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TENNESSEE D.O.T.
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SPECIAL NOTES

GUARDRAIL

(1) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOT REMOVE ANY EXISTING GUARDRAIL AND/OR END TERMINAL UNTIL THE T.D.O.T. OPERATIONS DISTRICT ENGINEER CONCURS IN THE NECESSITY OF REMOVAL DUE TO CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS AND THE APPROPRIATE WARNING DEVICES ARE INSTALLED. THE PROPOSED GUARDRAIL AND/OR END TERMINAL SHALL BE INSTALLED QUICKLY TO MINIMIZE TRAFFIC EXPOSURE TO ANY HAZARD. NO PAYMENT WILL BE MADE FOR ANY GUARDRAIL AND/OR END TERMINAL UNTIL IT IS COMPLETE IN PLACE.

(2) IF ANY GUARDRAIL AND/OR END TERMINAL MUST TEMPORARILY BE LEFT INCOMPLETE AND EXPOSED TO TRAFFIC, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL USE TWO (2) TEMPORARY BARRICADES OR DRUMS WITH TYPE 'A' LIGHTS AND ROUNDED END ELEMENTS AS MINIMUM MEASURES TO PROTECT TRAFFIC FROM THE HAZARD OF AN EXPOSED END. ALL COST OF FURNISHING AND INSTALLING TEMPORARY MEASURES (BARRICADES, DRUMS, LIGHTS AND ROUNDED END ELEMENTS) SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE COST OF THE GUARDRAIL AND/OR END TERMINAL.

UTILITIES

(1) UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED, ALL UTILITY ADJUSTMENTS WILL BE PERFORMED BY THE UTILITY OR IT'S REPRESENTATIVE. THE CONTRACTOR AND UTILITY OWNERS WILL BE REQUIRED TO COOPERATE WITH EACH OTHER IN ORDER TO EXPEDITE THE WORK REQUIRED BY THIS CONTRACT.

(2) THE CONTRACTOR WILL PROVIDE ALL NECESSARY PROTECTIVE MEASURES TO SAFEGUARD EXISTING UTILITES FROM DAMAGE DURING CONSTRUCTION OF THE PROJECT. THE COST OF PROTECTING UTILITIES FROM DAMAGE AND FURNISHING ANY NECESSARY SPECIAL EQUIPMENT WILL BE INCLUDED IN THE PRICE BID FOR OTHER CONSTRUCTION ITEMS.

(3) PRIOR TO SUBMITTING HIS BID, THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE SOLELY RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTACTING OWNERS OF ALL AFFECTED UTILITIES IN ORDER TO DETERMINE THE EXTENT TO WHICH UTILITY RELOCATIONS AND/OR ADJUSTMENTS WILL HAVE UPON THE SCHDULE OF WORK FOR THE PROJECT. WHILE SOME WORK MAY BE REQUIRED 'AROUND'UTILITY FACILITIES THAT WILL REMAIN IN PLACE. OTHER UTILITY FACILITIES MAY NEED TO BE ADJUSTED CONCURRENTLY WITH THE CONTACTOR'S OPERATIONS.

(4) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL NOTIFY EACH INDIVIDUAL UTILITY OWNER OF HIS PLAN OF OPERATION IN THE AREA OF THE UTILITIES. PRIOR TO COMMENCING WORK, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL CONTACT THE UTILITY OWNERS AND REQUEST THEM TO PROPERLY LOCATE THEIR RESPECTIVE UTILITY ON THE GROUND. THIS NOTIFICATION SHALL BE GIVEN AT LEAST THREE (3) BUSIINESS DAYS PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF OPERATIONS AROUND THE UTILITY IN ACCORDANCE WITH TCA 65-31-106. NOTIFICATION BY CALLING THE TENNESSEE ONE CALL SYSTEM, INC AT 1-800-331-1111 WILL BE REQUIRED.

(5) UTILITY OWNERS

ELECTRIC: PLATEAU ELECTRIC

WATER: HUNTSVILLE UTILITY DISTRICT

GAS:CITIZENS GAS UTILITY DISTRICT

CABLE: XFINITY (COMCAST)

TELEPHONE: HIGHLAND TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE

MISCELLANEOUS

(1) THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE REQUIRED TO REMOVE AND RESET MAILBOXES AND POSTS WHERE NECESSARY. COST TO BE INCLUDED IN PRICE BID FOR OTHER CONSTRUCTION ITEMS.

(2) ALL GUARDRAIL, GUARDRAIL POSTS AND SIGNS WHICH INTERFERE WITH CONSTRUCTION WILL BE REMOVED AND STORED BY STATE FORCES.

(3) ALL SIGNING AND PAVEMENT MARKINGS ARE TO BE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CURRENT EDITION OF THE MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES.

(4) PAVED SHOULDERS SHALL BE BROOMED, AGGREGATE SHOULDERS SHALL BE CLIPPED, AND DITCHES SHALL BE CLEANED BY THE CONTRACTOR. ALL COST ASSOCIATED WITH THIS WORK SHALL BE INCLUDED IN COST OF OTHER ITEMS.

