## GENERAL NOTES

PLAN DIMENSIONS AND DETAILS RELATIVE TO EXISTING PLANS ARE SUBJECT TO ROUTINE VARIATIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL FIELD VERIFY EXISTING DIMENSIONS AND DETAILS AFFECTING NEW CONSTRUCTION AND MAKE NECESSARY APPROVED ADJUSTMENTS PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION OR ORDERING OF MATERIALS. SUCH VARIATIONS SHALL NOT BE CAUSE FOR ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION FOR A CHANGE IN THE SCOPE OF THE WORK. HOWEVER, THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE PAID FOR THE QUANTITY FURNISHED BASED UPON THE UNIT BID PRICE FOR THE WORK.

FOR STABILIZATION, ALL TYPE III BARRICADES SHALL REQUIRE A MINIMUM OF FOUR SAND BAGS PER BARRICADE.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROTECTING UTILITY
PROPERTY FROM CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS AS OUTLINED IN ARTICLE 107.31
OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THE "JULIE" NUMBER IS 1-800-892-0123.
A MINIMUM OF FORTY-EIGHT (48) HOURS ADVANCE NOTICE IS REQUIRED.

THE COST OF ANY SAW CUTS MADE TO COMPLETE THE WORK AS DESCRIBED IN PLAN DETAILS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED SHALL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED WITH THE VARIOUS REMOVAL PAY ITEMS INVOLVED.

WHERE SECTION OR SUBSECTION MONUMENTS ARE ENCOUNTERED, THE ENGINEER SHALL BE NOTIFIED BEFORE SUCH MONUMENTS ARE REMOVED. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT AND CAREFULLY PRESERVE ALL MONUMENTS UNTIL AN AUTHORIZED SURVEYOR OR AGENT HAS WITNESSED OR OTHERWISE REFERENCED THEIR LOCATION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR HAVING AN AUTHORIZED SURVEYOR REESTABLISH ANY SECTION OR SUBSECTION MONUMENTS DESTROYED BY HIS OPERATIONS.

ABANDONED UNDERGROUND UTILITIES THAT CONFLICT WITH

CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE DISPOSED OF OUTSIDE THE LIMITS OF THE

RIGHT OF WAY ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 202.03 OF THE STANDARD

SPECIFICATIONS AND AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THIS WORK WILL

NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF

EARTH EXCAVATION.

ANY REFERENCE TO A STANDARD IN THESE PLANS SHALL BE INTERPRETED TO MEAN THE EDITION AS INDICATED BY THE SUBNUMBER LISTED ON THE INDEX OF SHEETS OR THE COPY OF THE STANDARD INCLUDED IN THESE PLANS.

THE CONTRACTOR'S ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE PRESENCE OF DEPARTMENT-OWNED UNDERGROUND ELECTRICAL CABLE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REQUEST THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IN OTTAWA, BUREAU OF OPERATIONS TRAFFIC SIGNAL AND LANDSCAPE SECTIONS TO LOCATE THE UNDERGROUND FACILITIES, PROVIDING A MINIMUM OF 72 HOURS NOTICE. THE DEPARTMENT IS NOT A MEMBER OF THE JOINT UTILITY LOCATING INFORMATION FOR EXCAVATORS (JULIE) SYSTEM. THE DEPARTMENT'S CONTACT PERSON FOR THE TRAFFIC SIGNAL SECTION IS DAN DEVINE (815)434-8505. THE DEPARTMENT'S CONTACT PERSON FOR THE LANDSCAPE SECTION IF KATHY CINDRICH. (815)434-8445.

ALL DAMAGE TO DEPARTMENT OWNED UNDERGROUND FACILITIES,
CAUSED BY THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REPAIRED TO THE
SATISFACTION OF THE DEPARTMENT AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE.
THIS SHALL INCLUDE ALL TEMPORARY REPAIRS REQUIRED TO KEEP THE
FACILITY OPERATIONAL WHILE MATERIAL IS BEING OBTAINED TO MAKE
PERMANENT REPAIRS. SPLICING OF ELECTRIC CABLE SHALL NOT BE
ALLOWED. ELECTRIC CABLE SHALL BE REPLACED FROM POLE TO POLE
OR CONTROLLER.

ABANDONED UNDERGROUND UTILITIES THAT CONFLICT WITH
CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE DISPOSED OF OUTSIDE THE LIMITS OF THE
RIGHT OF WAY ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 202.03 OF THE STANDARD
SPECIFICATIONS AND AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THIS WORK WILL
NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF
THE REMOVAL PAY ITEMS INCLUDED IN THE PLANS.

EXCAVATION REQUIRED FOR THE REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT OF
THE EXISTING SIDWALK OR CCC&G SHALL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY
BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE REMOVAL PAY ITEMS
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