

# GENERAL NOTES

**G.N.-100**  
 ENGLISH UNITS OF MEASUREMENT SHALL GOVERN OVER AND SUPERSEDE ANY METRIC UNITS SHOWN IN THIS CONTRACT. WHERE INCLUDED, METRIC UNITS ARE FOR INFORMATION ONLY.

**G.N.-100A**  
 ELECTRONIC FILES AND/OR ELECTRONIC SURVEY INFORMATION INCLUDING CADD FILES WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE TO THE CONTRACTOR.

**G.N.-105.07B**  
 EXISTING STATE-OWNED AND MAINTAINED UTILITY LINES ARE SHOWN ON THE PLANS TO INDICATE THEIR PRESENCE AND APPROXIMATE LOCATION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SECURE AN APPROVED LOCATING FIRM TO LOCATE STATE-OWNED UTILITIES PRIOR TO COMMENCING ANY EXCAVATION IN THE VICINITY OF THESE LINES IN ACCORDANCE TO SECTION 803 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. SHOULD ANY OF THE LINES BE DAMAGED BY THE CONTRACTOR'S OPERATION, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REPAIR THEM TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE ENGINEER AT NO COST TO THE STATE.

ALSO THERE MAY BE UTILITIES PRESENT WHICH WERE INSTALLED BY THE STATE BUT ARE MAINTAINED BY OTHERS (CITY, TOWN, ETC.) THE APPROXIMATE LOCATIONS OF THESE LINES ARE ALSO SHOWN ON THE PLANS ALONG WITH THE NAME OF THE MAINTAINING AGENCY. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COORDINATE THE LOCATION OF THESE LINES WITH THE LOCAL AGENCY PRIOR TO COMMENCING ANY EXCAVATION OR BORING IN THEIR VICINITY. SHOULD THESE LINES BE DAMAGED BY THE CONTRACTOR'S OPERATIONS, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REPAIR THEM TO THE SATISFACTION OF, AND AT NO COST TO, THE LOCAL AGENCY AND THE STATE.

**G.N.-105.09A**  
 ALL ELEVATIONS SHOWN IN THE PLANS ARE BASED ON NORTH AMERICAN VERTICAL DATUM OF 1988. (NAVD 88)

**G.N.-250C**  
 SEEDING, CLASS 7 AND MULCH, METHOD 2 IS INCLUDED IN THIS CONTRACT TO SEED NEW EARTH SHOULDERS DURING TIME PERIODS WHEN PERMANENT SEEDING IS NOT ALLOWED. SOME OR ALL OF THE CLASS 7 SEEDING AND MULCH WILL BE DELETED IF IT IS POSSIBLE TO PLACE PERMANENT SEEDING ON EARTH SHOULDERS AT THE TIME OF THEIR COMPLETION.

**G.N.-280**  
 TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL SEEDING IS INCLUDED IN THIS CONTRACT TO SEED DISTURBED EARTH DURING TIME PERIODS WHEN PERMANENT SEEDING IS NOT ALLOWED. SOME OR ALL OF THE TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL SEEDING WILL BE DELETED IF IT IS POSSIBLE TO PLACE PERMANENT SEEDING ON EARTH AT THE TIME OF THEIR COMPLETION.

**G.N.-280A**  
 THE VARIOUS MULCH PAY ITEMS IN THE PLANS INCLUDE QUANTITIES FOR TEMPORARY MULCH FOR EROSION CONTROL. THE TEMPORARY MULCH INCLUDES MAINTENANCE AND REMOVAL IF NECESSARY, PER THE REQUIREMENTS OF ARTICLE 280 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, AND NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED. SOME OR ALL OF THE MULCH USED AS TEMPORARY EROSION CONTROL WILL BE DELETED IF IT IS NOT NECESSARY DUE TO ESTABLISHMENT OF PERMANENT SEEDING.

**G.N.-406**  
 THE QUANTITIES INCLUDED IN THE PLANS FOR HOT-MIX ASPHALT RESURFACING ARE INTENDED TO GIVE THE COVERAGE SHOWN ON THE TYPICAL CROSS SECTIONS. IT IS NOT INTENDED TO INCREASE THE THICKNESS OF THE HOT-MIX ASPHALT MIXTURE IN ORDER TO USE ALL OF THE QUANTITIES INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT.

**G.N.-406.05b**  
 ALL LEVELING BINDER OR BINDER SHALL BE GIVEN A FOG COAT OF PRIME BEFORE THE SURFACE COURSE IS PLACED WHEN DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.

THE FOG COAT WILL BE PAID FOR AT THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE PER GALLON FOR BITUMINOUS MATERIAL (PRIME COAT) AND NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED.

**G.N.-406.10**  
 FOR MULTILANE RESURFACING

WHEN BEGINNING THE RESURFACING WITH NEW MIXTURES FOR LEVELING BINDER, BINDER COURSE, AND SURFACE COURSE MIXTURES, THE WORK WILL BE CONFINED TO THE INSIDE TRAFFIC LANE (PASSING LANE) FIRST. THE WORK WILL REMAIN ON THE INSIDE LANE UNTIL THE MIX HAS BEEN ADJUSTED AND APPROVED BY THE ENGINEER BEFORE ANY RESURFACING IS ALLOWED ON THE OUTSIDE (DRIVING) TRAFFIC LANE(S).

ANY DELAYS OR INCONVENIENCES CAUSED THE CONTRACTOR IN COMPLYING WITH THIS REQUIREMENT WILL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO THE VARIOUS HOT-MIX ASPHALT PAY ITEMS, AS SHOWN IN THE CONTRACT, AND NO ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION WILL BE ALLOWED.

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