

GENERAL NOTES

ROUTE NO.	SEC.	COUNTY	TOTAL SHEETS	SHEET NO.
FAP 17 (US 52/IL 64)	4RS-4	Carroll	35	4
FED ROAD DIST. NO.	ILLINOIS	PROJECT		
Contract #64E12				

All Borrow/Waste/Use sites must be approved by the Department prior to removing any material from the project or initiating any earthmoving activities, including temporary stockpiling outside the limits of construction.

The Contractor shall seed all disturbed areas within the project limits. Seeding Class 4 or 2A shall be used, except in front of properties where the grass will be mowed, then use Seeding, Class 1. Class 2A shall be used on front slopes and ditch bottoms. Class 4 shall be used behind Type A gutter, on all backslopes and areas behind the backslope, and beyond the toe of front slope on fill sections without ditches. This work will be included in the contract unit price per Foot for PIPE UNDERDRAINS 6", PIPE UNDERDRAINS 6" (SPECIAL), OR GRADING & SHAPING DITCHES.

Fertilizer shall be applied to all disturbed areas and incorporated into the seedbed prior to seeding or placement of sod at the rate specified in Sections 250 and 252 of the Standard Specifications. This work shall be included in the cost of PIPE UNDERDRAIN or GRADING & SHAPING DITCHES.

Mulch Method II shall be applied over all seeded areas. This shall be included in the cost of the PIPE UNDERDRAIN or GRADING & SHAPING DITCHES.

Closed expansion joints on jointed pavements shall be re-established during the patching operations. Class B Patches - when the pavement requires patching at the location of the expansion joint, a new joint should be established using a dowelled expansion patch as shown on Highway Standard 442101. When the joint is closed, but does not require patching, an expansion joint may be formed by sawing the pavement and filling the saw cut with a preformed expansion joint filler meeting the requirements of Section 1051 of the Standard Specifications as shown on Standard 420001.

When laying out for patching, the minimum distance between new patches (saw cut to saw cut) shall be 4.6 m (15 feet). When patch spacing is less than 4.6 m (15 feet), the pavement between patches shall also be removed and replaced.

All mandatory joint sealing for Class B patches as shown on the plans will not be measured for payment. Optional sawing of the joint for the sealant reservoir will not be measured for payment.

The Engineer reserves the right to check all patches for smoothness by the use of a 10' rolling straight edge set to a 3/16" tolerance in the wheel paths. Any patch areas higher than 3/16" must be ground smooth with an approved grinding device consisting of multiple saws. The use of bushhammer or other impact devices will not be permitted. Any patch with depressions greater than 3/16" shall be repaired in a manner approved by the Engineer.

The mandatory saw cuts for pavement patching are:

Class B Patch: Cut two transverse saw cuts outlining the patch and one transverse pressure relief saw cut. The longitudinal edges of the patch shall be cut full depth. When the patch is adjacent to a pcc shoulder, two saw cuts along the shoulder will be required.

The mandatory saw cuts will be paid for at the contract unit price per Meter (Foot) for SAW CUTS.

The minimum patch dimension for full-depth patches will be 1.2 m (four feet) and half-lane width. Half-lane patches shall be confined to the outside edges of the pavement.

The existing hot-mix asphalt surface on private and commercial entrances shall be bladed off or milled and disposed of outside the project limits. The cost of the blading, milling, rolling, and disposal is included in the contract unit price for INCIDENTAL HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACING.

The following Mixture Requirements are applicable for this project:

Mixture Uses(s):	Surface	Level Binder	HMA Over Patches
PG:	PG 64-22	PG 64-22	PG 64-22
Design Air Voids	4.0 @ N70	4.0 @ N70	4.0 @ N70
Mixture Composition (Gradation Mixture)	IL 9.5 or 12.5	IL 9.5	IL 19.0
Friction Aggregate	C	N/A	
20 Year ESAL	2.8	2.8	

The Contractor will be required to furnish 140 mm (5 1/2") high brass stencils as approved by the Engineer and install stationing at 250' intervals. Stationing shall be placed on both lanes of 2-lane highways and on the outside lanes in both directions on 4-lane highways. The stations shall be placed 150 mm (6") inside the pavement marking edge so they can be read from the shoulder. This work will be included in the cost of the final pavement surface.

To help avoid excess drop offs at the edge of pavement, the existing aggregate wedge or shoulder is to be pulled up and rolled to match the edge of pavement before placing any bituminous material. All costs associated with pulling up the shoulders shall be considered included in the contract unit price per TON for HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACE COURSE of the type specified.

The Contractor shall clean out the culvert and stream flows to the right-of-way lines at Station 729+69. The cost shall be included in the contract unit price for GRADING & SHAPING DITCHES.

If, during the grinding or resurfacing operations, the existing mailboxes become a hindrance, the Contractor shall be required to carefully remove and reinstall the mailboxes as directed by the Engineer. This work shall be included in the contract unit price for the INCIDENTAL HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACING.

The underdrain system scheduled on this project is to be constructed in accordance with Section 601 of the Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge Construction, except when the Recurring Special Provision Pipe Underdrains is included, the fabric envelope encasement of the pipe shall be omitted.

Pavement Marking shall be done according to Standard 780001, except as follows:

1. All words, such as ONLY, shall be 2.4 m (8 feet) high.
2. All non-freeway arrows shall be the large size.
3. The distance between yellow no-passing lines shall be 200 mm (8"), not 180 mm (7") as shown in the detail of Typical Lane and Edge Lines.

Aggregate Base Course, Type B, is provided in the plan quantities and shall be used only as needed when directed by the Engineer.

The Contractor shall be responsible for protecting utility property during construction operations as outlined in Article 107.31 of the Standard Specifications. A minimum of 48 hours advance notice is required for non-emergency work. The JULIE number is 800-892-0123. The following listed utilities located within the project limits or immediately adjacent to the project construction limits are members of JULIE:

Mediacom	Gallatin River Communications
Commonwealth Edison	Verizon
Jo-Carroll Energy	NICOR Gas Co.
Frontier/Citizens	City of Lanark

CADD data will be available to Contractors and Consultants working on this project. This information will be provided upon request as MicroStation CADD files and Geopak coordinate geometry files ONLY. If data is required in other formats it will be your responsibility to make these conversions. If any discrepancy or inconsistency arises between the electronic data and the information on the hard copy, the information on the hard copy should be used. Contact the District's Project Engineer to request these files.

The Butt Joint from Station 970+31 to 970+76 shall be constructed for use until the contractor builds the taper from Station 970+31 to 971+31. Removal of the butt joint before the taper is built shall be included in the cost of the LEVELING BINDER (MACHINE METHOD).

All costs associated with the installation of rodent screens in concrete headwall for pipe underdrains shall be considered included in the contract unit price per Foot for PIPE UNDERDRAINS 6" (SPECIAL).