

**II. ARLINGTON COUNTY DES ENGINEERING**  
**SPECIAL CONDITIONS**

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## **PROJECT SUMMARY**

The proposed Fort Myer Heights Watermain Improvement project will connect the existing 12-Inch watermain in 14th Street North to the existing 12-Inch watermain in North Queen Street located about 200 feet South of the North Quinn Street intersection.

This project involves installation of approximately 660 feet of new 12-inch ductile iron pipe and upgrading approximately 50 feet of 8-inch ductile iron pipe. Work also includes installation of approximately 230 feet of 12-inch ductile iron pipe suspended under N. Rhodes Street/Arlington Boulevard Bridge.

The Contractor shall provide all resources to successfully perform the terms of this contract in accordance with project plans, and in compliance with Arlington County and VDOT Standards and Specifications. The Contractor shall perform the work complete, in place, tested, and ready for continuous service.

All work within the VDOT Right-Of-Way shall be performed in accordance with the VDOT Standards and Specifications, unless otherwise noted. All work within the County Right-Of-Way shall be in accordance with the Arlington County Standards and Specifications, unless otherwise noted.

## **SUPPLEMENTS TO THE GENERAL CONDITIONS**

These Conditions modify the Arlington County Construction General Conditions. All provisions that are not modified or deleted by these Supplemental Conditions shall remain in full force and effect.

The address system used in these Supplemental Conditions is the same as the address system used in the General Conditions, with the prefix "SC" added thereto.

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### **ARTICLE B – DRAWINGS, SPECIFICATIONS AND RELATED DATA**

#### **SC-B.10 TESTS**

*Add the following new language to Paragraph B.10:*

All materials testing shall be in compliance with the Arlington County Materials Testing Specification Reference. This document specifies the method and frequency of testing for Arlington County projects. A copy of this document is included in the bid documents. This shall be incidental to the work and no separate payment will be made.

The Contractor shall engage the services of a geotechnical company, acceptable to both the County and VDOT, to conduct all materials testing per the County and VDOT Specifications.

If it is observed that samples for testing are being improperly taken or that samples are being taken from an area that is not fully representative of all project conditions, then Contractor shall take and test additional samples at the County Project Officer's request from areas designated by the County Project Officer and at the Contractor's expense.

In addition, the Contractor shall provide the County with unfettered site access as needed for VDOT/County personnel or VDOT/County consultants to enter the site, inspect, and perform any additional testing for any and all materials (including soil, concrete, asphalt, etc.).

Compaction results must meet VDOT Specifications and be certified by a Geotechnical Engineer licensed in Virginia. This work shall be at no cost to the County.

#### **SC-B.13 SURVEYS AND CONTROLS**

*Delete Paragraph B.13 in its entirety and insert the following in its place:*

Unless otherwise stated, the County will provide horizontal and vertical reference points necessary for the Contractor to proceed with the Work. The Contractor shall carefully preserve all reference points, and in the case of destruction thereof by the Contractor or due to the negligence of the Contractor or of any subcontractor, the Contractor shall be responsible for expense and damage resulting therefrom and shall be responsible for any mistakes or construction errors that may be caused by the loss or disturbance of such reference points. The Contractor shall be responsible for laying out the Work and shall retain a professional land surveyor licensed in the Commonwealth of Virginia to survey and

provide all necessary construction layouts and to establish all control lines, grades, and elevations during construction.

## ARTICLE C – COUNTY, COUNTY PROJECT OFFICER, AND CONTRACTOR RELATIONS

### SC-C.1 STATUS OF COUNTY PROJECT OFFICER OR DESIGNEE

*Add the following new language to Paragraph C.1:*

The County Project Officer will coordinate and consult with the VDOT Field Inspector as appropriate when working within the VDOT Right-Of-Way.

### SC-C.4 INSPECTION OF WORK

*Add the following new language to Paragraph C.4:*

Contractor shall notify the Project Officer at least 3 working days prior to disturbing any existing, or installing any new, traffic signs, signals, or other traffic control devices. The Contractor shall allow 3 working days for the inspection and approval of the premarkings prior to placing the permanent markings.

### SC-C.9 CONTRACTOR MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL

*Add the following new language to Paragraph C.9:*

#### Site Supervisor:

The Contractor shall have a qualified and experienced site supervisor who can clearly communicate technical matters on-site at all times when construction activity is occurring or when the site is not in a secure state.

