## **GENERAL NOTES**

The final top four inches of soil in any right-of-way area disturbed by the Contractor must be capable of supporting vegetation. The soil must be from the A horizon (zero to 2' deep) of soil profiles of local soils.

All Borrow/Waste/Use sites must be approved by the Department prior to removing any material from the project or initiating any earthmoving activities, including temporary stockpiling outside the limits of construction.

The Contractor shall seed all disturbed areas within the project limits. Seeding Class 4 or 2A shall be used, except in front of properties where the grass will be mowed, then use Seeding, Class 1. Class 2A shall be used on front slopes and ditch bottoms. Class 4 shall be used behind Type A gutter, on all backslopes and areas behind the backslope, and beyond the toe of front slope on fill sections without ditches. This work will be included in the contract unit price per Cubic Yard for CONCRETE REMOVAL.

Fertilizer shall be applied to all disturbed areas and incorporated into the seedbed prior to seeding or placement of sod at the rate specified in Sections 250 and 252 of the Standard Specifications. This work shall be included in the cost of CONCRETE REMOVAL.

Mulch Method II shall be applied over all seeded areas. This shall be included in the cost of the CONCRETE REMOVAL.

At bridge expansion joints, if temporary expansion joint bulkheads are attached to adjacent deck slabs or abutments for support, the Contractor shall cut the attachments as soon as the concrete has set to prevent joint damage due to horizontal contraction or expansion.

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 JULIE number is 800-892-0123.

## **STANDARDS**

701006-03 Off-Road Operations, 2L, 2W, 4.5 m (15') to 600 mm (24") From Pavement Edge

701201-03 Lane Closure, 2L, 2W, Day Only, for Speeds > 45 MPH

701301-03 Lane Closure, 2L, 2W, Short Time Operations

701321-10 Lane Closure, 2L, 2W, Bridge Repair with Barrier

701801-04 Lane Closure. Multilane 1W or 2W Crosswalk or Sidewalk Closure

701901-01 Traffic Control Devices

704001-06 Temporary Concrete Barrier

720011-01 Metal Posts for Signs, Markers and Delineators

728001-01 Telescoping Steel Sign Support

729001-01 Applications of Types A and B Metal Posts (For Signs & Markers)

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