

TOWN OF MIDDLEBORO, MASSACHUSETTS

**CONTRACT DOCUMENTS
FOR**

Wareham Street Water Main Replacement

December 13, 2023



Town of Middleboro

Department of Public Works

65 Sachem Street

Middleboro, MA 02346



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DIVISION 0

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SECTION 00020
INVITATION FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for furnishing the following items will be received at the Office of the Department of Public Works, 65 Sachem Street Middleboro, MA 02346 until the time specified below at which time the bids will be publicly opened and read.

A portion of the funding for this project is provided by the American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA). Additional requirements and certifications associated with ARPA funding are included in Section 00300. In addition to the Massachusetts Prevailing Wage Rates the Davis-Bacon Wage Rates also apply to this Project. In the event of any inconsistency between the Davis-Bacon Wage Rates and any prevailing wage rates published by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and applicable to this Contract / Agreement, the higher of the two wages shall apply.

Plans & Specs will only be available electronically on or after December 13, 2023. Email requests for bid documents to WarehamStreet-2023-Bids@BETA-inc.com There is no charge for bid documents. Provide company name, contact person, phone number and address in email request. Addendum will be sent to email provide for Contract Documents request.

Bids will be opened at the Middleboro Department of Public Works facility located at 65 Sachem Street, Middleboro, MA 02346 on January 11, 2024, at 2:00 p.m. Each Bid must be accompanied by a bid security consisting of a BID BOND, CASH, or, CERTIFIED CHECK issued by a responsible bank or trust company in the amount of 5% of the bid price.

A non-mandatory Pre-Bid Conference will be held on December 20, 2023 at 10:00 AM at 48 Wareham Street.

A performance bond in an amount equal to 100 percent of the total amount of the contract price with a surety company qualified to do business in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts will be required for the faithful performance of the contract, as well as a labor and materials bond in an amount equal to 100 percent of the total contract price.

All bids for this project are subject to applicable public bidding laws of Massachusetts, including, but not limited to G.L. c.30, §39M.

Attention is directed to the minimum wage rates to be paid as determined by the Commissioner of Labor and Workforce Development and the weekly payroll record submittal requirements under the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 149, Section 26 through 27D inclusive.

Selection of the contractor will be based upon bidder qualifications, including evidence of past performance in similar projects, and bid price. The contract will be awarded to the bidder deemed by the awarding authority to be the lowest responsible and eligible bidder.

The bidder agrees that its bid shall be good and may not be withdrawn for a period of 30 days, Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays excluded, after the opening of the bids.

The Town reserves the right to waive any informalities, to accept or reject, in whole or in part any or all bids, or take whatever other action may be deemed to be in the best interest of the Town.

The Town of Middleboro

By: James McGrail, Town Manager

SECTION 00100

INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS

1. Receipt and Opening of Bids

The Town of Middleboro, Massachusetts, herein called the Owner, acting by and through its Board of Selectmen, will receive sealed Bids for the project known as the **Wareham Street Water Main Replacement** Project.

General bids shall be addressed to the Department of Public Works, 65 Sachem Street Middleboro, MA 02346 and endorsed "Bid for Wareham Street Water Main Replacement Project" (Project) will be received at the Middleboro Department of Public Works until 2:00 p.m. Eastern Standard time, on **11th Day of January 2024** at which time and place said bids will be publicly opened and read aloud.

Any bid may be withdrawn prior to the above scheduled time for the opening of bids or authorized postponement thereof. Any bid received after the time and date specified will not be considered. The bidder agrees that its bid shall be good and may not be withdrawn for a period of 30 days, Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays excluded, after the opening of bids.

2. Location and Work to be Done

The Work consists of removal of existing water main and replacement with 7,800 LF of 8-inch water main & 6,350 LF of 12-inch water main and all work incidental thereto, in accordance with the Specifications and conceptual plans attached hereto.

Additional drawings showing details in accordance with which the Work is to be done may be furnished by addendum from time to time during the bidding period by the Owner or its Architect/Engineer, and shall then become a part of the Contract Documents.

The Contractor shall furnish all labor, services, materials, equipment, plant, machinery, apparatus, appliances, tools, supplies, and all other things necessary to do all work required for the completion of each item of the Work and as herein specified.

The Work to be done and paid for under any item shall not be limited to the exact extent mentioned or described but shall include all incidental work necessary or customarily done for the completion of that item.

3. Preparation of Bid

Each bid must be submitted on the prescribed form. All blank spaces for bid prices must be filled in, in ink or typewritten, in both words and figures.

Each bid must be submitted in a sealed envelope bearing on the outside the name of the bidder, his address, and endorsed with the name of the project as specified in Receipt and

Opening of Bids, above. If forwarded by mail, the sealed envelope containing the bid must be enclosed in another envelope addressed as specified in Receipt and Opening of Bids, above.

4. Bid Opening Procedure

The following list of requirements shall apply to each filed bid. Bids not meeting all the requirements for timeliness and security will be rejected; bids not meeting signature and addenda requirements will be rejected prior to checking of bid amounts.

Bids shall be filed at the place and before the time specified in Receipt and Opening of Bids, above.

Properly executed bid security shall be placed in a sealed envelope and shall be attached to the outside of the envelope containing the bid.

Bid signatures will be checked.

All addenda will be sent by e-mail to all prospective bidders. All bidders shall include with their bids the written acknowledgment form provided in Section 00300, FORM OF GENERAL BID.

The total dollar amount of each bid will be read, and the three apparent lowest bids will be selected for further consideration. These three apparent low bids will be read aloud for the benefit of the other bidders and the bid opening procedure will be closed. All those present at the bid opening may examine all bids after the bid opening and after the reading of the three apparent low bids.

5. Modification

Any bidder may modify his bid by written communication at any time prior to the scheduled closing time for receipt of bids. Any telegraphic communication must be received by the Owner prior to the closing time, and, provided further, the Owner must be satisfied that a written confirmation of the telegraphic modification over the signature of the bidder was mailed prior to the closing time. If written confirmation is not received within two days from the closing time, no consideration will be given to a telegraphic communication.

The communication shall not reveal the bid price but shall provide the addition or subtraction or other modification so that the final prices or terms will not be known by the Owner until the sealed bid is opened.

6. Ability and Experience of Bidder

No award will be made to any bidder who cannot satisfy the Owner that he has sufficient ability and experience in this class of work and sufficient capital and plant to enable him to prosecute and complete the work successfully within the time named. The Owner's decision or judgment on these matters will be final, conclusive, and binding.

The Owner may make such investigations as it deems necessary, and the bidder shall furnish to the Owner, under oath if so required, all such information and data for this purpose as the Owner may request.

7. Conditions of Work

Each bidder must familiarize himself fully with the conditions relating to the construction of the project and the employment of labor thereon. Failure to do so will not relieve a successful bidder of his obligation to furnish all material and labor necessary to carry out the provisions of his contract. Insofar as possible the Contractor, in carrying out his work, must employ such methods or means as will not cause any interruption of or interference with the work of any other Contractor.