#### Safety Project Officer:

The Contractor shall have at least one (1) employee certified by VDOT in Advanced Work Zone Traffic Control on-site at all times that work is occurring and be responsible for the following:

- Placement, maintenance, and removal of work zone traffic control devices,
- Compliance with permit requirements and conditions, approved plans and specifications, the Virginia Work Area Protection Manual, and the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices.

The flagger shall be certified in accordance with the VDOT Flagger Certification Program, the American Traffic Safety Services Association Flagger Certification Program or any other VDOT approved flagger program. The flagger shall have his/her certification card with them at all times while performing flagging activities.

The Contractor shall have at least one (1) employee certified in OSHA 10 on-site at all times that work is occurring. The employee shall have served as a Project Safety Officer on at least three (3) prior projects. If the contractor has multiple employees with these requirements, the Contractor shall clearly identify which employee shall serve as the Project Safety Officer.

Environmental Project Officer:

The Contractor shall have at least one (1) employee that has successfully completed the VDOT Erosion & Sediment Control Contractor Certification training. The contractor employee shall be on-site during all land disturbance activities. The Contractor shall be responsible for ensuring compliance with all applicable local, State, and Federal erosion and sediment control regulations and permits during land disturbance activities.

If the Contractor proposes to deviate from the approved Erosion and Sediment Control Plan, it shall be the Contractor's responsibility to coordinate and obtain approval from the County Project Officer prior to implementing any changes.

SC-C.13 PROTECTION OF WORK AND PROPERTY

*Add the following new language to Subparagraph C.13.c:*

The Contractor shall be responsible for all damages caused by their construction activities. The Contractor shall perform or provide repairs, replacements, and restoration to all property that has been damaged resulting from construction operations performed by the Contractor, and shall meet the following requirements:

1. Restore all areas to conditions that existed prior to construction. Remove and Replace damaged items with items equal to or better than the damaged items.

ARTICLE E – LEGAL RESPONSIBILITY AND PUBLIC SAFETY

SC-E.1 SITE INVESTIGATION AND CONDITIONS AFFECTING THE WORK

*Add the following new language at the end of E.1:*

When construction activity reaches in proximity to existing utilities, the trench(es) shall be opened a sufficient distance ahead of the work or test pits shall be made to verify the exact location and inverts of the utility to allow for possible changes in the line or grade as directed by the Project Officer. This shall be incidental to the work and no separate payment shall be made.

SC-E.2 PUBLIC CONVENIENCE

*Add the following new language to Paragraph E.2:*

The Contractor shall set up controls at the beginning of each work day and take down controls at the end of each work day for the duration of the project. At all times the Contractor shall maintain safe two-way vehicular traffic, and safe accessible pedestrian traffic in conformance with County and VDOT standards.

The temporary barriers shall remain in place for the duration of Phase 1 thru Phase 6 per sheet C121.7.

At all times the Contractor shall use the personnel and traffic control signs and devices necessary to comply with the Virginia Work Area Protection Manual and Part VI of the

"National Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices." The Contractor has sole responsibility for ensuring that its operations are conducted in a safe manner and notwithstanding any other provision to the contrary, shall fully indemnify Arlington County, its officers, agents and employees for any damage or injury related to traffic operations which is caused by negligent or otherwise improper or deficient performance under the Contract or nonperformance of the terms of the Contract. All personnel, signs, barricades and any other items necessary for the maintenance of traffic and safety shall be provided by the Contractor.

When conditions warrant due to traffic volumes, patterns, or special events, the County may suspend or otherwise direct the Contractor's activities to protect the public and or the County's transportation network.

When the project includes a VDOT and/or County approved MOT Plan (or Plans), the Contractor shall strictly abide by this plan. If the Contractor proposes to deviate from the approved MOT Plan for a County road, it shall be the Contractor's responsibility to coordinate and obtain approval from the County Project Officer prior to implementing any changes. If the Contractor proposes to deviate from the approved MOT Plan for a VDOT road, it shall be the Contractor's responsibility to coordinate and obtain approval directly from VDOT prior to implementing any changes.

Prior to any lane closures within the VDOT Right-of-Way, the County Project Officer and VDOT Field Inspector must be notified in advance of such lane closure in accordance with VDOT requirements.

The Contractor shall not be entitled to any additional payment for changes to MOT which are the result of the Contractor's work schedule or resource allocation, weather delays, or other factors not controlled by the County.

