

GENERAL NOTES

PLAN DIMENSIONS AND DETAILS RELATIVE TO THE EXISTING PLANS ARE SUBJECT TO ROUTINE VARIATIONS. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL FIELD VERIFY EXISTING DIMENSIONS AND DETAILS AFFECTING NEW CONSTRUCTION AND MAKE NECESSARY APPROVED ADJUSTMENTS PRIOR TO CONSTRUCTION OR ORDERING OF MATERIALS. SUCH VARIATIONS SHALL NOT BE CAUSE FOR ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION FOR A CHANGE IN THE SCOPE OF THE WORK. HOWEVER, THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE PAID FOR THE QUANTITY FURNISHED BASED UPON THE UNIT BID PRICE FOR THE WORK.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR PROTECTING UTILITY PROPERTY FROM CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS AS OUTLINED IN ARTICLE 107.31 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THE "JULIE" NUMBER IS 1-800-892-0123. A MINIMUM OF FORTY-EIGHT (48) HOURS ADVANCE NOTICE IS REQUIRED.

THE LOCATION OF ALL UTILITIES AND PRIVATELY OWNED FACILITIES SHALL BE FIELD VERIFIED BY THE CONTRACTOR PRIOR TO THE INSTALLATION OF ANY COMPONENTS.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR LOCATING EXISTING IDOT ELECTRICAL FACILITIES AT HIS/HER OWN EXPENSE IF REQUIRED. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ALSO BE LIABLE FOR ANY DAMAGE TO IDOT FACILITIES RESULTING FROM INACCURATE LOCATING.

ELECTRICAL WORK SHALL CONFORM WITH NATIONAL, STATE, AND LOCAL CODES.

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE ELECTRICAL CABLE SLACK IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 873.03 UNLESS SPECIFIED OTHERWISE.

ELECTRICAL CABLE WILL BE MEASURED FOR PAYMENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 873.04.

ALL SURPLUS MATERIALS SHALL BE DISPOSED OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 202.03 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATION.

THE COMMUNICATION VAULT SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED SO THAT THE TOP OF THE FRAME WILL BE FLUSH WITH THE SURFACE OF THE MEDIAN, SIDEWALK, OR GROUND LINE.

COILABLE POLYETHYLENE DUCT MAY BE SUBSTITUTED FOR UNDERGROUND CONDUIT.

POTHOLING TO LOCATE EXISTING UNDERGROUND UTILITIES SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT BID PRICE FOR THE UNDERGROUND CONDUIT PAY ITEMS.

REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT OF EXISTING SIDEWALK, PAVEMENT, AND ISLANDS FOR UTILITY LOCATING PURPOSES WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY, BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT BID PRICE FOR THE CONDUIT PAY ITEMS.

NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION SHALL BE ALLOWED FOR PLACING CONDUIT AT GREATER THAN 2 FT. MINIMUM DEPTH TO AVOID OBSTACLES SUCH AS UNDERGROUND UTILITIES.

THE CONTRACTOR IS RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COST OF UNCOVERING OR HAND DIGGING AROUND UTILITIES AS NECESSARY. THIS COST OF THIS WORK SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE UNIT PRICES FOR THE CONDUITS.

ANY REFERENCE TO A STANDARD IN THESE PLANS SHALL BE INTERPRETED TO MEAN THE EDITION AS INDICATED BY THE SUBNUMBER SHOWN IN THE LIST OF STANDARDS OR THE COPY INCLUDED IN THESE PLANS.

COMMITMENTS

ALL EXCAVATED MATERIAL SHALL REMAIN ON SITE AND BE DISPOSED OF AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.

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