

GENERAL NOTES

ROUTE NO.	SEC.	COUNTY	TOTAL SHEETS	SHEET NO.
FAP 301 (US 20)	24T-5	JoDaviess	43	6
FED ROAD DIST. NO.	ILLINOIS	PROJECT		
Contract #64C69				

See cross sections for special ditches and backslopes.

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' deep) of soil profiles of local soils.

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.

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.

Fertilizer Nutrients shall be applied at the rate specified in Sections 250 and 252 of the Standard Specifications. This shall be included in the cost of the SEEDING or SODDING.

Placement and compaction of the backfill for proposed across road culverts and existing across road culverts that are removed shall conform to Section 502.10 of the Standard Specifications, except that the material shall conform to Article 208.02 of the Standard Specifications, and shall be compacted to a minimum of 95% of the standard laboratory density. Any material conforming to the requirements of Article 1003.04 or 1004.05 which has been excavated from the trenches shall be used for backfilling the trenches. The entire excavation, within 2 feet outside of each shoulder, shall be backfilled with trench backfill material to the bottom of the proposed subgrade. This trench backfill material will not be measured for payment, but shall be included in the contract unit price for the class of concrete involved or other unit price item of the work for which it is required.

The Contractor shall complete a field measurement of the extension of the existing 5'x5' PCC Box Culvert before ordering the extension length of PRECAST CONCRETE BOX CULVERT 5'x5' to make sure that all three box culvert lengths are the same.

When laying out for patching, the minimum distance between new patches (saw cut to saw cut) shall be 4.6 m (15 feet). When patch spacing is less than 4.6 m (15 feet), the pavement between patches shall also be removed and replaced.

All mandatory joint sealing for Class A, Class B, and Class B (Hinge Jointed) patches as shown on the plans will not be measured for payment. Optional sawing of the joint for the sealant reservoir will not be measured for payment.

For all concrete patching that will not be resurfaced, the concrete shall be struck off flush with the existing pavement surface at each end of the patch.

The Engineer reserves the right to check all patches for smoothness by the use of a 10' rolling straight edge set to a 3/16" tolerance in the wheel paths. Any patch areas higher than 3/16" must be ground smooth with an approved grinding device consisting of multiple saws. The use of bushhammer or other impact devices will not be permitted. Any patch with depressions greater than 3/16" shall be repaired in a manner approved by the Engineer.

The mandatory saw cuts for pavement patching are:

Class A Patch: Cut two transverse saw cuts at each end of the patch; one full depth and one partial depth. The longitudinal edges of the patch shall be cut full depth. When the patch is adjacent to a pcc shoulder, two saw cuts along the shoulder will be required.

Class B Patch: Cut two transverse saw cuts outlining the patch and one transverse pressure relief saw cut. The longitudinal edges of the patch shall be cut full depth. When the patch is adjacent to a pcc shoulder, two saw cuts along the shoulder will be required.

The mandatory saw cuts will be paid for at the contract unit price per Meter (Foot) for SAW CUTS.

The following Mixture Requirements are applicable for this project:

Mixture Uses(s):	Top Shoulder	Bottom Shoulder
PG:	PG 58-22	PG 58-22
Design Air Voids	3 @ N50	2 @ N50
Mixture Composition (Gradation Mixture)	IL 9.5 or 12.5	BAM
Friction Aggregate	C	N/A
20 Year ESAL	N/A	N/A

This structure will retain the same number 043-1027.

The boring logs for this structure indicate that groundwater levels may encroach 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 Precast Concrete Box Culverts.

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 100 mm x 100 mm (4" x 4") wood post 1 m (40 inches) above the shoulder surface and extending to a minimum of 0.6 m (24 inches) into the embankment. This work shall be included in the contract unit price for the EARTH EXCAVATION. There is an estimated 1 mailbox to be relocated.

Delineators shall be installed as shown in Standard 635001, except that the post shall be rotated 180° and only metal-backed delineators shall be permitted.

Delineators shall be placed at the ends of approach guardrail terminal sections, and at each headwall or end section of AR Culverts. This work will be paid for at the contract unit price each for DELINEATORS.

Pavement Marking shall be done according to Standard 780001, except as follows:

1. All words, such as ONLY, shall be 2.4 m (8 feet) high.
2. All non-freeway arrows shall be the large size.
3. The distance between yellow no-passing lines shall be 200 mm (8"), not 180 mm (7") as shown in the detail of Typical Lane and Edge Lines.

PERMANENT SURVEY MARKERS, TYPE II, shall be set at intervals of 1.6 Km (1 mile) or as directed by the Engineer. Bridge or culvert projects shall have one survey marker placed near the structure. Estimated: 2 Each.

Permanent Survey Markers, Type II shall be cast-in-place as shown on District Standard 66.2. The depth of the Permanent Survey Markers, Type II shall be constructed at 5.5'.

The Contractor shall submit to the Engineer a description of location, elevation, and coordinates for each permanent survey marker. The horizontal and vertical coordinates must be derived by GPS and the elevation derived by a closed level circuit. The Engineer shall submit this information to the Survey Crew.

Aggregate Base Course, Type B, is provided in the plan quantities and shall be used only as needed when directed by the Engineer.

Right-of-way markers will be erected with the back face of the marker on the right-of-way line unless the new right-of-way line has been surveyed and pinned, in which instance the right-of-way markers will be erected 300 mm (12 inches) inside the new right-of-way line.