Failure of the Contractor to correct any MOT deficiency immediately upon notification may result in the project being shut down until the deficiency is corrected, and a reduction from the amount of payment due in the amount of \$1,000.00 per violation. Repeated violations of this provision may result in contract termination.

The Contractor shall install project information signs (size - 36"x48") at least two (2) different locations for each site. Signs will be supplied by the County. Sign posts and incidentals necessary for a complete installation of the signs shall be furnished by the Contractor. Signs shall be installed at least two (2) weeks prior to the start of the construction. The Contractor shall coordinate the location of the signs with the Project Officer. After the project has been completed the Contractor shall remove and return the signs to the County Project Officer. The cost for this work shall be considered incidental to other items within the Contract and no separate payment will be made.

At the close of each work day, the area of work shall be confined to the smallest area possible, but in no event larger than the area designated in the Construction Documents, so that the maximum use of the street and sidewalk shall be restored and the hazard to traffic reduced to the minimum.



The Contractor shall preserve all bus stops, including maintaining adequate accessibility through and adjacent to the construction for buses and their passengers. The Contractor shall not close, relocate, or otherwise modify a bus stop without prior request of the Project Officer. Any relocation or closure of a bus stop will require at least four weeks advance notice for coordination with the county's bus stop coordinator.

SC-E.10 SITE CLEAN-UP AND WASTE DISPOSAL

*Add the following new language to Paragraph E.10:*

The County's Earth Products Recycling Yard (located at 4300 29<sup>th</sup> Street South, Arlington, VA) shall **not** be used on an as-needed basis for unspecified quantities of waste (due in part to the limited size of the Yard). Although atypical, the Yard **may** be considered, on a case-by-case basis, for disposal of specific types/quantities of waste from County construction projects. In such cases disposal arrangements must be approved by the County Project Officer, be made in advance, depend on available space and the type/quantity of waste, and comply with certain requirements (for example, concrete shall be broken into pieces no longer than 24" in any dimension, contain less than 20% soil content, and be free of rebar).

SC-E.11 STORMWATER POLLUTION PREVENTION PLAN (SWPPP)

*Delete Paragraph 2.*

ARTICLE F– PROGRESS AND COMPLETION OF THE WORK

SC-F.2 TIME FOR COMPLETION

*Delete Paragraph F.2 and replace with the following language:*

It is hereby understood and mutually agreed by and between the Contractor and the County that the Commencement Date, the rate of progress, and the Time for Completion of the Work to be done hereunder are essential conditions of the Contract. The Contractor agrees that the Work shall be started promptly upon receipt of a written Notice to Proceed in accordance with the accepted schedule. Additional time shall not be allowed for holidays or weather delays except as allowed in the contract.

## ARTICLE G– MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

### SC-G.1 PAYMENTS TO CONTRACTOR

*Delete Section G.1 and replace with the following language:*

The County will make partial payments, to the Contractor monthly on the basis of the Contractor's written estimate of the work performed during the preceding calendar month as approved by the Project Officer or designee. The Contractor's application for payment shall indicate the amount of work completed to date in a format consistent with the accepted bid and as indicated below:

- a. Lump Sum: For lump sum contracts, the Contractor shall provide to the Project Officer a Schedule of Values, and the application for payment will reflect the Schedule of Values and the amount of work completed in those units

For contracts that include multiple lump sum line items, the application for payment shall reflect the percentage of work completed for each lump sum item. If requested by the Project Officer, the Contractor shall provide a Schedule of Values for each lump sum line item in the contract.

- b. Unit Price: The schedule of unit prices in the accepted bid shall be used as the basis for preparing the estimates, and each partial payment shall represent the total value of all units of work completed, computed at the unit prices stated in the Contract, less the aggregate of previous payments.

If Stipulated Price Items are included in the contract, Work on such Stipulated Price Items shall be carried out only upon written order by the Project Officer. The payment for a Stipulated Price Item shall be made by the County to the Contractor at the related unit price specified in the 'Stipulated Price Items' section of the Bid Form on the same basis as the payment for any other regular Bid Item.

In addition to the amount of work completed to date, the application for payment shall indicate the aggregate of all previous payments for each line item and the total payment requested this period.

