

GENERAL NOTES

G.N.-100
ENGLISH UNITS OF MEASUREMENT SHALL GOVERN OVER AND SUPERSEDE ANY METRIC UNITS SHOWN IN THIS CONTRACT. WHERE INCLUDED, METRIC UNITS ARE FOR INFORMATION ONLY.

G.N.-100A
ELECTRONIC FILES AND/OR ELECTRONIC SURVEY INFORMATION INCLUDING CADD FILES WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE TO THE CONTRACTOR.

G.N.-105.09A
ALL ELEVATIONS SHOWN IN THE PLANS ARE BASED ON NORTH AMERICAN VERTICAL DATUM OF 1988. (NAVD 88)

G.N.-202
GRADING SHALL BE DONE BY HAND AROUND LIGHT POLES, UTILITY POLES, SIGN POSTS, SHRUBS, TREES OR OTHER NATURAL OR MAN-MADE OBJECTS WHERE SHALLOW FILLS OR CUTS ARE ADJACENT TO THE ITEMS. IT IS THE INTENT THAT THE LIMITS OF CONSTRUCTION BE SUCH AS TO PRESERVE IN THE ORIGINAL STATE AS MUCH AREA OF TEMPORARY EASEMENTS AS POSSIBLE. THE DECISION AS TO ITEMS TO REMAIN IN PLACE SHALL BE AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.

THIS WORK WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY, BUT SHALL BE CONSIDERED INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE PER CUBIC YARD FOR EARTH EXCAVATION AND NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED.

G.N.-280
TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL SEEDING IS INCLUDED IN THIS CONTRACT TO SEED DISTURBED EARTH DURING TIME PERIODS WHEN PERMANENT SEEDING IS NOT ALLOWED. SOME OR ALL OF THE TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL SEEDING WILL BE DELETED IF IT IS POSSIBLE TO PLACE PERMANENT SEEDING ON EARTH AT THE TIME OF THEIR COMPLETION.

G.N.-440B
THE EXISTING TIE BARS BETWEEN THE EXISTING PAVEMENT AND EXISTING MEDIANS, GUTTERS AND/OR COMBINATION CURB AND GUTTERS THAT ARE FOUND SUITABLE FOR REUSE SHALL BE CLEANED, STRAIGHTENED AND INCORPORATED INTO THE NEW CONSTRUCTION. ANY EXISTING TIE BARS THAT ARE FOUND UNSUITABLE TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE PROPOSED CONSTRUCTION DUE TO EXCESSIVE RUSTING OR DISTRESS SHALL BE REMOVED FLUSH WITH THE FACE OF THE EXISTING CONCRETE AND DISPOSED OF OUTSIDE THE LIMITS OF THE RIGHT-OF-WAY IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 202.03 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

THIS WORK WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE CONSIDERED INCLUDED IN THE VARIOUS REMOVAL PAY ITEMS AND NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED.

G.N.-442B – PATCHING SCHEDULES
THE PATCHING SCHEDULES INCLUDED IN THE PLANS REPRESENT THE BEST INFORMATION AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF COMPLETION OF THE PLANS FOR LETTING. VARIATIONS IN LOCATION AND SIZES OF BOTH FULL-DEPTH AND PARTIAL-DEPTH PATCHES MAY OCCUR.

G.N.-550
BEFORE ORDERING STORM SEWERS, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONSULT THE ENGINEER FOR THE EXACT LENGTHS.

G.N.-1004.01
COARSE AGGREGATE GRADATION CA-10 MAY BE USED WHENEVER COARSE AGGREGATE CA-6 IS SPECIFIED IN THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.

NO COMMITMENTS

G.N.-105.07B
EXISTING STATE-OWNED AND MAINTAINED UTILITY LINES ARE SHOWN ON THE PLANS TO INDICATE THEIR PRESENCE AND APPROXIMATE LOCATION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SECURE AN APPROVED LOCATING FIRM TO LOCATE STATE-OWNED UTILITIES PRIOR TO COMMENCING ANY EXCAVATION IN THE VICINITY OF THESE LINES IN ACCORDANCE TO SECTION 803 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. SHOULD ANY OF THE LINES BE DAMAGED BY THE CONTRACTOR'S OPERATION, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REPAIR THEM TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE ENGINEER AT NO COST TO THE STATE.

ALSO THERE MAY BE UTILITIES PRESENT WHICH WERE INSTALLED BY THE STATE BUT ARE MAINTAINED BY OTHERS (CITY, TOWN, ETC.) THE APPROXIMATE LOCATIONS OF THESE LINES ARE ALSO SHOWN ON THE PLANS ALONG WITH THE NAME OF THE MAINTAINING AGENCY. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE THE LOCATION OF THESE LINES WITH THE LOCAL AGENCY PRIOR TO COMMENCING ANY EXCAVATION OR BORING IN THEIR VICINITY. SHOULD THESE LINES BE DAMAGED BY THE CONTRACTOR'S OPERATIONS, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REPAIR THEM TO THE SATISFACTION OF, AND AT NO COST TO, THE LOCAL AGENCY AND THE STATE.

G.N.-107.37
UTILITY LINES WERE PLOTTED FROM INFORMATION FURNISHED BY THE VARIOUS UTILITY COMPANIES INVOLVED (QUALITY LEVEL C &/OR QUALITY LEVEL D) AND THE ACCURACY SHOULD BE CONSIDERED APPROXIMATE ONLY.

UTILITY COMPANIES MAY BE ADJUSTING THEIR FACILITIES DURING CONSTRUCTION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COOPERATE WITH THESE ORGANIZATIONS WHILE THESE ADJUSTMENTS ARE BEING PERFORMED. J.U.L.I.E. - JOINT UTILITY LOCATION INFORMATION FOR EXCAVATORS SYSTEM (800) 892-0123 OR 811.

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