

GENERAL NOTES

F.A.P. RTE.	SECTION	COUNTY	TOTAL SHEETS	SHEET NO.
301	177-2 (-1A, B-1, VB-1)	STEPHENSON	386	3
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FED. ROAD DIST. NO.	ILLINOIS	FED. AID PROJECT		
P-92-029-02 CONTRACT #64799				

1. SEE CROSS SECTIONS FOR SPECIAL DITCHES AND BACKSLOPES.

2. AT THE LOCATIONS WHERE EXCAVATION QUANTITIES ON THE PLANS ARE INDICATED AS HAVING BEEN ESTIMATED, THE ENGINEER WILL OBTAIN ORIGINAL AND FINAL CROSS SECTIONS TO DETERMINE PAY QUANTITIES.

3. 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.

4. 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 FEET DEEP) OF SOIL PROFILES OF LOCAL SOILS

5. IT IS ESTIMATED THAT 12,511 CUBIC YARDS OF EARTH WILL BE HAULED TO THE JOB FROM OUTSIDE THE PROJECT LIMITS. A SHRINKAGE FACTOR OF 25% HAS BEEN USED.

6. THE TOPSOIL EXCAVATION QUANTITIES HAVE BEEN ADJUSTED TO ALLOW FOR 25% SHRINKAGE OF TOPSOIL BETWEEN REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT.

7. 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.

8. 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.

9. MULCH ON TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL SEEDING SHALL BE MULCH METHOD 2.

10. 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.

11. EXCEPT FOR THE TOP 3", ALL AGGREGATE BASES AND SUBBASES 12" IN THICKNESS SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED OF AGGREGATE GRADATION CA-2. IF THE SPECIFIED THICKNESS EXCEEDS 12", THE BASES OR SUBBASES SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED OF TOPSIZE 6" BREAKER-RUN CRUSHED STONE WITH 70% TO 90% BY WEIGHT, PASSING THE 4" SIEVE AND 15% TO 40% BY WEIGHT, PASSING THE 2" SIZE SIEVE, EXCEPT FOR THE TOP 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 3" SHALL BE GRADATION CA-6 OR CA 10 REGARDLESS OF THICKNESS. THE WATER NECESSARY TO ACHIEVE COMPACTION IN ALL BUT THE TOP 3" LAYER MAY BE ADDED AFTER THE SUBBASE OR BASE COURSE IS PLACED ON THE GRADE.

12. ALL EMBANKMENT CONSTRUCTED OF COHESIVE SOIL SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED WITH NOT MORE THAN 110% OF OPTIMUM MOISTURE CONTENT, DETERMINED BY THE STANDARD PROCTOR TEST. COHESIVE SOIL SHALL BE DEFINED AS ANY SOIL WHICH CONTAINS GREATER THAN 10% PARTICLES BY WEIGHT PASSING THE #200 SIEVE. THE 110% OF OPTIMUM MOISTURE LIMIT MAY BE WAIVED IN FREE-DRAINING GRANULAR MATERIAL WHEN APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER.

13. AT BRIDGE EXPANSION JOINTS, IF TEMPORARY EXPANSION JOINT BULKHEADS ARE ATTACHED TO ADJACENT DECK SLABS OR ABUTMENTS FOR SUPPORT, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CUT THE ATTACHMENTS AS SOON AS THE CONCRETE HAS SET TO PREVENT JOINT DAMAGE DUE TO HORIZONTAL CONTRACTION OR EXPANSION.

14. REFLECTOR MARKERS TYPE B SHALL BE INSTALLED ON THE TOP OF BRIDGE PARAPET WALLS. THE MARKERS SHALL BE ACCORDING TO STANDARD 635011 AND THE COLOR AND SPACING ACCORDING TO STANDARD 635006, EXCEPT THE MINIMUM IS 2 PER SIDE.

15. THE BORING LOGS FOR THE PROPOSED WESTERN TRIB. STRUCTURE (S.N. 089-2018) INDICATE THAT GROUNDWATER LEVELS MAY ENCRACH 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 CONCRETE BOX CULVERTS.

16. 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.

17. A PRECAST BOX CULVERT IS NOT AN OPTION ON THE PROJECT DUE TO SOIL CONDITIONS.

18. THE PROPOSED PIPES FOR ENTRANCES AND SIDE ROADS SHALL BE PLACED IN LINE WITH THE EXISTING OR PROPOSED DITCH LINE.

19. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL STRAIGHTEN OR CUT OFF THE ENDS OF EXISTING ENTRANCE CULVERTS THAT WILL HAVE NEW METAL END SECTIONS INSTALLED. THE COST OF THIS WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE EACH FOR END SECTIONS OF THE SIZE SPECIFIED.

20. 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.

21. 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 4" X 4" WOOD POST 40 INCHES ABOVE THE SHOULDER SURFACE AND EXTENDING TO A MINIMUM OF 24 INCHES INTO THE EMBANKMENT. THIS WORK SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE FOR THE EARTH EXCAVATION. THERE ARE AN ESTIMATED 7 MAILBOXES TO BE RELOCATED.

22. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL INSTALL 18" DIAMETER FORMED OPENINGS IN THE CONCRETE MEDIAN SURFACE, SPACED AT INTERVALS NO GREATER THAN 250 FEET, AND/OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. ALL EXISTING PAVEMENT SURFACES OR OTHER EXISTING OBSTRUCTIONS BENEATH THESE OPENINGS SHALL BE REMOVED BY THE CONTRACTOR. AFTER THE MEDIAN IS IN PLACE, CORE EACH OPENING DOWN 4 FEET AND FILL WITH DIRT. ALL COSTS INCURRED SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE PER SQUARE FOOT FOR CONCRETE MEDIAN SURFACE, 4 INCH.

23. LATERAL DISTANCES FROM THE CENTERLINE ON ALL INLETS ARE TO THE FACE OF THE INLET.

24. THE NEW MANHOLE LIDS ON THIS PROJECT SHALL HAVE THE WORD "STORM", "SANITARY", OR "WATER" ON THE LID. THE WORD TO BE USED IS NOTED ON THE PLANS. IT WILL BE THE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO DETERMINE THE WORD TO BE USED ON OTHER LIDS NOT NOTED ON THE PLANS. NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED FOR THIS WORK.

25. 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.

26. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL DETERMINE FLOWLINES OF EXISTING SEWER LINES WHICH ARE SHOWN ON THE PLANS AS ESTIMATED OR UNKNOWN. THIS INFORMATION IS NECESSARY BEFORE ORDERING INLETS AND MANHOLES.

27. 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 6" FOR PIPE DRAINS AND 8" FOR STORM SEWER, BUT THE SIZE MUST BE AT LEAST 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. THIS WORK SHALL BE PAID FOR AT THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE PER FOOT FOR PIPE DRAINS AND STORM SEWER OF THE SIZE AND TYPE SPECIFIED AND PER EACH FOR FIELD TILE JUNCTION VAULTS.

INCIDENTAL ITEMS



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F.A.P. ROUTE 301 (US RTE. 20)
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