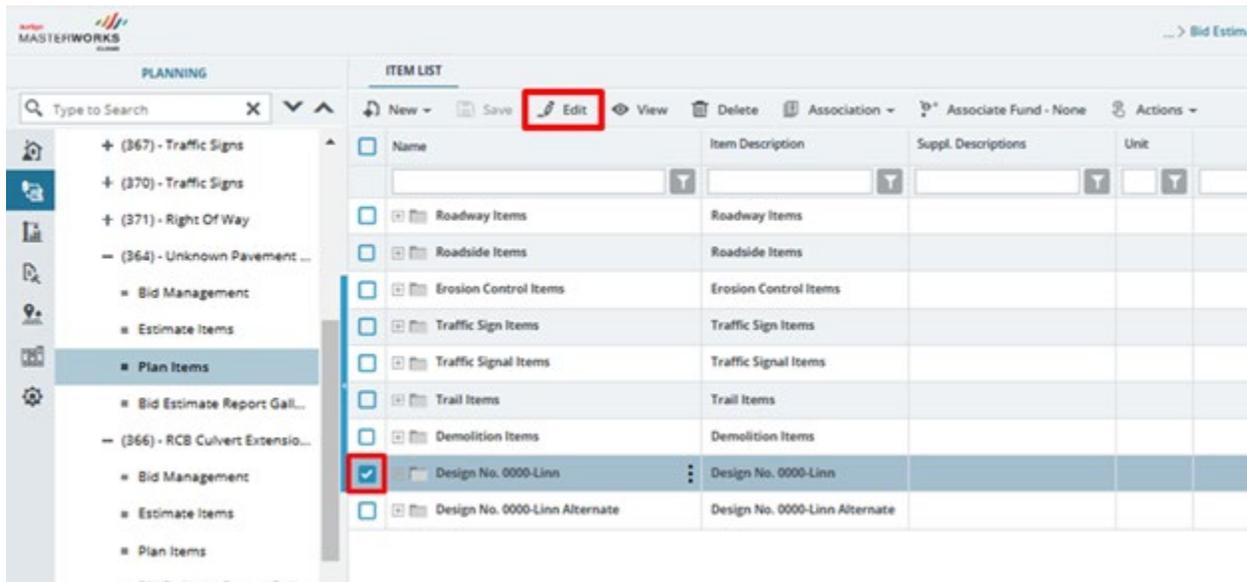


Alternate Containers

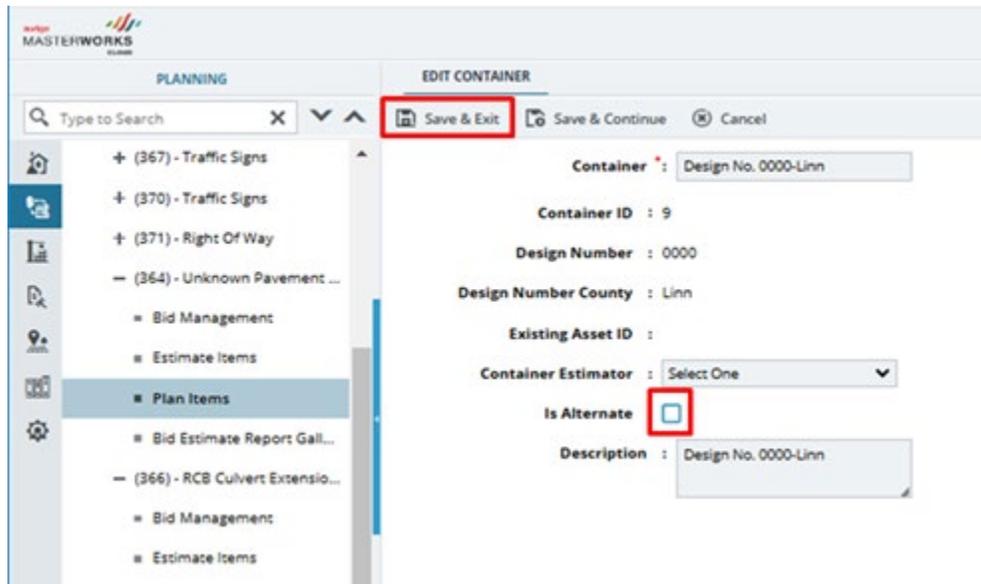
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If alternate items will be developed for bidding, separate containers must be set up in Masterworks for each alternative. Please refer to Chapter [5.2.1.2](#) for instructions on how to add containers in Masterworks.

