

**AVAILABILITY OF ELECTRONIC FILES**

MICRO STATION AND GEOPAK FILES OF THIS PROJECT WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE CONTRACTOR. IF THERE IS A CONFLICT BETWEEN THE ELECTRONIC FILES AND THE PRINTED CONTRACT PLANS AND DOCUMENTS, THE PRINTED CONTRACT PLANS AND DOCUMENTS SHALL TAKE PRECEDENCE OVER THE ELECTRONIC FILES. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ACCEPT ALL RISK ASSOCIATED WITH USING THE ELECTRONIC FILES AND SHALL HOLD THE DEPARTMENT HARMLESS FOR ANY ERRORS OR OMISSIONS IN THE ELECTRONIC FILES AND THE DATA CONTAINED THEREIN. ERRORS OR DELAYS RESULTING FROM THE USE OF THE ELECTRONIC BY THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT RESULT IN AN EXTENSION OF TIME FOR ANY INTERIM OR FINAL COMPLETION DATE OR SHALL NOT BE CONSIDERED CAUSE FOR ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT USE, SHARE, OR DISTRIBUTE THESE ELECTRONIC FILES EXCEPT FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING THIS CONTRACT. ANY CLAIMS BY THIRD PARTIES DUE TO USE OR ERRORS SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CONTRACTOR. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL INCLUDE THIS DISCLAIMER WITH THE TRANSFER OF THESE ELECTRONIC FILES TO ANY OTHER PARTIES AND SHALL INCLUDE APPROPRIATE LANGUAGE BINDING THEM TO SIMILAR RESPONSIBILITIES.

**UTILITIES – LOCATIONS/INFORMATION ON PLANS**

THE LOCATION OF EXISTING WATER MAINS, GAS MAINS, SEWERS, ELECTRONIC POWER LINES, TELEPHONE LINES AND OTHER UTILITIES AS SHOWN ON THE PLANS ARE BASED ON CAREFUL FIELD INVESTIGATION AND THE BEST INFORMATION AVAILABLE, BUT THEY ARE NOT GUARANTEED. UNLESS ELEVATIONS ARE SHOWN – ALL UTILITIES LOCATIONS SHOWN ON THE CROSS SECTIONS ARE BASED ON THE APPROXIMATE DEPTH SUPPLIED BY THE UTILITY COMPANY. IT SHALL BE THE CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO ASCERTAIN THEIR EXACT LOCATION FROM THE UTILITY COMPANIES AND BY FIELD INSPECTION.

**PLAN ELEVATIONS – USGS MEAN SEA LEVEL DATUM**

ALL ELEVATIONS SHOWN ON THE PLANS ARE ESTABLISHED FROM THE USGS MEAN SEA LEVEL DATUM

**PROPERTY OWNER ACCESS REQUIREMENTS**

ACCESS MUST BE MAINTAINED TO ALL EXISTING PROPERTIES DURING CONSTRUCTION PER ARTICLE 107.09 UNLESS ARRANGEMENTS ARE MADE IN WRITING BY THE CONTRACTOR WITH THE PROPERTY OWNERS WITH A COPY TO THE ENGINEER FOR SHORT TERM CLOSURES.

**EARTH EXCAVATION – INCIDENTAL TO CURB, GUTTER AND DRIVEWAYS**

EARTH EXCAVATION AND BACKFILL FOR THE PROPOSED CURB & GUTTER AND DRIVEWAY PAVEMENTS SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE UNIT COST OF THE VARIOUS ITEMS.

**SIGNING**

SIGN LOCATIONS MAY VARY FROM THE STATIONS SHOWN ON THE PLANS IN ACCORDANCE WITH DIRECTIONS FROM THE ENGINEER AT THE TIME OF CONSTRUCTION. SIGN LOCATIONS MAY BE ADJUSTED IN THE FIELD TO AVOID ANY FOUND UTILITIES.

ALL WOOD POST LOCATIONS SHALL BE VERIFIED WITH THE BUREAU OF OPERATIONS, TRAFFIC SECTION, BEFORE INSTALLATION.

**ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEWS**

PRIOR TO THE USE OF ANY PROPOSED BORROW AREAS, USE AREAS (TEMPORARY ACCESS ROADS, DETOURS, RUN-AROUNDS, ETC.) AND/OR WASTE AREAS, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL FILE THE REQUIRED ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE REQUEST ACCORDING TO SECTION 107.22 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS. THESE SURVEYS ARE REQUIRED IN ORDER FOR THE DEPARTMENT TO CONDUCT CULTURAL AND BIOLOGICAL RESOURCE SURVEYS FOR THE PROPOSED SITE.

PRIOR TO ANY WASTE MATERIALS BEING REMOVED FROM THE CONSTRUCTION SITE THE REQUIRED ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE SURVEYS WILL NEED TO BE OBTAINED AND FILED BY THE CONTRACTOR. EXCESS WASTE PRODUCTS REMOVED FROM THE CONSTRUCTION SITE SHALL BE DISPOSED OF AS REQUIRED IN SECTION 202.03.

ANY PROTRUDING METAL BARS SHALL BE REMOVED PRIOR TO THE DISPOSAL OF BROKEN CONCRETE AT APPROVED DISPOSAL SITES.

THE REQUIRED ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCE DOCUMENTATION SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING

- \*BDE FORM 2289 (ENVIRONMENTAL SURVEY REQUEST)
  - \*A LOCATION MAP SHOWING THE SIZE LIMITS AND LOCATION OF THE USE AREA
  - \*SIGNED PROPERTY OWNER AGREEMENT FORM-D4 PI0100
  - \*COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS DEPICTING THE USE AREA
  - \*BORROW AREA ENTRY AGREEMENT FORM-D4 PI0101
- PLEASE NOTE THAT A MINIMUM OF TWO WEEKS SHALL BE ALLOWED FOR THE DISTRICT TO OBTAIN THE REQUIRED ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCES.

FILE NAME = D468A98-shr-105.dgn	USER NAME = rudzinski.jl	DESIGNED - JLR	REVISED -	<b>STATE OF ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION</b>	<b>GENERAL NOTES</b>				F.A.U. RTE.	SECTION	COUNTY	TOTAL SHEETS	SHEET NO.
	PLOT SCALE = 28,0913' / 1" =	DRAWN - JLR	REVISED -						6791	D4 FYA 2012	KNOX	29	3
PLOT DATE = 5/23/2012	CHECKED -	REVISED -	SCALE: SHEET OF SHEETS STA. TO STA.					CONTRACT NO. 68A98					
	DATE -	REVISED -	ILLINOIS FED. AID PROJECT										