8. Addenda and Interpretations

No interpretation of the meaning of the plans, specifications or other prebid documents will be made to any bidder orally. All information given to bidders other than by means of the plans, specifications, or by addenda, as described below, is given informally and shall not be used as the basis of a claim against the Owner.

Every request for such interpretation should be in writing to Alan Gunnison, P.E. Project Manager, BETA Group, Inc. Email: WarehamStreet-2023-Bids@BETA-inc.com and to be given consideration must be received at least seven (7) calendar days prior to the date fixed for the opening of bids. Any and all such interpretations and any supplemental instructions will be in the form of written addenda to the specifications which, when issued, will be distributed to the email address utilized to request Bid Documents. Failure of any bidder to receive any such addendum or interpretation shall not relieve such bidder from any obligation under his bid as submitted. All addenda so issued shall become part of the Contract Documents.

9. Security for Faithful Performance

Simultaneously with his delivery of the executed Contract, the Contractor shall furnish a surety bond or bonds as security for faithful performance of this contract and for the payment of all persons performing labor and materials under this contract. The surety on such bond or bonds shall be a surety company qualified to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth and satisfactory to the Owner. The bonds shall remain in force for one year after final acceptance of the work by the Owner, unless the Owner, in writing, releases the Contractor from the obligation sooner.

10. Power of Attorney

Attorneys-in-fact who sign Contract bonds must file with each bond a certified and effectively dated copy of their power of attorney.

11. Laws and Regulations

The bidder's attention is directed to the fact that all applicable State laws, municipal ordinances or bylaws, and the rules and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over construction of the project shall apply to the contract throughout, and they will be deemed to be included in the Contract the same as though written out in full.

12. Liquidated Damages for Failure to Enter into Contract

The successful bidder, upon his failure or refusal to execute and deliver the Contract and bonds required within 10 days after presentation thereof by the Owner, shall forfeit to the Owner, as liquidated damages for such failure or refusal, the security deposited with his/her bid, but the amount forfeited shall not exceed the difference between his/her bid price and the bid price of the next lowest responsible and eligible bidder. In case of death, disability, bona fide clerical or mechanical error of a substantial nature, or other similar unforeseen circumstances affecting the bidder, his/her bid deposit will be returned.

13. Obligation of Bidder

At the time of the opening of bids, each bidder will be presumed to have inspected the site and to have read and to be thoroughly familiar with the Contract Documents (including all addenda). The failure or omission of any bidder to examine any form, instrument, or document shall in no way relieve any bidder from any obligation in respect of his bid.

14. Information Not Guaranteed

All information given in the Contract Documents relating to subsurface and other conditions, natural phenomena, existing pipes, and other structures is from the best sources at present available to the Owner. All such information is furnished only for the information and convenience of bidders and is not guaranteed.

It is agreed and understood that the Owner does not warrant or guarantee that the subsurface or other conditions, natural phenomena, existing pipes, or other structures encountered during construction will be the same as those indicated in the Contract Documents. It is further agreed and understood that no bidder or Contractor shall use or be entitled to use any of the information made available to him or obtained in any examination made by him in any manner as a basis of or ground for any claim or demand against the Owner or the Architect/Engineer, arising from or by reason of any variance which may exist between the information made available and the actual subsurface or other structures actually encountered during the construction work, except as may otherwise be expressly provided for in the Contract Documents.

15. Bid Security

Each bid and sub-bid must be accompanied by bid security in the form of a certified check, a bid bond, cash, or a treasurer's or cashier's check, payable to the Owner, in the amount of five (5) percent of the value of the bid. Such security of general bidders will be

returned to all except the three lowest responsible and eligible bidders within five days, Saturdays, Sundays, and legal holidays excluded, after the opening of bids, and the remaining securities will be returned promptly after the Owner and the accepted bidder have executed the Contract, or if no notice of intent to award has been presented to the selected contractor within 30 days, Saturdays, Sundays and holidays excluded, after the date of the opening of bids, upon demand of the bidder at any time thereafter.

16. Right to Reject Bid

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities in bids and to reject any and all bids, should the Owner deem it to be in the public interest to do so.

The Owner may also reject bids which in its sole judgment are either incomplete, conditional, obscure or not responsive or which contain additions not called for, erasures not properly initialed, alterations, or similar irregularities.

17. Time for Completion

The successful general bidder must agree to commence work within ten (10) days of the date of the Notice to Proceed and to fully complete the project within the time limit stated in Section 00300, FORM OF GENERAL BID.

18. Comparison of Bids

Bids will be compared on the basis of prices set forth in the bid forms.

In the event that there is a discrepancy between the lump sum or unit prices written in words and figures, the prices written in words will govern.

19. Award of Contract

The Contract will be awarded to "the lowest responsible and eligible bidder" pursuant to General Laws Chapter 30, Section 39M, as amended. Such a bidder shall possess the skill, ability and integrity necessary for the faithful performance of the work, shall be able to furnish labor that can work in harmony with all other elements of labor employed, or to be employed, in the work, and shall otherwise comply with all applicable provisions of law. Contract award shall be subject to availability of an appropriation for funding.

20. Statutes Regulating Competitive Bidding

Any bid which does not comply with the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 30, Section 39M, as amended, need not be accepted and the Owner may reject every such bid.

21. Wage Rates

Prevailing Wage Rates as determined by the Commissioner of Department of Labor and Workforce Development under the provision of the Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 149, Section 26 to 27G, as amended, apply to this project. It is the responsibility

of the bidder, before bid opening, to request any additional information on Prevailing Wage Rates for those tradespeople who may be employed for the proposed work under this contract.

22. Contractor Records

The Contractor shall comply with the provisions of Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 30, Section 39R concerning Contractor records.

23. INSURANCE

The Contractor shall carry and continuously maintain until completion of the Contract, insurance as specified in Agreement and in such form as shall protect him performing work covered by this Contract, and the Town of Middleboro and its employees, agents and officials, from all claims an liability for damages for bodily injury, including accidental death, and for property damage, which may arise from operations under this Contract. The Town and BETA Group, Inc. shall be named as an additional insured. The Contractor covenants and agrees to hold the Town and its employees, agents and officials harmless from loss or damage due to claims for bodily injury or death and/or property damage arising from, or in connection with, operations under this Contract.

25. PROJECT MANAGER

The Owner may utilize the services of a project manager, whose duties shall be as set forth in an Agreement for Project Manager Services.

SECTION 00300

FORM OF GENERAL BID

Bid of _____ (hereinafter called "Bidder")*

(____) a corporation, organized and existing under the laws of the state of _____

(____) a partnership

(____) a joint venture

(____) an individual
doing business as _____

To the City/Town of Middleboro, Massachusetts (hereinafter called "Owner").

Gentlemen:

A) The undersigned Bidder, in compliance with your invitation for bids for the project known as **Wareham Street Water Main Replacement**, having examined the plans and specifications and related documents and the site of the proposed work, and being familiar with all of the conditions surrounding the construction of the proposed project including the availability of materials and labor, hereby proposes to furnish all labor, materials, and supplies, and to construct the project in accordance with the contract documents and the plans and specifications within the time set forth below, and at the prices stated below. These prices are to cover all expenses incurred in performing the work required under the contract documents, of which this bid is a part.

