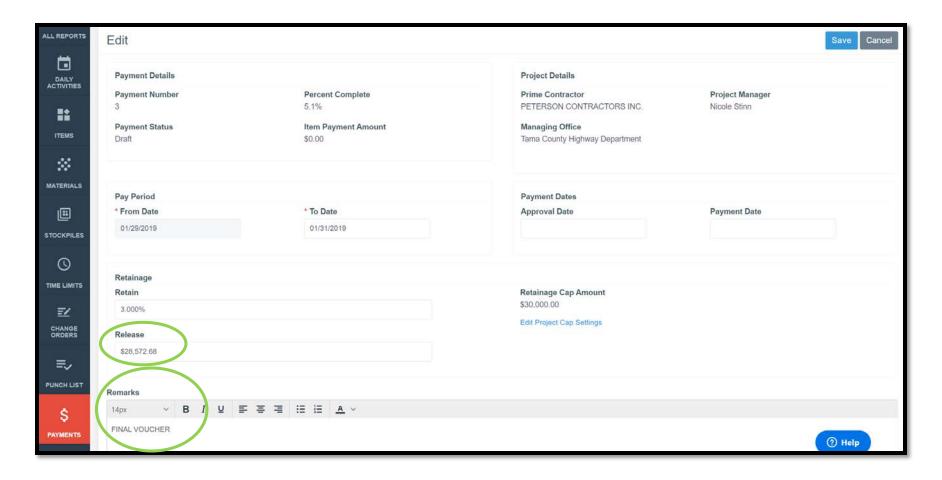
The only difference between the final payment and estimate payments will be the remark entered and the value entered in the "Release" field.

- Retainage Release: For the retainage release, simply enter the amount of retainage that needs to be released in the "Release" field. Do not adjust the Retainage %. Leave it at the % used throughout the project.
 - o The value of retainage previously held on that contract can be found in the summary block on the last issued payment report or on the "Overview" screen for the project. (Click "Save" to see the summary block on the "Overview" screen if in editing mode.)
- Remarks: In the "Remarks" field, enter "FINAL VOUCHER".
- From/To Dates: Double check that you are paying to the last date desired.
- Exclusions: Make sure there are no exclusions (or no desired exclusions) before approving your final payment since this is the last payment on which any items will be paid.

STOP: Do NOT make final payment and release retainage on a DOT-administered project unless the Administering Team has completed or waived their audit/review and has given the "ok" to make final payment.

If the Administering Team has completed or waived the project audit/review and has given the "ok" to make final payment, click the blue "Save" button in the top, right corner and submit the payment for approval as typical when all details have been entered. A "Detailed Payment" report can then be generated which can be downloaded and then uploaded to Doc Express for inclusion with the final packet. Please see the <u>Doc Express Naming Convention</u> to determine the appropriate drawer and document name.

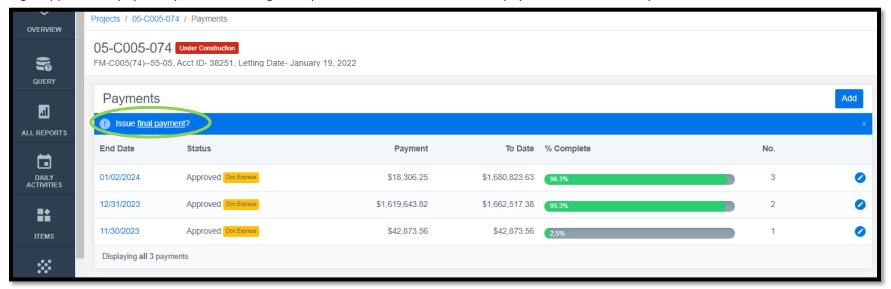
See screenshot on the next page.



AFTER the Administering Team has verified that the project is complete, the project audit is complete or waived, and the final payment generated above has been processed, then you may begin Appia's final payment process in order to move a project to "Completed" status and remove it from the "Under Construction" status project list. See the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process – Including Balancing Change Order</u> or the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process – Without Balancing Change Order</u> subsection, whichever is applicable, for guidance on completing that process.

2) Appia's Final Payment Process – Including Balancing Change Order

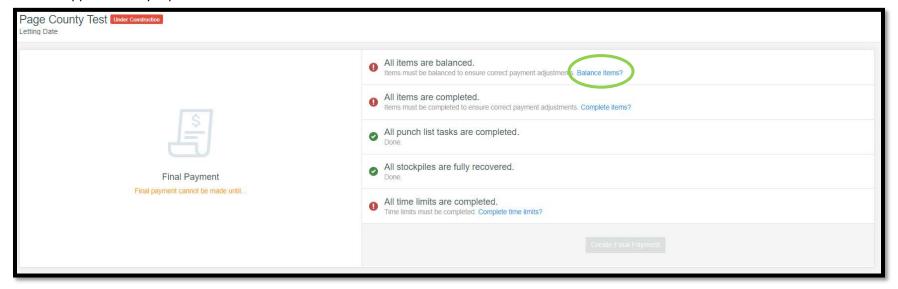
AFTER the Administering Team has verified that the project is complete and all necessary reviews and audits have been completed, you may begin Appia's final payment process. To begin the process, click on the "Issue final payment" link on the Payments screen.



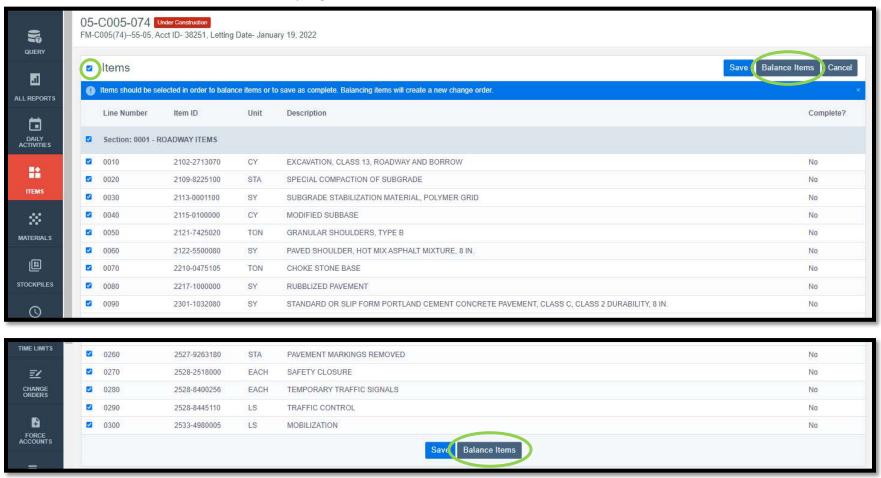
***Note: Appia's final payment cannot be completed on the same day as a regular payment. Therefore, you must wait at least one day after approving a normal payment to issue Appia's final payment, or you can adjust your normal payment so that the "To Date" does not include the current day.

This screen should appear. If the box was checked for the "Final Balancing Change Order Rule" in the Project Settings, a balancing change order will be required. If this is the case, first, click on the link to "Balance items". If the box was un-checked, the item for "All items are balanced" will be absent, and no balancing change order will be required to generate the final payment. If this is the case, see the Appia's Final Payment
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Project Settings and payment on the final balancing change order setting.)

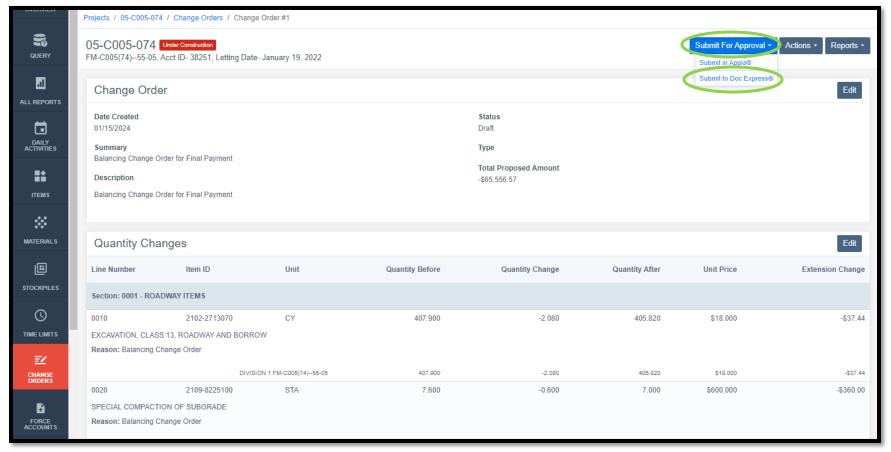
Clicking on "Balance items?" will cause a "Balancing Change Order" to be automatically created for all items <u>except</u> items marked as "lump sum" items. (This is partially why Local Systems asks you to remove lump sum "flags" from lump sum items in your reference data. See the <u>Appia Project Creation & Account Management Instructions</u> for removing lump sum "flags" from items.) A balancing change order changes the authorized quantities (original contract quantities or original quantities + change orders to date) to match the quantities that have been paid or are in an approved daily report.



Clicking on "Balance items" will bring up this screen. Check the "Items" box in the upper, left corner to select all items. Then, click the gray "Balance Items" button at the bottom or in the top, right corner.

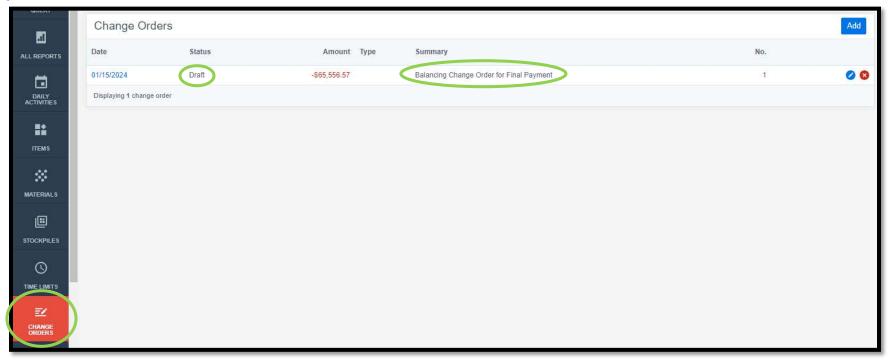


A screen like this should appear with a green ribbon across the top saying, "The items have been updated successfully". This is the newly created "balancing change order". Review the items, and then click the blue "Submit for Approval" button in the upper, right corner. A drop-down menu will appear. Select "Submit to Doc Express".

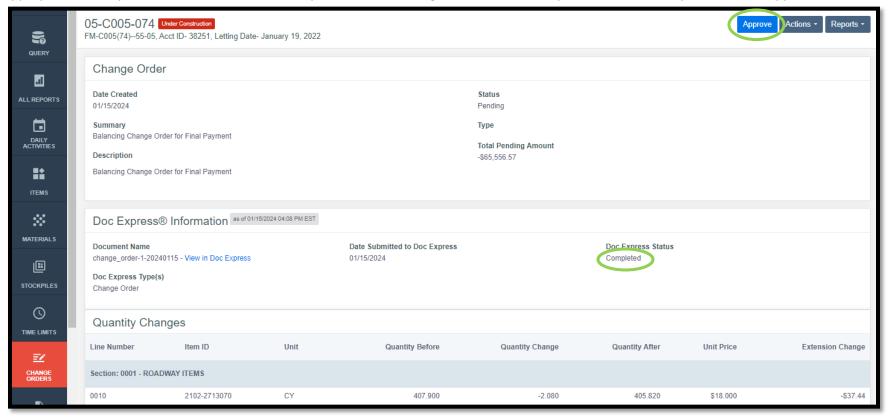


Follow the instructions in the <u>Submitting Change Orders for Approval Using the Doc Express Integration</u> section for submitting a change order through Doc Express.

Note: At this point, if you were to your Change Orders tab you would see that a change order has been created. Click to edit the change order to get back into it.

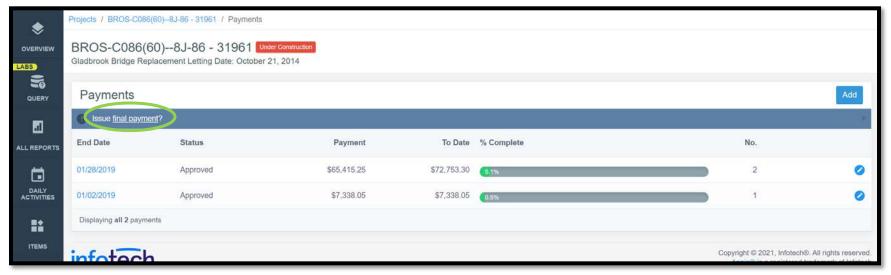


After clicking "Submit for Approval", an "Approve" button will show if you have an appropriate role type which can administer approvals. If the appropriate Doc Express transitions have been completed and the change order has a Doc Express status of "Completed", click "Approve".



