



Illinois Department of Transportation

2300 South Dirksen Parkway / Springfield, Illinois / 62764

January 3, 2022

SUBJECT: Route FAU 1014 (Proviso Drive)
Section 18-00035-00-PV (Berkeley)
Cook County
Contract No. 61G71
Item 066
January 21, 2022 Letting
Addendum B

NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

Attached is an addendum to the plans or proposal. This addendum involves revised and/or added material.

1. Revised page 28 of the Special Provisions.

Prime contractors must utilize the enclosed material when preparing their bid and must include any changes to the Schedule of Prices in their bid.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jack A. Elston".

Jack A. Elston, P.E.
Bureau Chief, Design and Environment

FIRE HYDRANTS TO BE REMOVED

Description. This work shall consist of removing a fire hydrant from the water main, along with the auxiliary valve, valve box, and connecting pieces when noted on the plans. Work will also include the removal of any thrust blocking, and backfilling the excavation. Hydrants removed under this item will not be reinstalled on this project. Contractor shall deliver removed hydrants to the Owner's Public Works Department Yard, located at 1201 Wolf Road.

Where it is necessary to remove a fire hydrant from a main still in service, the procedure will be as follows:

1. Close the auxiliary valve.
2. Excavate around the hydrant and auxiliary valve to expose the piping to be removed. Contractor shall take adequate precautions to restrain all piping to prevent movement and leakage. Remove the hydrant and any blocking.
3. Furnish and place the appropriate caps, plugs, or other fittings and accessories necessary to satisfactorily plug the hydrant lead or auxiliary valve. Contractor shall be sufficiently equipped and prepared to deal with the various arrangements, types and sizes of hydrant leads which may be encountered.
4. After the work has been inspected and found satisfactory, place a poured concrete thrust block between the capped/plugged lead and undisturbed earth.
5. After thrust block has attained its set, carefully backfill the excavated area.

When removing a hydrant from a water main which is no longer in service, Contractor may cut the hydrant lead anywhere between the tee and the auxiliary valve. The cap or plug placed on the hydrant lead need not be watertight, but shall be sufficiently tight to preclude the entry of backfill material into the abandoned pipe.

Basis of Payment. This work will be paid for at the Contract Unit Price per each for FIRE HYDRANTS TO BE REMOVED; which prices shall include all labor, materials, and equipment necessary to satisfactorily complete the Work as specified herein.

FIRE HYDRANTS TO BE MOVED

Description. This work shall consist of moving a fire hydrant to a location as shown on the plans. The auxiliary valve shall be shut off and the hydrant moved to the proposed location. All fittings, pipe and other materials to complete the work shall be included. Materials and installation shall meet all requirements applicable portions of the FIRE HYDRANTS special provision.

This item shall include all necessary fittings, flanges, filter fabric, thrust blocks, lead piping, backfill, and any other appurtenances that may need to be installed. Pipe shall be paid for separately as DUCTILE IRON WATER MAIN 6"

Basis of Payment. This work will be paid for at the Contract Unit Price per each for FIRE HYDRANTS TO BE MOVED; which prices shall include all labor, materials, and equipment necessary to satisfactorily complete the Work as specified herein.

Revised December 29, 2021