GENERAL NOTES

- 1. ALL EXISTING AND PROPOSED RIGHT-OF-WAY LINES AND PROPERTY LINES SHOWN ON THE PLAN SHEETS ARE GRAPHICAL REPRESENTATIONS AND SHALL NOT BE USED AS A MEANS TO ESTABLISH OWNERSHIP. IN ALL MATTERS RELATING TO RIGHT-OF-WAY, THE PLAT OF HIGHWAYS SHALL BE THE CONTROLLING DOCUMENT.
- 2. EXISTING UNDERGROUND AND ABOVE-GRADE FACILITIES, STRUCTURES, AND UTILITIES HAVE BEEN PLOTTED ON THESE CONTRACT DOCUMENTS BASED UPON THE INFORMATION AND SURVEYS AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF DRAWING PREPARATION, THE LOCATION OF THESE FEATURES MUST. THEREFORE, BE CONSIDERED APPROXIMATE ONLY. IN ADDITION, THERE MAY BE OTHER FACILITIES, STRUCTURES, AND UTILITIES WHICH DID NOT EXIST (OR THE EXISTENCE OF WHICH WAS NOT KNOWN) AT THE TIME OF DRAWING PREPARATION. IT IS THE SOLE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR(S) TO HAVE ALL EXISTING FACILITIES, STRUCTURES, AND UTILITIES LOCATED IN THE FIELD PRIOR TO ANY EXCAVATION OR CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY; AND TO PROTECT ALL SUCH EXISTING FEATURES (EXCEPT THOSE SPECIFICALLY NOTED FOR REMOVAL OR DEMOLITION) DURING CONSTRUCTION.
- 3. THE THICKNESS OF BITUMINOUS MIXTURE SHOWN ON THE PLANS IS THE NOMINAL THICKNESS. DEVIATIONS FROM THE NOMINAL THICKNESS WILL BE PERMITTED WHEN SUCH DEVIATIONS OCCUR DUE TO IRREGULARITIES IN THE EXISTING SURFACE OR BASE ON WHICH THE BITUMINOUS MIXTURE IS PLACED.
- 4. FACTORS USED FOR ESTIMATING PLAN QUANTITIES ARE AS FOLLOWS AND SHALL NOT BE USED FOR THE BASIS OF FINAL QUANTITIES:

0.056 TON/SQ YD/IN

DITOMINOUS CONCRETE BASE COCKSE	0.000	1010 00 107 1
BITUMINOUS CONCRETE SURFACE COURSE	0.056	TON/SQ YD/I
LIME (LIME MODIFIED SOILS)	0.02	TON/SQ YD
WATER (LIME MODIFIED SOILS)	0.007	UNIT/SQ YD
AGGREGATE (SURFACE, BASE, & BACKFILL)	2.05	TON/CU YD
BITUMINOUS MATERIALS:		
PRIME COAT FOR BITUMINOUS CONCRETE:		
- ON PAVEMENT	0.05	GAL/SQ YD
- ON AGGREGATE	0.5	GAL/SQ YD
- ON COLD MILLED SURFACE	0.1	GAL/SQ YD
- FOG COAT ON NEW BINDER	0.03	TON/SQ YD
AGGREGATE (PRIME COAT)		
- ON EXISTING PAVEMENT	4	LB/SQ YD
- ON COLD MILLED SURFACE	4	LB/SQ YD
- FOG COAT ON NEW BINDER	2	LB/SQ YD
BITUMINOUS SURFACE TREATMENTS:		
- PRIME COAT	0.5	GAL/SQ YD
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- COVER SEAL AGGREGATE	25	LB/SQ YD
- SEAL COAT AGGREGATE	25	LB/SQ YD
RIP RAP	1.5	TON/CU YD
SEEDING, CLASS 2	200	LB/ACRE
TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL SEEDING	100	LB/ACRE
NITROGEN FERTILIZER NUTRIENT	90	LB/ACRE
PHOSPHORUS FERTILIZER NUTRIENT	90	LB/ACRE
POTASSIUM FERTILIZER NUTRIENT		LB/ ACRE
MULCH	2	TON/ACRE