The Bidder hereby agrees to commence work on or before the date to be specified in written "Notice to Proceed" of the Owner, and to fully complete the project within **310** consecutive calendar days thereafter. The Bidder further agrees to pay as liquidated damages the sum of one-thousand five hundred (\$1,500.00) Dollars for each consecutive calendar day thereafter that the work is not complete as provided in the contract.

*Specify corporation, partnership or individual as applicable.

B) Bidder acknowledges receipt of and this bid includes the following addenda:

No. _____ Dated:

No. _____ Dated:

No. _____ Dated:

No. _____ Dated:

C) The Bidder agrees to perform the bid work described in the specifications and shown on the plans for the following Bid Prices

<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Estimated Quantity</u>	<u>Brief Description: unit or lump-sum price bid in both words and figures.</u>	<u>Total in Figures</u>
WATER MAIN INSTALLATION			
1A	50 LF	Install 6-inch D.I.C.L. Water Main, per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
1B	7,700 LF	Install 8-inch D.I.C.L. Water Main, per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
1C	10 LF	Install 10-inch D.I.C.L. Water Main, per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
1D	6,300 LF	Install 12-inch D.I.C.L. Water Main, per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
1E	40* each	Cut and Cap Existing Water Main, per cap, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____

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WATER VALVES			
2A	1 each	Install 6-inch Gate Valve, per valve, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
2B	28 each	Install 8-inch Gate Valve, per valve, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
2C	39 each	Install 12-inch Gate Valve, per valve, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
2D	12 each	Abandon Existing Gate Valve, per valve, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
3A	2 each	Install 6-inch Insertion Valve, per valve, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
3B	2 each	Install 8-inch Insertion Valve, per valve, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
3C	1 each	Install 10-inch Insertion Valve, per valve, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____

<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Estimated Quantity</u>	<u>Brief Description: unit or lump-sum price bid in both words and figures.</u>	<u>Total in Figures</u>
3D	3 each	Install 12-inch Insertion Valve, per valve, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
4	2,500* lbs.	Additional fittings, per pound, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____

HYDRANTS

5A	27 each	Install Hydrant Assembly, per assembly, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
5B	17 each	Remove and Dispose of Existing Hydrant Assembly, per assembly, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____

WATER SERVICE CONNECTIONS

6A	3,000 LF	Install 1-inch Water Service Pipe, per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
6B	50 LF	Install 2-inch Water Service Pipe, per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____

<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Estimated Quantity</u>	<u>Brief Description: unit or lump-sum price bid in both words and figures.</u>	<u>Total in Figures</u>
7A	129 each	Install 1-inch Corporation Stop, per stop, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
7B	2 each	Install 2-inch Corporation Stop, per stop, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
8A	129 each	Install 1-inch Curb Stop, per stop, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
8B	2 each	Install 2-inch Curb Stop, per stop, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
8C	20* each	Remove Curb Stop Box, Private Property, per curb box, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____

TEMPORARY WATER BYPASS

9	1 LS	Temporary Water Bypass, per lump sum, at _____dollars and_____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
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MISCELLANEOUS EXCAVATION & MATERIALS

10	100* CY	Excavation for Test Pits, per cubic yard, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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11	100* CY	Earth Excavation Below Normal Depth, per cubic yard, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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12	100* CY	Rock Excavation and Disposal, per cubic yard, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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13	100* CY	Gravel Borrow, per cubic yard, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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14	100* CY	Crushed Stone, per cubic yard, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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15	100* CY	Controlled Density Fill, per cubic yard, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Estimated Quantity</u>	<u>Brief Description: unit or lump-sum price bid in both words and figures.</u>	<u>Total in Figures</u>
16	100* CY	Additional Concrete (All classes), per cubic yard, at _____dollars and _____cents (\$_____)	\$_____

PAVEMENT RESTORATION

17A	12,100 LF	Dense-Graded Crushed Stone Base Course (12" depth) per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
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17B	12,100 LF	Temporary Trench Width Bituminous Pavement (2" thickness) per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
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17C	10,800 SY	Permanent Trench Width Bituminous Pavement (4" thickness) per square yard, at _____dollars and _____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
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17D	2,500 LF	Permanent Traffic Striping, all colors/widths, per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____cents (\$_____)	\$_____
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SIDEWALK AND LANDSCAPE RESTORATION

18A	100* SY	Additional Bituminous Concrete Sidewalks (3" thickness), per square yard, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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18B	100* SY	Additional Cement Concrete Sidewalks (4" thickness), per square yard, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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18C	100* LF	Additional Bituminous Concrete Berm or Curb, per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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18D	100* LF	Remove and Reset Existing Granite Curb, per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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MISCELLANEOUS WORK ITEMS

19	400 LF	Staked Straw Wattles, per linear foot, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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20	1 LS	Traffic Management, per lump sum, at _____dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
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<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Estimated Quantity</u>	<u>Brief Description: unit or lump-sum price bid in both words and figures.</u>	<u>Total in Figures</u>
21	1 allowance	Utility Relocation Allowance as specified, per lump sum, at <u>Twenty five thousand</u> dollars and <u>00</u> cents (\$ <u>25,000.00</u>)	<u>\$ 25,000.00</u>
22	1 allowance	Lead Service Replacement Private Property Allowance as specified, per lump sum, at <u>Twenty five thousand</u> dollars and <u>00</u> cents (\$ <u>25,000.00</u>)	<u>\$ 25,000.00</u>
23A	1 LS	Management of Excess Soil, per lump sum, at _____ dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
23B	1,600* ton	Soil Disposal (Re-use Facility), as specified, per ton, at _____ dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
23C	300* ton	Soil Disposal (In-State Landfill), as specified, per ton, at _____ dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____
23D	100* ton	Soil Disposal (Out-of-State Landfill), as specified, per ton, at _____ dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____

<u>Item Number</u>	<u>Estimated Quantity</u>	<u>Brief Description: unit or lump-sum price bid in both words and figures.</u>	<u>Total in Figures</u>
24	1 allowance	Uniformed Traffic Officers Allowance, as specified, per lump sum, at <u>Three hundred fifty thousand</u> dollars and <u>00</u> cents (\$ <u>350,000.00</u>)	<u>\$ 350,000.00</u>
25	1 LS	Mobilization and demobilization, lump sum, at _____ dollars and _____ cents (\$ _____)	\$ _____

PRICE ADJUSTMENTS

26A	N/A N/A	Price Adjustment for Diesel Fuel, per gallon (Base Price = \$3.410)	\$ <u>N/A</u>
26B	N/A N/A	Price Adjustment for Gasoline, per gallon (Base Price = \$2.597)	\$ <u>N/A</u>
26C	N/A N/A	Price Adjustment for Liquid Asphalt, per gallon (Base Price = \$637.50)	\$ <u>N/A</u>
26D	N/A N/A	Price Adjustment for Portland Cement, per ton (Base Price = \$181.15)	\$ <u>N/A</u>

* Indeterminate, quantity assumed for comparison of bids.