^{**}Note: Any lump sum items are present in the contract which are still flagged as lump sum items will have to be "balanced" on a normal change order if the quantity placed does not equal the contract quantity. This must be done in order to issue a final payment.

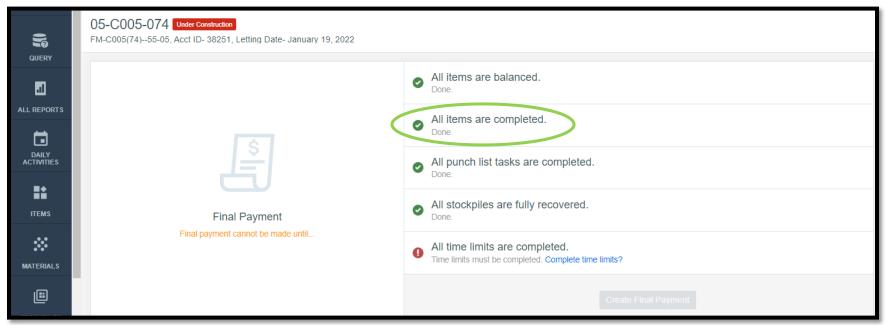
Now, go back to the Payments tab, and again click on the link for "Issue final payment".



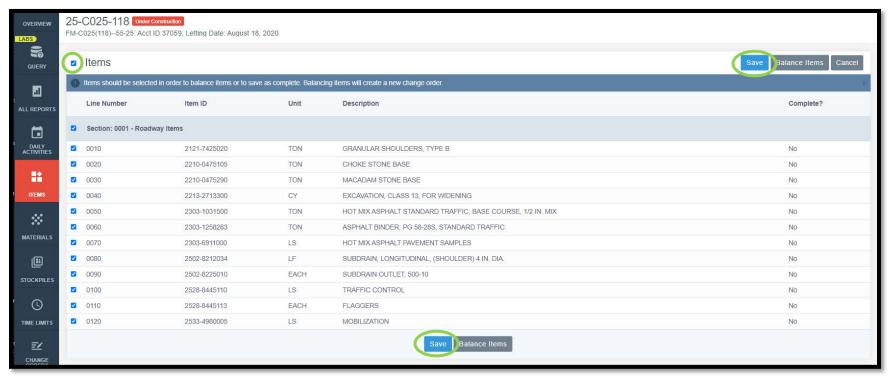
If the Final Payment screen shows a green check mark by the "All items are balanced" line, continue with marking items as complete. If not, please reference the <u>Troubleshooting Common Final Payment Issues</u> section.

Completing the balancing change order in the manner described above should have taken care of the second step in Appia's final payment process, which is marking all items as "complete".

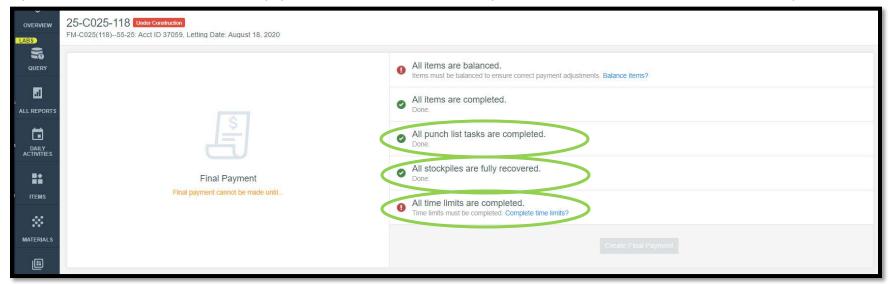
Note: The "All items are balanced" will not show a green check mark until the balancing change order has been approved. It cannot remain in pending or draft status.



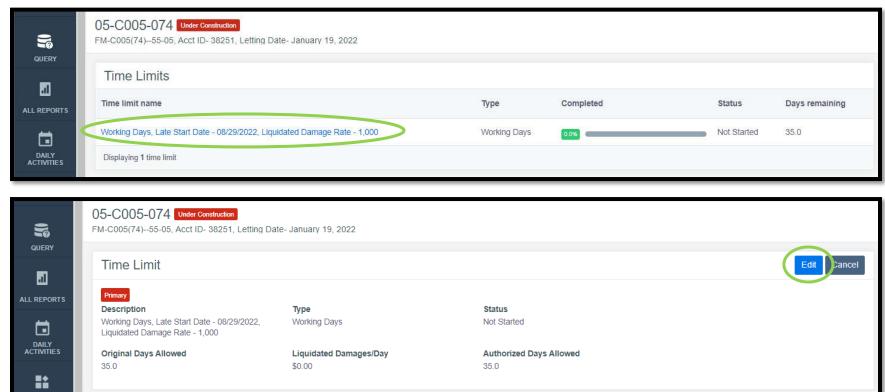
If the second item for all items being marked complete does not have a green check mark, click on the "Complete items" link and this screen will come up. Check the "Items" box in the upper, left corner to select all items. Then, click the blue "Save" button at the bottom or in the top, right corner.



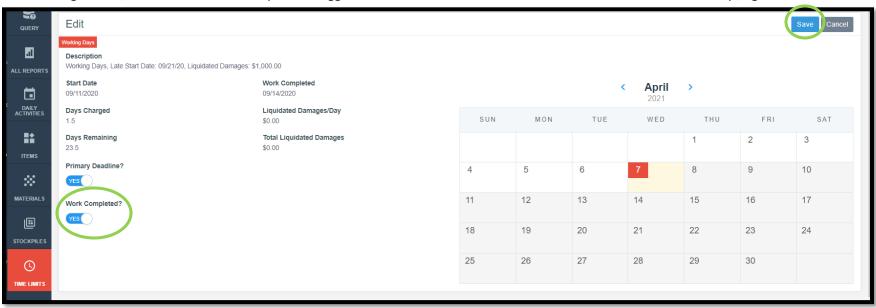
Continue completing any remaining steps in Appia's final payment process for punch lists and stockpiles. (Reminder: To get here, go to Payments and then click on the "Issue final payment" link.) Last, follow the "Complete time limits?" link to mark Time Limits as complete.



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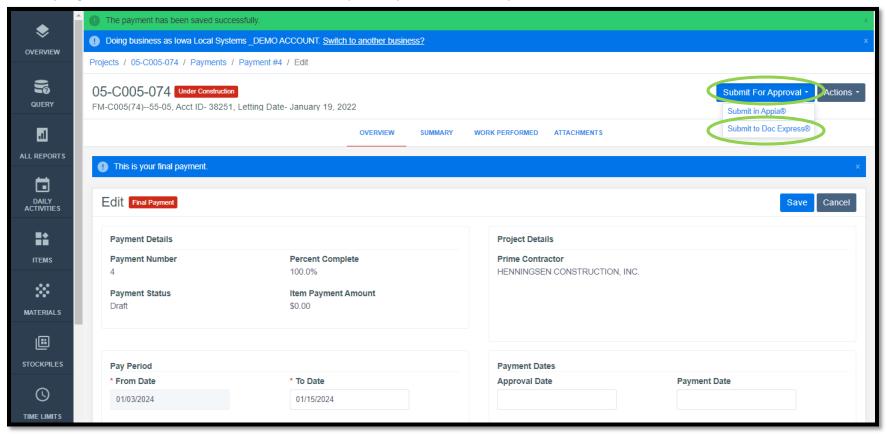
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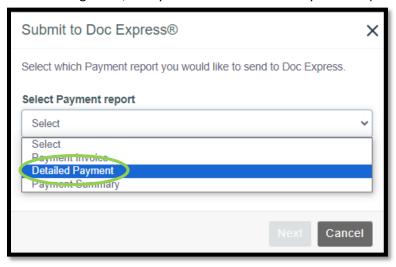
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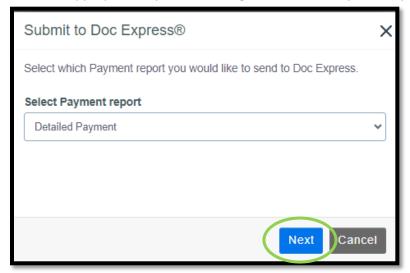
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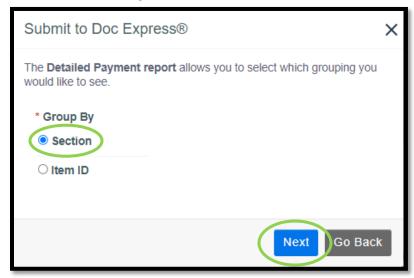
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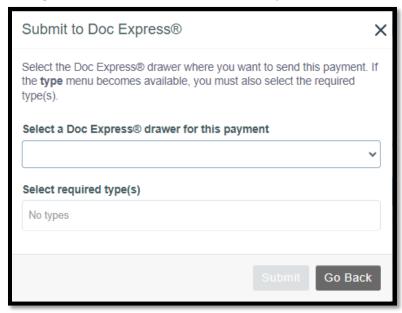
When the appropriate report is showing in the "Select Payment report" line, click on the blue "Next" button in the lower, right corner of the box.



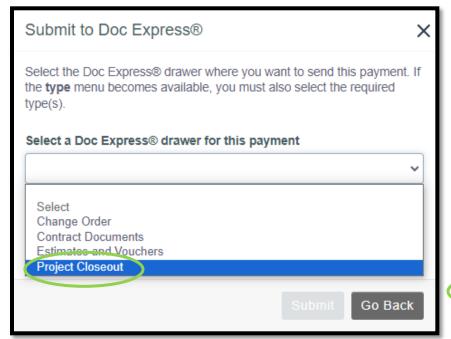
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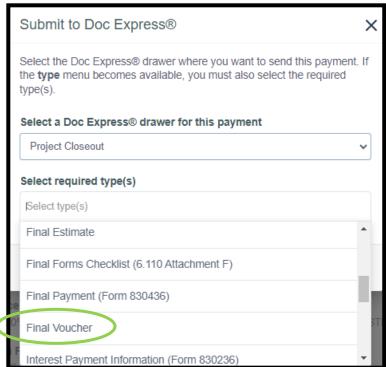


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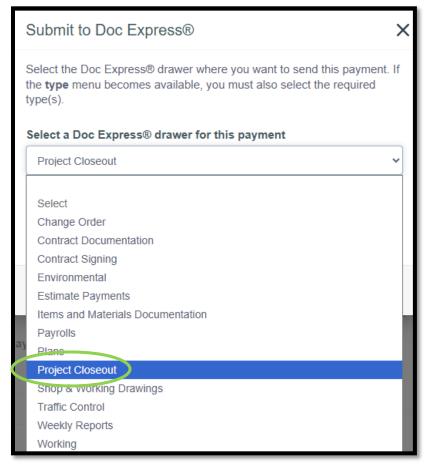


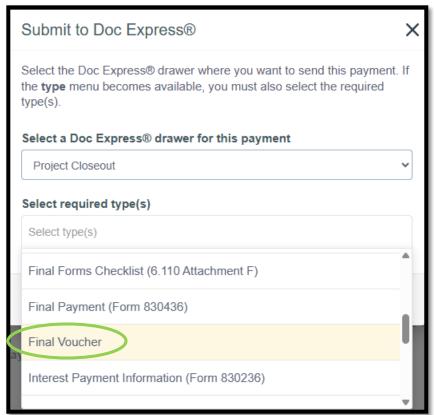
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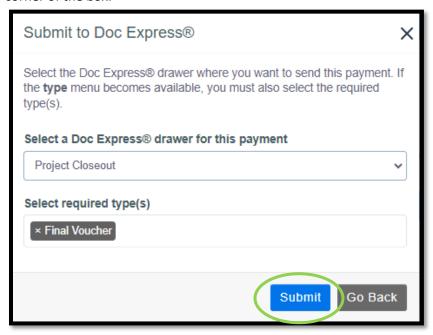


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Once the correct drawer and type have each been selected from the pull-down menus, click on the blue "Submit" button in the lower, right corner of the box.



You will be returned to the Payment screen where a green ribbon will appear at the top saying, "The payment has been submitted for approval successfully."

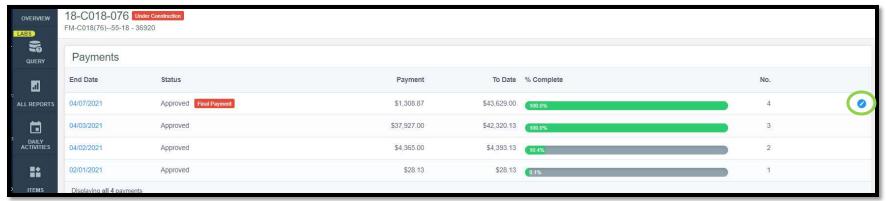
For the remainder of the approval process in both Doc Express and Appia, follow the instructions in subsection <u>Submitting Payment for Approval</u> within section <u>Approving & Submitting and Automated Payment - FOR COUNTY FM PROJECTS LET ON OR AFTER JANUARY 2024 ONLY</u>. Note, you will pick up mid-way through the <u>Submitting Payments for Approval</u> subsection after the instructions for submitting to Doc Express (similar to those shown in this section).