PAVEMENT MARKINGS

(1) THE CONTRACTOR WILL BE REQUIRED TO ESTABLISH AND LOCATE ALL "NO PASSING ZONES" IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE CURRENT EDITION OF THE MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES AS WELL AS TO PROVIDE THE LAYOUT OF ALL PAVEMENT MARKING REQUIRED ON THE PROJECT. THE METHOD OF DETERMINING THE "NO PASSING ZONES" IS TO BE APPROVED BY THE T.D.O.T. OPERATIONS DISTRICT ENGINEER, WITH ADVICE FROM THE REGIONAL TRAFFIC OFFICE, BEFORE PAVING OPERATIONS BEGIN.

PAVEMENT

RESURFACING

(1) SURFACE IS TO BE CROWNED AS DIRECTED BY THE T.D.O.T. OPERATIONS DISTRICT ENGINEER.

(2) THE CONTRACTOR WILL PLACE THE SPOT LEVELING WHERE AND AS DIRECTED BY THE T.D.O.T. OPERATIONS DISTRICT ENGINEER .

(3) ALL SURPLUS PATCHING, JOINT MATERIAL AND CRACK SEALANT IS TO BE REMOVED BEFORE PLACING THE FIRST LAYER OF ASPHALT.

(4) STATE FORCES WILL REMOVE ALL RAISED PAVEMENT MARKERS, IF ANY, BEFORE RESURFACING IS BEGUN.

(5) COLD PLANING IS TO BE DONE IMMEDIATELY PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF PAVING OPERATIONS. COLD PLANED SURFACES ARE NOT TO BE LEFT EXPOSED FOR MORE THAN FIVE (5) CALENDAR DAYS BEFORE BEING OVERLAYED BY THE FIRST COURSE OF ASPHALT. IF NECESSARY, COLD PLANING OPERATIONS ARE TO BE SUSPENDED TO ALLOW PAVING OPERATIONS TO CATCH UP. AFTER COLD PLANING AND PRIOR TO ALLOWING USE BY TRAFFIC, THE CONTRACTOR WILL RAMP ASPHALT AROUND EXISTING UTILITIES TO ELIMINATE HAZARD TO VEHICLES. ALL COLD PLANING REQUIRED ON CITY STREETS OR SIDE ROADS WILL BE PAID FOR AT THE UNIT PRICE BID FOR ITEM NO. 415-01.02.

(6) ALL DEPTHS FOR COLD PLANING TO BE ±½" TOLERANCE.

(7) THE CONTRACTOR SHOULD TAKE EXTREME CARE WHEN COLD PLANING THE EXISTING ASPHALT OFF OF BRIDGE DECK, AS NOT TO DAMAGE THE EXISTING DECK SEALANT AND/OR EXPANSION JOINT MEMBERS (STEEL PLATES, BARS, AND/OR HEADERS). IF DAMAGE DOES OCCUR, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR NECESSARY REPAIRS ON ALL DAMAGED MEMBERS TO THE SATISFACTION OF THE PROJECT ENGINEER AT NO ADDITIONAL COST.

(8) ON ALL SUPERELEVATED CURVES, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL INSURE THAT THE SHOULDER ROLLOVER RATES SHOWN IN THE T.D.O.T. STANDARD ROADWAY DRAWINGS ARE ACHIEVED.

(9) THIS PROJECT IS EXCLUDED FOR RIDEABILITY AS PER SPECIAL PROVISION NO. 411C.

CONSTRUCTION WORK ZONE & TRAFFIC CONTROL

(1) DURING ALL PERIODS OF CONSTRUCTION INACTIVITY, THE CONTRACTOR SHALL BE REQUIRED TO KEEP ALL LANES OPEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE T.D.O.T. PAVEMENT DROP-OFF POLICY. THIS WILL REQUIRE THE REMOVAL OF ALL TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES ASSOCIATED WITH ANY LANE CLOSURES AT THE END OF THE WORK DAY AND THE REINSTALLATION OF THE DEVICES AT THE BEGINNING OF THE NEXT WORK DAY.

(2) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL COMPLY WITH SECTION 712 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS FOR ROAD AND BRIDGE CONSTRUCTION REGARDING TEMPORARY TRAFFIC CONTROL AND THE CURRENT EDITION OF THE MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES.

(3) ANY WORK REQUIRING LANE CLOSURES INCLUDING PAVEMENT MARKING OPERATIONS SHALL BE AT NON-PEAK HOURS (9:00 A.M. TO 3:00 P.M. OR 6 PM TO 6 AM) UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE T.D.O.T. OPERATIONS DISTRICT ENGINEER..