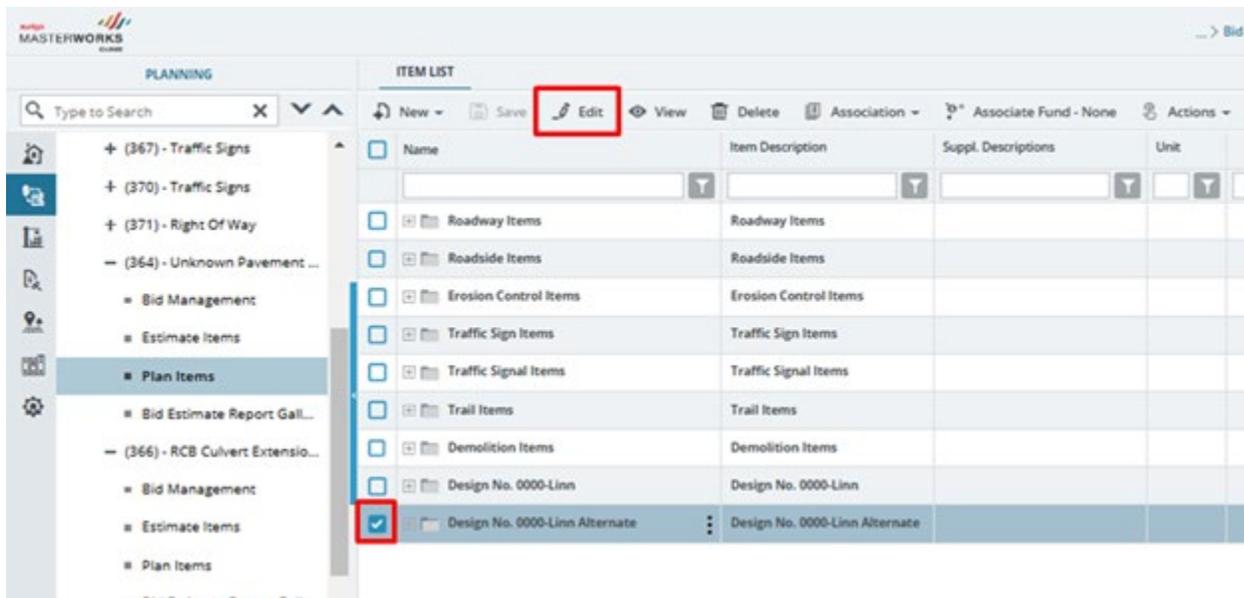
After the necessary alternate containers have been created, check the box next to the first alternate container and select Edit.



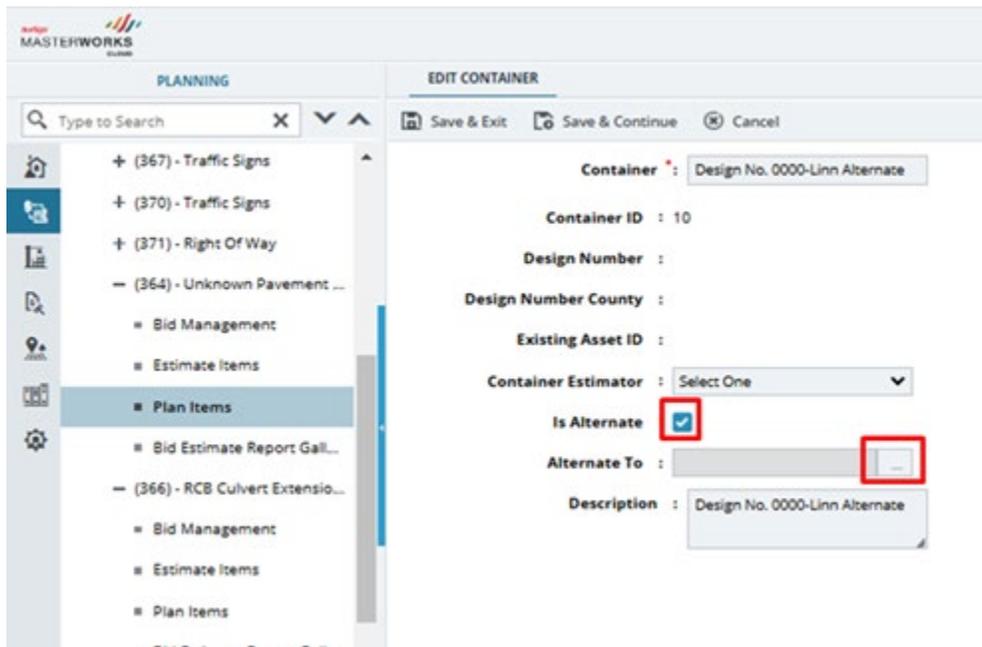
The Edit Container form should open. Confirm the “Is Alternate” box is not checked. Next, click Save & Exit.