The Payments screen will now show Appia's Final Payment will a red "Final Payment" icon.

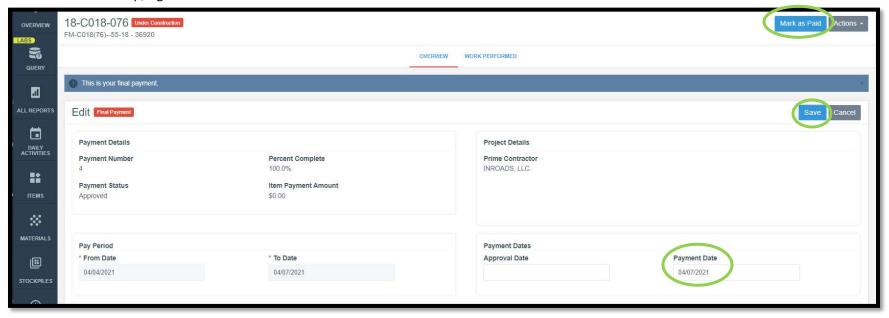


The last step is marking the payment as "Paid". This action will move your project to the "Completed" status, so it will no longer be listed with the projects in the "Under Construction" status. Make sure everything is complete before performing this action. THIS ACTION CANNOT BE UNDONE. Make sure you have received Proof of Payment and the Administering Team has fully closed out the project before marking the final payment as "Paid".

When ready, click on the blue circle icon with the pencil (shown above) to edit the payment information.



In the payment overview screen, enter the "Payment Date", and then click the blue "Save" button to the right. Last, click the blue "Mark as Paid" button in the top, right corner.



A pop-up box will appear saying, "Once the payment has been marked as paid, it cannot be undone. Are you sure you want to continue?". Click "Ok".

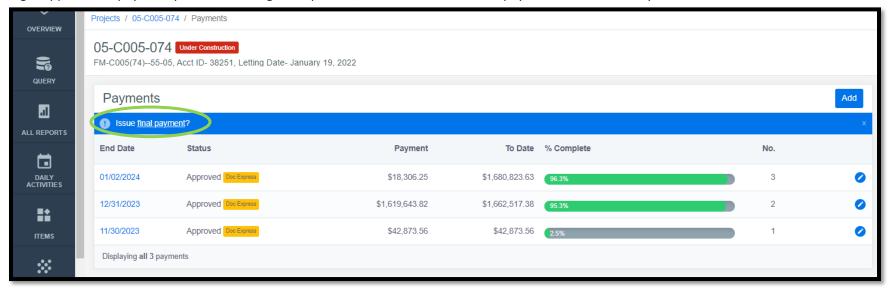


Your project is automatically moved to "Completed" status and will be listed there now.

Congratulations!!! You have successfully completed a project in Appia!

3) Appia's Final Payment Process – Without Balancing Change Order

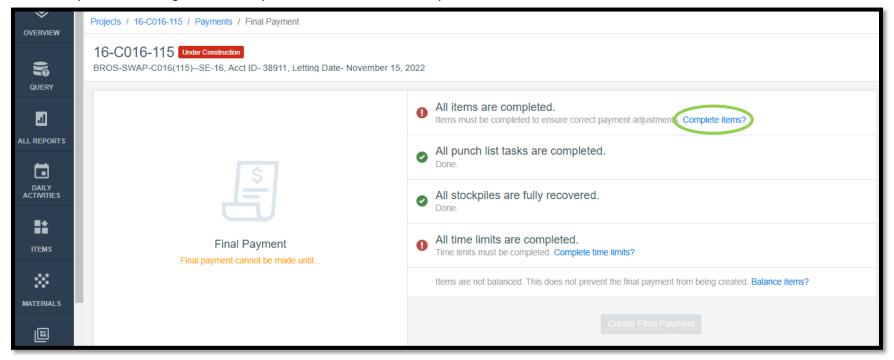
AFTER the Administering Team has verified that the project is complete and all necessary reviews and audits have been completed, you may begin Appia's final payment process. To begin the process, click on the "Issue final payment" link on the Payments screen.



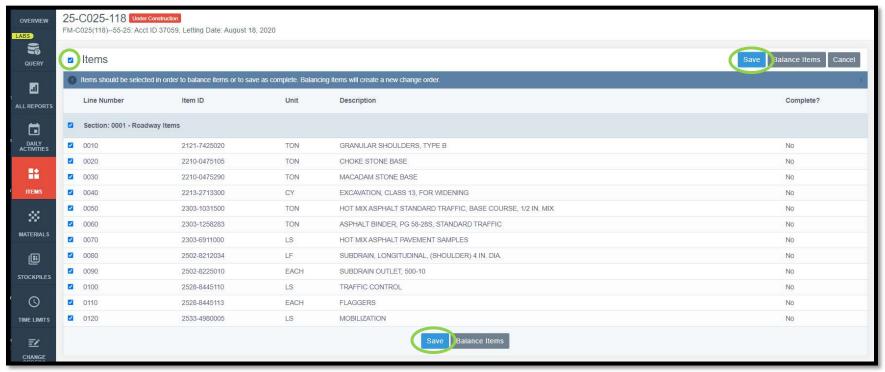
***Note: Appia's final payment cannot be completed on the same day as a regular payment. Therefore, you must wait at least one day after approving a normal payment to issue Appia's final payment, or you can adjust your normal payment so that the "To Date" does not include the current day.

This screen should appear. If the box was checked for the "Final Balancing Change Order Rule" in the Project Settings, a balancing change order will be required. If this is the case, see the <u>Appia's Final Payment Process – Including Balancing Change Order</u> section. If the box was unchecked, the item for "All items are balanced" will be absent, and no balancing change order will be required to generate the final payment. If this is the case, follow the guidance in this section. (See the Default Settings: Projects Settings and/or Project Settings sections of the <u>Appia Project Creation & Account Management Instructions</u> for further guidance on the final balancing change order setting.)

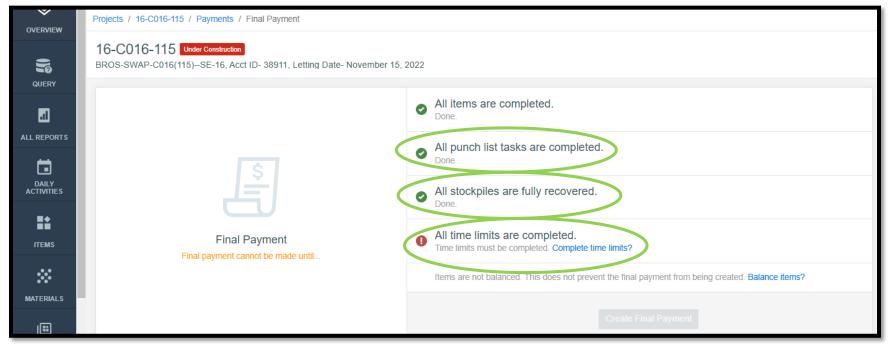
The first step will be marking all items complete. Click on the blue "Complete items" link.



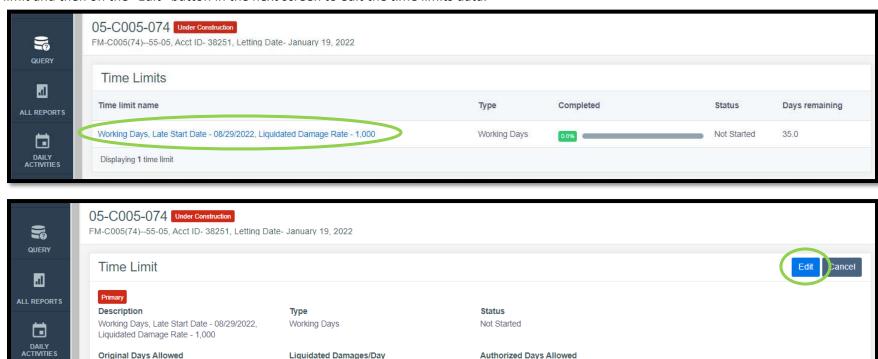
This screen will come up. Check the "Items" box in the upper, left corner to select all items. Then, click the blue "Save" button at the bottom or in the top, right corner.



Continue completing any remaining steps in Appia's final payment process for punch lists and stockpiles. (Reminder: To get here, go to Payments and then click on the "Issue final payment" link.) Last, follow the "Complete time limits?" link to mark Time Limits as complete.



Clicking on the "Complete time limits?" link will bring you to the Time Limits section. Click on the blue text of the name of the appropriate time limit and then on the "Edit" button in the next screen to edit the time limits data.



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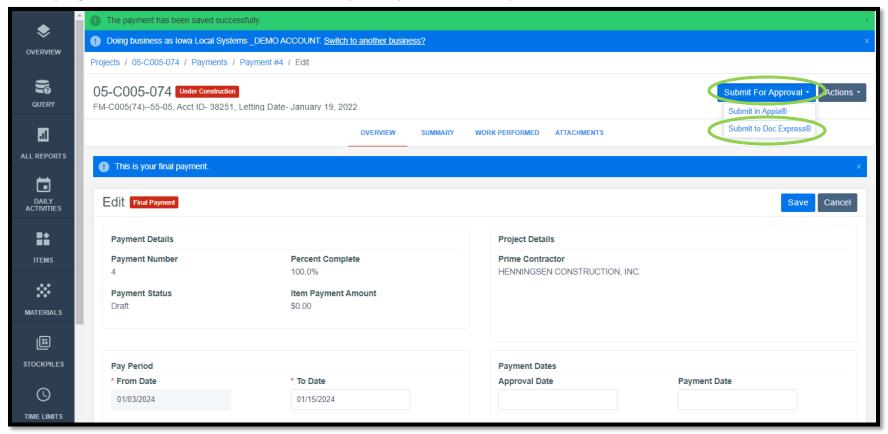
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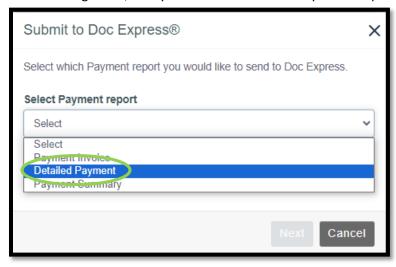
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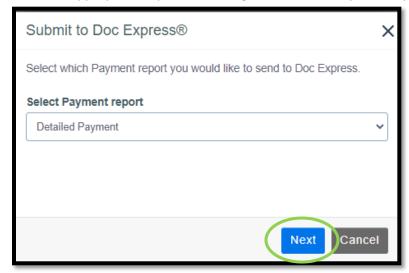
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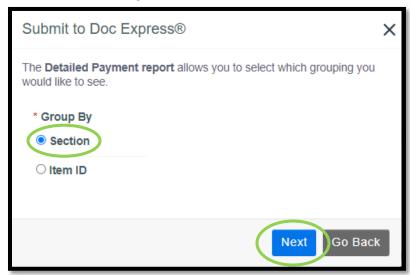
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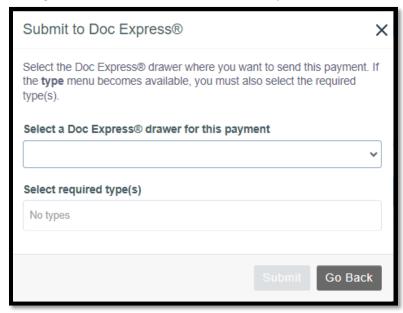
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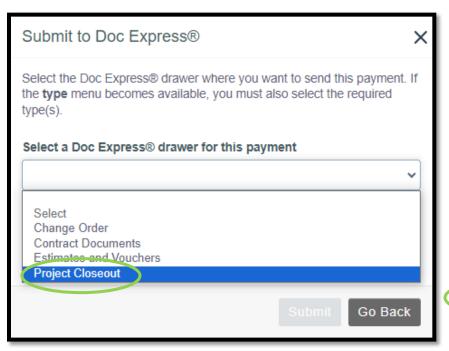
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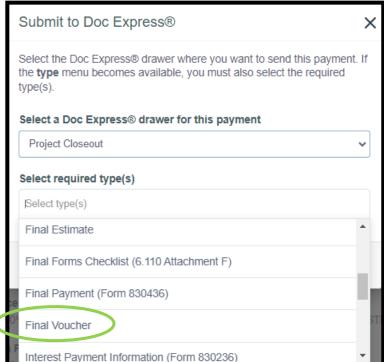


