- 1. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT THE CITY OF YORKVILLE (630) 553-4350 A MINIMUM OF 72 HOURS PRIOR TO BEGINNING WORK.
- 2. THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL SECTION AT THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, DISTRICT 3, SHALL BE NOTIFIED AT 815-434-8506 AT LEAST 72 HOURS PRIOR TO TURNING ON ANY FLASHER OR CONTROLLER UNITS.
- 3. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY THE EXACT LOCATION OF ALL UNDERGROUND UTILITIES PRIOR TO BEGINNING CONSTRUCTION (JULI, 1.F., 800-892-0123).
- 4. THE CONTRACTOR'S ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE POSSIBLE PRESENCE OF CITY OF YORKVILLE-OWNED UNDERGROUND ELECTRICAL CABLE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REQUEST THE CITY OF YORKVILLE TO LOCATE THE UNDERGROUND FACILITIES, PROVIDING A MINIMUM OF 72 HOURS NOTICE. THE CITY IS A MEMBER OF JULLIE.
- 5. THE CONTRACTOR'S ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE POSSIBLE PRESENCE OF YORKVILLE-BRISTOL SANITARY DISTRICT-OWNED UNDERGROUND SANITARY SEWER WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REQUEST THE DISTRICT TO LOCATE THE UNDERGROUND FACILITIES, PROVIDING A MINIMUM OF 72 HOURS NOTICE, THE DISTRICT IS NOT A MEMBER OF JULI I.F.
- 6. THE CONTRACTOR'S ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE PRESENCE OF DEPARTMENT-OWNED UNDERGROUND ELECTRICAL CABLE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REQUEST THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IN OTTAWA (815-434-8417) TO LOCATE THE UNDERGROUND FACILITIES, PROVIDING A MINIMUM OF 72 HOURS NOTICE. THE DEPARTMENT IS NOT A MEMBER OF J.U.L.I.E.
- 7. ALL DAMAGE TO CITY OF YORKVILLE, YORKVILLE-BRISTOL SANITARY DISTRICT, OR DEPARTMENT OWNED UNDERGROUND FACILITIES CAUSED BY THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REPAIRED TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE OWNER AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE. THIS SHALL INCLUDE ALL TEMPORARY REPAIRS REQUIRED TO KEEP THE FACILITY OPERATIONAL WHILE MATERIAL IS BEING OBTAINED TO MAKE PERMANENT REPAIRS. SPLICING OF ELECTRIC CABLE SHALL NOT BE ALLOWED. ELECTRIC CABLE SHALL BE REPLACED FROM POLE TO POLE OR CONTROLLER.
- 8. THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COST OF UNCOVERING OR HAND DIGGING AROUND UTILITIES AS NECESSARY, INCIDENTAL TO THE CONDUIT PAY ITEM.
- 9. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROTECTING UTILITY PROPERTY DURING CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS AS OUTLINED IN ARTICLE 107.31 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. A MINIMUM OF 48 HOURS ADVANCE NOTICE IS REQUIRED FOR NON-EMERGENCY WORK, THE J.U.L.I.E. NUMBER IS 800-892-0123.
- 10. ABANDONED UNDERGROUND UTILITIES THAT CONFLICT WITH CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE DISPOSED OF OUTSIDE THE LIMITS OF THE RIGHT OF WAY ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 202.03 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS AND AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THIS WORK SHALL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY, BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF EARTH EXCAVATION.
- 11. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR OBTAINING ELECTRICAL SERVICE FOR THE TRAFFIC SIGNALS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT THE UTILITY COMPANY PRIOR TO BEGINNING WORK TO OBTAIN THE UTILITY COMPANY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SERVICE INSTALLATION.
- 12. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ARRANGE FOR A FACTORY OR SUPPLIER REPRESENTATIVE TO BE PRESENT AT THE INTERSECTION WHEN THE SIGNAL IS TURNED ON. COST TO BE INCLUDED WITH THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL CONTROLLER PAY ITEM.