BITUMINOUS CONCRETE BASE COURSE

- 5. TREES SHALL BE PRESERVED THROUGHOUT THIS SECTION AS SHOWN ON THE PLANS AND AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. GENERALLY, TREES OUTSIDE THE CLEAR ZONE, AND WHICH DO NOT INTERFERE WITH CONSTRUCTION, SHALL NOT BE DISTURBED.
- 6. TRENCH BACKFILL REQUIRED FOR STORM SEWER, SANITARY SEWER, OR WATER MAINS SHALL ONLY BE PLACED UP TO ONE FOOT BELOW THE FINAL GRADE IN AREAS HAVING A PROPOSED GRASS OR SOD SURFACE.
- 7. ALL CULVERT EXTENSIONS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH METHOD II AS SPECIFIED IN ARTICLE 542.05 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, PRIOR TO EXTENDING ANY CULVERT, THE ENTIRE LENGTH OF THE EXISTING CULVERT SHALL BE CLEANED OF ALL EARTH AND DEBRIS BY THE CONTRACTOR TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE ENGINEER. THE COST OF THIS WORK SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE EXTENSION.
- 8. CONNECTING OF NEW OR EXISTING STORM SEWER TO NEW OR EXISTING INLETS OR MANHOLES SHALL BE MADE IN A MANNER WHICH RESULTS IN A NEAT AND WATERTIGHT JOINT. WHEN PLACED THROUGH THE WALL OF AN INLET OR MANHOLE, STORM SEWER PIPE SHALL BE PLACED OR CUT FLUSH WITH THE FACE OF THE WALL AND DRESSED WITH MORTAR TO PROVIDE A SMOOTH ROUNDED OR BEVELED EDGE. THIS WORK WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY, BUT SHALL BE CONSIDERED AS INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICES OF THE THE STORM SEWERS OR STRUCTURES INVOLVED.

- 9. IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARTICLE 107.16, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT THE SURFACE OF ALL BRIDGE DECKS AND BRIDGE APPROACH PAVEMENTS IN A MANNER SATISFACTORY TO THE ENGINEER BEFORE ANY EQUIPMENT IS ALLOWED TO CROSS THE STRUCTURE. PROTECTION SHALL BE PROVIDED FOR ALL EQUIPMENT AS DEFINED IN ARTICLE 107.16 REGARDLESS IF TRACK MOUNTED OR WHEELED.
- 10. PROTECTIVE COAT SHALL BE APPLIED TO ALL PCC PAVEMENT, GUTTER FLAGS, FACE OF CURB, AND MEDIAN SURFACE AS NEEDED ACCORDING TO THE SEASONAL REQUIREMENTS OF ARTICLE 420.21.
- 11. ILLINOIS STATE LAW REQUIRES A 48-HOUR NOTICE BE GIVEN TO ALL UTILITIES BEFORE DIGGING. FIFLD MARKING OF FACILITIES MAY BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING JULIALIE. OR, FOR NON-MEMBERS. THE UTILITY COMPANY DIRECTLY. AGENCIES KNOWN TO HAVE FACILITIES WITHIN THE PROJECT AREA
 - -CENTERPOINT ENERGY (GAS)
 - -PRAIRIE DUPONT PUBLIC WATER (WATER)
 - -HARRISONVILLE TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE (UNDERGROUND TELEPHONE)
 - -SUGAR LOAF TOWNSHIP SEWER SYSTEM (SANITARY SEWER)

MEMBERS OF J.U.L.I.E. (800) 892-0123 ARE INDICATED BY . NON-J.U.L.I.E. MEMBERS MUST BE NOTIFIED INDIVIDUALLY.