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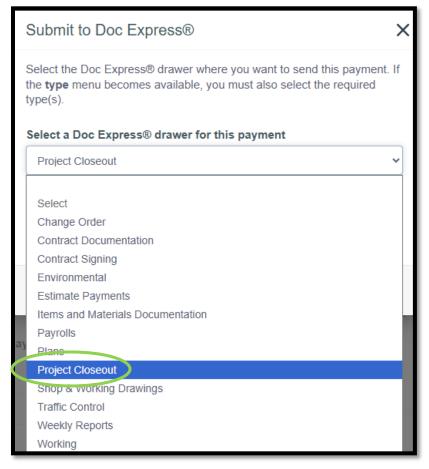


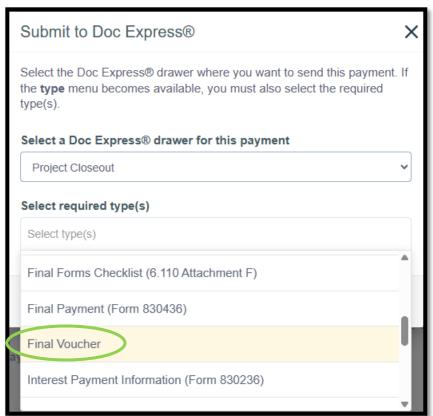
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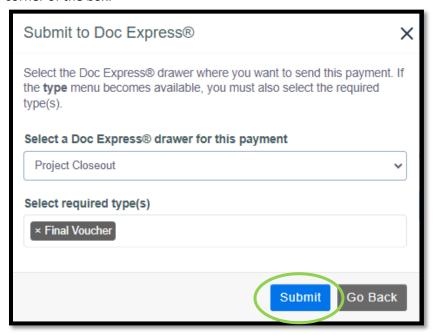


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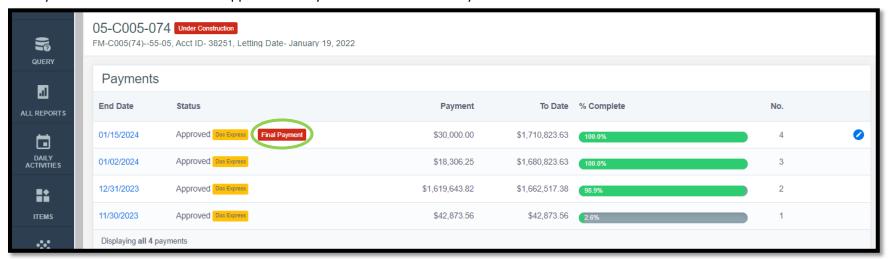
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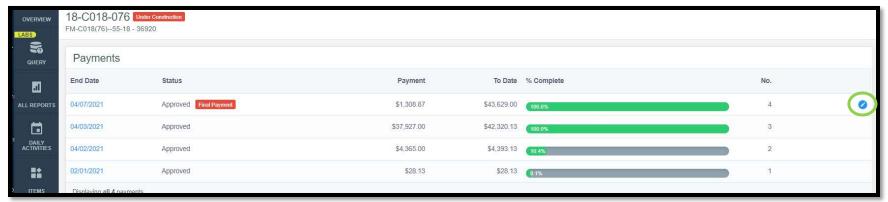
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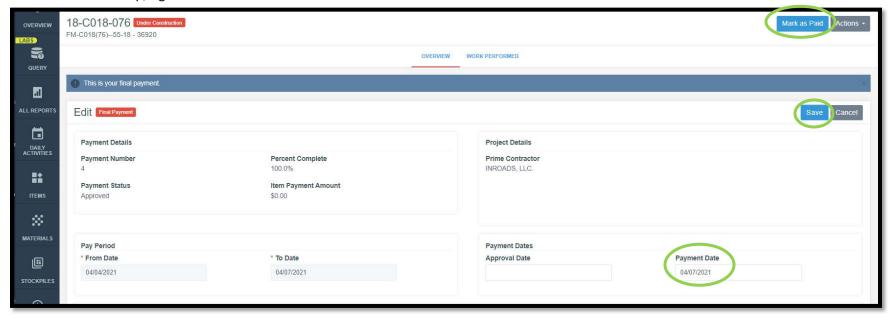


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When ready, click on the blue circle icon with the pencil (shown above) to edit the payment information.



In the payment overview screen, enter the "Payment Date", and then click the blue "Save" button to the right. Last, click the blue "Mark as Paid" button in the top, right corner.



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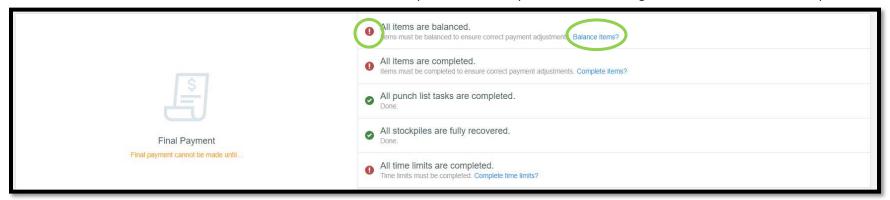
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4) Troubleshooting Common Final Payment Issues

Can't get items to show as "Balanced"

If the setting was left checked for "Require Final Balancing Change Order on Final Payment" and the Final Payment screen is still showing that you need to balance items, it is likely because you had some items identified as true Lump Sum items that did not get fully paid. For these items, you will need to create a change order to bring the unit price of each of the Lump Sum items to \$0.00 (if the item was not used) or to the appropriate final price for the item. To create a change order, see the Change Orders section.

After creating a change order to zero out/adjust the unit price of the Lump Sum items, create an Item Posting in a Daily Report for 1.000 units of each item. Do this even if less than 1.000 units of the item were completed. The unit price set in the change order is the new total item price.



I have a Daily Report that has been excluded, and Appia won't let me issue final payment. However, it won't let me edit my Daily Report.

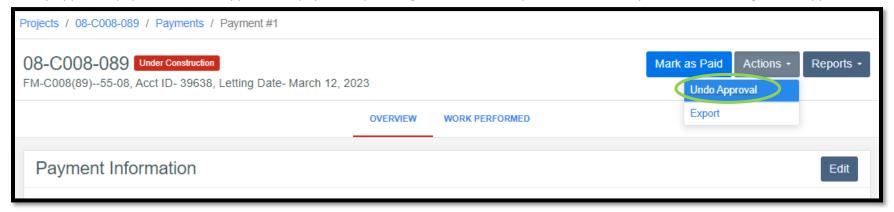
Go to the Payments screen. Delete the final payment by clicking on the red "x" at the right end of the line containing the payment. Now, you should be able to edit (approve or delete) the excluded Daily Report. After editing the Daily Report, re-do the Final Payment.

Payments						
End Date	Status	Payment	To Date	% Complete	No.	
07/19/2023	Draft Final Payment	\$120.15	\$4,005.00	190.0%	3	0
04/15/2023	Paid	\$761.45	\$3,884.85	100.0%	2	
04/04/2023	Paid	\$3,123.40	\$3,123.40	80.4%	1	

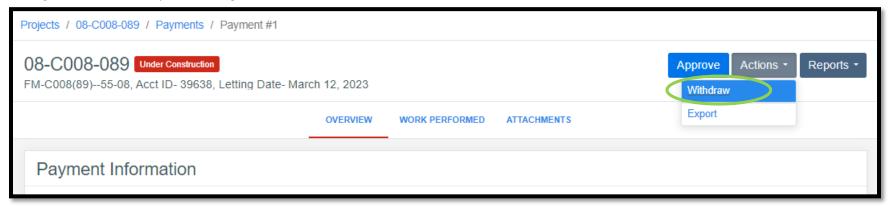
K. Editing a Payment

If you ever navigate away from the payments screen and need to get back in to edit a payment, simply go to the Payments tab on the left and then click on the blue circle with the pencil on the right side of the line containing the payment you want to edit. Payments can be edited until a payment date is entered. **Once a payment is marked as "Paid", it cannot be un-approved or edited.**

Payments can be edited, even after they have been approved, **but they should not be edited after a payment has been made**. To edit an already-approved payment, first un-approve the payment by clicking on the "Actions" pull-down in the Payment and selecting "Undo Approval".

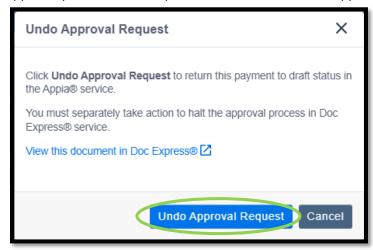


Then, go to the "Actions" pull-down again, and select "Withdraw".



If the payment was submitted for approval in Appia, the withdrawal action will take place as soon as you click on Withdraw.

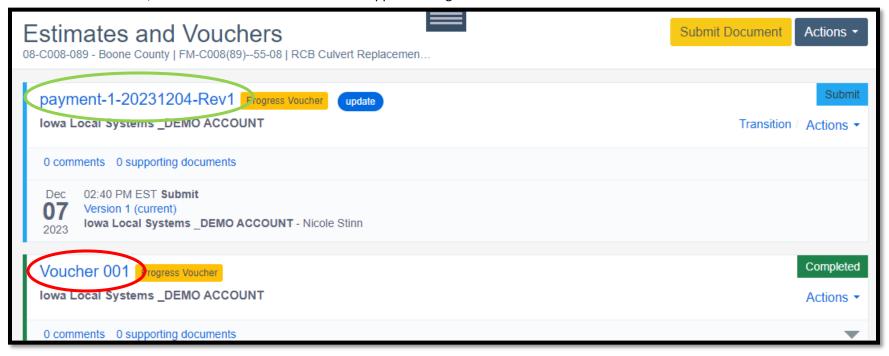
If the payment has been submitted to Doc Express via Appia, a box will pop up telling you that you have to take separate action to halt the approval process in Doc Express. Click the blue "Undo Approval Request" button in the lower, right corner of the box.



Edit the payment as appropriate.

When the editing is finished, repeat the "Submit for Approval" step.

For projects using the "Submit to Doc Express" option, the revised document will be sent to Doc Express again. In Doc Express, the original document will still show, and the revised document will now appear having a "-Rev#" at the end of the file name.



Transition it to "Complete", and refresh the Payment in Appia to bring back in the updated status as advised in the <u>Submitting Payments for Approval</u> subsection under the <u>Approving & Submitting an Automated Payment - FOR COUNTY FM PROJECTS LET ON OR AFTER JANUARY 2024 ONLY section.</u>

Send a request to the Local Systems E-Construction administrator to delete or archive the prior created incorrect payment.

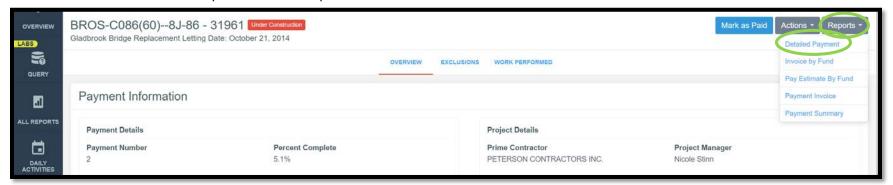
County projects on the Farm-to-Market system let on or after the January 2024 letting are subject to the automated payment process. For these projects, do NOT un-approve a payment and edit it after the Wednesday at noon submittal deadline unless instructed to do so by Finance or Local Systems or without notifying Niki Stinn in Local Systems. Un-approving a payment that has already been automatically submitted for processing may result in errors or delay of payment processing or in a payment being processed that shouldn't be processed.

A payment can be deleted by clicking on the circle with the red "x" on the right side of the line.



L. Generating a Payment Report (Payment)

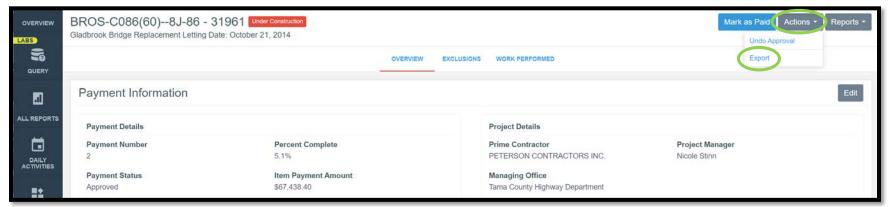
Payment reports are NOT generated from the "All Reports" tab. Instead, they are generated from the "Payments" tab. To generate a payment report, click into the relevant payment and then click on the "Reports" pull-down in the top, right corner. LPAs can choose any of the reports they want for their own purposes, but the "Detailed Payment" report should be used for submittals to the Iowa DOT (reimbursement requests and CPS submittals) unless requested otherwise by the Finance Bureau or the Administering Team. Any payment report chosen can be downloaded and saved and then uploaded to Doc Express.



Once the "Detailed Payment" report type is chosen from the drop-down menu, the following screen will appear. Select the "Section" radio button and then click the "Run Report" button in the top, right corner.



Additionally, a .csv payment report can be exported by choosing the "Actions" pull-down in the top, right corner and selecting "Export".



A few sample pages of the "Detailed Payment" report are shown here.