The Contractor's application for payment will not be reviewed or processed unless an updated schedule is attached. The pay application shall also contain a certification by the Contractor that due and payable amounts have been paid by the Contractor, including payments to subcontractors, for work which previous payment was received by the Contractor from the County.

Payments will be based on actual quantities and site measurements of the approved work taken in the field by the County Project Officer using the Contract Unit Prices. Any Work that is not shown on the approved plans that has not been previously authorized in writing by the Project Officer shall be at the Contractor's expense, and at no cost to the County.

No additional payment for any incidentals will be made unless specifically requested through, and authorized by, the County Project Officer prior to the work. Such determination of additional payment will be at the sole discretion of the County Project Officer, and will be based upon the determination that there exist exceptional conditions which will necessitate significant expenditures of material and/or labor above and beyond the typical installation conditions which could be anticipated in Arlington County.

## SPECIAL CONDITIONS

These Special Conditions include any project-specific requirements in addition to the General Condition, Supplementary Specifications, and the County Standards Referenced herein.

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### 1. CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS

All work shall conform to project plans and specifications along with the current edition of following County and VDOT construction standards and specifications:

- **The Arlington County Department of Environmental Services (DES) Bike Parking Standards**, a copy of which may be downloaded at no charge from the internet at: <https://info.arlingtontransportationpartners.com/arlington-county-bike-parking-standards>
- **The Arlington County Department of Environmental Services (DES) Construction Standards and Specifications**, a copy of which may be downloaded at no charge from the internet at: <http://topics.arlingtonva.us/building/construction-standards-specifications/>
- **The Arlington County Department of Environmental Services (DES) Traffic Signal Specifications**, a copy of which may be downloaded at no charge from the internet at: <https://transportation.arlingtonva.us/traffic-signal-specification-updates/>
- **The Arlington County Department of Environmental Services (DES) Streetlight Specifications**, a copy of which may be downloaded at no charge from the internet at: <https://transportation.arlingtonva.us/streets/street-lights/lighting-standards-specifications-updates/>
- **The Arlington County Department of Environmental Services (DES) Pavement Marking Specifications**, a copy of which may be downloaded at no charge from the internet at: <http://transportation.arlingtonva.us/streets/traffic-signals/>
- **The Arlington County Department of Parks and Recreation (DPR) Specifications**, a copy of which may be downloaded at no charge from the internet at: <https://www.arlingtonva.us/Government/Departments/Parks-Recreation/About/Design-Standards>
- **The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) Road and Bridge Standards and Specifications**, a copy of which may be downloaded at no charge from the internet at: <http://www.virginiadot.org/business/const/spec-default.asp>
- **The Virginia Work Area Protection Manual (WAPM)**, a copy of which may be downloaded at no charge from the internet at: <https://www.virginiadot.org/business/trafficeng-WZS.asp>
- **Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices(MUTCD)**, a copy of which may be downloaded at no charge from the internet at: [http://mutcd.fhwa.dot.gov/pdfs/2009r1r2/pdf\\_index.htm](http://mutcd.fhwa.dot.gov/pdfs/2009r1r2/pdf_index.htm)
- **The Arlington County Department of Environmental Services (DES) Dechlorination and Disposal Procedures**, a copy of which may be downloaded at no charge from the internet at: <https://www.arlingtonva.us/Government/Programs/Water-Utilities/Discharging-Chlorinated-Water>
- **The Supplementary Specifications listed within the Contract.**

In case of a discrepancy, the following order of priority will apply, with the highest governing item appearing first and the least governing item appearing last:

The Contract Bid Items  
Special Conditions  
Contract Drawings  
Supplemental Specifications  
Arlington County Construction Standards and Specifications  
External Agency Specifications

## 2. PERMITS

Permits required for the project include, but are not limited to:

- **County Land Disturbing Activities (LDA) permit**
- **County Public Right-Of-Way (PROW) permit**
- **County Transportation Right-Of-Way(TROW) permits**
- **County Water Meter and Fire Hydrant permits**
- **VDOT Land Use permit**
- **VDOT Open Cut permit**

All fees for County permits will be waived by Arlington County, and fees for non-County permits will be paid by Arlington County.

The County will obtain the County LDA permit, the County RPA permit, VDOT Land Use permit, VDOT Open Cut permit, VSMP Permit and then NVRPA permits prior to the start of work. The Contractor shall transfer the County LDA permit, VDOT Land Use Permit, VDOT Open Cut permit and the VSMP Permit in the Contractors name as the permittee and/or responsible party prior to the start of Work. The Contractor shall complete and sign the VDOT forms and submit to the County Project Officer for submission to VDOT two weeks prior to the start of Work within VDOT ROW.

