

GENERAL NOTES

ROUTE NO.	SEC.	COUNTY	TOTAL SHEETS	SHEET NO.
FAS 573 (US 30)	116R-4	DeKalb	416	9
FED ROAD DIST. NO.	ILLINOIS	PROJECT		
Contract #64517				

See cross sections for special ditches and backslopes.

The removal of Bituminous Surfacing not on a rigid type base removed in conjunction with the base shall be removed as EARTH EXCAVATION. The removal of Bituminous Surfacing on a rigid type base removed in conjunction with the base shall be included in the contract unit price for PAVEMENT REMOVAL of the type specified.

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.

The Contractor shall seed all disturbed areas within the project limits. Seeding Class 4 or 6 (modified) shall be used, except in front of properties where the grass will be mowed, then use Seeding, Class 1 (modified). Class 6 (modified) 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.

Mulch on temporary seeding shall be MULCH METHOD 2.

Subbase Drains and Underdrain Specials shall be fully installed, operational, and outleted prior to the placement of any related pavement structure.

Previously pugmilled stockpiles of "Type A" older than 1 month will not be approved for use until a moisture check is run to verify moisture content. Material shipped to projects without being tested will not be accepted.

The subgrade on this project, exclusive of rock cut areas is scheduled to be improved to a 300 mm (12") depth according to Mechanistic Pavement Design. The areas scheduled to be improved to a depth greater than 300 mm (12") are estimated based on the original geotechnical investigation. The subgrade shall be processed in accordance with Article 301.03 of the Standard Specifications before the engineer shall determine the limits and the additional thickness of improvement required, if any.

Except for the top 75 mm (3"), all aggregate bases and subbases 300 mm (12") in thickness shall be constructed of aggregate gradation CA-2. If the specified thickness exceeds 300 mm (12"), the bases or subbases shall be constructed of topsize 150 mm (6") breaker-run crushed stone with 70% to 90% by weight, passing the 4" sieve and 15% to 40% by weight, passing the 50 mm (2") size sieve, except for the top 75 mm (3"). The breaker-run crushed stone shall be reasonably uniformly graded from coarse to fine and be taken from a quarry ledge capable of producing Class "D" quality aggregate. The top 75 mm (3") shall be gradation CA-6 or CA-10 regardless of thickness. The water necessary to achieve compaction in all but the top 75 mm (3") layer may be added after the subbase or base course is placed on the grade.

The existing bituminous surface on private and commercial entrances within resurfacing areas 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 BITUMINOUS SURFACING.

Mixture Uses(s):	Surface	Level Binder	Binder	Temporary Pavement		Side Roads and Top Shoulder	Bottom Shldr
				Surface	Binder		
PG:	SBS PG 70-22	SBS PG 70-22	SBS PG 70-22	PG 64-22	PG 64-22	PG 64-22	PG 58-22
RAP%: (Max)	0	0	0	10	15	15	50
Design Air Voids	4.2 @ N70	4.2 @ N70	4.2 @ N70	4.2 @ N70	4.2 @ N70	4.2 @ N50	2 @ N50
Mixture Composition (Gradation Mixture)	IL 9.5 or 12.5	IL 9.5	IL 19.0	IL 12.5	IL 19.0	IL 9.5 or 12.5	BAM
Friction Aggregate	D	N/A	N/A	C	N/A	C	N/A
20 Year ESAL	5.2	5.2	5.2	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

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.

Reflective Crack Control shall be placed on the existing surface prior to any resurfacing, unless pavement is milled then it will be placed on the binder course.

On full depth pavement, shoulder widths of 1.8 m (6 ft) or less may be placed, at the Contractor's option, simultaneously with the adjacent traffic lane for both the binder and surface courses, provided the cross slope of both the pavement and shoulder can be satisfactorily obtained. The shoulder will be paid for at the contract unit price per Square Meter (Square Yard) for BITUMINOUS SHOULDERS of the thickness specified on the plans.

The Contractor shall remove all entrance culverts in condition for reuse which are not to be left in place. They shall be cleaned and stored along the right of way as directed. In no case shall they be roughly handled or shoved by heavy machinery. Unusable material shall be disposed of by the Contractor at his expense. Cost of the work to be included in the contract unit price for EARTH EXCAVATION.

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

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 14 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 BITUMINOUS SURFACING.

Noses of curbed corner islands noted as 1 & 2 on Highway Standard 606301 shall be ramped unless the curb function is for the protection of pedestrians, signals, light standards or sign truss supports.

Use M-15.15 (M-6.06) or M-10.15 (M-4.06) curb and gutter on all sides of islands when island is offset shoulder width, but offset should not be greater than 2.4 m (8 feet) edge to face.

Use M-15 (M-6) curb on islands when located adjacent to a highway with speeds of 70 km/h (45 mph) or less.

Rural minimum island area = 9.3 m² (100 feet²).

Urban island area = usually 7.0 m² (75 feet²) but not less than 4.7 m² (50 feet²).
(Island area includes the concrete median surface and the curb.)

The Contractor shall install a 450 mm (18") diameter formed opening in the Concrete Median Surface of the Island as directed by the Engineer. Also, a 75 mm (4") diameter formed opening shall be installed in each corner of the Island 300 mm (1 foot) behind the back of curb. All existing pavement surfaces of other existing obstructions beneath these openings shall be removed by the Contractor. After the median is in place the 450 mm (18") opening shall be cored down 1.2 m (4') and filled with dirt. All costs incurred shall be included in the contract unit price per Square Meter (Square Foot) for CONCRETE MEDIAN SURFACE, 100 mm (4 INCH).

The islands on this project are small islands as shown on the Pavement Elevation details.