Tama County Highway Department

Detailed Payment

BROS-C086(60)--8J-86 - 31961

Description Gladbrook Bridge Replacement

Letting Date: October 21, 2014

Payment Number 2

Pay Period 01/03/2019 to 01/28/2019

Prime Contractor PETERSON CONTRACTORS INC.

104 BLACK HAWK

REINBECK, IA

Payment StatusApprovedAwarded Project Amount\$1,457,851.99

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Authorized Amount \$1,457,851.99

Line Number	Item ID	Unit	Unit Price	Authorized Quantity	Current Paid Quantity	Previous Paid Quantity	Total Quantity Paid To Date	Total Quantity Placed To Date	Current Payment Amount	Total Amount Paid To Date
Section: 1 -	- ITEMS FOR A 24	14'-0 X 3	0'-0 PRETENSI	ONED PREST	RESSED CONCE	RETE BEAM I	BRIDGE			
0010	2104-2710020	CY	\$4.500	5,700.000	1,066.667	0.000	1,066.667	1,066.667	\$4,800.00	\$4,800.00
EXCAVATI	TION, CL 10, CHAN	NEL								
Detailed Paym BROS-C086(6	nent: 60)8J-86 - 31961									04/06/2021 Page 1 of 9

Line Number	Item ID	Unit	Unit Price	Authorized Quantity	Current Paid Quantity	Previous Paid Quantity	Total Quantity Paid To Date	Total Quantity Placed To Date	Current Payment Amount	Total Amount Paid To Date
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PILES, STEEI	PILES, STEEL, HP 10 X 57									
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PILES, STEEI	L, HP 14 X 73									
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PREBORED I	HOLE									
0160	2507-2638650	SY	\$109.700	27.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	\$0.00	\$0.00
BRIDGE WIN	G ARMORING -	EROSIG	ON STONE							
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Detailed Payment:

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Line Number	Item ID	Unit	Unit Price	Authorized Quantity	Current Paid Quantity	Previous Paid Quantity	Total Quantity Paid To Date	Quantity Placed To	Current Payment Amount	Total Amount Paid To Date
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Time Charg	ges									
Time Limit			Original Deadline	Authorized Deadline	Charges This Period	Damaş This Peri		ys Completed To Date	Days Remaining To Date	Damages To Date
Late Start Date	2: 04/16/15		120.0 Days	120.0 Days	0.0 Days	\$0.	.00	0.0 Days	120.0 Days	\$0.00
									Total Damages:	\$0.00
Summary Current Appr	oved Work:				\$67,438.40	Approved Worl	k To Date:			\$75,003.40
Current Stock	xpile Advancen	nent:			\$0.00	Stockpile Adva	ncement To Da	nte:		\$0.00
Current Stock	xpile Recovery:				\$0.00	Stockpile Recov	very To Date:			\$0.00
Current Retai	inage:				\$2,023.15	Retainage To D	ate:			\$2,250.10
Current Retai	nage Released:	:			\$0.00	Retainage Relea	ased To Date:			\$0.00
Current Liqui	idated Damage	s:			\$0.00	Liquidated Dan	nages To Date:			\$0.00
Current Adjus						Adjustments To				\$0.00
Current Paym						Payments To Da				\$72,753.30
Previous Paym	nent:				\$7,338.05	Previous Payme	ents To Date:			\$7,338.05
Detailed Payment BROS-C086(60)-										04/06/2021 Page 8 of 9

Note: A "Stockpiles" section will be shown on this final page as well if any stockpile entries have been made.

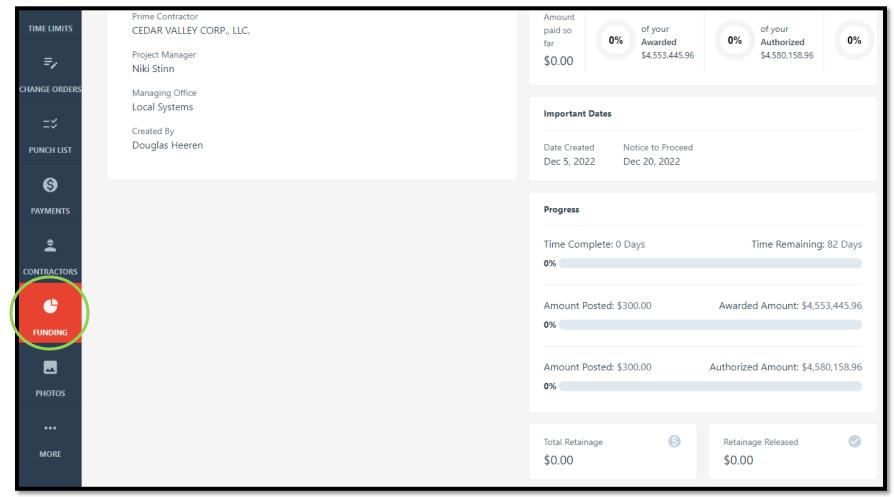
13 - Contractors

(Reserved for Contractors instructions)

This section is reserved for future instructions on the Contractors tab.

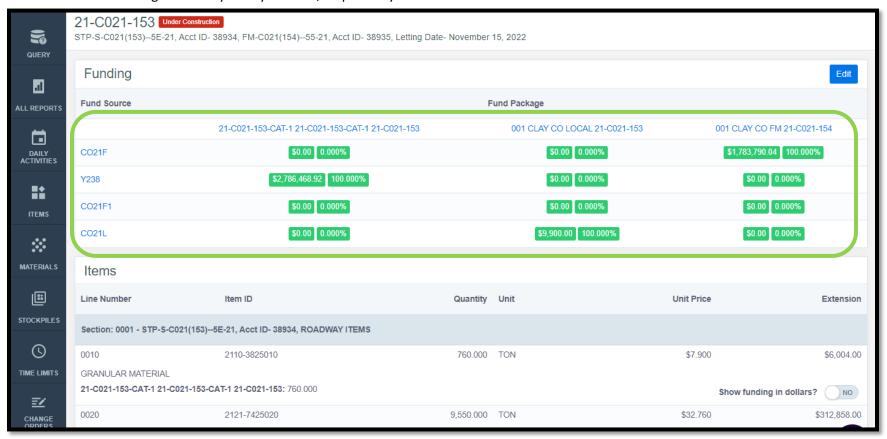
14 - Funding

To access the Funding details click on the "Funding" tab in the left menu.

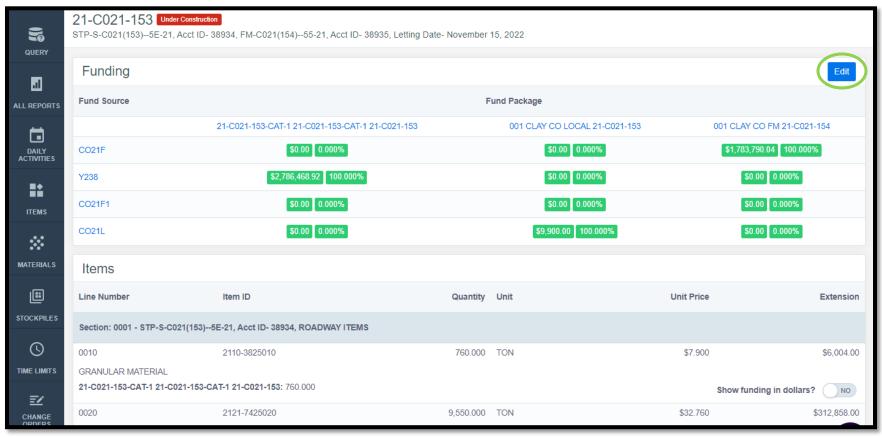


Clicking on Funding in the left menu will bring you to the Funding screen. Existing funding packages, sources, and associated amounts will be displayed. These amounts should match the funding sources shown on the Final Highway Funding sources document in Doc Express. LPAs do not generally need to be concerned with exactly what the funding codes mean as long as the values and porportions look generally correct. However, if the LPA does want/need to know abou the exact funding source codes, please reach out to the Secondary Roads Engineer (counties) or the Urban Engineer (cities) in the Local Systems Bureau.

Note: County FM funding will always be a CO##F or CO##F# code. Local county funding will be CO##L, and local city funding will be M####. With the ## or #### being the county or city number, respectively.



To add a new funding package or edit an existing package, click on the blue "Edit" button in the top, right corner.

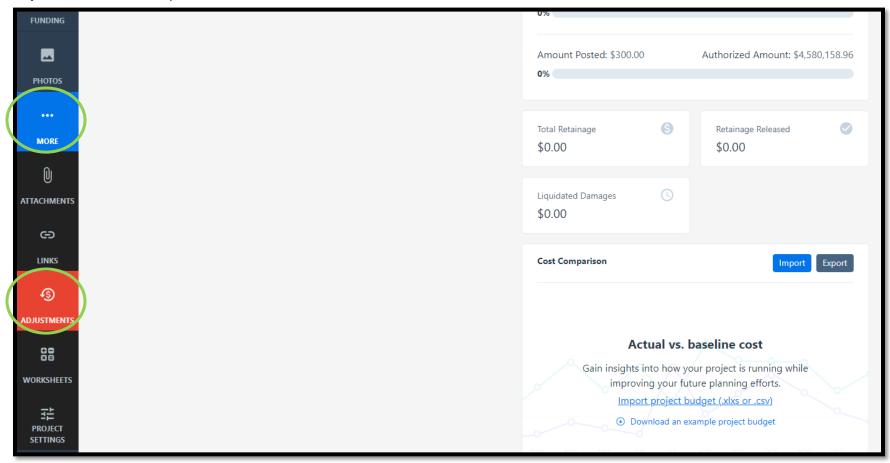


From this point, follow the guidance in Section 4 - Creating Funding Packages and Sources in the <u>Appia Project Creation & Account Management</u> Instructions.

15 - More: Adjustments

<u>Do NOT use Adjustments on ANY project administered through the Iowa DOT. The DOT requires any payment adjustments to be made via change order.</u>

If using Adjustments for non-DOT administered projects, Adjustments can be accessed by clicking on More in the left menu and then selecting "Adjustments" from the expanded sub-menu.



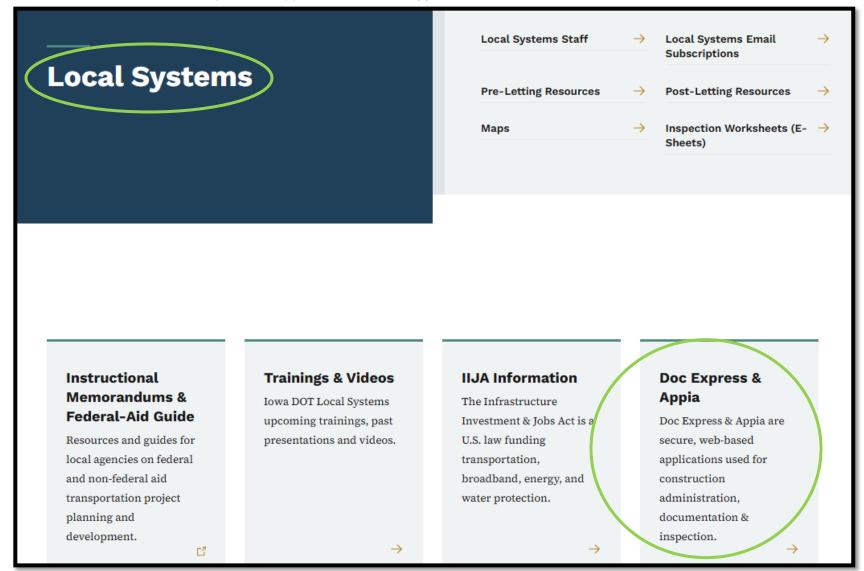
16 - More: Worksheets

(Reserved for Worksheets instructions)

This section is reserved for future instructions on Worksheets.

17 - More: Project Settings

For instructions on adjusting project settings, please see the "Project Settings" section in the "Project Creation and Account Management Instructions" located on the Doc Express and Appia website under "Appia® Guides".



Appia® Guides

- Appia® Project Creation & Account Management Instructions .pdf
- Appia® "Under Construction" Instructions -pdf
- API Documentation 🗗
- Worksheet Calculations -pdf

18 - Exporting Data: Export Reports (For Audit/Review by Local Systems)

(System Administrator access level required.)

