GENERAL NOTES

BEFORE STARTING ANY EXCAVATION, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CALL "J.U.L.I.E." AT (800) 892-0123 OR 811 FOR FIELD LOCATIONS OF BURIED ELECTRIC, TELEPHONE AND GAS UTILITIES. 48 HOUR NOTIFICATION IS REQUIRED.

TEN (10) FOOT TRANSITIONS SHALL BE USED TO MATCH PROPOSED CURB AND GUTTER AND MEDIAN ITEMS OF WORK TO EXISTING CURBS AND GUTTER AND MEDIANS IN THE FIELD, UNLESS OTHERWISE SHOWN. THE TRANSITIONS SHALL BE PAID FOR AT THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE FOR THE PROPOSED ITEMS OF WORK SPECIFIED.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES WITH UTILITY COMPANIES, AND THE CITY OF CHICAGO HEIGHTS AND THE VILLAGE OF OLYMPIA FIELDS.

THE CONTRACTOR WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO SET UP A YARD OR FIELD OFFICE ON STATE (or TOLLWAY) PROPERTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE DEPARTMENT (or ISTHA).

USE "8 EPOXY-COATED TIE BARS, CONFORMING TO ART. 1006.10 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, FOR ALL TIE BARS. USE THE "LONGITUDINAL CONSTRUCTION JOINT (TIE BAR GROUTED IN PLACE)" DETAIL SHOWN ON HIGHWAY STANDARD 420001 FOR ALL LONGITUDINAL JOINTS AND FOR TYING PCC PAVEMENT WIDENING TO EXISTING CONCRETE PAVEMENT AS SHOWN ON THE PLANS

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ALL DAMAGE TO EXISTING PAVEMENT MARKINGS OR RAISED REFLECTIVE PAVEMENT MARKERS OUTSIDE THE REMOVAL LINE SHOWN ON THE PLANS SHALL BE REPLACED AT NO ADDITIONAL COST TO THE DEPARTMENT.

BEFORE BEGINNING ANY WORK, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL RETAIN AND RECORD FOR FUTURE REFERENCE, ALL EXISTING PAVEMENT MARKING LINES (AND RAISED REFLECTIVE PAVEMENT MARKERS) IN ORDER THAT THESE LOCATIONS CAN BE RE-ESTABLISHED FOR STRIPING. EXACT LOCATIONS OF ALL PAVEMENT MARKINGS SHALL BE AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.

LOCATION OF COMBINATION CONCRETE CURB AND GUTTER REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT [OR COMBINATION CURB AND GUTTER (THE TYPE SPECIFIED ON THE PLANS)], WILL BE DETERMINED IN THE FIELD BY THE ENGINEER.

DRAINAGE ADJUSTMENT OR RECONSTRUCTION LOCATIONS WILL BE DETERMINED IN THE FIELD BY THE ENGINEER.

IT SHALL BE THE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO VERIFY ALL DIMENSIONS AND CONDITIONS EXISTING IN THE FIELD PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION AND ORDERING OF MATERIALS.

FRAMES AND GRATES ADJUSTMENT OF PRIVATE UTILITIES WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE IMPROVEMENTS SHALL BE DONE BY THEIR RESPECTIVE OWNERS AND ARE NOT PART OF THIS CONTRACT.

SIDEWALK REMOVAL AND P.C.C. SIDEWALK 5" LOCATIONS SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT THE DISTRICT ONE TRAFFIC CONTROL SUPERVISOR AT (847) 705-4470 A MINIMUM OF 72 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF BEGINNING WORK.

THE ENGINEER SHALL CONTACT PATRICE HARRIS, AREA TRAFFIC FIELD ENGINEER AT (708) 597-9800 A MINIMUM OF TWO (2) WEEKS PRIOR TO THE PLACEMENT OF PERMANENT PAVEMENT MARKINGS.

WHERE SECTION OR SUB-SECTION MONUMENTS ARE ENCOUNTERED, THE ENGINEER SHALL BE NOTIFIED BEFORE SUCH MONUMENTS ARE REMOVED. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT AND CAREFULLY PRESERVE ALL PROPERTY MARKERS AND MONUMENTS UNTIL THE OWNER, AN AUTHORIZED SURVEYOR OR AGENT HAS WITNESSED THEIR LOCATION.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REQUIRED TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO ABUTTING PROPERTY AT ALL TIMES DURING THE CONSTRUCTION OF THIS PROJECT.

FOR STORM SEWER CONSTRUCTED UNDER THE ROADWAY, BACKFILLING METHODS TWO AND THREE AUTHORIZED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 550.07 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED.

EXISTING BROKEN FRAMES AND LIDS SHALL BE REMOVED AND DISPOSED OF BY THE CONTRACTOR AND SHALL BE REPLACED AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. REPLACEMENT FRAMES AND LIDS WILL BE PAID FOR ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 109.04 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS UNLESS A SEPARATE PAY ITEM HAS BEEN PROVIDED.

ALL PCC PAVEMENT WHICH REQUIRES FRAMES AND GRATES TO BE ADJUSTED SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED UTILIZING "CAST IN PLACE" ALTERNATE ACCORDING TO STATE HIGHWAY STANDARD 42011 FOR "PCC PAVEMENT ROUNDOUTS" AND DISTRICT STANDARD 8D-48 "PCC PAVEMENT ROUNDOUTS AT CURB AND GUTTER".

DO NOT SCALE PLANS FOR CONSTRUCTION DIMENSIONS.

DOUBLE LANE MARKERS ARE TO BE USED AS SHOWN ON THE DISTRICT ONE DETAIL "TYPICAL APPLICATIONS ~ RAISED REFLECTIVE PAVEMENT MARKERS (SNOW- PLOW RESISTANT)" SHOWN IN THE PLANS.

THE MIDDLE LANE(S) OF THREE (3) OR FOUR (4) LANE SECTIONS (PER DIRECTION) ON U.S. ROUTE 30 AND WESTERN AVENUE SHALL NOT BE PATCHED UNDER THIS CONTRACT. THE INSIDE AND OUTISDE LANES SHALL ONLY BE PATCHED. FINAL PATCHING LOCATIONS WILL BE DETERMINED IN THE FIELD BY THE RESIDENT ENGINEER.

THE MINIMUM CLASS B PATCH DIMENSIONS SHALL BE A LENGTH OF 6 FEET AND A WIDTH THAT INCLUDES THE FULL WIDTH OF THE TRAVEL WAY.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SOLELY BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF ADEQUATE SIGNS, TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES, AND WARNING DEVICES TO INFORM AND PROTECT THE PUBLIC DURING ALL PHASES OF CONSTRUCTION.

PAVEMENT MARKING TAPE, TYPE III SHALL BE USED FOR SHORT TERM PAVEMENT MARKINGS ON ALL FINAL SURFACES. THE COST OF THE PAVEMENT MARKING TAPE, TYPE III AND ITS REMOVAL SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF SHORT TERM PAVEMENT MARKING.

THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR IS REQUIRED TO HIRE AN ENVIRONMENTAL FIRM WITH AT LEAST FIVE (5) DOCUMENTED LEAKING UNDERGROUND STORAGE TANK CLEANUPS OR THAT IS PRE-OUALIFIED IN HAZARDOUS WASTE BY THE DEPARTMENT TO REMEDIATE THE SOIL CONTAMINATION AND MONITOR FOR WORKER PROTECTION.

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