GENERAL CONSTRUCTION NOTES

1. SPECIFICATIONS

THE LATEST EDITIONS OF THE "STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION", THE "SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS AND RECURRING SPECIAL PROVISIONS", PREPARED BY THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE "MANUAL OF UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES" SHALL GOVERN ALL WORK ASSOCIATED WITH THIS PROJECT. THE "STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR WATER AND SEWER MAIN CONSTRUCTION IN ILLINOIS" MAY GOVERN OTHER WORK ON THIS PROJECT AS INDICATED BY REFERENCE.

2. CARE IN EXCAVATION

CARE SHALL BE EXERCISED BY THE CONTRACTOR IN CARRYING OUT EARTH AND/OR TRENCHING OPERATIONS SO THAT LOCAL SERVICES, WATER VALVES, MANHOLES, CATCH BASINS, INLETS, BUFFALO BOXES, AND OTHER STRUCTURES ARE NOT DAMAGED OR REMOVED. ANY DAMAGE DONE BY THE CONTRACTOR, WHETHER THE STRUCT TURE OR SERVICE IS VISIBLE AT THE GROUND SURFACE OR NOT, SHALL BE REPAIRED OR REPLACED BY THE CONTRACTOR AS REQUIRED BY THE ENGINEER AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE, AND NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED.

PRIOR TO STARTING CONSTRUCTION, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY THE OFFICIALS OF THE PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT OF THE LOCAL MUNICIPALITY, JULLIE. AT 1-800-892-0123, AND OTHER PUBLIC AND PRIVATE UTILITIES SO THAT ARRANGEMENTS CAN BE MADE TO LOCATE THEIR VARIOUS FACILITIES WITHIN THE LIMITS OF CONSTRUCTION UNDER THIS CONTRACT, AS WELL AS TO PROVIDE ADEQUATE PROTECTION AND INSPECTION THERETO. IT SHALL BE THIS CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO DETERMINE THE ACTUAL LOCATION OF ALL SUCH FACILITIES IN THE FIELD.

TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

BARRICADES AND WARNING SIGNS SHALL BE PROVIDED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 107.14 OF THE "STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION". ADEQUATE LIGHTING SHALL BE MAINTAINED FROM DUSK TO DAWN AT ALL LOCATIONS WHERE CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS WARRANT, OR AS DESIGNATED BY THE ENGINEER.

5. PROTECTION OF SIGNS AND PROPERTY

ALL TRAFFIC SIGNS, STREET SIGNS, ETC., THAT INTERFERE WITH THE CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS SHALL BE REMOVED AND PLACED AT NEW LOCATIONS AS DESIGNATED BY THE ENGINEER. THIS WORK SHALL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO THE CONTRACT, AND NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED. IN ADDITION, ALL MAIL BOXES THAT INTERFERE WITH CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE SIMILARLY RELOCATED AT NO ADDITIONAL COST IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLES 107.20 AND 107.21 OF THE "STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION".

6. SUPERINTENDENCE

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO ARTICLE 105.06 OF THE "STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION" WHICH REQUIRES THE CONTRACTOR TO HAVE A COMPETENT SUPERINTENDENT ON THE PROJECT SITE AT ALL TIMES, IRRESPECTIVE OF THE AMOUNT OF WORK SUBLET. THE SUPERINTENDENT SHALL BE CAPABLE OF READING AND UNDERSTANDING THE PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS, SHALL HAVE FULL AUTHORITY TO EXECUTE ORDERS TO EXPEDITE THE PROJECT AND SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR SCHEDULING AND HAVING CONTROL OF ALL THE WORK AS THE AGENT OF THE GENERAL CONTRACTOR. FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THIS PROVISION WILL RESULT IN A SUSPENSION OF WORK AS PROVIDED IN ARTICLE 108.07.

7. SAWING EXISTING IMPROVEMENTS

ALL PERMANENT TYPE PAYEMENTS OR OTHER PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS WHICH ABUT THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT AND MUST BE REMOVED, SHALL BE SAWED AS DIRECTED PRIOR TO REMOVAL. ALL ITEMS SO REMOVED SHALL BE REPLACED WITH SIMILAR CONSTRUCTION MATERIALS TO THEIR ORIGINAL CONDITION OR BETTER. PAYMENT FOR SAWING SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST FOR THE REMOVAL OF EACH ITEM, AND REPLACEMENT WILL BE PAID FOR UNDER THE RESPECTIVE ITEMS IN THE CONTRACT UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED.