You can download specific reports for any given project at any time. Available reports include:

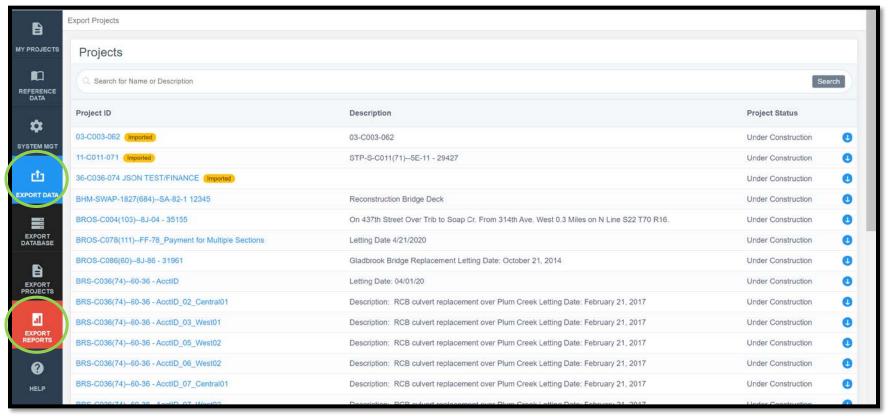
- Change Order Details
- Daily Report*
- Daily Diary
- Detailed Payment
- Item History
- Item Quantity Summary**
- Payment Invoice
- Payment Invoice by Fund (Fund Packages Only)
- Payment Invoice (with Fund Sources)
- Time Charges
- Worksheet History***

***This export will generate a file with individual PDF summaries for each of the bid items with the items' associated Worksheet entries. If Worksheets are used, these Worksheet History summaries will need to be uploaded (per item) to DocExpress for audit.

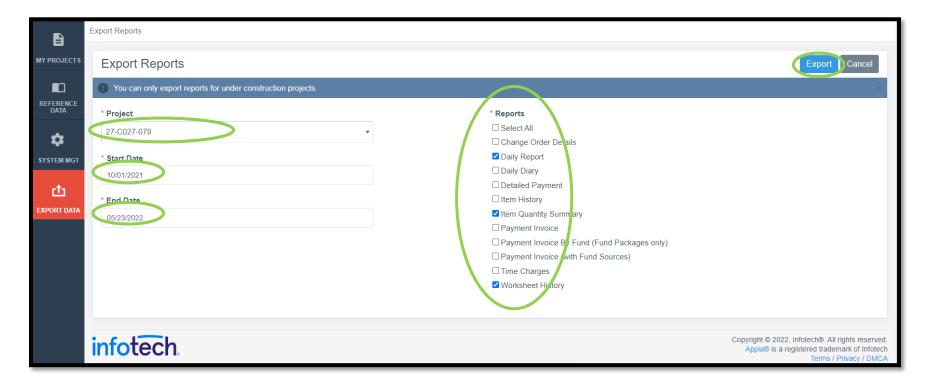
^{*}This export will generate a file with PDF summaries of each of the daily reports. These PDFs can be merged together if desired.

^{**} This export will generate a file with individual PDF summaries for each bid item with all of the item posting (quantity entry) information including any locations or remarks recorded. When a project is ready for audit/review, the Local Systems field staff will require the local agency to upload each of these Item Quantity Summary reports to DocExpress.

To download these reports, click on "Export Data" in the left menu on the main project listing screen. Then click on "Export Reports" in the expanded sub-menu.

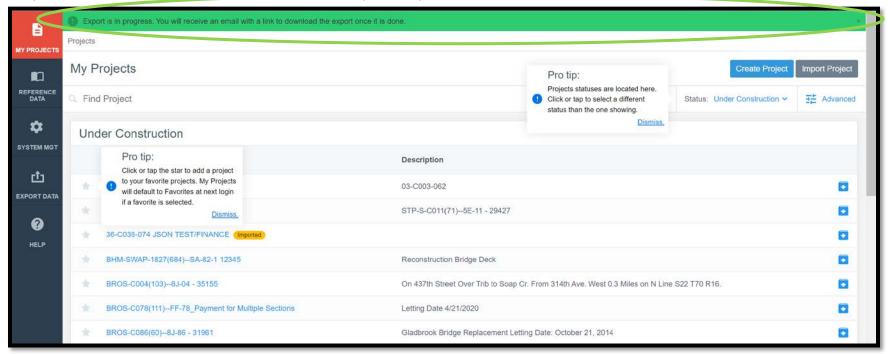


You will be brought to this "Export Reports" screen. Select the desired project from the pull-down menu and enter the desired dates in the "Start Date" and "End Date" boxes. Reports will only be generated for the date range covered between the start and end dates entered. In the "Reports" column on the right side, check the box for any/all reports you want to be generated. Click on "Export".

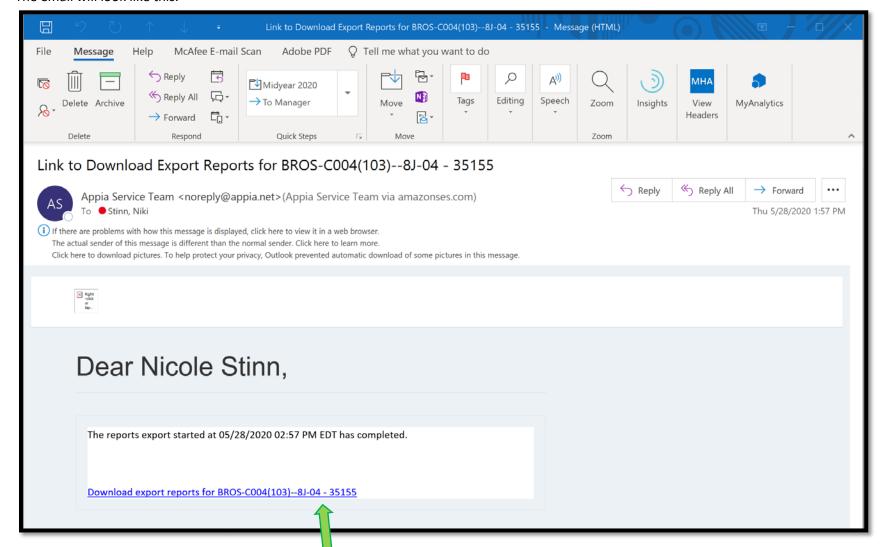


The two specific exports that Local Systems staff will need for auditing/review purposes are "Daily Report" and "Item Quantity Summary". Once extracted the "Daily Report" reports can all be merged into one PDF and placed in the Diaries drawer in Doc Express. The Item Quantity Summary reports should each be named according to the item and the naming convention and uploaded to Doc Express in the "Items and Materials" drawer as shown in the Doc Express naming convention.

You will be brought back to the project listing screen where a green ribbon will be displayed across the top saying the export is in progress and that you will receive an email with a link to download the exported reports.

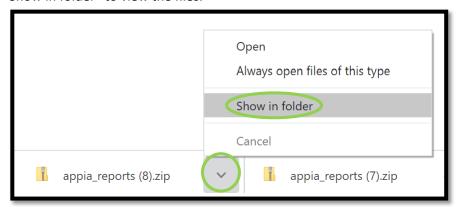


The email will look like this.

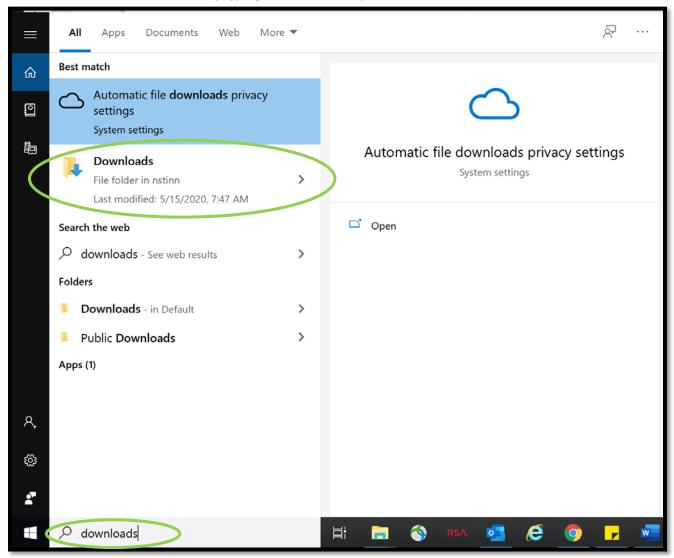


Click on the link here to download the project data.

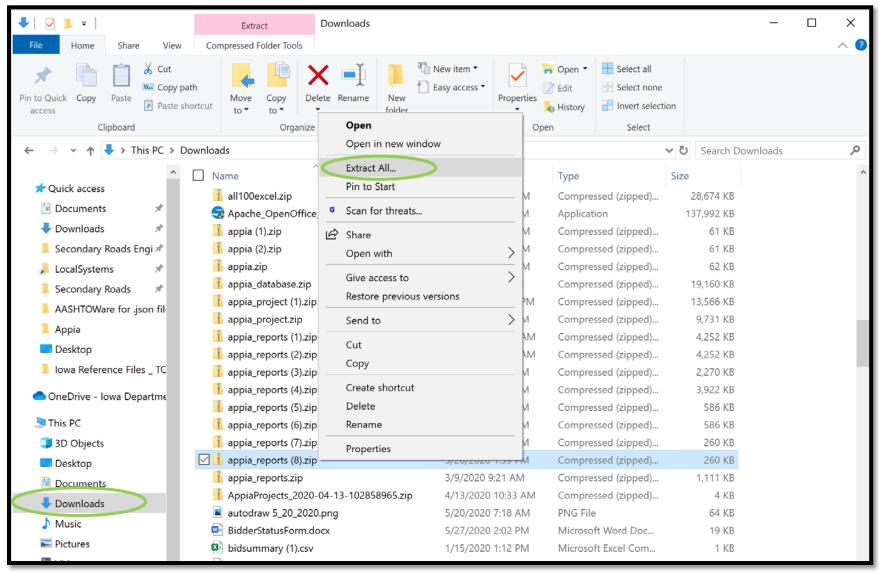
Depending on your browser, your file download may show up at the bottom like this. Click on the arrow to the right of the file name and then "Show in folder" to view the files.



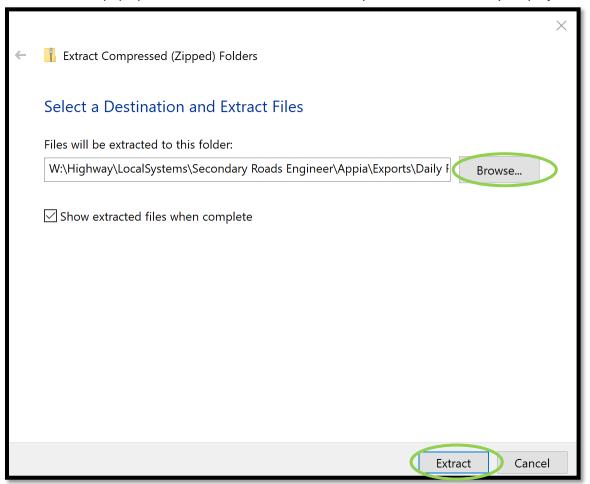
Alternately, once you have clicked on the link in the email, your zipped file can be found in the "Downloads" folder in your file explorer. The "Downloads" folder can be found by typing "downloads" in your search bar.



Whichever path is taken to download the file, you should arrive here. Right click on your file and select "Extract All...".



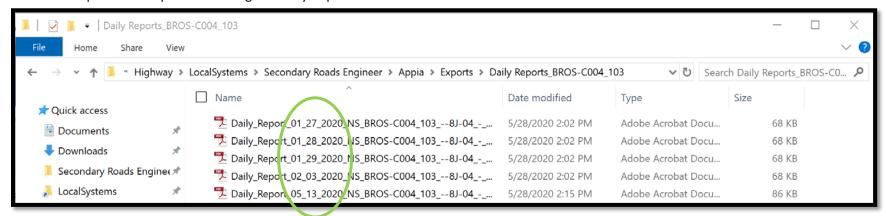
This window will pop up. Browse to find the location where you would like to save your project data.



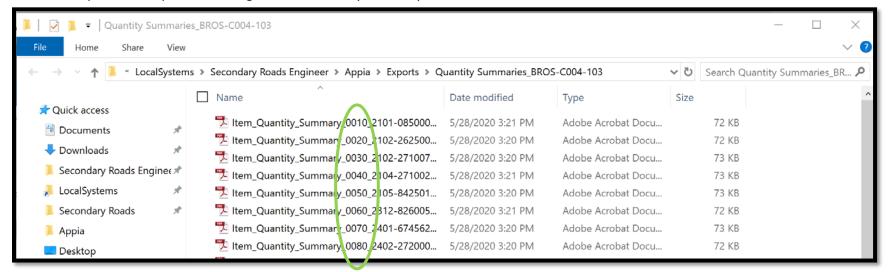
When you have selected the appropriate file in which to save your data, click "Extract".

A new file explorer window will open showing the folder with the extracted files.

Here is a sample of the export containing the Daily Report files. Note the dates in the file names.



Here is a sample of the export containing the Item Quantity Summary files. Note the Item numbers in the file names.