The Contractor shall provide a Responsible Land Disturber (RLD) that meets all the required qualifications of the permits. The Contractor shall complete and sign the RLD certificate and submit to the County Project Officer prior to the start of Work.

The Contractor shall obtain the County PROW permit, the County TROW permits and the County Water Meter and Fire Hydrant permits. The Contractor is responsible for investigating and satisfying all permit requirements for the above-mentioned permits.

## 3. SPECIAL CONTRACTOR/SUBCONTRACTOR QUALIFICATIONS

The Contractor shall have five (5) years of services construction contract experience conducting public works infrastructure and street improvement projects in an urban environment. The experience shall be work of similar size and scope, construction, re-construction, and maintenance.

The Contractor obtained project experience shall consist of the following:

- **State and County streets**
- **Curbs and gutters**
- **State and County Bridges**
- **Sidewalks and walkways**
- **Storm sewer pipes and inlets**
- **Wet Utilities**
- **Pavement markings and signage**
- **Electrical conduits**
- **Streetscapes and related site work**

The Contractor shall provide a complete list of projects completed within the last five (5) years with reference contact information for each project for Bidder qualification verification. Failure to qualify according to the foregoing requirements will result in bid rejection by the Arlington County Purchasing Office. The County will randomly contact at least five (5) of the references provided.

4. STAKEOUT AND CUT-SHEETS

The Contractor shall be responsible for laying out the work and shall retain a professional land surveyor licensed in the Commonwealth of Virginia to provide all necessary construction layouts and establish all control lines, grades, and elevation during construction. The Contractor shall submit a copy of all cut-sheets for review, per the Arlington County Specifications. All cut-sheets for layout and construction shall be provided as submittals at least seven (7) calendar days prior to construction of the work included on that cut-sheet. The cost of all necessary surveying services shall be considered incidental to the work and no separate payment shall be made.

5. SCHEDULE, DURATION, AND PHASING REQUIREMENTS

The Contractor shall provide a schedule for all work listed on plans including any additional work not specifically mentioned on plans but was agreed upon with the County prior to work commencing.

Work Duration per task order shall be calculated in accordance with Supplements to the General Condition "SC-F.2 TIME FOR COMPLETION". The Time for completion shall be used as the basis for the project schedule.

Contractor shall make sure that the submittals/shop drawings are reviewed and accepted and materials ordered and delivered on site as no additional time will be granted for this.

6. WORK HOURS

The Contractor shall comply with **normal daytime working hours** as defined in the County Noise Control Ordinance unless otherwise defined by the project plans and specifications, or approved by the Project Officer.

The Contractor shall comply with **restricted working hours** of 9:00 am to 3:00 pm when working in Arlington County arterial streets unless otherwise indicated on the Maintenance of Traffic Plans for each project.

The Contractor shall comply with **restricted working hours** as defined by VDOT and as noted on the approved VDOT permit when working within the VDOT Right-Of-Way. For restricted work hours in VDOT ROW, see attached "Lane Closure Guidelines in NOVA District". The Contractor is responsible for satisfying all VDOT Permit requirements found at: <http://www.virginiadot.org/business/fairfax-permits-main.asp>.

In addition, the County reserves the right to restrict working days and hours to accommodate special site conditions as required.

#### 7. GENERAL SITE SECURITY AND CONTROLS

The Contractor is responsible for securing its work area for safety and security. The Contractor shall confine its construction and presence to the Limits of Work, unless otherwise approved by the County Project Officer.

The Contractor shall provide, erect, and maintain barricades, fences, and/or signage as required to protect the general public, workers, and adjoining properties at no additional cost to the County. Before leaving the site at the end of each day, the Contractor shall replace any and all sections of the security fence or barricade moved or removed during work hours.

The Contractor shall maintain clear vehicular access to existing driveways and entrances at all times unless such access is otherwise addressed on County-approved project plans, precluding concrete pouring and curing of such access points, unless otherwise directed by the County Project Officer.

Homeowners shall be notified by the Contractor a minimum of fourteen (14) calendar days in advance of any driveway closure, and driveways can only be closed for a maximum of five (5) calendar days.