PAVEMENT EDGE DROP-OFF TRAFFIC CONTROL

(1) A. DIFFERENCES IN ELEVATION BETWEEN ADJACENT TRAFFIC LANES OR TRAFFIC LANE AND SHOULDER WHERE THE TRAFFIC LANE IS BEING USED BY TRAFFIC, CAUSED BY BASE, PAVING OR RESURFACING:

1. DIFFERENCES IN ELEVATION BETWEEN ADJACENT ROADWAY ELEMENTS GREATER THAN 0.75 INCH AND NOT EXCEEDING 2 INCHES:

   a. WARNING SIGNS, UNEVEN LANES (W8-11) AND/OR SHOULDER DROP-OFF WITH PLAQUE (W8-17 AND W8-17P), SHALL BE PLACED IN ADVANCE OF AND THROUGHOUT THE EXPOSED AREA. MAXIMUM SPACING BETWEEN SIGNS SHALL BE 2,000 FEET WITH A MINIMUM OF 2 SIGNS PER EXPOSED AREA. WHERE UNEVEN PAVEMENT IS ENCOUNTERED, SIGNS SHALL BE PLACED ON EACH SIDE OF THE ROADWAY.

   b. DIFFERENCES IN ELEVATION BETWEEN ADJACENT TRAFFIC LANES BEING UTILIZED BY TRAFFIC CAUSED BY ADDED PAVEMENT SHALL BE ELIMINATED WITHIN THREE WORKDAYS.

   c. DIFFERENCES IN ELEVATION BETWEEN ADJACENT TRAFFIC LANES BEING UTILIZED BY TRAFFIC CAUSED BY COLD PLANING SHALL BE ELIMINATED WITHIN THREE WORKDAYS.

   d. WHEN THE DIFFERENCE IN ELEVATION IS BETWEEN THE TRAFFIC LANE BEING UTILIZED BY TRAFFIC AND SHOULDER, THE DIFFERENCE IN ELEVATION SHALL BE ELIMINATED WITHIN SEVEN WORKDAYS AFTER THE CONDITION IS CREATED.

EROSION PREVENTION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL

DISTURBED AREA

(1) ALL DISTURBED AREAS SHALL BE PROPERLY STABILIZED AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE.

SEDIMENT CONTROL

(2) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL ESTABLISH AND MAINTAIN A PROACTIVE METHOD TO PREVENT THE OFF-SITE MIGRATION OR DEPOSIT OF SEDIMENT ON ROADWAYS USED BY THE GENERAL PUBLIC. OFFSITE VEHICLE TRACKING OF SEDIMENTS AND THE GENERATION OF DUST SHALL BE MINIMIZED.

STREAM/WETLAND

(3) WETLANDS SHALL NOT BE USED AS EQUIPMENT STORAGE, STAGING OR TRANSPORTATION AREAS.

NPDES

(4) DUE TO THE TYPE OF WORK IT IS OUR UNDERSTANDING THAT THE PROJECT WILL NOT DISTURB MORE THAN ONE ACRE. IF THE DISTURBED AREA IS MORE THAN ONE ACRE, PLEASE CONTACT THE TDOT ENVIRONMENTAL DIVISION, PERMITS SECTION BECAUSE A NPDES PERMIT WILL BE REQUIRED.

(5) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL TAKE APPROPRIATE STEPS, BEFORE CLEANING OUT OR REMOVAL/REPLACEMENT OF DITCHES, SIDE DRAINS, AND CROSS DRAINS, TO ENSURE THAT THE DRAINAGE FEATURES / WATERCOURSES ARE NOT STREAMS OR WETLANDS. IF THE CONTRACTOR / TDOT INSPECTOR IS UNSURE WHETHER THE DRAINAGE FEATURES ARE STREAMS OR WETLANDS, THE INSPECTOR SHALL CONTACT THE TDOT ENVIRONMENTAL DIVISION, PERMITS SECTION TO OBTAIN THE APPROPRIATE PERMITS.

ECOLOGY

(6) THE CONTRACTOR SHALL TAKE APPROPRIATE STEPS BEFORE CONSTRUCTING EARTH PADS FOR THE TYPE 38 TERMINALS TO ENSURE THAT ENVIRONMENTAL FEATURES (STREAMS, WETLANDS, OR SPRINGS) ARE NOT IMPACTED DURING CONSTRUCTION. IF THE CONTRACTOR/ TDOT INSPECTOR IS UNSURE WHETHER THE ENVIRONMENTAL FEATURES ARE STREAMS, SPRINGS OR WETLANDS, THE INSPECTOR SHALL CONTACT THE TDOT ENVIRONMENTAL DIVISION ECOLOGY OR PERMITS SECTION SO AN ACCURATE DETERMINATION CAN BE ASSESSED.

(7) DURING CONSTRUCTION OF THE EARTH PADS FOR THE TYPE 38 GUARDRAIL TERMINALS, EXISTING VEGETATION WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE REMOVED FOR THE PROPOSED PAD AND SLOPES. IF DURING THE VEGETATION REMOVAL, ANY TREES GREATER THAN 5 INCHES IN DIAMETER ARE REQUIRED TO BE REMOVED, CONTACT THE T.D.O.T. ENVIRONMENTAL DIVISION ECOLOGY SECTION IMMEDIATELY. DUE TO THE RECENT MODIFICATION OF THE USFWS STANCE REGARDING THE INDIANA BAT NO TREES >5" DBH SHOULD BE CUT WITHOUT CLEARANCE FROM THE TDOT ENVIRONMENTAL DIVISION ECOLOGY SECTION.

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