



# Illinois Department of Transportation

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April 9, 2021

SUBJECT: FAS 574 (CH 2)  
Section 19-00056-07-PV  
Menard County  
Contract No. 93736  
Item 103  
April 23, 2021 Letting  
Addendum (A)

## NOTICE TO PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

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

- 1. Revised the Schedule of Prices**
- 2. Revised Index to the Special Provisions**
- 3. Revised pages 3 – 6 of the Special Provisions**
- 4. Revised sheets 3, 5, & 15 of the Plans**

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

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If any of the location markers placed by a utility company in conformance with this procedure are destroyed by Contractor operations, the Contractor shall immediately notify the utility owner and bear the cost of remarking the facilities at his own cost and expense. Compliance with this Special Provision shall be considered incidental to the contract and no additional compensation will be allowed for any costs incurred.

SEEDING, CLASS 2 (SPECIAL): This item consists of preparing seed bed and furnishing, transporting and placing the seed and other materials required in the seeding operations in accordance with Section 250 of the Standard Specifications, except as follows:

The contractor shall use the rates shown on the plans. Mulch shall be applied in accordance with Method 2, Procedure 1 or 2 of Article 251.03 of the Standard Specifications and the provisions contained herein.

The Engineer will have the option of determining the applied rates of Fertilizer and Agricultural Lime, depending upon the availability of material and the actual soil conditions on the job site. (See plans for estimated rates.)

No seeding dates will apply to this project. No seeding shall be done when the ground is frozen, muddy or excessively wet.

By temporary seeding of the disturbed areas the contractor will not be relieved of the contract requirement to provide permanent seeding for the required lines and grades. The contractor shall rework all disturbed areas prior to permanent seeding. Temporary seeding shall be removed prior to the placement of permanent seeding.

The cost of performing all this work will be paid for at the contract unit price per acre for SEEDING, CLASS 2 (SPECIAL) which price shall include the seeding, fertilizer nutrients, mulching, and all necessary incidental work as directed by the Engineer.

AGGREGATE DITCH: Riprap shall be placed in such a manner as to provide a reasonable consistent 12 inch thick layer conforming to the finished slope lines as shown in the plans and as directed by the Engineer in accordance with Section 283 of the Standard Specifications. The riprap material shall meet the requirements of Article 1005.01 of the Standard Specifications, the quality shall be Class 'A' and the gradation shall be RR3 or a gradation approved by the Engineer. The slope shall be excavated an additional 12 inches in depth and no bedding material will be required.

The cost of performing this work will be paid for at the contract unit price per ton for AGGREGATE DITCH which price shall include the additional earth excavation and for the placement of the riprap and filter fabric.

RELOCATE EXISTING MAILBOX: This item shall consist of all equipment and labor to remove and relocate existing mailboxes to the locations as shown on the plans or as directed by the Engineer. Also included in this item will be the relocation of mailboxes to a temporary

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location that can be accessed by the U.S. Postal Service so that mail delivery will not be interrupted during construction. This temporary location shall be coordinated with each landowner and postal officials and shall be approved by the Engineer.

The cost of performing all of this work involving removing and relocating the existing mailboxes, no matter how many times are necessary, will be paid for only once at the contract unit price each for RELOCATE EXISTING MAILBOX.

GRANULAR CULVERT BACKFILL: This work consists of backfilling all cross road culverts with granular materials. This work shall be performed at locations shown on the plans or as directed by the Engineer.

Backfilling shall be performed according to Article 502.10. The backfill material shall meet the requirements of Article 1004.05, except the gradation shall be CA-06 or CA-10.

Granular Culvert Backfill will be measured for payment in cubic yards compacted in place. Additional material required to backfill excavation outside the limits shown on the plans will not be measured for payment. This work shall be paid for at the contract unit price per cubic yard for GRANULAR CULVERT BACKFILL.

PAVED DITCH (SPECIAL): This work shall consist of all labor, material and equipment to construct the paved ditch at the location as shown on the plans and in accordance with Standard 606401 and Article 606.10 of the Standard Specifications and as directed by the Engineer.

The cost of performing this work shall be paid for at the contract unit price per foot for PAVED DITCH (SPECIAL).

PLUG EXISTING CULVERTS: This work shall consist of all labor, equipment, and material to plug the existing culverts at the locations as shown in the plans and as directed by the Engineer. The material to be used to plug the culverts shall be controlled low strength material (CLSM) Mix 2. Ends of the existing culvert may be removed to shorten the culvert and how the ends and annular areas are to be sealed shall be submitted in writing for approval by the Engineer before any work is to begin on the plugging of the culvert. This work shall be performed before any embankment is placed in this area.

The cost of performing this work will be paid for at the contract unit price each for PLUG EXISTING CULVERTS.

STUMP REMOVAL, ACRES: This work shall consist of all labor and equipment to remove all of the the tree stumps and root debris from their location as shown on the plans in accordance with Article 201.08 of the Standard Specifications and as directed by the Engineer.

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The cost of performing this work shall be paid at the contract unit price per acre for STUMP REMOVAL, ACRES.

UTILITY COORDINATION: During the construction of this project the contractor will have to coordinate his operations with utilities that are to be relocated including gas, electric and telecommunications. All utilities have been contacted and are aware of the areas where relocation is necessary. Tree removal and some excavation tasks will have to be completed before relocation will be possible. When construction begins the utilities shall be notified of when these tasks will be completed so they may schedule their work without interfering with the completion of the project.

City 5 miles N.W. of Athens

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Project No. 9VY4(469)

Job No. C-96-012-20

STATUS OF UTILITIES TO BE ADJUSTED

Name and Address of Utility Relocation	Type	Location	Estimated Date Completed
A.T.& T. 529 South 7 <sup>th</sup> Street Springfield, Illinois 62721 217-789-8367 Contact: Mr. Jeff Goad	Telephone	Sta. 218+60 to Sta. 282+00	During Construction
Menard County Electric Cooperative P.O. Box 200 Petersburg, Illinois 62675 217-632-7746 Contact: Mr. Brady Smith	Electric	Sta. 218+60 to Sta. 282+00	During Construction
Ameren Illinois 370 S. Main Street, D-50 Decatur, Illinois 62523 217-221-0813 Contact: Mr. Zach Sutter	Gas	Sta. 218+60 to Sta. 282+00	During Construction
Menard Rural Water Cooperative	Water	Sta. 218+60	During Construction

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P.O. Box 86  
Petersburg, Illinois 62675  
217-632-7751  
Contact: Mr. Wayne Jones

to  
Sta. 282+00

Cass Cable TV, Inc.  
100 Redbud Road, P.O. Box 200  
Virginia, Illinois 62691  
217-452-7800  
Ms. Jennifer Morales

Fiber Optic

Sta. 218+60    During Construction  
to  
Sta. 282+00

Prairie Power Inc.  
Mr. Jeremy Johnson  
3130 Pleasant Run  
Springfield, Illinois 62711  
217-331-5631  
Fiber optic cable

Fiber Optic

Sta. 218+60    During Construction  
to  
Sta. 282+00

The above represents the best information of the Department and is only included for the convenience of the bidder. The applicable provisions of Articles 105.07 and 107.20 of the Standard Specifications for Road and Bridge construction shall apply.

If any utility adjustment or removal has not been completed when required by the contractor's operations, the contractor should notify the Engineer in writing. A request for an extension of time will be considered to the extent the contractor's operations were affected.