The Contractor shall monitor parking of construction personnel's private vehicles and ensure that the public has unobstructed access to and through parking areas.

#### 8. SPECIAL TRAFFIC MAINTENANCE CONSIDERATIONS

- A) All work associated with the placement of water main under the bridge shall be done during the night between 10:00 pm and 5:00 am.
- B) All bus stops to remain open and accessible at all times.
- C) Contractor to provide temporary construction facilities extending the sidewalk to the travel lanes at bus stops.
- D) Contractor to provide access/egress of loading dock/driveway of #1740 14<sup>th</sup> Street N Building.



## 9. TRAFFIC SIGNALS AND STREETLIGHTS

Materials and construction of the communications conduit, streetlights, and traffic signals shall abide by the latest versions of the 'Arlington County Traffic Signal Specifications and Standards' and 'Arlington County Lighting Specifications and Standards. All materials for these areas shall be approved by Arlington County Transportation Engineering and Operations Bureau. The County Project Officer will facilitate the material specification submissions for review by the Transportation Engineering and Operations Bureau.

The Contractor shall abide by VDOT's requirement to submit signal foundation details for review. These details include, but are not limited to soil tests to verify the detail design, along with any other supporting information required by VDOT in their submission package. Details shall be created for each signal pole foundation and shall be for both three feet and four feet diameter foundations. The County will assist only in the submission of these details to VDOT, if requested. The Contractor is responsible for satisfying all VDOT requirements. The Contractor shall incorporate all costs for this in relevant items and no payment will be made by the County. The submission shall be submitted with enough time for VDOT to adequately review it. The Contractor cannot claim any time delay or any additional compensation due to such delay.

Prior to removal of the existing signal equipment and materials, the Contractor shall meet with the Project Officer to verify which equipment will be returned to the County, when and where the returned equipment will be delivered, and which equipment will be disposed. All costs associated with this shall be incidental to other items in the Contract.

Installation of electrical service for temporary services such as signals, streetlights, signal cabinets, construction trailers, or for equipment use are incidental to the contract.

Intercepting existing streetlight conduits and splicing into existing cables are incidental to the contract.

References to a CCTV camera shall mean to both furnish and install the CCTV camera, unless specifically excluded.

As part of the luminaire installation, Contractor shall install house-side shields in each fixture. These shields will be provided by the County. If requested, the County will demonstrate how to install the shields. The Contractor shall contact the Streetlights Operations Team Manager at (703) 228-6531 to obtain the shields prior to ordering any streetlight materials to ensure they will be available at the time of construction, and to request a demonstration on how to install the shields. Failure to do so will be at the Contractor's expense for time if construction is stopped because the shields are not available. The installation of the shields is considered incidental to the contract and no additional payments shall be made for this work.

## 10. OTHER SPECIAL PROVISIONS

- A) The contractor to coordinate with affected property owners / residents before shut-downs of the water main. If shut-down is not an option, the contractor to provide Temporary Bypass Water Service System to affected residents from nearest fire hydrant.
- B) Contractor to submit shop drawings for approval. This work is considered as an incidental. No separate payment will be made for this work. Whether or not it is indicated on the Contract Documents; Presence or absence of water (groundwater and otherwise) will not entitle Contractor to additional compensation.
- C) Structural steel for angles, W-shapes, and gusset plates shall be ASTM A709 Grade 50 and shall be galvanized in accordance with ASTM A123. H.S. bolts shall be F3125 ASTM A325, Type 1.

Material – Ductile Iron with Restrained Joint

Minimum Thickness – Class 52 (Rated Pressure 300 psi)

Hydrostatic Test Pressure shall be 150 psi minimum.

Specification: ANSI/AWWA C151/A21.51

Finish – Cement Mortar Lined; Bituminous Outer Coat

Steel Sleeve – API 5L-B 3/8" Wall

Expansion Joint – Dresser Style 63, Type 3

Galvanization – Miscellaneous Hardware: Rods, nuts, hardware in link seals, etc. shall be galvanized in accordance with ASTM A153.

Removal of existing diaphragms and core drilling abutment backwalls shall be in accordance with Section 413 of the VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications. The existing structure is designated a Type B Structure in accordance with Section 411 of the VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications.

The Contractor shall prepare all steel surfaces that are in contact with new steel members in accordance with Section 411 of the VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications using Method 3. The Contractor shall prepare and spot coat all coatings damaged during repairs using a zinc rich primer from the VDOT Approved Products List. All galvanizing that has been chipped or damaged during handling or drilling shall be repaired in accordance with Section 233.03 of the VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications.

