Designer Note: Intended for use where utility pipelines, structures, other underground facilities are abandoned/need to be removed during construction. Discuss usage with <u>Project Support</u> and your Project Engineer. Include plan information on utility locations to be abandoned <u>and</u> label all abandoned utilities.

REMOVAL OF ABANDONED UNDERGROUND UTILITIES

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This work shall be completed in accordance with Article 105.07 of the Standard Specifications and the items outlined herein:

The cost of removal of abandoned or to be abandoned underground utilities shown on the plans are the responsibility of the owner. The Contractor shall make arrangements with the utility owner for removal and payment. The utility owner is listed in the plans under Status of Utilities.

Prior to removal of the abandoned facility, the owner shall be notified so that representatives can be present during the removal operation.

If an unknown abandoned utility is encountered, the Contractor will be paid for any removal required by the Engineer as extra work in accordance with Article 109.04 of the Standard Specifications.