## **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, 2007;
THE "SUPPLEMENTAL SPECIFICATIONS AND RECURRING SPECIAL PROVISIONS",
ADOPTED JANUARY 1, 2011; 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, LATEST
EDITION OF THE MANUAL OF TEST PROCEDURE OF MATERIALS, THE AMERICAN
WITH DISABILITIES ACT OF 1990 ACCESSIBILITY GUIDELINES, THE "ORAFT"
REHABILITATION ACT OF 1937 (SECTION 504), THE PUBLIC RIGHTS-OF-WAY
ACCESSIBILITY GUIDELINES, AND THE "SPECIAL PROVISIONS" INCLUDED IN

## **UTILITIES**

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COOPERATE WITH THE ENGINEER IN ANY UNDERGROUND UTILITY CONSTRUCTION WHICH MAY OCCUR DURING THE CONTRACTOR'S OPERATIONS AS SHOWN ON THE PLANS.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTACTING THE UTILITY 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 DEPARTMENT DOES 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 IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 107.20 AND 107.31.

COORDINATION OF ALL UTILITY WORK INVOLVED IN THE CONSTRUCTION AREA WILL BE DISCUSSED AT THE PRECONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE.

BEFORE STARTING ANY EXCAVATION, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CALL "JULIE" AT 811 OR 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 IOCATIONS.

ALL RADII FOR PROPOSED CURB AND GUTTER ARE TO THE EDGE OF PAVEMENT UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, AND SHALL BE AS INDICATED ON THE PLANS, ELEVATIONS SHOWN AT POINT OF CURVE, ETC. IS EDGE OF PAVEMENT UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

## 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 FROM DIRT AND DEBRIS. THE WORK SPECIFIED ABOVE WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST FOR MOBILIZATION.

ANY EXISTING OR PROPOSED STORM SEWER DAMAGED BY THE CONTRACTOR DURING CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE REPLACED BY THE CONTRACTOR AT THEIR OWN EXPENSE.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT OPEN OR SHUT ANY WATER VALVES OR FIRE HYDRANTS WITHOUT PRIOR AUTHORIZATION FROM THE CITY OF NORTHLAKE WATER DEPARTMENT. UNAUTHORIZED USE SHALL SUBJECT THE OFFENDER TO ARREST AND PROSECUTION.

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ACCESS: THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE ACCESS TO ABUTTING PROPERTY AT ALL TIMES DURING THE CONSTRUCTION OF THIS PROJECT, EXCEPT FOR PERIODS OF SHORT DURATION. THE COST TO PROVIDE ACCESS SHALL BE PAID FOR AND INCLUDED IN THE ITEM FOR AGGREGATE FOR TEMPORARY ACCESS.

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.

EXISTING PAVEMENT SECTION IS ASSUMED TO BE 13". REMOVAL OF ANY ADDITIONAL MATERIAL (INCLUDING STONE, CLAY ETC.) TO GET DOWN TO PROPER ELEVATION FOR INSTALLATION OF AGGREGATE BASE COURSE SHALL BE INCLUDED IN COST FOR PAVEMENT REMOVAL THIS INCLUDES THE AGGREGATE SHOULDER PARKING AREA ALONG DERROUGH AVENUE.

THE THICKNESSES OF HOT-MIX ASPHALT MIXTURES SHOWN IN THE PLANS ARE NOMINAL. DEVIATIONS MAY OCCUR DUE TO IRREGULARITIES IN THE SURFACES OR BASIS ON WHICH THEY ARE TO BE PLACED. PLAN THICKNESSES SHOULD BE CONSIDERED THE MINIMUM THICKNESS PERMITTED.

DETECTABLE WARNINGS FOR THE HANDICAPPED SHALL BE INSTALLED AT ALL INTERSECTING STREETS, SIGNALIZED COMMERCIAL DRIVEWAYS AND SIGNALIZED ALLEYS AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER (SEE IDOT STD. 424001-05 INCLUDED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS). CONTRACTOR SHALL VERIFY THAT ALL SLOPES MEET ADA REQUIREMENTS PRIOR TO INSTALLING SIDEWALK DETECTABLE WARNINGS AND ADJACENT CURB AND GUTTER.