** Lump sum price for comparison of Bids only. Actual payment shall be in accordance with Section 01020 Allowances

*** The lump sum price for this item shall not exceed five percent (5%) of the total amount of the bid (including all Bid items), excluding this item

TOTAL BID PRICE:

_____ dollars
and _____ cents \$ _____

The above unit prices shall include all labor, materials, bailing, shoring, removal, overhead, profit, insurance, etc., to cover the finished work of the several kinds called for.

The Bidder understands that all bids for this project are subject to the applicable bidding laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, including General Laws Chapter 149 and Chapter 30, Section 39M, as amended.

The Bidder understands that the Owner reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informalities in the bidding.

The Bidder agrees that this bid shall be good and may not be withdrawn for a period of 30 days, Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays excluded, after the opening of bids.

Within 10 days of receipt of the written notice of acceptance of this bid, the Bidder will execute the formal Agreement set forth in Section 00500 CONTRACT.

Bid security is attached in the sum of five percent (5%) of the total bid in accordance with the conditions of Section 00100 INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS. The bid security may become the property of the Owner in the event the contract and bond are not executed within the time set forth above.

The selected Contractor shall furnish a performance bond and a payment bond in an amount at least equal to one hundred percent (100%) of the contract price in accordance with Section 00610 PERFORMANCE BOND, Section 00620 PAYMENT BOND, and as stipulated in the contract.

The undersigned offers the following information as evidence of his qualifications to perform the work as bid upon according to all the requirements of the plans and specifications.

1. Have been in business under present name for five (5) years.
2. The names and addresses of all persons interested in the bid (if made by a partnership or corporation) as principals, are as follows:

(attach supplementary list if necessary)

3. The bidder is requested to state below what work of a similar character to that included in the proposed contract he has done, and give references that will enable the Owner to judge his experience, skill and business standing (add supplementary page if necessary).

<u>Completion Date</u>	<u>Project Name</u>	<u>Contract Amount</u>	<u>Design Engineer</u>	<u>Reference Name</u>	<u>Telephone No.</u>
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a. _____

b. _____

c. _____

d. _____

e. _____

f. _____

Bank reference _____
(Name)

(Bank)

(Address)

(Telephone No.)

Pursuant to G.L. c.62C, §49A, I certify hereby in writing, under penalties of perjury, that the within named Bidder/Contractor has complied with all laws of the commonwealth relating to taxes, reporting of employees and contractors, and withholding and remitting of child support.

The undersigned Bidder hereby certifies under penalties of perjury, as follows: (1) that he/she is able to furnish labor that can work in harmony with all other elements of labor employed or to be employed in the work; (2) that all employees to be employed at the worksite will have successfully completed a course in construction safety and health approved by the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration that is at least 10 hours in duration at the time the employee begins work and who shall furnish documentation of successful completion of said course with the first certified payroll report for each employee; and (3) that all employees to be employed in the work subject to this bid have successfully completed a course in construction safety and health approved by the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration that is at least 10 hours in duration.

The undersigned certifies under penalties of perjury that this bid is in all respects bona fide, fair and made without collusion or fraud with any other person. As used in this paragraph the word "person" shall mean any natural person, joint venture, partnership, corporation or other business or legal entity.

The undersigned bidder hereby certifies, under pains and penalties of perjury, that the foregoing bid is based upon the payment to laborers to be employed on the project of wages in an amount no less than the applicable prevailing wage rates established for the project by the Massachusetts Department of Labor and Workforce Development. The undersigned bidder agrees to indemnify the awarding authority for, from and against any loss, expense, damages, actions or claims, including any expense incurred in connection with any delay or stoppage of the project work arising out of or as a result of (1) the failure of the said bid to be based upon the payment of the said applicable prevailing wage rates or (2) the failure of the bidder, if selected as the contractor, to pay laborers employed on the project the said applicable prevailing wage rates.

Respectfully submitted:

Date: _____

By: _____
(Signature)

(Type Name of Bidder)

(Title)

(Business Address)

(City and State)

(Telephone Number)

**ADDENDUM
PROVISIONS REQUIRED DUE TO FEDERAL ASSISTANCE**

INTRODUCTION

Notice: The Contract / Agreement to which this addendum is attached is made using federal assistance provided to the Town of Middleborough (“Town” or “Owner”). The following contractual provisions are hereby incorporated into the Contract. In the event of any conflict between the below provisions and other provisions of this Contract / Agreement, the provisions in this Addendum shall control. In the event of any inconsistency between the Davis-Bacon Wage Rates and any prevailing wage rates published by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and applicable to this Contract / Agreement, the higher of the two wages shall apply.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT CLAUSE

During the performance of this Contract, the Contractor agrees as follows:

1. The Contractor will not discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because of race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. The Contractor will take affirmative action to ensure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during employment without regard to their race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin. Such action shall include, but not be limited to the following:

Employment, upgrading, demotion, or transfer; recruitment or recruitment advertising; layoff or termination; rates of pay or other forms of compensation; and selection for training, including apprenticeship.

The Contractor agrees to post in conspicuous places, available to employees and applicants for employment, notices to be provided setting forth the provisions of this nondiscrimination clause.

2. The Contractor will, in all solicitations or advertisements for employees placed by or on behalf of the Contractor, state that all qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, or national origin.
3. The Contractor will not discharge or in any other manner discriminate against any employee or applicant for employment because such employee or applicant has inquired about, discussed, or disclosed the compensation of the employee or applicant or another employee or applicant. This provision shall not apply to instances in which an employee who has access to the compensation information of other employees or applicants as a part of such employee's essential job functions discloses the compensation of such other employees or applicants to individuals who do not otherwise have access to such information, unless such disclosure is in response to a formal complaint or charge, in furtherance of an investigation, proceeding, hearing, or action, including an investigation

conducted by the employer, or is consistent with the contractor's legal duty to furnish information.

4. The Contractor will send to each labor union or representative of workers with which he has a collective bargaining agreement or other contract or understanding, a notice to be provided advising the said labor union or workers' representatives of the contractor's commitments under this section, and shall post copies of the notice in conspicuous places available to employees and applicants for employment.
5. The Contractor will comply with all provisions of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and of the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor.
6. The Contractor will furnish all information and reports required by Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and by rules, regulations, and orders of the Secretary of Labor, or pursuant thereto, and will permit access to his books, records, and accounts by the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor for purposes of investigation to ascertain compliance with such rules, regulations, and orders.
7. In the event of the Contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination clauses of this contract or with any of the said rules, regulations, or orders, this contract may be canceled, terminated, or suspended in whole or in part and the contractor may be declared ineligible for further Government contracts or federally assisted construction contracts in accordance with procedures authorized in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, and such other sanctions may be imposed and remedies invoked as provided in Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, or by rule, regulation, or order of the Secretary of Labor, or as otherwise provided by law.
8. The Contractor will include the portion of the sentence immediately preceding paragraph (1) and the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (8) in every subcontract or purchase order unless exempted by rules, regulations, or orders of the Secretary of Labor issued pursuant to section 204 of Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, so that such provisions will be binding upon each subcontractor or vendor. The Contractor will take such action with respect to any subcontract or purchase order as the administering agency may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions, including sanctions for noncompliance:

Provided, however, that in the event a contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or vendor as a result of such direction by the administering agency, the contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

The applicant further agrees that it will be bound by the above equal opportunity clause with respect to its own employment practices when it participates in federally assisted construction work: Provided, That if the applicant so participating is a State or local government, the above equal opportunity clause is not applicable to any agency,

instrumentality or subdivision of such government which does not participate in work on or under the contract.