- 13. THE MAST ARMS SHALL BE LOCATED A MINIMUM 1.8 m FROM THE FACE OF CURB OR A MINIMUM 5.5 m FROM THE EDGE OF PAVEMENT TO THE FACE OF FOUNDATION WHERE THERE IS NO CURB, UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. IN CURB AREA, GET MORE THAN 1.8 m IF POSSIBLE IF THE SIGNAL HEAD STILL LINES UP IN CENTER OF LANE. SIGNAL LOCATIONS SHALL NOT INTERFERE WITH SIDEWALK OR BIKE TRAIL.
- 14. TRAFFIC SIGNAL HEADS SHALL BE PROPERLY COVERED PRIOR TO INSPECTION TURN-ON OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER, THIS COST SHALL BE INCLUDED WITH THE COST OF THE ASSOCIATED TRAFFIC SIGNAL PAY ITEMS.
- 15. ALL CONDUIT IN TRENCH SHALL BE PVC. ALL CONDUIT PUSHED MAY BE PVC OR GALVANIZED STEEL. CONDUIT ATTACHED TO STRUCTURES SHALL BE GALVANIZED STEEL.
- 16. A 6 mm DIAMETER CONTINUOUS RODENT RESISTANT NYLON ROPE SHALL BE FURNISHED AND LEFT IN PLACE IN ALL CONDUITS BETWEEN HANDHOLES AND FOUNDATIONS OR CONTROLLER. THIS COST SHALL BE INCLUDED WITH THE COST OF CONDUIT PAY ITEM.
- 17. THE PROPOSED TRAFFIC SIGNAL CONTROLLER CABINET SHALL BE FURNISHED WITH A MANUAL CONTROL SWITCH AND MANUAL CONTROL CORD WITHIN THE POLICE DOOR COMPARTMENT. THIS WORK SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTROLLER CABINET PAY ITEM.
- 18. THE SURGE PROTECTOR IN THE CONTROLLER CABINET SHALL HAVE AN INDICATOR LIGHT.
- 19. NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED FOR PLACING CONDUIT AT A GREATER THAN 600mm MINIMUM DEPTH TO AVOID OBSTACLES SUCH AS UNDERGROUND UTILITIES.
- 20. ALL MAST ARM MOUNTED SIGNAL HEADS ON AN INDIVIDUAL MAST ARM SHALL BE MOUNTED SO THAT THE RED INDICATIONS ARE LEVEL WITH EACH OTHER AND MAINTAIN A 5 m MINIMUM CLEARANCE FROM THE HIGHEST POINT OF THE ROADWAY.
- 21. THE ELECTRICAL CONDUCTORS FOR ALL TRAFFIC SIGNAL HEADS SHALL BE SOLID, SOFT COPPER.
- 22. DOUBLE FUSED FUSE HOLDERS AND SURGE ARRESTORS ARE TO BE SUPPLIED AND INSTALLED BY THE CONTRACTOR IN THE BASE OF THE COMBINATION MAST ARM AS INCIDENTAL TO THE LIGHT FIXTURE PAY ITEM. THE LIGHT FIXTURE ON THE COMBINATION MAST ARM SHALL BE ATTACHED TO A 4.57 m ARM UNLESS SPECIFICALLY STATED OTHERWISE ELSEWHERE IN THE PLANS OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
- 23. BACKPLATES SHALL BE LOUVERED, FORMED PLASTIC.
- 24. THE DOUBLE HANDHOLE SHALL BE FURNISHED WITH RECESSED, INTEGRAL, HINGED LIDS.

GENERAL NOTES (CONT.):

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- 25. ALL THREADS OF BOLTS USED IN THE ASSEMBLY OF TRAFFIC SIGNAL COMPONENTS SHALL BE COATED WITH A NON-LEAD BASED ANTI-SEIZE COMPOUND, SIMILAR TO LEAD PLATE, PRIOR TO ASSEMBLY.
- 26. ALL MAST ARM POLE BASES SHALL BE PROTECTED BY A STAINLESS STEEL MESH SCREENING AROUND THE BASEBOLTS TO PREVENT RODENT ENTRY. THE MESH SHALL BE SECURED TO THE BASE BY STAINLESS STEEL BANDING AS INCIDENTAL TO THE INDIVIDUAL MAST ARM ASSEMBLY PAY ITEM.
- 27. THE CONTROLLER CABINET SHALL BE PLACED SO THAT A TECHNICIAN MAY SEE THE INTERSECTION OVER THE TOP OF THE CABINET WHILE WATCHING THE COMPONENTS IN THE CABINET. THE BOTTOM OF THE CONTROLLER CABINET SHALL BE A MINIMUM OF 0.3 METERS ABOVE THE NEAREST HANDHOLE GRADE.
