

GENERAL NOTES

See cross sections for special ditches and backslopes.

The final top 100 mm (four inches) of soil in any right-of-way area disturbed by the Contractor must be capable of supporting vegetation. The soil must be from the A horizon (zero to 2' deep) of soil profiles of local soils.

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.

Placement and compaction of the backfill for proposed across road culverts and existing across road culverts that are removed shall conform to Section 502.10 of the Standard Specifications, except that the material shall conform to Article 208.02 of the Standard Specifications, and shall be compacted to a minimum of 95% of the standard laboratory density. Any material conforming to the requirements of Article 1003.04 or 1004.05 which has been excavated from the trenches shall be used for backfilling the trenches. The entire excavation, within 2 feet outside of each shoulder, shall be backfilled with trench backfill material to the bottom of the proposed subgrade. Impervious material shall be used on the outer 3 feet of each end of the culvert. This trench backfill material will not be measured for payment, but shall be included in the contract unit price for the class of concrete involved or other unit price item of the work for which it is required.

Class C Patches shall be tied to the adjacent lane when the patches are more than 20 feet. The cost of the tie bars shall be included in the cost of the patch.

The existing hot-mix asphalt on private and commercial entrances shall be bladed off or milled and disposed of outside the project limits. This could be the entire entrance or tapered at the end depending on if the mainline is resurfaced or milled and resurfaced. The cost of the blading, milling, rolling, and disposal is included in the contract unit price for INCIDENTAL HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACING.

The drop off that occurs at entrance edges as a result of resurfacing of the entrance shall be corrected using aggregate shoulder material. This work shall be paid for by the TON for Aggregate Shoulders of the type specified in the plans.

Milling machines on this project shall be capable of removing a layer of bituminous a minimum 6' wide and 1½ inches in depth in a single pass.

The following Mixture Requirements are applicable for this project:

Mixture Uses(s):	Surface	Level Binder (MM)	Bottom Shoulder	Top Shoulder
PG:	PG 64-22	PG 64-22	PG 58-22	PG 58-22
Design Air Voids	4.0 @ N50	4.0 @ N50	2 @ N50	3.0 @ N50
Mixture Composition (Gradation Mixture)	IL 9.5 or 12.5	IL 9.5 FG	BAM	IL 9.5 or 12.5
Friction Aggregate	C	N/A	N/A	C
20 Year ESAL	0.7	0.7	N/A	0.7

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.

The area to be primed shall be limited to that which can be covered with HMA the same day, unless otherwise permitted by the Engineer.

A Nationwide 404 Permit has been issued for this project and the conditions of that permit must be adhered to.

The new number for the structure at Sta. 23+03 is **066-2501**
 The new number for the structure at Sta. 138+19 is **066-2502**
 The new number for the structure at Sta. 304-96 is **081-1134**
 The new number for the structure at Sta. 323+50 is **081-1133**
 The new number for the structure at Sta. 363+65 is **081-1132**

The boring logs for this structure indicate that groundwater levels may encroach on the construction limits of this culvert. It shall be the responsibility of the contractor to control the ground water and divert the stream flow during construction in order to keep the construction area free of water. The method of controlling the water shall be subject to approval of the Engineer and the cost shall be included in the contract unit price for Precast Concrete Box Culverts.

Culvert & bridge flows must be maintained throughout the project. Normal flow shall be allowed to pass at the rate it enters the jobsite. High flows shall be allowed to pass without causing damage to upstream properties.

The proposed pipes for entrances and side roads shall be placed in line with the existing or proposed ditch line.

Connecting bands for corrugated metal pipes shall be metal and shall be coated with the same material as the pipe sections. The connecting bands shall be a minimum of 18" wide.

It is anticipated that several mailboxes will require relocation to the approach side of the entrances. When this is done, the contractor shall be required to mount the mailbox on a 100 mm x 100 mm (4" x 4") wood post 1 m (40 inches) above the shoulder surface and extending to a minimum of 0.6 m (24 inches) into the embankment. This work shall be included in the contract unit price for the EARTH EXCAVATION. There are an estimated 5 mailboxes to be relocated.

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.

All frames and grates of drainage structures to be removed or filled shall be carefully salvaged and shall remain the property of the contractor.

All proposed manholes on this project shall be cast in place or precast. This work will be paid for at the contract unit price Each for MANHOLE of the type and size specified.

Where field tile is encountered, storm sewer or pipe drain will be used in accordance with Section 611. The minimum size for replacement will be 150 mm (6") for Pipe Drains and 200 mm (8") for Storm Sewer, but the size must be at least 50 mm (2") larger than the adjoining tile. A Field Tile Junction Vault will be constructed at the right of way to connect the tile and storm sewer. See the Summary of Quantities for the estimated quantities.

The excavated materials from earth excavation widening, grading and shaping ditches, and excavating and grading shoulders shall be used to build up the shoulder throughout the job to conform with the typical sections and shoulder widening for terminals as shown on the plans.

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