CONSTRUCTION LAYOUT STAKES

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE THE ENGINEER WITH WOODEN STAKES OR OTHER LAYOUT MATERIALS FOR LAYOUT OF THE LINES AND GRADES OF THE PROJECT. FAILURE TO PROVIDE STAKES IN A TIMELY MANNER WILL RESULT IN A DELAY IN STAKEOUT WHICH WILL BE APPLICABLE AGAINST THE TIME LIMIT FOR COMPLETION SHOWN IN THE PROJECT SPECIFICATIONS. LINE AND GRADE WILL BE ESTABLISHED BY THE ENGINEER AT REGULAR INTERVALS ON PERMANENTLY PAVED SURFACES, SIDEWALKS OR STAKES AT THE ENGINEER'S OPTION, ALL WITHIN THE PUBLIC RIGHT-OF-WAY AND SHALL BE TRANSFERRED BY THE CONTRACTOR TO THE ACTUAL LINE OF CONSTRUCTION

PROJECT SAFETY

BARRICADES: THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE AND INSTALL TWO (2) WEIGHTED SAND BAGS ON EACH TYPE I OR TYPE II BARRICADE USED ONE (1) WEIGHTED SAND BAG ACROSS EACH BOTTOM RAIL. WHEN MILLED PAVEMENT IS OPEN TO TRAFFIC THE MAXIMUM GRADE DIFFERENTIAL BETWEEN PASSES OF THE MILLING MACHINE SHALL NOT EXCEED 1-1/2 INCHES WHERE THE SPEED LIMIT IS 45 MPH OR LESS AND 1 INCH WHERE THE SPEED LIMIT IS GREATER THAN 45 MPH. WITH WRITTEN APPROVAL FROM THE ENGINEER, A MAXIMUM GRADE DIFFERENTIAL OF 3 INCHES MAY BE ALLOWED IF THE EDGE OF THE MILLING IS

BUTT JOINTS WILL BE INSTALLED AT THE ENDS OF ALL RESURFACING (WHERE RESURFACING MEETS EXISTING PAVEMENT), IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE "BUTT JOINT AND HOT-MIX ASPHALT TAPER DETAILS" SHEET INCLUDED IN THE PLANS, UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COMPLY WITH AND OBSERVE THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF O.S.H.A. AND APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES REGARDING SAFETY PROVISIONS. THE CONTRACTOR, ENGINEER, AND OWNER SHALL EACH BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THEIR OWN RESPECTIVE AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES.

THE ENGINEER AND OWNER ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE CONSTRUCTION MEANS, METHODS, TECHNIQUES, SEQUENCES OR PROCEDURES, TIME OF PERFORMANCE, PROGRAMS, OR FOR ANY SAFETY PRECAUTIONS USED BY THE CONTRACTOR. THE CONTRACTOR IS SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR EXECUTION OF HIS WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DOCUMENTS AND SPECIFICATIONS.

HOT-MIX ASPHALT MIXTURE REQUIREMENTS

ITEM	AC TYPE	VOIDS
HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACE COURSE, MIX "D", N70, 1-1/2" THICKNESS (IL-9.5mm)	PG 64-22	4% @ 70 GYR
HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACE COURSE, MIX "C", N50, 1-1/2" THICKNESS (IL-9.5mm)	PG 64-22	4% @ 50 GYR
POLYMERIZED LEVELING BINDER (MACHINE METHOD), IL-4.75, N50, 3/4" THICKNESS	SBS/SBR PG 76-28/-22	4% @ 50 GYR
HOT-MIX ASPHALT BINDER COURSE, IL-19.0, N50, 2-1/4" THICKNESS	*PG 64-22	4% @ 50 GYR
DRIVEWAY: INCIDENTAL HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACING BASE: HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACE COURSE, MIX "C", IL-9.5mm, N50, 1-1/2" THICKNESS SURFACE: HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACE COURSE, MIX "C", IL-9.5mm, N50, 1-1/2" THICKNESS	PG 64-22 PG 64-22	4% @ 50 GYR 4% @ 50 GYR
HOT-MIX ASPHALT BASE COURSE, 6" THICKNESS	*PG 64-22/58-22	2% @ 50 GYR
CLASS D PATCHES, TYPE I-III, 9" THICKNESS, (BINDER IL-19mm)	*PG-64-22	4% @ 70 GYR
HOT-MIX ASPHALT REPLACEMENT OVER PATCHES (BINDER IL-19mm)	*PG 64-22	4% @ 70 GYR

^{*} THE UNIT WEIGHT TO CALCULATE ALL HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACE MIXTURE QUANTITIES IS 112 LBS/SQ YD/IN. WHEN RAP EXCEEDS 20%, THE NEW ASPHALT BINDER IN THE MIX SHALL BE PG 58-22.

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