## SUPPLEMENTS TO THE DES CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS

### SECTION 01500 – TEMPORARY EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

##### PARAGRAPH 3.1 Installation and Maintenance of Erosion and Sediment Controls

###### **Delete**

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### SECTION 02200 – EARTHWORK

#### PART 3 - EXECUTION

##### PARAGRAPH 3.5 Dewatering

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## SECTION 02500 – GRAVITY SEWERS AND APPURTENANCES

### PART 4 – MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

#### PARAGRAPH 4.1 Sewer

##### **Delete**

4.1.A Sewer pipe for the various materials, classes, and sizes shown on the plans shall be measured in linear feet along the center line of the pipe and shall be measured from inside wall of structure to inside wall of structures. Payment shall include the furnishing of all pipe and fittings, all necessary tests, excavation, removal and disposal of existing pipes, removal and disposal of unsuitable or surplus material, placement of bedding and backfill as shown in Standard M-3.0, restoration of roadways as shown in Standard M-6.1, all other restoration, and all other work required to providing a complete sewer installation in compliance with the Construction Documents.

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## SECTION 02550 – WATER MAINS AND APPURTENANCES

### PART 4 – MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

#### PARAGRAPH 4.1 Water Mains

##### **Add**

4.1.B Water Line System thru the abutment and under the bridge shall be paid for on a lump sum basis, wherein no measurement shall be made, and shall be paid for at the contract lump sum price, which price shall include asphalt sealer, welded wire fabric, removal of existing diaphragms, core drilling, preparing and coating steel surfaces, disposal of materials, furnishing and installing ductile iron water main, expansion joints, testing, disinfecting (when required), end diaphragms with gusset plates, hangers, rollers, rods, abutment sleeves, link seals, high-strength non-shrink grout/mortar and miscellaneous hardware; all as detailed on the Water Line System drawing included herein and within the pay limits shown thereon. Such price shall be full compensation for furnishing all materials, labor, tools, equipment and incidentals necessary to complete the work.

## SECTION 02600 - BITUMINOUS ROADWAY PAVEMENTS

PART 4 – MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

**Delete**

4.2 Subbase shall be measured to the width and depths shown on the approved plans as verified in the field by the Project Officer or his designee. Payment shall be in cubic yards of material.

**Add**

4.2 Subbase shall be measured to the width and depths shown on the approved plans as verified in the field by the Project Officer or his designee. Payment shall be in cubic yards of material and shall include demolition, excavation, and the necessary preparation of the sub grade surface.

SECTION 02900 - PAVEMENT MARKINGS

PART 3 - EXECUTION

PARAGRAPH 3.2 Provision for Temporary Markings

**Add**

B. All Type D pavement markings shall conform to the latest VDOT requirements.

PART 4 - MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

PARAGRAPH 4.4 Removal/Eradication of Existing Pavement Markings

**Delete**

A. Payment for pavement line markings (type, class, width) removal and/or eradication shall be paid by actual work performed as listed in the contract and shall include all labor, materials, tools, equipment, transportation, supplies, and incidentals required to remove and/or eradicate the line markings as specified.

**Add**

A. Payment for pavement line markings (type, class, width) removal and/or eradication shall be incidental to the work and no separate payment shall be made.

**Add**

PARAGRAPH 4.5 Pavement Message Marking

A. Measurement of pavement message markings (type, class, size) shall be in units of each furnished and installed.

B. Payment for pavement message markings (type, class, size) shall be in units of each and shall include all labor, materials, tools, equipment, transportation, supplies, and incidentals required to furnish and install the message markings as specified.

SECTION 329100 - PLANTING PREPARATION

PART 4 - MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

**Add**

4.10 The measurement of CONTINUOUS SOIL PANEL to be paid for shall be per CUBIC YARD of the amended soil in accordance with the plans, specifications and to the satisfaction of the Project Officer.

4.11 The unit price for CONTINUOUS SOIL PANEL shall include the cost of furnishing all labor, materials, equipment and incidental expenses, including but not limited to imported topsoil, vapor barrier, 4" UD-4 underdrain (per VDOT specification), bedding material per Continuous Soil Panel and Tree Pit Drainage Details, and connection to storm sewer system.