- 12. THE ENGINEER SHALL BE THE SOLE JUDGE CONCERNING CURING TIME FOR THE VARIOUS
- 13. FOR STABILIZATION, ALL TYPE III BARRICADES SHALL REQUIRE A MINIMUM OF 16 SANDBAGS PER BARRICADE.
- 14. BEFORE ORDERING STORM SEWERS, CATCH BASINS, PIPE CULVERTS, PIPE DRAINS, MANHOLES, AND BOX CULVERTS, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL FIELD VERIFY THE EXACT LENGTH AND QUANTITY REQUIRED.
- 15. THE STATE PLANE COORDINATE SYSTEM HAS BEEN USED FOR THE HORIZONTAL CONTROL.
- 16. ALL ELEVATIONS SHOWN ON THE PLANS ARE BASED ON U.S.G.S. MEAN SEA LEVEL DATUM.
- 17. SEEDING SHALL BE DONE ON ALL AREAS THAT ARE DISTURBED BY CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. SEEDING SHALL BE PAID FOR ONLY WITHIN THE PROPOSED RIGHT-OF-WAY OR EASEMENT LIMITS. ALL AREAS DISTURBED BY THE THE CONTRACTOR OUTSIDE THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION LIMITS SHALL BE SEEDED AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER, AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.
- 18. ALL OPENINGS IN PRECAST STRUCTURES, INCLUDING BOX CULVERTS, SHALL BE PRECAST TO THE PROPER SIZE, THIS INCLUDES OPENINGS FOR PIPE STRUCTURES AND MANHOLE OPENINGS, COSTS FOR THESE OPENINGS AND THE CONNECTIONS SHALL BE CONSIDERED INCLUDED IN THE VARIOUS PAY ITEM FOR THE STRUCTURES INVOLVED.
- 19. ALL DRAINAGE STRUCTURES SHALL BE DELIVERED TO THE PROJECT SITE WITHOUT SILT, DEBRIS, OR OTHER SUCH OBSTRUCTIONS AT THE TIME OF FINAL INSPECTION. THE CLEANING OF THESE DRAINAGE STRUCTURES SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE VARIOUS PAY ITEMS INVOLVED.
- 20. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE NATIONAL POLLUTION DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (NPDES) STORM WATER PERMIT AND IMPLEMENT THE EROSION CONTROL PLAN INCLUDED IN THESE PLANS AND SPECIFIED HEREIN. AS SPECIFIED IN ARTICLE 107.23, THE ENGINEER MUST GIVE PRIOR APPROVAL BEFORE DISTURBANCE OF ANY AREA CAN BEGIN.
- 21. ALL SOILS DATA COLLECTED AND PROCESSED FOR THE SOILS REPORT MADE IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE DESIGN OF THIS IMPROVEMENT IS ON FILE AT THE IDOT DISTRICT EIGHT OFFICE WHERE IT IS AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION BY CONTRACTORS AND PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS. BY SUBMITTING A BID, THE CONTRACTOR ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE SOILS REPORT HAS BEEN MADE AVAILABLE AND IS AWARE OF THE REPORT CONTENTS AND APPENDICES.
- 22. THE ENGINEER SHALL BE CONTACTED AND PRIOR APPROVAL OBTAINED FOR ANY TREE REMOVAL BEYOND THE LIMITS/LOCATIONS INCLUDED IN THE PLANS.
- 23. IF SO DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER, DITCHES ADJACENT TO EMBANKMENTS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED PRIOR TO STARTING THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE EMBANKMENT FILL. NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED FOR COMPLYING WITH THIS REQUIREMENT.
- 24. THE COST FOR REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL OF EXISTING OIL & CHIP PAVEMENT IS INCLUDED IN THE COST OF EARTH EXCAVATION. THIS MATERIAL MAY BE USED IN FILLS OR EMBANKMENTS SUBJECT TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARTICLE 202.03 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

- 25. PROPOSED AGGREGATE SHOULDERS, TYPE B SHALL BE CA2.
- 26. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE LABOR AND MATERIALS REQUIRED TO IMPRINT PAVEMENT STATION NUMBERS IN THE FINISHED SURFACE OF THE PAVEMENT AND/OR OVERLAY. THE NUMBERS SHALL BE APPROXIMATELY 3/4 INCHES WIDE, 5 INCHES HIGH AND 5/8 INCHES DEEP.

THE PAVEMENT STATION NUMBERS SHALL BE INSTALLED AS SPECIFIED HEREIN:

INTERVAL - 250 FEET

BOTTOM OF NUMBERS - 6 INCHES FROM THE INSIDE EDGE OF THE PAVEMENT MARKING

LOCATION:

- 2, 3, & 5 LANE PAVEMENTS RIGHT EDGE OF PAVEMENT IN DIRECTION OF INCREASING STATIONS
- MULTI-LANE DIVIDED ROADWAYS OUTSIDE EDGE OF PAVEMENT IN BOTH DIRECTIONS
- RAMPS ALONG BASELINE EDGE OF PAVEMENT

POSITION - STATIONS SHALL BE PLACED SO THEY CAN BE READ FROM THE ADJACENT SHOULDER

FORMAT - "XX+XX", WHERE X REPRESENTS THE PAVEMENT STATION

THIS WORK WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY, BUT WILL BE CONSIDERED INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE ASSOCIATED PAVEMENT AND/OR OVERLAY PAY ITEMS.

27. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL DISASSEMBLE THE TEMPORARY SHORING TOWER INTO THE MAJOR COMPONENTS (COLUMNS, CAP BEAMS AND BRACING), AND THEN DELIVER TO DAY LABOR IN SPRINGFIELD AT THE FOLLOWING ADDRESS:

TDOT DAY LABOR 505 N. MACARTHUR BLVD. SPRINGFIELD, IL 62702

CONTACT MICKEY REED (217-782-2204) TO ARRANGE DELIVERY (MINIMUM 48 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF DELIVERY). THIS WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPERATLY, BUT WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF "REMOVAL OF EXISTING STRUCTURES".

- 28. ALL DEMOLITION WORK WITHIN THE RAILROAD'S ROW OR THAT MAY IMPACT THE RAILROAD'S TRACKS OR OPERATION SHALL COMPLY WITH THE RAILROAD'S DEMOLITION GUIDELINES.
- 29. RAILROAD'S REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF SHORING, ERECTION, AND FALSEWORK ARE REQUIRED. ALLOW MINIMUM OF FOUR WEEKS FOR THE REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF EACH ROUND OF SUBMITTAL.
- 30. ANY SHORING SYSTEM THAT IMPACTS THE RAILROAD'S OPERATION AND/OR SUPPORTS THE RAILROAD'S EMBANKMENT SHALL BE DESIGNED AND CONSTRUCTED PER RAILROAD GUIDELINES FOR TEMPORARY SHORING.
- 31. ERECTION OVER THE RAILROAD'S RIGHT-OF-WAY SHALL BE DESIGNED TO CAUSE NO INTERRUPTION TO THE RAILROAD'S OPERATION. ERECTION OVER THE RAILROAD'S TRACK SHALL BE DEVELOPED SUCH THAT IT ENABLES THE TRACK(S) TO REMAIN OPEN TO TRAFFIC PER RAILROAD REQUIREMENTS.
- 32. THE PROPOSED GRADE SEPARATION PROJECT SHALL NOT CHANGE THE QUANTITY AND/OR CHARACTERISTIC OF THE FLOW IN THE RAILROAD DITCHES AND/OR DRAINAGE STRUCTURES.
- 33. MINIMUM CONSTRUCTION CLEARANCE ENVELOPE OF 21 FEET VERTICAL ABOVE THE PLANE OF TOP-OF-RAIL AND 12 FEET HORIZONTAL AT RIGHT ANGLE FROM CENTERLINE OF TRACK SHALL BE MAINTAINED AT ALL TIMES DURING CONSTRUCTION.
- 34. THE ELEVATION OF THE EXISTING TOP-OF-RAIL PROFILE SHALL BE VERIFIED BEFORE BEGINNING CONSTRUCTION. ALL DISCREPANCIES SHALL BE BROUGHT TO THE ATTENTION OF THE RAILROAD PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION.
- 35. ALL PERMANENT CLEARANCES SHALL BE VERIFIED BEFORE PROJECT CLOSE-OUT.
- 36. RAILROAD REQUIREMENTS DO NOT ALLOW WORK WITHIN 50 FEET OF TRACK CENTERLINE WHILE A TRAIN PASSES THE WORK SITE, AND ALL PERSONNEL MUST CLEAR THE AREA WITHIN 25 FEET OF THE TRACK CENTERLINE AND SECURE ALL EQUIPMENT.
- 37. FOR RAILROAD COORDINATION PLEASE REFER TO THE RAILROAD'S COORDINATION REQUIREMENTS AS PART OF THE SPECIFICATION OR SPECIAL PROVISION OF THE PROJECT.
- 38- CONTRACTOR MUST CALL THE UPRR CALL BEFORE YOU DIG NUMBER, (800) 336-9193, FOR LOCATION OF FIBER OPTICS ON UPRR ROW.

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