The applicant agrees that it will assist and cooperate actively with the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor in obtaining the compliance of contractors and subcontractors with the equal opportunity clause and the rules, regulations, and relevant orders of the Secretary of Labor, that it will furnish the administering agency and the Secretary of Labor such information as they may require for the supervision of such compliance, and that it will otherwise assist the administering agency in the discharge of the agency's primary responsibility for securing compliance.

The applicant further agrees that it will refrain from entering into any contract or contract modification subject to Executive Order 11246 of September 24, 1965, with a contractor debarred from, or who has not demonstrated eligibility for, Government contracts and federally assisted construction contracts pursuant to the Executive Order and will carry out such sanctions and penalties for violation of the equal opportunity clause as may be imposed upon contractors and subcontractors by the administering agency or the Secretary of Labor pursuant to Part II, Subpart D of the Executive Order. In addition, the applicant agrees that if it fails or refuses to comply with these undertakings, the administering agency may take any or all of the following actions: Cancel, terminate, or suspend in whole or in part this grant (contract, loan, insurance, guarantee); refrain from extending any further assistance to the applicant under the program with respect to which the failure or refund occurred until satisfactory assurance of future compliance has been received from such applicant; and refer the case to the Department of Justice for appropriate legal proceedings.

DAVIS-BACON ACT

DAVIS-BACON PREVAILING WAGE. The Contractor acknowledges that the decision to award this contract is conditioned upon Contractor's acceptance of the wage determination, and upon continuing compliance with the Davis-Bacon Act (40 U.S.C. 3141-3144, and 3146-3148) as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5, "Labor Standards Provisions Applicable to Contracts Covering Federally Financed and Assisted Construction"). Pursuant to the Davis-Bacon Act, Contractors must be required to pay wages to laborers and mechanics at a rate not less than the prevailing wages specified in the Secretary of Labor's wage determinations, incorporated into this Contract and enclosed as an attachment to this document. The Contractor further acknowledges and understands that Contractor shall be required to pay wages not less than once a week.

DAVIS-BACON PREVAILING WAGE CERTIFICATION. Contractor certifies that Contractor and all subcontractors shall provide certified payroll affidavits verifying compliance with G.L. c.149 §§ 26–27H, the federal Davis Bacon Act, and other related acts.

Signature of the Contractor's Authorized Official

Name (printed)

Date (printed)

CONTRACT WORK HOURS AND SAFETY STANDARDS ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3701–3708)

Where the Contract: (1) is awarded for a sum exceeding \$100,000; and (2) will involve the employment of mechanics or laborers, the Contractor shall comply with the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, 40 U.S.C. 3702 and 3704, as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 5).

Pursuant to 40 U.S.C. 3702 of the Contract Work Hours and Safety Standards Act, Contractor shall be required to compute the wages of every mechanic and laborer on the basis of a standard work week of 40 hours. Work in excess of the standard work week is permissible provided that the worker is compensated at a rate of not less than one and a half times the basic rate of pay for all hours worked in excess of 40 hours in the work week. The requirements of 40 U.S.C. 3704 shall apply construction work and provide that no laborer or mechanic must be required to work in surroundings or under working conditions which are unsanitary, hazardous or dangerous. These requirements do not apply to the purchases of supplies or materials or articles ordinarily available on the open market, or contracts for transportation or transmission of intelligence.

CLEAN AIR ACT

Contractor shall comply with all applicable standards, orders or regulations issued pursuant to the Clean Air Act (42 U.S.C. 7401–7671q) and the Federal Water Pollution Control Act as amended (33 U.S.C. 1251–1387). Contractor further acknowledges and understands that Contractor shall be required to report any violations of said acts to the Federal awarding agency and the Regional Office of the Environmental Protection Agency.

DEBARMENT AND SUSPENSION (EXECUTIVE ORDERS 12549 AND 12689)

Contractor certifies that neither Contractor nor any employer or subcontractor is a party listed on the government wide exclusions in the System for Award Management (SAM), in accordance with the OMB guidelines at 2 CFR 180 that implement Executive Orders 12549 (3 CFR part 1986 Comp., p. 189) and 12689 (3 CFR part 1989 Comp., p. 235), “Debarment and Suspension.” SAM Exclusions contains the names of parties debarred, suspended, or otherwise excluded by agencies, as well as parties declared in-eligible under statutory or regulatory authority other than Executive Order 12549.

BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING; COPELAND “ANTI-KICKBACK” ACT (40 U.S.C. § 3145)

1. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT. Contractor certifies that it will not and has not used Federal appropriated funds to pay any person or organization for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a member of Congress, officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a member of Congress in connection with obtaining any Federal contract, grant or any other award covered by 31 U.S.C. 1352. ^[P]_[SEP] Contractor further understands and acknowledges that it shall disclose any lobbying with non-Federal funds that takes place in connection with obtaining any Federal award. Such disclosures shall be forwarded from tier to tier up to the non-Federal award.

2. COPELAND “ANTI-KICKBACK” ACT. Contractor acknowledges and understands that the awarding of this contract is conditioned upon Contractor’s compliance with the Federal Copeland “Anti-Kickback” Act (40 U.S.C. 3145), as supplemented by Department of Labor regulations (29 CFR Part 3, “Contractors and Subcontractors on Public Building or Public Work Financed in Whole or in Part by Loans or Grants from the United States”). The Act provides that each Contractor or subrecipient must be prohibited from inducing, by any means, any person employed in the construction, completion, or repair of public work, to give up any part of the compensation to which he or she is otherwise entitled. The non-Federal entity must report all suspected or reported violations to the Federal awarding agency.

3. BYRD ANTI-LOBBYING AMENDMENT: REQUIRED CERTIFICATION FOR AWARDS EXCEEDING \$100,000. The undersigned certifies, to the best of their knowledge and belief, that:

No Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid, by or on behalf of the undersigned, to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of an agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with the awarding of any Federal contract, the making of any Federal grant, the making of any Federal loan, the entering into of any cooperative agreement, and the extension, continuation, renewal, amendment, or modification of any Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement.

If any funds other than Federal appropriated funds have been paid or will be paid to any person for influencing or attempting to influence an officer or employee of any agency, a Member of Congress, an officer or employee of Congress, or an employee of a Member of Congress in connection with this Federal contract, grant, loan, or cooperative agreement, the undersigned shall complete and submit Standard Form-LLL, “Disclosure Form to Report Lobbying,” in accordance with its instructions.

The undersigned shall require that the language of this certification be included in the award documents for all subawards at all tiers (including subcontracts, subgrants, and contracts under grants, loans, and cooperative agreements) and that all contractors shall certify and disclose accordingly.

