

STATE OF ILLINOIS
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

GENERAL NOTES

1. THE CONTROLLER CABINETS AND JUNCTION BOXES SHALL BE UNPAINTED ALUMINUM SHEET METAL UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED ON THE PLANS.
2. UNDERGROUND CABLE MARKING TAPE SHALL BE INSTALLED WITH ALL TRENCH AND BACKFILL FOR ELECTRICAL WORK IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLES 1066.05 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.
3. A 1/4" DIA. NYLON ROPE SHALL BE INSTALLED IN ALL CONDUIT RUNS. THE COST OF PULL ROPE SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE PROPOSED ELECTRIC CABLE INSTALLATION IN THAT CONDUIT.
4. ALL GROUND RODS SUPPLIED FOR THIS PROJECT SHALL BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE 1087.01 EXCEPT THAT THEY SHALL BE 3/4" DIA. X 12'-0" LONG. ALL CONNECTIONS TO GROUND RODS SHALL BE MADE VIA EXOTHERMIC WELD. COMPRESSION CLAMPS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED.
5. COORDINATION WITH THE DEPARTMENT'S BUREAU OF OPERATIONS IS REQUIRED BEFORE ANY TRENCHING IS DONE TO LOCATE HIGHWAY UTILITIES AND TO COORDINATE OTHER FIELD ACTIVITIES.
6. NO OVERNIGHT LANE CLOSURES SHALL BE PERMITTED ON THIS PROJECT.
7. COMMUNICATIONS FROM THE DMS TO THE CONTROL SOFTWARE WILL BE PERFORMED BY OTHERS.
8. THE FINAL TOP 10MM (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.
9. 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.
10. 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. THIS WORK WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE PER EACH FOR INSTALL STATE FURNISHED DYNAMIC MESSAGE SIGN.
11. FERTILIZER SHALL BE APPLIED TO ALL DISTURBED AREAS AND INCORPORATED INTO THE SEEDBED PRIOR TO SEEDING OR PLACEMENT OF SOD AT THE RATE SPECIFIED IN SECTIONS 250 AND 252 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THIS WORK SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF INSTALL STATE FURNISHED DYNAMIC MESSAGE SIGN.
12. MULCH METHOD II SHALL BE APPLIED OVER ALL SEEDED AREAS. THIS SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE INSTALL STATE FURNISHED DYNAMIC MESSAGE SIGN.



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SHEET NO.	F.A. RTE.	SECTION	COUNTY	TOTAL SHEETS	SHEET NO.
3	74+280	D2.IT MESSAGE SIGN	ROCK ISLAND	23	3
CONTRACT NO. 64F86					
ILLINOIS FED. AID PROJECT C-92-061-10					