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Contract 83819

### GENERAL NOTES

- 1 ANY REFERENCE TO STANDARDS THROUGHOUT THE PLANS OR SPECIAL PROVISIONS SHALL BE INTERPRETED TO BE THE LATEST STANDARDS OF THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.
- 2 ITEMS OF WORK LISTED IN THE SUMMARY OF QUANTITIES WHICH ARE NOT SPECIFICALLY INDICATED IN THE PLANS SHALL BE PERFORMED AT LOCATIONS AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
- 3 DRAINAGE STRUCTURE ELEVATIONS: GRADES OF SEWER LINES WERE DETERMINED FROM AVAILABLE PLANS AND SURVEYS. ACCORDINGLY, AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER, THE INVERTS OF THE PROPOSED DRAINAGE WILL BE REVISED TO MEET EXISTING FIELD CONDITIONS.
- 4 THE TOP OF ALL STRUCTURES SHALL BE FLUSH WITH THE ADJACENT SURFACE OR AT THE INDICATED ELEVATIONS SHOWN ON THE PLANS. ALL RIM ELEVATIONS OF STRUCTURES IN THE PROPOSED CURB LINE ARE GIVEN TO THE EDGE OF PAVEMENT. ALL OTHER RIM ELEVATIONS ARE GIVEN TO THE CENTER OF THE STRUCTURES.
- 5 HALF TRAPS ARE TO BE OMITTED IN CATCH BASINS.
- 6 FRAME ELEVATIONS ARE GIVEN ONLY TO ASSIST IN DETERMINING THE APPROXIMATE OVERALL HEIGHT OF THE STRUCTURE. FRAMES ON ALL NEW STRUCTURES WILL BE ADJUSTED TO THE FINAL ELEVATION OF THE AREA IN WHICH THEY ARE LOCATED AS PART OF THE STRUCTURE COST.
- 7 WHEN, IN THE CONSTRUCTION OPERATION, ANY LOOSE MATERIAL IS DEPOSITED IN THE FLOW LINE OF DITCHES, GUTTERS OR OTHER DRAINAGE STRUCTURES SO THAT THE NATURAL FLOW OF WATER IS OBSTRUCTED, IT SHALL BE REMOVED AT THE CLOSE OF EACH DAY BY THE CONTRACTOR AT HIS EXPENSE. AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS, ALL DRAINAGE STRUCTURES SHALL BE FREE FROM ALL DIRT AND DEBRIS. THIS WORK SHALL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO THE CONTRACT.
- 8 WHEN EXISTING DRAINAGE FACILITIES ARE DISTURBED, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE AND MAINTAIN TEMPORARY OUTLETS AND CONNECTIONS FOR ALL PRIVATE OR PUBLIC DRAINS, SEWERS OR CATCH BASINS. HE SHALL PROVIDE FACILITIES TO TAKE IN ALL STORM WATER WHICH WILL BE RECEIVED BY THESE DRAINS & SEWERS AND DISCHARGE SAME. HE SHALL PROVIDE AND MAINTAIN AN EFFICIENT PUMPING PLANT, IF NECESSARY, AND A TEMPORARY OUTLET, AND BE PREPARED AT ALL TIMES TO DISPOSE OF THE WATER RECEIVED FROM THESE TEMPORARY SEWER CONNECTIONS UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THE PERMANENT CONNECTIONS WITH SEWERS ARE BUILT AND IN SERVICE. THIS WORK SHALL NOT BE PAID FOR DIRECTLY, BUT WILL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO THE CONTRACT.
- 9 THE CAST IRON FRAMES AND COVERS OF FILLED, ABANDONED OR REMOVED MANHOLES, INLETS AND CATCH BASINS OR THOSE FRAMES AND COVERS UPON STRUCTURES RECEIVING NEW FRAMES AND COVERS SHALL BE STOCKPILED WITHIN THE RIGHT-OF-WAY, AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER, AND PICKED UP BY THE COMMUNITY.
- 10 THE APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF KNOWN PUBLIC UTILITIES ARE SHOWN ON THE PLANS. HOWEVER, THE DEPARTMENT DOES NOT GUARANTEE ITS ACCURACY. PRIOR TO COMMENCING OPERATIONS ON THE PROJECT WHICH MAY IN ANY WAY CREATE THE POSSIBILITY OF INVOLVEMENT WITH EXISTING UTILITIES, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT THE FIRM (OR COMMUNITY) INVOLVED. ADJUSTMENT OF ALL PUBLIC UTILITIES WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THIS IMPROVEMENT WILL BE DONE BY THE RESPECTIVE OWNERS. NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED DUE TO DELAYS OR INCONVENIENCE CAUSED BY THESE ADJUSTMENTS. IT SHALL BE THE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO VERIFY LOCATIONS OF UNDERGROUND INSTALLATION BEFORE STARTING CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS.
- 11 ALL TRENCHES WITHIN 2 FEET OF PROPOSED PAVEMENT, DRIVEWAYS, AND SIDEWALKS SHALL BE BACKFILLED WITH TRENCH BACKFILL ONLY.
- 12 COMBINATION CONCRETE CURB AND GUTTER, TYPE B-6.12 OR B-6.24 SHALL BE INSTALLED WITH A THICKNESS EQUAL TO NINE AND ONE HALF INCHES (9 1/2").
- 13 THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROTECT ALL TREES WITHIN AND ADJACENT TO THE CONSTRUCTION SITE DURING THE CLEARING AND SUBSEQUENT CONSTRUCTION OPERATIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 201 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THOSE TREES TO BE REMOVED AS SHOWN IN THE PLANS SHALL BE DONE IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 201 AND 202 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS.