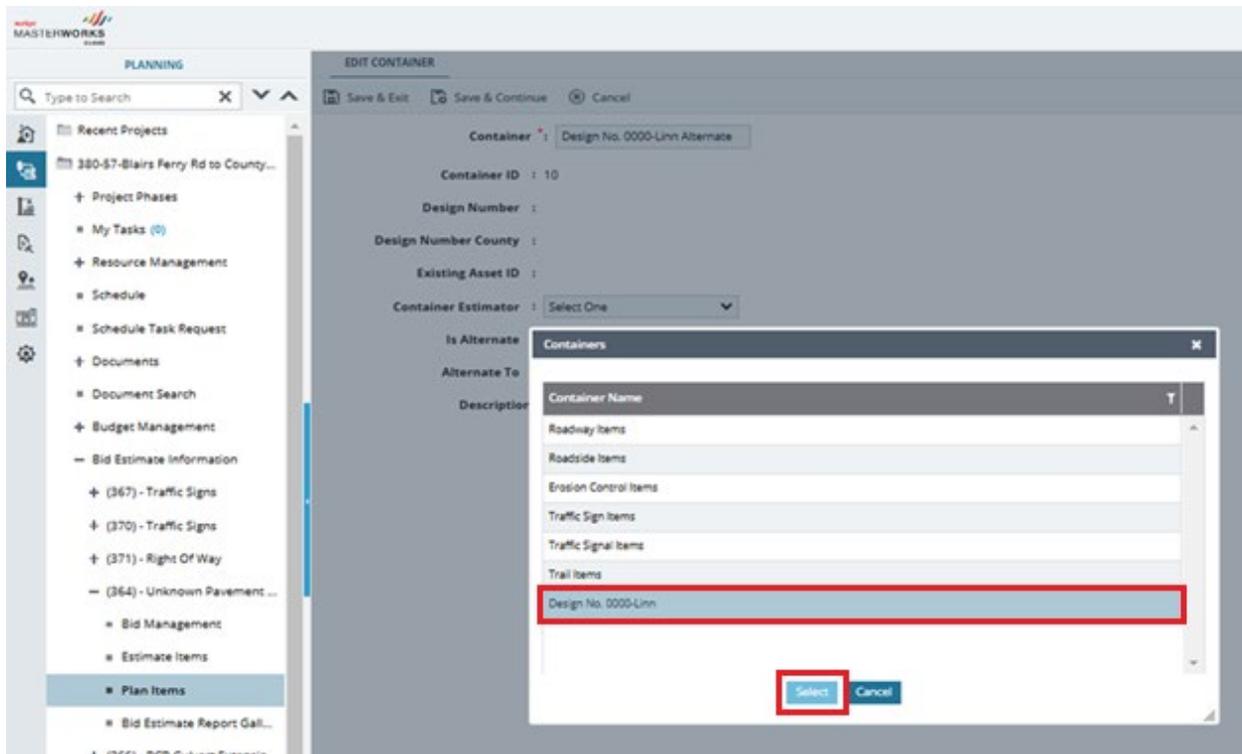
Open the other alternate container by checking the box next to the container name and select Edit.



The Edit Container form should open. Check the box next to the “Is Alternate” container. After the button is checked, the “Alternate To” field should become visible. Click on the button to the right of the “Alternate To” field.



The Containers form should open. Click on the other container that will be bid as an alternate, and then click Select.



The “Alternate To” field should now be populated with the container that was selected in the previous step. Click “Save & Exit”.

The screenshot shows the Autodesk Masterworks software interface. On the left is a navigation pane with a search bar and a list of menu items including 'Schedule Task Request', 'Documents', 'Document Search', 'Budget Management', 'Bid Estimate Information', and several traffic signs and right-of-way items. The main area is titled 'EDIT CONTAINER' and contains the following fields:

- Container**: Design No. 0000-Linn Alternate
- Container ID**: 10
- Design Number**:
- Design Number County**:
- Existing Asset ID**:
- Container Estimator**: Select One
- Is Alternate**:
- Alternate To**: Design No. 0000-Linn
- Description**: Design No. 0000-Linn Alternate

The 'Save & Exit' button and the 'Alternate To' field are highlighted with red boxes.

Enter plan items for each alternate container. For instructions on how to add plan items refer to Chapter [5.2.1.3](#).



Note: Only one of the alternate containers should have the “Is Alternate” box checked.

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