GENERAL NOTES

SPECIFICATIONS, STANDARDS AND SPECIAL PROVISIONS

ALL CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE DONE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE "STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION", ADOPTED JANUARY 1, 2012; THE "SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS AND RECURRING SPECIAL PROVISIONS", THE LATEST REVISION; THE LATEST EDITION OF THE "ILLINOIS MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES FOR STREETS AND HIGHWAYS", (IMUTCD; "THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR WATER AND SEWER MAIN CONSTRUCTION IN ILLINOIS" JULY 2009 SIXTH EDITION, THE "DETAILS" IN THE PLANS AND THE "SPECIAL PROVISIONS" INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS.

ANY REFERENCE TO STANDARDS THROUGHOUT THE PLANS OR SPECIAL PROVISIONS SHALL BE INTERPRETED AS THE LATEST IDOT HIGHWAY STANDARD.

CODES OF THE IEPA TITLE 35, AND O.S.H.A. SHALL BE ADHERED TO FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF THIS PROJECT.IT WILL BE THE CONTRACTORS RESPONSIBILITY TO ENSURE ADHERENCE TO THESE. (NOT THE VILLAGE OF ORLAND HILLS OR CHRISTOPHER B. BURKE ENGINEERING)

ALL TRAFFIC CONTROL AND OTHER ADVISORY SIGNS NEEDED FOR CONSTRUCTION ARE TO BE FURNISHED BY THE CONTRACTOR IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 700 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAKE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE PROPER BRACING, SHEETING, SHORING AND OTHER REQUIRED PROTECTION OF ALL ROADWAYS BEFORE CONSTRUCTION BEGINS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY DAMAGE TO THE STREETS OR ROADWAYS AND ASSOCIATED STRUCTURES AND SHALL MAKE REPAIRS AS NECESSARY TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE AGENCY, AT THE CONTRACTOR'S OWN EXPENSE. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE INSTALLATION AND MAINTENANCE OF ADEQUATE SIGNS AND WARNING DEVICES TO INFORM AND PROTECT THE PUBLIC.

UTILITIES

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTACTING THE OWNERS OF ALL EXISTING FACILITIES SO THAT THE UTILITIES AND THEIR APPURTENANCES MAY BE LOCATED AND ADJUSTED OR MOVED, IF NECESSARY, PRIOR TO THE START OF CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COOPERATE WITH ALL UTILITY OWNERS AS PROVIDED FOR IN THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

THE LOCATIONS OF EXISTING DRAINAGE STRUCTURES, STORM AND SANITARY SEWERS. WATER SERVICE LINES AND OTHER UTILITY LINES ARE APPROXIMATE, AND THE CITY AND ENGINEER DO NOT GUARANTEE THEIR ACCURACY. THEIR EXACT HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL LOCATIONS ARE TO BE DETERMINED IN THE FIELD BY THE CONTRACTOR AT HIS OWN EXPENSE.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE PROTECTION OF ALL UNDERGROUND OR SURFACE UTILITIES EVEN THOUGH THEY MAY NOT BE SHOWN ON THE PLANS. ANY UTILITY THAT IS DAMAGED DURING CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE REPAIRED OR REPLACED TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE ENGINEER OR THE CITY. THIS WORK SHALL BE AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.

BEFORE STARTING ANY EXCAVATION, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CALL "JULIE" AT 800-892-0123 FOR FIELD LOCATIONS OF BURIED ELECTRIC, TELEPHONE, GAS AND CABLE TELEVISION FACILITIES. (48 HOURS NOTIFICATION IS REQUIRED.)

STAKING

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT AND CAREFULLY PRESERVE ALL SECTION OR SUBSECTION MONUMENTS OR PROPERTY OR REFERENCE MARKERS UNTIL THE ENGINEER, HIS AGENT OR AN AUTHORIZED SURVEYOR HAS WITNESSED OR OTHERWISE REFERENCED THEIR LOCATIONS.

WATER, STORM SEWER AND SANITARY SEWER

WHENEVER DURING CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS ANY LOOSE MATERIAL IS DEPOSITED IN THE FLOW LINE OF DRAINAGE STRUCTURES SUCH THAT THE NATURAL FLOW OF WATER IS OBSTRUCTED, IT SHALL BE REMOVED AT THE CLOSE OF EACH WORKING DAY. AT THE CONCLUSION OF CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS, ALL UTILITY STRUCTURES SHALL BE FREE FROM DIRT AND DEBRIS. THE WORK SPECIFIED ABOVE WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCIDENTAL TO THE CONTRACT.

ANY EXISTING OR PROPOSED STORM SEWER DAMAGED BY THE CONTRACTOR DURING CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE REPLACED BY THE CONTRACTOR AND INCLUDED IN THE COST OF STORM SEWERS, CLASS A, TYPE 1.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT OPEN OR SHUT ANY WATER VALVES OR FIRE HYDRANTS. CONTACT WATER DEPARTMENT FOR THEM TO TURN VALVES OR OPERATE HYDRANTS. UNAUTHORIZED USE SHALL SUBJECT THE OFFENDER TO ARREST AND PROSECUTION.

MISCELLANEOUS

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

ALL SAWCUTTING SHALL BE INCLUDED IN REMOVAL ITEMS AND SHALL BE PERFORMED PRIOR TO BEGINNING REMOVAL. ANY ITEMS OF WORK REMOVED PRIOR TO SAWCUTTING WILL NOT BE MEASURED FOR PAYMENT.

PAVEMENT PATCHING, CURB AND GUTTER REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT, AND STRUCTURES TO BE ADJUSTED WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER IN THE FIELD AND WILL NOT EXCEED THE PLANNED DUANTITY.

RELOCATING EXISTING SIGNS: EXISTING SIGNS WHICH ARE IN CONFLICT WITH PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS SHALL BE REMOVED AND REINSTALLED UPON COMPLETION OF CONFLICTING IMPROVEMENTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION "MANUAL OF UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES" AND THE "STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION". STOP SIGNS, SPEED LIMIT SIGNS, AND STREET NAME SIGNS SHALL BE UP AND VISIBLE AT ALL TIMES. THIS WORK SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE PAY ITEMS FOR TRAFFIC CONTROL AND PROTECTION.

MAILBOXES WHICH ARE IN CONFLICT WITH PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS SHALL BE REMOVED, TEMPORARILY RELOCATED, AND REPLACED UPON COMPLETION OF THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THIS WORK SHALL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO THE CONTRACT.

CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT PLACE SOD UNTIL THE TEMPERATURE IS 80° OR LESS AND THE FORECAST FOR THE NEXT 7 DAYS SHOWS TEMPERATURES OF 80° OR LESS. IF ALL OTHER PAY ITEMS ARE COMPLETED. THE CONTRACTOR WILL NOT BE CHARGED WORKING DAYS FOR DELAYS IN PARKWAY RESTORATION DUE TO TEMPERATURE.

CURB AND GUTTER TO BE REMOVED AT DRIVEWAYS SHALL BE REPLACED WITH DEPRESSED CURB AND GUTTER

TEMPERATURE CONTROL FOR CONCRETE PLACEMENT;
DELETE THE SECOND AND THIRD SENTENCES OF THE SECOND PARAGRAPH OF ARTICLE 1020.14 (a)
OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

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