- 28. THE ELEVATION OF THE TOP OF THE DOUBLE HANDHOLE SHALL BE LESS THAN THE ELEVATION OF THE TOP OF THE CONTROLLER FOUNDATION.
- 29. SIGN PANELS, SIGN PANEL ASSEMBLIES, AND LIGHTING UNITS, REMOVED BY THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE DELIVERED TO THE YORKVILLE PUBLIC WORKS YARD AT 610 TOWER LANE.
- 30. ALL TRAFFIC SIGNALS SHALL HAVE 300 mm SINGLE LED LENSES.
- 31. ALL TRAFFIC CONTROL AND OTHER ADVISORY SIGNS NEEDED FOR CONSTRUCTION ARE TO BE FURNISHED BY THE CONTRACTOR IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 701 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.
- 32. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE 1 m OF SLACK CABLE IN EACH TRAFFIC SIGNAL STRUCTURE: MAST ARM, POST, CONTROLLER, AND HANDHOLES, THE SLACK, WHICH IS IN ADDITION TO THE VERTICAL LENGTH OF CABLE DEFINED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS, SHALL BE PAID FOR AT THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE PER FOOT FOR EACH CABLE. THESE REQUIREMENTS SHALL BE IN ADDITION TO THE EXTRA CABLE REQUIREMENTS AS SPECIFIED IN SECTIONS 871 AND 873 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.
- 33. THE DOUBLE HANDHOLE SHALL HAVE 4 m OF SLACK IN EACH CABLE NEATLY WOUND ON THE HOOKS. THE CABLE SHALL BE PAID FOR AT ITS INDIVIDUAL UNIT PRICE.
- 34. ALL HARDWARE SHALL BE TIGHTENED AND WELL SECURED, CABLES SHALL BE NEATLY WOUND IN HANDHOLES. CABLES SHALL BE NEATLY TRAINED IN THE CONTROLLER CABINET.
- 35. IF THERE IS A PAY ITEM, CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGNS ARE REQUIRED FOR BOTH DIRECTIONS. ONE WEEK PRIOR TO SIGNAL TURN-ON, THE MESSAGE SHOULD READ "NEW SIGNAL AHEAD/TURN ON DATE." FOR THREE WEEKS AFTER, THE MESSAGE SHOULD READ "NEW SIGNAL AHEAD/BE PREPARED TO STOP."
- 36. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE A SELF-ADHERED PHASE DIAGRAM ON THE INSIDE OF THE CONTROLLER CABINET DOOR.
- 37. ANY REFERENCE TO A STANDARD IN THESE PLANS SHALL BE INTERPRETED TO MEAN THE EDITION AS INDICATED BY THE SUBNUMBER SHOWN IN THE LIST OF STANDARDS OR THE COPY INCLUDED IN THESE PLANS.
- 38. ALL TRAFFIC SIGNAL HEADS SHALL BE 300 mm POLYCARBONATE.
- 39. ALL TRAFFIC SIGNAL WIRING SHALL EXTEND FROM CONTROLLER TO SIGNAL. SPLICES IN JUNCTION BOXES WILL NOT BE ALLOWED.
- 40. ALL VEHICLE AND PEDESTRIAN SIGNAL HEADS SHALL HAVE POLYCARBONATE BLACK HOUSING AND BLACK BRACKETS.
- 41. ALL UNINTERRUPTIBLE POWER SUPPLIES SHALL BE EQUIPPED WITH ALPHA GUARD MONITORS
- 42. ALL GROUNDING MATERIALS FOR CONCRETE FOUNDATIONS SHALL REFER TO SECTION 806 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.
- 43. ALL AREAS DISTURBED BY THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESTORED WITH SEED OR SOD TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE ENGINEER. SEEDING OR SODDING SHALL NOT BE PERMITTED AT ANY TIME WHEN THE GROUND IS FROZEN, WET OR IN AN UNTILLABLE CONDITION.
- 44. THE FIBER OPTIC CABLE SHALL BE LABELED WITH DIRECTION AND ASSIGNMENT NUMBER.



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