PAVEMENT GRADES: THE ELEVATIONS INDICATED ON THE PLANS ARE FINISHED GRADES OF PROPOSED PAVEMENT OR SURFACE COURSE, UNLESS OTHERWISE INDICATED.

RELOCATING EXISTING SIGNS: EXISTING SIGNS WHICH ARE IN CONFLICT WITH PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS SHALL BE REMOVED AND REINSTALLED UPON COMPLETION OF CONFLICTION 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 ITEM TRAFFIC CONTROL AND PROTECTION, STANDARD 701501.

PER ARTICLE 107.20, 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.

PROPOSED CONCRETE CURB AND GUTTER SHALL BE TRANSITIONED TO EXISTING CURB AND GUTTER OVER A LENGTH OF 5 FEET. THIS WORK SHALL BE PAID FOR AT THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE PER FOOT FOR COMBINATION CONCRETE CURB AND GUTTER TYPE 8-8.12.

ALL UNDERGROUND, DRIVEWAY, CONCRETE, AND LANDSCAPE RESTORATION WORK IS TO BE COMPLETED BEFORE THE SURFACE COURSE CAN BE INSTALLED.

ALL REMOVAL OR EXCAVATION ITEMS BEING DISPOSED OF AT AN UNCONTAMINATED SOIL FILL OPERATION OR CLEAN CONSTRUCTION AND DEMOLITION DEBRIS (CCDD) FILL SITE SHALL MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF PUBLIC ACT 96-1416. ALL COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH MEETING THESE REQUIREMENTS SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE UNIT PRICE COST FOR THE ASSOCIATED REMOVAL OR EXCAVATION ITEMS IN THE CONTRACT. THESE COSTS SHALL INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO ALL REQUIRED TESTING, LAB ANALYSIS, CERTIFICATION BY A LICENSED PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER, AND STATE OR LOCAL TIPPING FEES.

COST TO CONNECT EXISTING OR PROPOSED STORM SEWER TO EXISTING OR PROPOSED DRAINAGE STRUCTURE SHALL BE INCLUDED IN COST FOR STORM SEWER.

COST FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SPEED HUMP IS INCLUDED IN THE COST FOR HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACE COURSE. THIS INCLUDES ALL LABOR AND MATERIALS TO CONSTRUCT THE SPEED HUMP IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DETAIL AS SHOWN IN THE PLANS.

# IDOT HIGHWAY STANDARDS

000001-06	STANDARD SYMBOLS, ABBREVIATIONS, AND PATTERNS
280001-05	TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL SYSTEMS
424001-05	CURB RAMPS FOR SIDEWALKS
542301-03	PRECAST REINFORCED CONCRETE FLARED END SECTION
542311-02	GRATING FOR CONCRETE FLARED END SECTION (FOR 24" THRU 54" PIPE)
602001-02	CATCH BASIN TYPE A
602011-02	CATCH BASIN TYPE C
602601-02	PRECAST REINFORCED CONCRETE FLAT SLAB TOP
604001-03	FRAME AND LIDS TYPE 1
606001-04	CONCRETE CURB TYPE B AND COMBINATION CONCRETE CURB AND GUTTER
701301-04	LANE CLOSURE, 2L, 2W, SHORT TIME OPERATIONS
701501-06	URBAN LANE CLOSURE, 2L, 2W UNDIVIDED
701801-04	LANE CLOSURE MULTILANE 1W OR 2W CROSSWALK OR SIDEWALK CLOSURE
701901-01	TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES
720001-01	SIGN PANEL MOUNTING DETAILS
720006-02	SIGN PANEL ERECTION DETAILS
729001-01	APPLICATIONS OF TYPES A & B METAL POSTS
780001-02	TYPICAL PAVEMENT MARKINGS
BD-22	PAVEMENT PATCHING FOR HMA SURFACED PAVEMENT
TC-10	TRAFFIC CONTROL AND PROTECTION FOR SIDE ROADS, INTERSECTIONS AND DRIVEWAYS
TC-13	DISTRICT ONE TYPICAL PAVEMENT MARKINGS
BLR 17-4	TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES - DAY LABOR CONSTRUCTION
BLR 18-5	TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES - DAY LABOR MAINTENANCE

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE SOLELY
RESPONSIBLE FOR JOB SITE SAFETY AS
WELL AS SUPERVISION-DIRECTION AND
MEANS-METHODS OF CONSTRUCTION

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