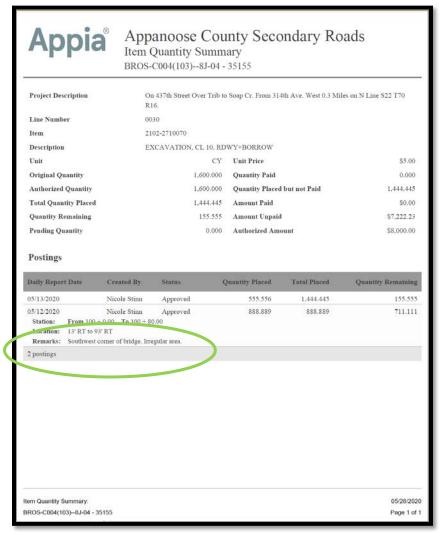


A sample "Daily Report" report is shown here.



Line Number	Item ID	Unit	Unit Price	Quantity Placed	Posted Amoun	
Section: 0001 - I	TEMS FOR A 100'-0 X 24	r-6 CONTINUO	DUS CONCRETE SLAI	B BRIDGE		
0030	2102-2710070	CY	\$5.000	555.556	\$2,777.7	
EXCAVAT	ION, CL 10, RDWY+BOR					
			Funding Details	Contractor: CUNNI	NGHAM•REIS, LLO	
Default Fu	ınd Package		I thought the	555.556	\$2,777.7	
0070	2401-6745625	LS	\$10,000.000	0.250	\$2,500.0	
RMVL OF	EXISTING BRIDGE					
				Contractor: CUNNI	NGHAM-REIS, LLC	
Default Fr	and Package		Funding Details	0.250	\$2,500.0	
2 item postings	into a armigr				d Amount: \$5,277.7	

A sample "Item Quantity Summary" report is shown here. Note the remarks and location information shown. This is the most similar report in Appia to the standard DOT .xlsx "E" sheets widely used for recording quantities.

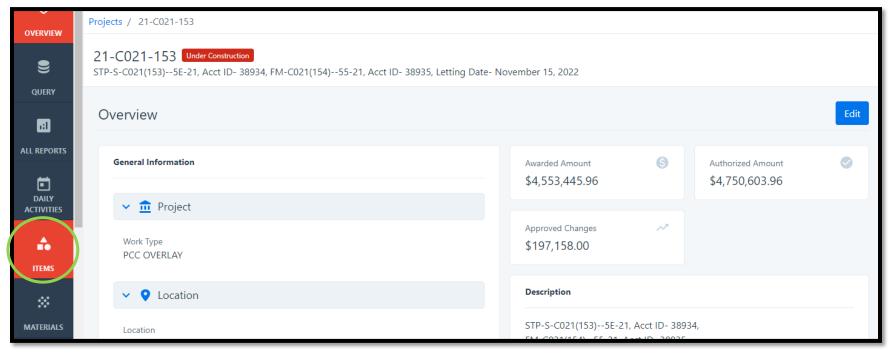


19 - EZ Forms Exports

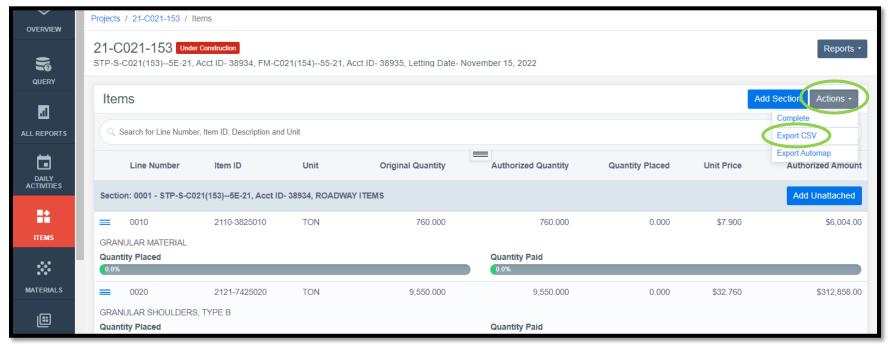
A. EZ Forms (E-Sheets)

The EZ Forms workbook is an automated workbook that assembles all the E-Sheets for a contract. It provides integrated tracking capabilities for item certifications and testing requirements and includes links to specification sections and other useful references. The EZ Forms workbook is not yet available online. However, a copy can be requested from the LPA's <u>Local Systems Regional Field Technician</u>.

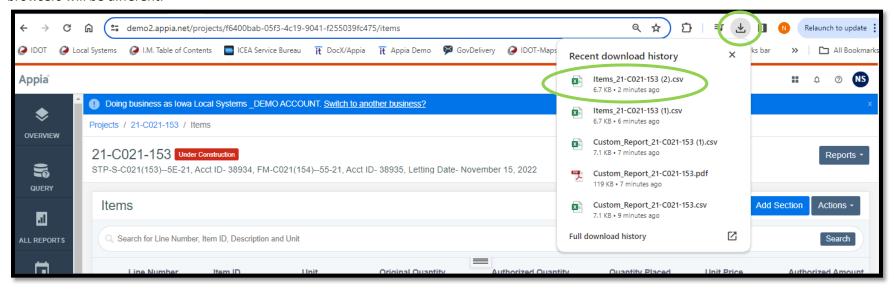
You can export an Items report from Appia that can be loaded into the EZ Forms workbook. To generate the Items report for the EZ Forms Workbook, click on Items in the left menu.



In the Items screen, click on the gray "Actions" near the upper, right corner. Then select, "Export CSV" from the pull-down menu.



A .csv file will download in your browser. This is an example of where the download can be accessed from the Google Chrome browser. Other browsers will be different.



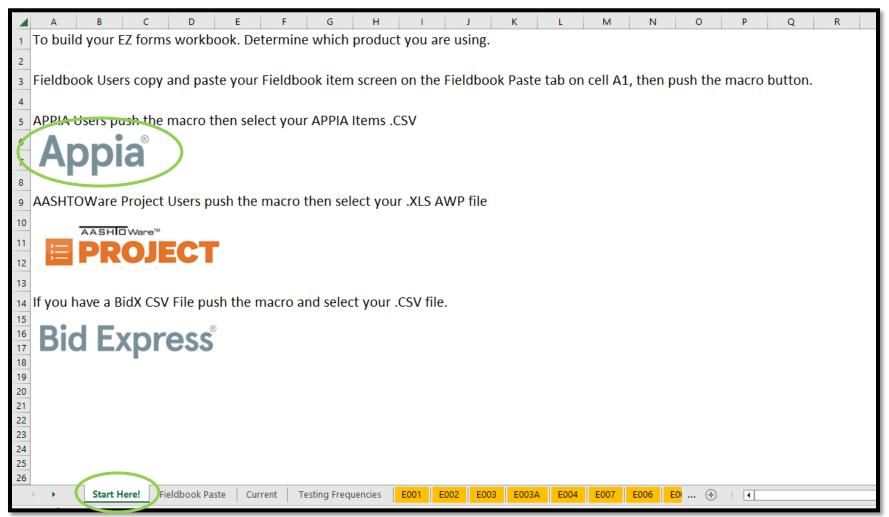
The downloaded file will look like the following. It should have no header information except the column labels and should contain these exact columns in this exact order.

- Section Number
- Section Description
- Line Number
- Item ID
- Description
- Supplemental Description
- Unit
- Original Qty
- Authorized Qty
- Qty Placed
- Unit Price
- Authorized Amount

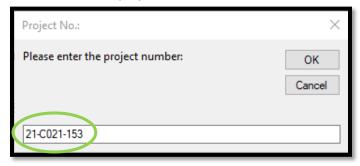
1	Α	В	С	D	E	F	G	Н	1	J	K	L	М
1	Section N	Section De	Line Num	Item ID	Descriptio	Suppleme	Unit	Original Q	Authorize	Qty Place	Unit Price	Authorized	d Amou
2	1	STP-S-C02	10	2110-3825	GRANULA	R MATERIA	TON	760	760	0	7.9	6004	
3	1	STP-S-C02	20	2121-7425	GRANULA	R SHOULDE	TON	9550	9550	0	32.76	312858	
4	1	STP-S-C02	30	2214-5145	PAVEMEN	TSCARIFIC	SY	74947	74827	0	1.35	101016.5	
5	1	STP-S-C02	40	2301-0690	BRIDGE AF	PROACH,	SY	97.8	97.8	0	200	19560	
6	1	STP-S-C02	50	2301-1032	STANDAR	OR SLIP F	SY	2813	2813	210	68.15	191706	
7	1	STP-S-C02	60	2301-9091	RUMBLE S	TRIP PANE	EACH	6	9	0	25	225	
8	1	STP-S-C02	70	2310-5151	PORTLANI	CEMENT	CY	12491	12491	20	112.95	1410858	
9	1	STP-S-C02	80	2310-5151	PORTLANI	CEMENT	SY	74947	74947	0	4.5	337261.5	
10	1	STP-S-C02	90	2315-8275	SURFACIN	G, DRIVEW	TON	1140	1140	0	35.05	39957	
11	1	STP-S-C02	100	2316-0000	PAYMENT	ADJUSTME	EACH	58320	58320	0	1	58320	
12	1	STP-S-C02	110	2505-4008	REMOVAL	OF STEEL E	LF	260	260	0	15	3900	
13	1	STP-S-C02	120	2505-4008	STEEL BEA	M GUARDE	EACH	4	4	0	2000	8000	
14	1	STP-S-C02	130	2505-4021	STEEL BEA	M GUARDE	EACH	4	4	0	300	1200	
15	1	STP-S-C02	140	2505-4021	STEEL BEA	M GUARDF	EACH	4	4	0	3418.5	13674	
16	1	STP-S-C02	150	2510-6745	REMOVAL	OF PAVEN	SY	2813	2813	0	3.26	9170.38	
17	1	STP-S-C02	160	2526-8285	CONSTRU	CTION SUR	LS	1	1	0	55000	55000	
18	1	STP-S-C02	170	2527-9263	PAINTED F	PAVEMENT	STA	851.07	851.07	0	17	14468.19	I
19	1	STP-S-C02	180	2528-2518	SAFETY CL	OSURE	EACH	16	16	0	125	2000	I
20	1	STP-S-C02	190	2528-8445	TRAFFIC C	ONTROL	LS	1	1	0	28525	28525	
21	1	STP-S-C02	200	2533-4980	MOBILIZA	TION	LS	1	1	0	150390	150390	l
22	1	STP-S-C02	210	2555-0000	DELIVER A	ND STOCK	LS	1	1	0	5475	5475	
23	1	STP-S-C02	8001	2217-1000	RUBBLIZE	PAV'T	SY	0	160	10	30	4800	
24	1	STP-S-C02	8002	2301-0690	BRIDGE AF	PROACH,	SY	0	100	0	220	22000	
25	1	STP-S-C02	8010	2107-3825	GRANULA	R MATERIA	CY	0	0	0	0	0	
26	2	FM-C021(220	2110-3825	GRANULA	R MATERIA	TON	319	319	0	7.9	2520.1	
27	2	FM-C021(230	2121-7425	GRANULA	R SHOULDE	TON	6330	6330	0	32.76	207370.8	
28	2	FM-C021(240	2214-5145	PAVEMEN	TSCARIFIC	SY	50893	50893	0	1.35	68705.55	
29	2	FM-C021(250	2301-1032	STANDAR	OR SLIP F	SY	1097	1397	10	68.15	95205.55	
30	2	FM-C021(1	260	2301-9091	RUMBLE S	TRIP PANE	EACH	4	4	0	25	100	
31	2	FM-C021(1	270	2310-5151	PORTLANI	CEMENT	CY	8482	8482	50	112.95	958041.9	
32	2	EM-C021/1	280	2310-5151	PORTI ANI	CEMENT	SV	50893	50893	0	4.5	229018 5	

Save the downloaded file to the desired location on your computer or server. Do NOT change the .csv file extension.

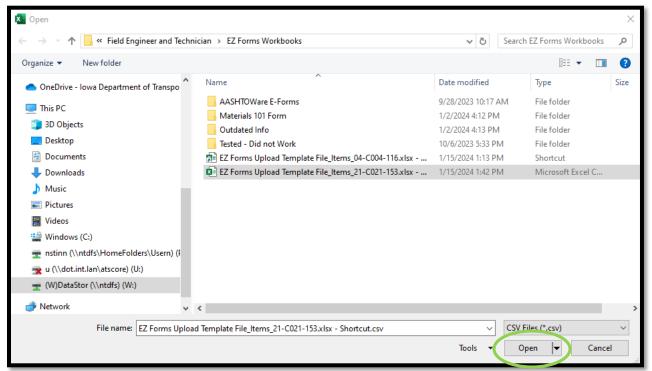
Open the EZ Forms Workbook. On the "Start Here!" tab, there is an "Appia" button. Push this button to begin uploading your saved Appia file to the EZ Forms Workbook.



