

GENERAL NOTES

THE THICKNESS OF HMA SHOWN ON THE PLANS IS THE NOMINAL THICKNESS. DEVIATIONS FROM THE NOMINAL THICKNESS WILL BE PERMITTED WHEN SUCH DEVIATIONS OCCUR DUE TO IRREGULARITIES IN THE EXISTING SURFACE OR BASE ON WHICH THE HMA IS PLACED.

THE HMA SURFACE OF ALL MAILBOX TURNOUTS, PRIVATE ENTRANCES, COMMERCIAL ENTRANCES, AND SIDE ROADS SHALL BE MADE NEATLY, IN A WORKMANLIKE MANNER, AND SHALL ACCURATELY CONFORM TO THE SHAPES AND DIMENSIONS SHOWN ON THE PLAN DETAILS. IF REQUIRED BY THE ENGINEER, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL SAW CUT THE HMA SURFACE TO CONFORM TO THE SHAPES AND DIMENSIONS SHOWN ON THE PLAN DETAILS. THIS WORK WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE HMA SURFACE.

THE BASE COURSE WIDENING SHALL BE CARRIED THROUGH ALL ENTRANCES, SIDE ROADS, AND MAILBOX TURNOUTS. EXCEPTIONS WILL BE SHOWN ON THE PLANS.

EXCEPT AS NOTED ON THE PLANS, PAVEMENT GRADES SHOWN ARE AT THE TOP OF PAVEMENT SURFACES.

THE ENGINEER WILL BE THE SOLE JUDGE CONCERNING CURING TIME FOR THE VARIOUS HMA LIFTS.

THE FINISHED EARTHWORK SHALL HAVE A VEGETATION SUSTAINING SOIL COVERING THE TOP FOUR INCHES (100 MILLIMETERS) IN AREAS TO BE SEEDED OR SODDED. THE VEGETATION SUSTAINING SOIL REQUIRED WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY BUT WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF SODDING

ALL EXCAVATED MATERIAL, WHICH INCLUDES DIGGING OR GRADING OF ANY SOIL OR FILL MATERIAL, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF AGGREGATE FILLS, MUST BE INCORPORATED WITHIN THE 100T RIGHT OF WAY DUE TO ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS.

DETECTABLE WARNING SURFACES SHALL EXTEND 2.0 FT MINIMUM IN THE DIRECTION OF PEDESTRIAN TRAVEL. AT CURB RAMPS AND BLENDED TRANSITIONS, DETECTABLE WARNING SURFACES SHALL EXTEND THE FULL WIDTH OF THE RAMP RUN (EXCLUDING ANY FLARES) OR BLENDED TRANSITIONS. SOME DETECTABLE WARNING PRODUCTS REQUIRE A CONCRETE BORDER FOR PROPER INSTALLATION. THE CONCRETE BORDER SHALL NOT EXCEED 2 INCHES.

ON EXISTING PAVEMENT WHICH MAY BE SUPERELEVATED, THE NEW HMA PAVEMENT SHALL BE BUILT WITH THE SAME SUPERELEVATION UNLESS NEW SUPERELEVATION RATES ARE GIVEN ON THE PLANS.

ALL ELEVATIONS REFERRING TO U.S.G.S. MEAN SEA LEVEL DATUM.

ABANDONED UNDERGROUND UTILITIES THAT CONFLICT WITH CONSTRUCTION SHALL BE DISPOSED OF OUTSIDE THE LIMITS OF THE RIGHT OF WAY ACCORDING TO ARTICLE 202.03 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS AND AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THIS WORK WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY, BUT WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF EARTH EXCAVATION.

ANY REFERENCE TO A STANDARD IN THESE PLANS SHALL BE INTERPRETED TO MEAN THE EDITION AS INDICATED BY THE SUBNUMBER SHOWN IN THE LIST OF STANDARDS OR THE COPY INCLUDED IN THESE PLANS.

THE FOLLOWING RATES OF APPLICATION HAVE BEEN USED IN CALCULATING PLAN QUANTITIES:

GRANULAR MATERIALS	2.05	TONS / CU YD
HMA RESURFACING	112	LBS / SQ YD / IN
SHORT TERM PAVEMENT MARKING	10	FT / 100 FT OF APPLICATION
MIX FOR CRACKS, JTS & FLGWYS	0.0003	TONS / SQ YD
LEVEL BINDER (HAND METHOD)	0.0005	TONS / SQ YD
SUPPLEMENTAL WATERING	3	GAL / SQ YD / APPLICATION
CALCIUM CHLORIDE	2	LB / SQ YD / APPLICATION
AGGREGATE DITCH CHECKS	5	TONS AGGREGATE

THE CONTRACTOR'S ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE PRESENCE OF DEPARTMENT-OWNED UNDERGROUND ELECTRICAL CABLE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE PROPOSED IMPROVEMENT. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL REQUEST THE ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IN OTTAWA (815-434-8417) TO LOCATE THE UNDERGROUND FACILITIES, PROVIDING A MINIMUM OF 72 HOURS NOTICE. THE DEPARTMENT IS NOT A MEMBER OF THE JOINT UTILITY LOCATING INFORMATION FOR EXCAVATORS (JULIE) SYSTEM.

ALL DAMAGE TO DEPARTMENT OWNED UNDERGROUND FACILITIES, CAUSED BY THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REPAIRED TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE DEPARTMENT AT THE CONTRACTOR'S EXPENSE. THIS SHALL INCLUDE ALL TEMPORARY REPAIRS REQUIRED TO KEEP THE FACILITY OPERATIONAL WHILE MATERIAL IS BEING OBTAINED TO MAKE PERMANENT REPAIRS. SPLICING OF ELECTRIC CABLE WILL NOT BE ALLOWED. ELECTRIC CABLE SHALL BE REPLACED FROM POLE TO POLE OR CONTROLLER.

THE WORK REQUIRED TO CONNECT ANY SEWER TO AN EXISTING DRAINAGE STRUCTURE OR PIPE WILL NOT BE PAID FOR SEPARATELY, BUT WILL BE CONSIDERED AS INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE BID FOR THE SEWER ITEMS.

MEMBERS OF JULIE KNOWN TO BE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE IMPROVEMENT ARE: NONE

NON-MEMBERS OF JULIE KNOWN TO BE WITHIN THE LIMITS OF THE IMPROVEMENT ARE: NONE

THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT JULIE AT LEAST 48 HOURS PRIOR TO EXCAVATION TO DETERMINE WHICH UTILITIES ARE IN THE AREA.

PLACE DETECTOR LOOPS IN LEVELING BINDER OR MILLED SURFACE.

DETECTOR LOOPS SHALL HAVE FOUR TURNS AND ADVANCED WARNINGS SHALL HAVE SIX.

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