- 14 BEFORE STARTING ANY EXCAVATION, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CALL "JULIE" AT 800-892-0123 FOR FIELD LOCATIONS OF BURIED ELECTRIC, TELEPHONE AND GAS FACILITIES. (48 HOURS NOTIFICATION IS REQUIRED).
- 15 THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES WITH UTILITY COMPANIES.
- 16 THE CONTRACTOR WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO SET UP A YARD OR FIELD OFFICE ON VILLAGE PROPERTY WITHOUT WRITTEN PERMISSION FROM THE VILLAGE.
- 17 BARRICADES: THE CONTRACTOR SHALL PROVIDE AND INSTALL TWO (2) WEIGHTED SAND BAGS ON EACH TYPE I OR TYPE II BARRICADE USED. (ONE (1) WEIGHTED SAND BAG ACROSS EACH BOTTOM RAIL).
- 18 ALL STORM SEWERS FOR THIS PROJECT SHALL BE FURNISHED AND INSTALLED WITH RUBBER GASKETS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE APPLICABLE PORTIONS OF SECTION 550 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THIS WORK WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE UNIT PRICE BID FOR STORM SEWERS AS SPECIFIED.
- 19 THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT THE DISTRICT ONE TRAFFIC CONTROL SUPERVISOR AT (847) 705-4150 A MINIMUM OF 72 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF BEGINNING WORK. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ALSO CONTACT ROBINSON ENGINEERING (708) 331-6700 AND THE VILLAGE OF WORTH (708) 448-4256, A MINIMUM OF 72 HOURS IN ADVANCE OF BEGINNING WORK.
- 20 ALL BITUMINOUS PAVING SHALL FOLLOW DESIGNATED DRIVING LANES AS SHOWN IN STRIPING DETAILS. NO LONGITUDINAL PAVING JOINT OR SEAMS ARE ALLOWED WITHIN THE DRIVING LANES. ALL LONGITUDINAL PAVING JOINTS OR SEAMS WILL BE BETWEEN THE DRIVING LANES.
- 21 POROUS GRANULAR EMBANKMENT (PGE) SUBGRADE HAS BEEN PROVIDED FOR LOCATIONS WHERE SOILS TEND TO BE UNSTABLE WHEN WET. THE ACTUAL NEED FOR REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT WITH PGE WILL BE DETERMINED IN THE FIELD AT THE TIME OF CONSTRUCTION BY THE ENGINEER (BY USE OF A CONE PENETROMETER IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE IDOT SUBGRADE STABILITY MANUAL). IF UNSTABLE AND/OR UNSUITABLE MATERIALS ARE NOT ENCOUNTERED, THEN THE QUANTITY SHALL BE DEDUCTED AND NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE DUE TO THE CONTRACTOR.
- 22 ALL PAVEMENT, CURB AND SIDEWALK REMOVALS SHALL BE MADE BY MEANS OF STRAIGHT SAW CUT JOINT. THE COST FOR SAW CUTTING SHALL BE INCIDENTAL TO THE CONTRACT.
- 23 CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE AT ALL TIMES FOR TRAFFIC CONTROL AND PROTECTION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE IDOT STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS ADOPTED JANUARY 1, 2002, THE LATEST EDITION OF THE ILLINOIS MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES FOR STREETS AND HIGHWAYS, AND THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR TRAFFIC CONTROL ITEMS.
- 24 THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAKE EVERY ATTEMPT NOT TO DAMAGE EXISTING TREES.
- 25 10' TRANSITIONS SHALL BE USED TO MATCH PROPOSED CURB AND GUTTER TO EXISTING CURB AND GUTTER OR TO TAPER FROM 6" TO 0", UNLESS OTHERWISE SHOWN. THE TRANSITIONS SHALL BE PAID FOR AT THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE FOR THE PROPOSED ITEM OF WORK SPECIFIED.
- 26 ALL STORM SEWERS, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, SHALL CONFORM TO THE STATE SPECIFICATIONS FOR REINFORCED CONCRETE CULVERT, STORM DRAIN AND SEWER PIPE A.A.S.H.T.O. DESIGNATION M170 (A.S.T.M. DESIGNATION C76), WITH A MINIMUM OF CLASS III.
- 27 THE CONTRACTOR SHALL MAINTAIN ACCESS TO ALL DRIVEWAYS THROUGHOUT THE RECONSTRUCTION LIMITS AT ALL TIMES. IF DRIVEWAY ACCESS MUST BE RESTRICTED, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY THE RESIDENT IN WRITING 24 HOURS IN ADVANCE.
- 28 BITUMINOUS SURFACE COURSE HAS BEEN CALCULATED ON THE BASIS OF 112 LB PER INCH THICKNESS PER SQUARE YARD.
- 29 DETECTABLE WARNINGS SHALL BE INSTALLED PER HIGHWAY STANDARD 424001 AT ALL STREET CROSSINGS.

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