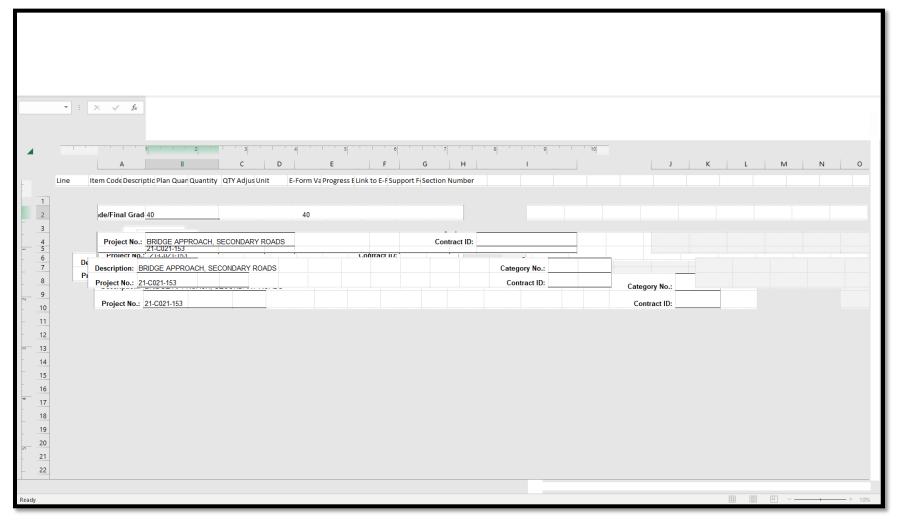
Clicking on the "Appia" button will cause a pop-up box to appear saying, "Please enter the project number:". Because the workbook will contain items from all tied projects in a contract, enter the Contract ID for your contract. (This is the name of the project in Appia.) Then click "Ok".



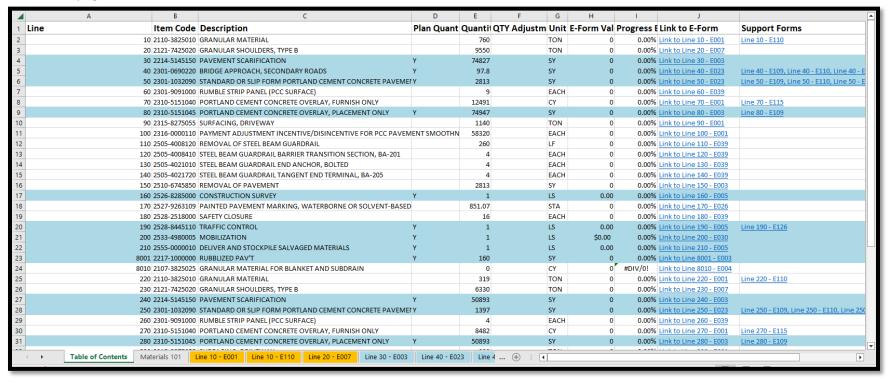
A Windows Explorer box will open. Navigate to the location where you saved the downloaded Appia file. Select the file, and then click "Open".



The EZ Forms Workbook builder will start to run. You may see some blinking cells and partial screens while the macros run and create the workbook. This is OK and normal.



When the macros are done running and the workbook has been assembled, the screen will stop changing, and you will be brought to the Table of Contents page where all the items are listed.



The assembled EZ Forms workbook for your project automatically saves to the location where the Appia file was saved. It will have the name "Project [Project Number]" where [Project Number] is the contract ID you entered in a previous step.

You are now ready to use the EZ Forms workbook in place of the standard E-Sheets.

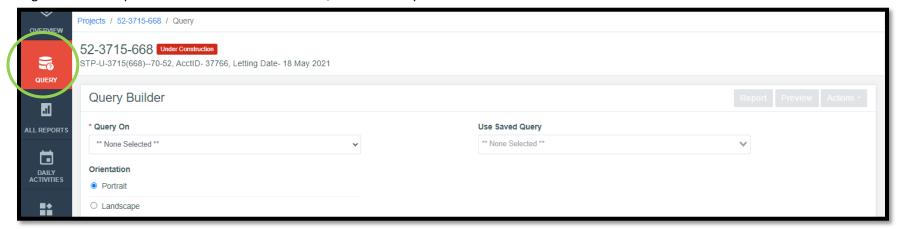
Contact your <u>Local Systems Regional Field Technician</u> with questions about the workbook.

B. Materials 101 EZ Form

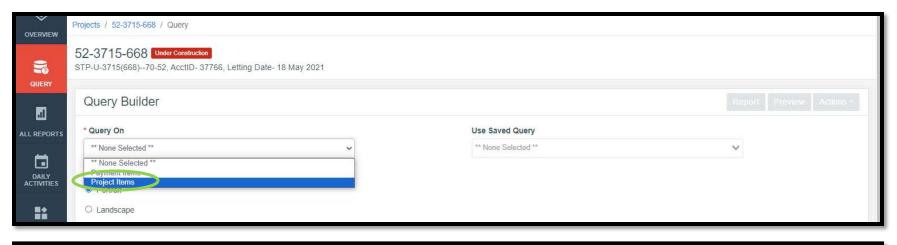
The Materials 101 EZ Form is a semi-automated version of the Materials 101 form required for project audits. The Materials 101 EZ Form is not yet available online. However, a copy can be requested from the LPA's <u>Local Systems Regional Field Technician</u>.

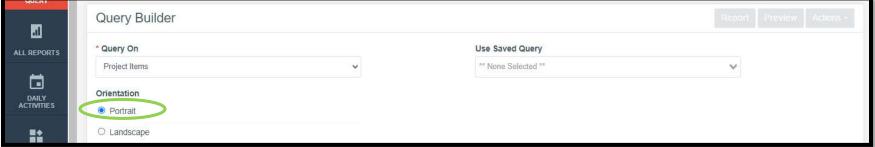
You can export a queried report from Appia that can be loaded into the Materials101 EZ Form. When loaded into the Materials101 EZ Form, the item description, units, and quantity paid will all populate automatically once the user enters the bid item's line number in the "Contract Item No" line in on the sheets.

To generate the report for the Materials101 EZ Form, click on Query on the left menu.



When building the report for the first time, in the "Query On" pull-down menu, select "Project Items". Leave the "Orientation" set to Portrait. (Once this report is built, you will be instructed on how to save it, and the report can be selected from the "Use Saved Query" pull-down menu in the future.)





Once "Project Items" is selected from the "Query On" pull-down menu, two sections will appear on the lower part of the screen. These sections are "Headers" and "Body".

From the "Headers" section, in the order listed here, select "Description" and "Project ID". Do NOT select any additional Header options. If you do, the Materials101 EZ Form will not read the file correctly.



Each of the selections will then appear in the box to the right of the Header selection choices.



From the "Body" section, in the order listed here, select "Line Number", "Description", "Unit" and "Quantity Paid".

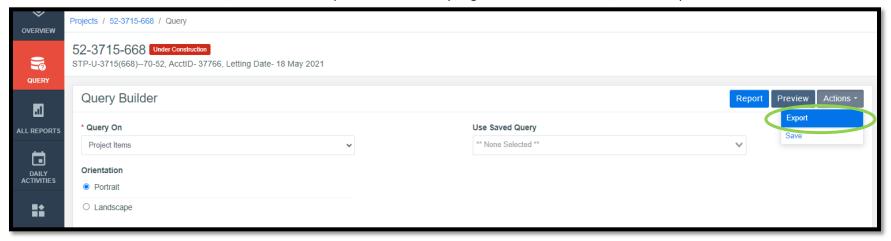


Each of the selections will then appear in the box to the right of the Body selection choices.

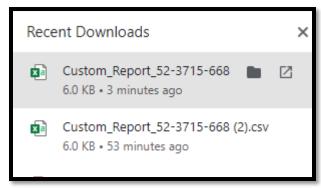


Note: The user can drag and drop the choices in the right windows to re-order them if necessary.

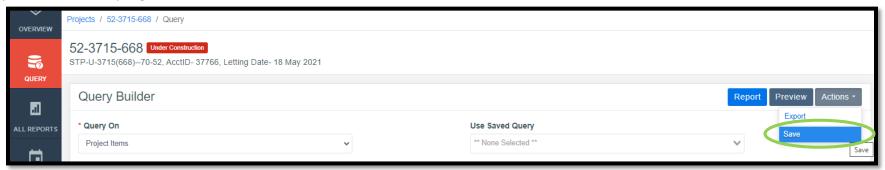
When the selections have been made, in the "Actions" pull-down in the top, right corner of the screen, select "Export".



This will produce a .csv file that downloads in your browser. This is the file that will be selected for upload into the Materials101 EZ Form. Save this file to the desired location on your computer, but **do NOT rename this file or change the file extension.** If you rename the file or change the file extension, the Materials101 EZ Form will not work.



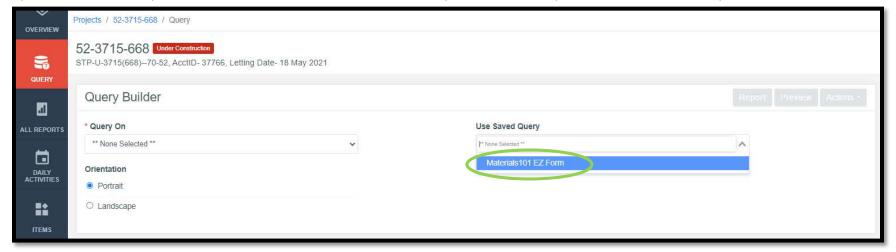
When you've completed the selections above, either before or after exporting the file, save the report by selecting "Save" from the "Actions" pull-down in the top, right corner.



A box will appear that allows you to create a name for the saved query. In the "Query Name" field, enter whatever name is most recognizable for you then click the blue "Yes, save query" button.



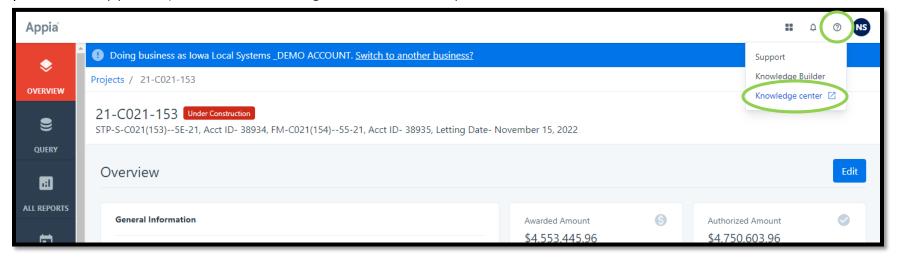
Once you've saved the report, you should be able to select it in the "Use Saved Query" pull-down menu the next time you want to run the report. Once a saved report is selected, the saved fields will automatically show, and the export can be run immediately.



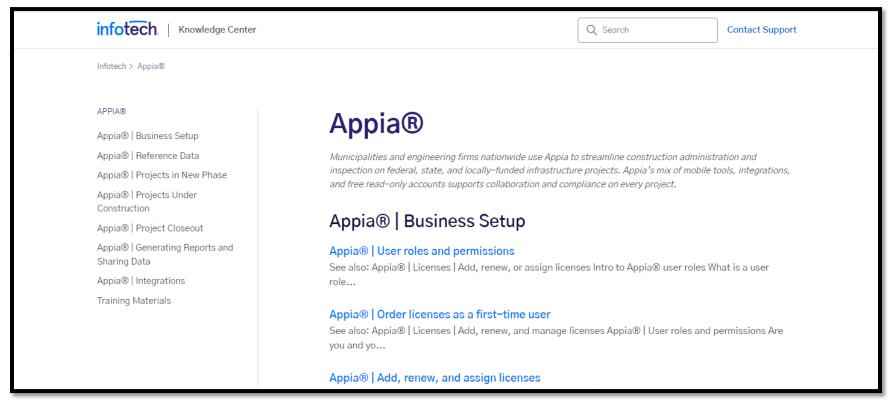
20 - Help Section & Local SystemsContact Information forQuestions and Assistance

"Help" Site

There is a very useful "Help" site provided by Infotech that can assist you in answering any questions. It is searchable and is indexed by topic. To access the "Help" icon in the upper, right corner of the screen just to the left of your initials. (It is a circle with a question mark (?) inside.) Then, select "Knowledge center" from the drop-down menu.



The "Help" site opens in a new browser tab and is shown here.



Local Systems Contact Information

Contact Niki Stinn and/or Derek Peck in the <u>lowa DOT Local Systems Bureau</u> as shown below with any questions.

Account set-up and management assistance, Technical

<u>assistance</u>

Derek Peck

Title: e-Construction Administrator Email: Derek.Peck@iowadot.us

Phone: 515-239-1391

(Messages forwarded. Leave message if unanswered.)

Days: Monday-Friday

Hours: 7:30am-4:30pm (Hours may vary)

Technical assistance

Niki Stinn

Title: Secondary Roads Engineer Email: Niki.Stinn@iowadot.us

Phone: 515-239-1064

(Messages forwarded. Leave message if unanswered.)

Days: Monday-Friday

Hours: 8:30am-4:30pm (Hours may vary)