This certification is a material representation of fact upon which reliance was placed when this transaction was made or entered into. Submission of this certification is a prerequisite for making or entering into this transaction imposed by section 1352, title 31, U.S. Code. Any person who fails to file the required certification shall be subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$10,000 and not more than \$100,000 for each such failure.

Bidder certifies or affirms the truthfulness and accuracy of each statement of its certification and disclosure, if any. In addition, the bidding party understands and agrees that the provisions of 31 U.S.C. Ch. 38, Administrative Remedies for False Claims and Statements, apply to this certification and disclosure, if any.

Signature of the Contractor's Authorized Official

Name (printed)

Date (printed)

PROCUREMENT OF RECOVERED MATERIALS (2 C.F.R. § 200.323)

Contractor acknowledges and understands that, in performing the work specified under this contract, Contractor shall be required to comply with Section 6002 of the Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended by the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. The requirements of Section 6002 include procuring only items designated in guidelines of the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) at 40 CFR part 247 that contain the highest percentage of recovered materials practicable, consistent with maintaining a satisfactory level of competition, where the purchase price of the item exceeds \$10,000 or the value of the quantity acquired during the preceding fiscal year exceeded \$10,000; procuring solid waste management services in a manner that maximizes energy and resource recovery; and establishing an affirmative procurement program for procurement of recovered materials identified in the EPA guidelines.

PROHIBITION ON CERTAIN TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND VIDEO SURVEILLANCE SERVICES OR EQUIPMENT (2 C.F.R. § 200.216)

Contractor certifies that it shall not procure or obtain equipment, services, or systems that uses covered telecommunications equipment or services as a substantial or essential component of any system, or as critical technology as part of any system. As described in Public Law 115–232, section 889, covered telecommunications equipment is telecommunications equipment produced by Huawei Technologies Company or ZTE Corporation (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities).

1. For the purpose of public safety, security of government facilities, physical security surveillance of critical infrastructure, and other national security purposes, video surveillance and telecommunications equipment produced by Hytera Communications Corporation, Hangzhou Hikvision Digital Technology Company, or Dahua Technology Company (or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities);
2. Telecommunications or video surveillance services provided by such entities or using such equipment;
3. Telecommunications or video surveillance equipment or services produced or provided by an entity that the Secretary of Defense, in consultation with the Director of the National Intelligence or the Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reasonably believes to be an entity owned or controlled by, or otherwise connected to, the government of a covered foreign country.

DOMESTIC PREFERENCES FOR PROCUREMENTS (2 C.F.R. § 200.322)

As appropriate and to the extent consistent with law, the non-Federal entity should, to the greatest extent practicable under a Federal award, provide a preference for the purchase, acquisition, or use of goods, products, or materials produced in the United States (including but not limited to iron, aluminum, steel, cement, and other manufactured products). The requirements of this section must be included in all subawards including all contracts and purchase orders for work or products under this award.

For purposes of this section:

1. “Produced in the United States” means, for iron and steel products, that all manufacturing processes, from the initial melting stage through the application of coatings, occurred in the United States.
2. “Manufactured products” means items and construction materials composed in whole or in part of non-ferrous metals such as aluminum; plastics and polymer-based products such as polyvinyl chloride pipe; aggregates such as concrete; glass, including optical fiber; and lumber.

SECTION 00500

AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT, made this _____ day of _____,

2023, by and between the party of the first part, the Town of Middleborough, hereinafter called "OWNER," acting herein through its Department of Public Works, and the party of the second part, _____ doing business as *(an individual) (a partnership) (a joint venture) (a corporation) located in the *(City) (Town) of _____, County of _____, and State of _____, hereinafter called "CONTRACTOR."

WITNESSETH: That for and in consideration of the payments and agreements hereinafter mentioned, to be made and performed by the OWNER, the CONTRACTOR hereby agrees with the OWNER to commence and complete the project described as follows: **Wareham Street Water Main Replacement** Project, hereinafter called the project, for the sum of _____

Dollars (\$ _____) and all extra work in connection therewith, under the terms as stated in the Contract Documents; and at his (its or their) own proper cost and expense to furnish all the materials, supplies, machinery equipment, tools, superintendence, labor, insurance, and other accessories and services necessary to complete the said project in accordance with the conditions and prices stated in Section 00300 FORM OF GENERAL BID, Section 00700 GENERAL CONDITIONS, Section SC-00700 SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS and Section, the plans, which include all maps, plates, blue prints, and the specifications and Contract Documents as prepared by the Owner.

*Strike out inapplicable term.

The CONTRACTOR hereby agrees to commence work under this Contract on or before a date to be specified in written "Notice to Proceed" of the OWNER.

The CONTRACTOR further agrees to fully complete the project within **310** consecutive calendar days of the date of the notice to proceed.

The CONTRACTOR further agrees to pay as liquidated damages the sum of **\$1,500** for each consecutive calendar day thereafter as provided in the Liquidated Damages Paragraph of Section 00700 GENERAL CONDITIONS.

The CONTRACTOR agrees not to discriminate against or exclude any person from participation herein on grounds of race, religion, color, sex, age or national origin; and that it shall take affirmative actions to insure that applicants are employed, and that employees are treated during their employment, without regard to race, religion, color, sex, age, handicapped status, or national origin.

The CONTRACTOR agrees not to participate in or cooperate with an international boycott, as defined in Section 999 (b)(3) and (4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended, or engage in conduct declared to be unlawful by Section 2 of Chapter 151E of the Massachusetts General Laws.

The OWNER agrees to pay the CONTRACTOR in current funds for the performance of the contract, subject to additions and deductions, as provided in Section 00700 GENERAL CONDITIONS as amended by the supplementary general conditions, and to make payments on account thereof as provided in Section 00700 GENERAL CONDITIONS.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties to these presents have executed this contract in counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, in the year and day first above mentioned.

AGREED:

Town of Middleborough Massachusetts
(Owner)

By _____

(Name)

(Title)

(Contractor)

By _____

(Name)

(Title)

(Address)

(City and State)

In accordance with M.G.L. C.44, Section 31C, this is to certify that an appropriation in the amount of this contract is available therefor and that the _____ has been authorized to execute the contract and approve all requisitions and change orders.

By _____
(Owner's Accountant)

(Name)

CERTIFICATE OF VOTE
(to be filed if Contractor is a Corporation)

I, _____, hereby certify that I am the duly qualified
(Secretary of the Corporation)

and acting Secretary of _____ and I further certify that a meeting of the
(Name of Corporation)
Directors of said Company, duly called and held on _____, at which
(Date of Meeting)

all Directors were present and voting, the following vote was unanimously passed:

VOTED: To authorize and empower

Anyone acting singly, to execute Forms of General Bid, Contracts or Bonds on behalf of the Corporation.

I further certify that the above vote is still in effect and has not been changed or modified in any respect.

By: _____
(Secretary of Corporation)

A True Copy:

Attest: _____
(Notary Public)

My Commission Expires: _____
(Date)

**CERTIFICATIONS REQUIRED BY LAW
FOR PUBLIC CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS**

You must COMPLETE and SIGN the following certifications. You must also print, at the bottom of this page, the name of the contractor for whom these certifications are submitted.

