## **GENERAL NOTES**

See cross sections for special ditches and backslopes.

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.

The removal of Bituminous Surfacing not on a rigid type base removed in conjunction with the base shall be removed as EARTH EXCAVATION.

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 2A shall be used.

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.

Except for the top 75 mm (3"), all aggregate bases and subbases 300 mm (12") in thickness shall be constructed of aggregate gradation CA-2. If the specified thickness exceeds 300 mm (12"), the bases or subbases shall be constructed of topsize 150 mm (6") breaker-run crushed stone with 70% to 90% by weight, passing the 4" sieve and 15% to 40% by weight, passing the 50 mm (2") size sieve, except for the top 75 mm (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 75 mm (3") shall be gradation CA-6 or CA-10 regardless of thickness. The water necessary to achieve compaction in all but the top 75 mm (3") layer may be added after the subbase or base course is placed on the grade.

The existing hot-mix asphalt on private and commercial entrances shall be bladed off or milled and disposed of outside the project limits. This could be the entire entrance or tapered at the end depending on if the mainline is resurfaced or milled and resurfaced. The cost of the blading, milling, rolling, and disposal is included in the contract unit price for INCIDENTAL HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACING.

The following Mixture Requirements are applicable for this project:

Mixture Uses(s):	Surface	Level Binder	Binder	Top Shoulder	Bottom		
			:		Shoulder		
PG:	PG 64-22	PG 64-22	PG 64-22	PG 58-22	PG 58-22		
Design Air Voids	4.0 @ N70	4.0 @ N70	4.0 @ N70	3 @ N50	2 @ N50		
Mixture Composition	IL 9.5 or 12.5	IL 9.5	IL 19.0	IL 9.5 or 12.5	BAM		
(Gradation Mixture)		To the speaking	and the				
Friction Aggregate	D	N/A	N/A	С	N/A		
20 Year ESAL	2.9	2.9	2.9	N/A	N/A		
Mix Unit Weight	112 lbs/sy/in			112 lbs/sy/in	<u>.</u>		

The Contractor will be required to furnish 140 mm (5 1/2") high brass stencils as approved by the Engineer and install stationing at 250' intervals. Stationing shall be placed on both lanes of 2-lane highways and on the outside lanes in both directions on 4-lane highways. The stations shall be placed 150 mm (6") inside the pavement marking edge so they can be read from the shoulder. This work will be included in the cost of the final pavement surface.

The area to be primed shall be limited to that which can be covered with HMA the same day, unless otherwise permitted by the Engineer.

Reflective Crack Control shall be placed on the existing surface prior to any resurfacing, unless pavement is milled then it will be placed on the binder course.

A Nationwide 404 Permit has been issued for this project and the conditions of that permit must be adhered to.

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.

The proposed pipes for entrances and side roads shall be placed in line with the existing or proposed ditch line.

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.

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 m (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 are an estimated 2 mailboxes to be relocated.

If, during the grinding or resurfacing operations, the existing mailboxes become a hindrance, the Contractor shall be required to carefully remove and reinstall the mailboxes as directed by the Engineer. This work shall be included in the contract unit price for the INCIDENTAL HOT-MIX ASPHALT SURFACING.

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.
- 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 bottom of the marker shall be 5'-0" below the ground surface.

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.

Tree planting layout shall be performed by the District Landscape Architect. Mulch shall be placed 4" thick and to the diameter around the tree as shown on District Standard 92.1. The mulch shall be hardwood wood chips placed on weed barrier fabric. This work shall be included in the cost of the tree.

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.

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