TAX COMPLIANCE

Pursuant to Chapter 62C of the Massachusetts General Laws, Section 49A(b), I, the undersigned, authorized signatory for the below named contractor, do hereby certify under the pains and penalties of perjury that said contractor has complied with all laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts relating to taxes, reporting of employees and contractors, and withholding and remitting child support.

NON-COLLUSION

The undersigned certifies under the penalties of perjury that this bid is in all respects bona fide, fair and made without collusion or fraud with any other person. As used in this subsection the word "person" shall mean any natural person, joint venture, partnership, corporation or other business or legal entity.

PUBLIC CONTRACTOR DEBARMENT

The undersigned certifies under penalty of perjury that the below named contractor is not presently debarred from doing public construction work in the commonwealth under the provisions of section twenty-nine F of chapter twenty-nine, or any other applicable debarment provisions of any other chapter of the General Laws or any rule or regulation promulgated thereunder.

OSHA TRAINING

Pursuant to G.L. c. 30, §39S, the Contractor hereby certifies under penalties of perjury as follows:

- (1) Contractor is able to furnish labor that can work in harmony with all other elements of labor employed or to be employed in the work;
- (2) All employees to be employed at the worksite will have successfully completed a course in construction safety and health approved by the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration that is at least 10 hours in duration at the time the employee begins work and they shall furnish documentation of successful completion of said course with the first certified payroll report for each employee; and
- (3) All employees to be employed in the work subject to this contract have successfully completed a course in construction safety and health approved by the United States Occupational Safety and Health Administration that is at least 10 hours in duration.

COMPLETE AND SIGN BELOW:

Authorized Person's Signature

Date

Print Name & Title of Signatory

Name of Contractor

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SECTION 00610

PERFORMANCE BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we _____
(Name of Contractor)

a _____ hereinafter called "Principal" and
(Corporation, Partnership, Joint Venture or Individual)

_____ of _____, State of _____
(Surety) (City & State)

_____ hereinafter called the "Surety" and licensed by the State
Division of Insurance to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, are
held and firmly bound to the City/Town of Middleborough, Massachusetts, hereinafter called
"Owner", in the penal sum of _____
Dollars

(\$ _____) in lawful money of the United States, for the payment of which
sum well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators and
successors, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION is such that Whereas, the Principal entered
into a certain contract with the Owner, dated the _____ day of _____,
20__ (the "Construction Contract"), for the construction described as follows: _____
_____.

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Principal shall well, truly and faithfully perform its duties,
all the undertakings, covenants, terms, conditions, and agreements of the Construction Contract
during the original term thereof, and any extensions thereof which may be granted by the Owner,
with or without notice to the Surety, and if he shall satisfy all claims and demands incurred under
the Construction Contract, and shall fully indemnify and save harmless the Owner from all costs
and damages which it may suffer by reason of failure to do so, and shall reimburse and repay the
Owner all outlay and expense which the Owner may incur in making good any default, then this
obligation shall be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, FURTHER, that the Surety's obligation under this Bond shall arise after (1)
the Owner has declared the Principal in default of the Construction Contract or any provision
thereof or (2) has declared that the Principal has failed, or is otherwise unable or unwilling, to
execute the work consistent with, and in conformance to, the Construction Contract (collectively
referred to as a "Contractor Default"). The determination of a Contractor Default shall be made
solely by the Owner. The Owner need not terminate the Construction Contract to declare a
Contractor Default or to invoke its rights under this Bond.

When the Surety's obligation under this Bond arises, the Surety, at its sole expense and at the consent and election of the Owner, shall promptly take one of the following steps: (1) arrange for the Principal to perform and complete the work of the Construction Contract; (2) arrange for a contractor other than the Principal to perform and complete the work of the Construction Contract; (3) reimburse the Owner, in a manner and at such time as the Owner shall decide, for all costs and expenses incurred by the Owner in performing and completing the work of the Construction Contract. Surety will keep Owner reasonably informed of the progress, status and results of any investigation of any claim of the Owner.

If the Surety does not proceed as provided in this Bond with due diligence and all deliberate speed, the Surety shall be deemed to be in default of this Bond, and the Owner shall be entitled to enforce any remedy available to the Owner.

After the Surety's obligation under this Bond arises, the Surety is obligated, to the limit of the amounts of this Bond, for (1) the correction of defective work and completion of the Construction Contract; (2) additional design, professional services, and legal costs, including attorneys' fees, resulting from the Contractor Default or from the default of the Surety under this Bond; (3) any additional work beyond the Construction Contract made necessary by the Contractor Default or default of the Surety under this Bond; (4) indemnification obligation of the Principal, if any, as provided in the Construction Contract; and (5) liquidated damages as provided in the Construction Contract, or if none are so specified, actual and foreseeable consequential damages resulting from the Contractor Default or default of the Surety under this Bond.

Any proceeding, legal or equitable, under this Bond shall be instituted in any court of competent jurisdiction in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The Surety, for value received, hereby stipulates and agrees that no change, extension of time, alteration or addition to the terms of the Construction Contract or to the work to be performed thereunder or the specifications accompanying the same shall in any way affect its obligation on this Bond, and it does hereby waive notice of any such change, extension of time, alteration or addition to the terms of the Construction Contract or to the work or to the specifications.

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SECTION 00620

PAYMENT BOND

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That we _____

_____ a _____
(Name of Contractor) (Corporation, Partnership, Joint Venture or Individual)

hereinafter called "Principal" and _____ of _____,
(Surety)

State of _____ hereinafter called the "Surety" and licensed by the State
(City and State)

Division of Insurance to do business under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, are held and firmly bound to the City/Town of Middleborough, Massachusetts, hereinafter called "Owner", in the penal sum of _____ Dollars (\$ _____) in lawful money of the United States, for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators and successors, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION is such that Whereas, the Principal entered into a certain contract with the Owner, dated the _____ day of _____, 20____, for the construction described as follows: **Wareham Street Water Main Replacement**

NOW, THEREFORE, if the Principal shall promptly make payment to all persons, firms, subcontractors, and corporations furnishing materials for or performing labor in the prosecution of the work provided for in such contract, and any authorized extension or modification thereof, including all amounts due for materials, lubricants, oil, gasoline, coal and coke, repairs on machinery, equipment and tools, consumed or used in connection with the construction of such work, and all insurance premiums on said work, and for all labor, performed in such work whether by subcontractor or otherwise, then this obligation shall be void; otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, FURTHER, that the said Surety, for value received hereby stipulates and agrees that no change, extension of time, alteration or addition to the terms of the contract or to the work to be performed thereunder or the specifications accompanying the same shall in any way affect its obligation on this bond, and it does hereby waive notice of any such change, extension of time, alteration or addition to the terms of this contract or to the work or to the specifications.

PROVIDED, FURTHER, that no final settlement between the Owner and the Contractor shall abridge the right of any beneficiary hereunder, whose claim may be unsatisfied.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is executed in ____ () counterparts, each one of which shall be deemed an original, this the _____ day of _____, 20__.

ATTEST:

_____		_____
		Surety
_____	By	_____
		(Attorney-in-Fact)

		(Address-Zip Code)
_____ (SEAL)		
Witness as to Surety		

(Address-Zip Code)		

NOTE: Date of Bond must not be prior to date of Contract. If Contractor is a Partnership, all partners should execute Bond.

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STANDARD GENERAL CONDITIONS OF THE CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT

ARTICLE 1—DEFINITIONS AND TERMINOLOGY

1.01 *Defined Terms*

- A. Wherever used in the Bidding Requirements or Contract Documents, a term printed with initial capital letters, including the term's singular and plural forms, will have the meaning indicated in the definitions below. In addition to terms specifically defined, terms with initial capital letters in the Contract Documents include references to identified articles and paragraphs, and the titles of other documents or forms.
1. *Addenda*—Written or graphic instruments issued prior to the opening of Bids which clarify, correct, or change the Bidding Requirements or the proposed Contract Documents.
 2. *Agreement*—The written instrument, executed by Owner and Contractor, that sets forth the Contract Price and Contract Times, identifies the parties and the Engineer, and designates the specific items that are Contract Documents.
 3. *Application for Payment*—The document prepared by Contractor, in a form acceptable to Engineer, to request progress or final payments, and which is to be accompanied by such supporting documentation as is required by the Contract Documents.
 4. *Bid*—The offer of a Bidder submitted on the prescribed form setting forth the prices for the Work to be performed.
 5. *Bidder*—An individual or entity that submits a Bid to Owner.
 6. *Bidding Documents*—The Bidding Requirements, the proposed Contract Documents, and all Addenda.
 7. *Bidding Requirements*—The Advertisement or invitation to bid, Instructions to Bidders, Bid Bond or other Bid security, if any, the Bid Form, and the Bid with any attachments.
 8. *Change Order*—A document which is signed by Contractor and Owner and authorizes an addition, deletion, or revision in the Work or an adjustment in the Contract Price or the Contract Times, or other revision to the Contract, issued on or after the Effective Date of the Contract.
 9. *Change Proposal*—A written request by Contractor, duly submitted in compliance with the procedural requirements set forth herein, seeking an adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times; contesting an initial decision by Engineer concerning the requirements of the Contract Documents or the acceptability of Work under the Contract Documents; challenging a set-off against payments due; or seeking other relief with respect to the terms of the Contract.
 10. *Claim*
 - a. A demand or assertion by Owner directly to Contractor, duly submitted in compliance with the procedural requirements set forth herein, seeking an adjustment of Contract Price or Contract Times; contesting an initial decision by Engineer concerning the

- requirements of the Contract Documents or the acceptability of Work under the Contract Documents; contesting Engineer's decision regarding a Change Proposal; seeking resolution of a contractual issue that Engineer has declined to address; or seeking other relief with respect to the terms of the Contract.
- b. A demand or assertion by Contractor directly to Owner, duly submitted in compliance with the procedural requirements set forth herein, contesting Engineer's decision regarding a Change Proposal, or seeking resolution of a contractual issue that Engineer has declined to address.
 - c. A demand or assertion by Owner or Contractor, duly submitted in compliance with the procedural requirements set forth herein, made pursuant to Paragraph 12.01.A.4, concerning disputes arising after Engineer has issued a recommendation of final payment.
 - d. A demand for money or services by a third party is not a Claim.
11. *Constituent of Concern*—Asbestos, petroleum, radioactive materials, polychlorinated biphenyls (PCBs), lead-based paint (as defined by the HUD/EPA standard), hazardous waste, and any substance, product, waste, or other material of any nature whatsoever that is or becomes listed, regulated, or addressed pursuant to Laws and Regulations regulating, relating to, or imposing liability or standards of conduct concerning, any hazardous, toxic, or dangerous waste, substance, or material.
 12. *Contract*—The entire and integrated written contract between Owner and Contractor concerning the Work.
 13. *Contract Documents*—Those items so designated in the Agreement, and which together comprise the Contract.
 14. *Contract Price*—The money that Owner has agreed to pay Contractor for completion of the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
 15. *Contract Times*—The number of days or the dates by which Contractor shall: (a) achieve Milestones, if any; (b) achieve Substantial Completion; and (c) complete the Work.
 16. *Contractor*—The individual or entity with which Owner has contracted for performance of the Work.
 17. *Cost of the Work*—See Paragraph 13.01 for definition.
 18. *Drawings*—The part of the Contract that graphically shows the scope, extent, and character of the Work to be performed by Contractor.
 19. *Effective Date of the Contract*—The date, indicated in the Agreement, on which the Contract becomes effective.
 20. *Electronic Document*—Any Project-related correspondence, attachments to correspondence, data, documents, drawings, information, or graphics, including but not limited to Shop Drawings and other Submittals, that are in an electronic or digital format.
 21. *Electronic Means*—Electronic mail (email), upload/download from a secure Project website, or other communications methods that allow: (a) the transmission or communication of Electronic Documents; (b) the documentation of transmissions, including sending and receipt; (c) printing of the transmitted Electronic Document by the

recipient; (d) the storage and archiving of the Electronic Document by sender and recipient; and (e) the use by recipient of the Electronic Document for purposes permitted by this Contract. Electronic Means does not include the use of text messaging, or of Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, or similar social media services for transmission of Electronic Documents.

22. *Engineer*—The individual or entity named as such in the Agreement.
23. *Field Order*—A written order issued by Engineer which requires minor changes in the Work but does not change the Contract Price or the Contract Times.
24. *Hazardous Environmental Condition*—The presence at the Site of Constituents of Concern in such quantities or circumstances that may present a danger to persons or property exposed thereto.
 - a. The presence at the Site of materials that are necessary for the execution of the Work, or that are to be incorporated into the Work, and that are controlled and contained pursuant to industry practices, Laws and Regulations, and the requirements of the Contract, is not a Hazardous Environmental Condition.
 - b. The presence of Constituents of Concern that are to be removed or remediated as part of the Work is not a Hazardous Environmental Condition.
 - c. The presence of Constituents of Concern as part of the routine, anticipated, and obvious working conditions at the Site, is not a Hazardous Environmental Condition.
25. *Laws and Regulations; Laws or Regulations*—Any and all applicable laws, statutes, rules, regulations, ordinances, codes, and binding decrees, resolutions, and orders of any and all governmental bodies, agencies, authorities, and courts having jurisdiction.
26. *Liens*—Charges, security interests, or encumbrances upon Contract-related funds, real property, or personal property.
27. *Milestone*—A principal event in the performance of the Work that the Contract requires Contractor to achieve by an intermediate completion date, or by a time prior to Substantial Completion of all the Work.
28. *Notice of Award*—The written notice by Owner to a Bidder of Owner’s acceptance of the Bid.
29. *Notice to Proceed*—A written notice by Owner to Contractor fixing the date on which the Contract Times will commence to run and on which Contractor shall start to perform the Work.
30. *Owner*—The individual or entity with which Contractor has contracted regarding the Work, and which has agreed to pay Contractor for the performance of the Work, pursuant to the terms of the Contract.
31. *Progress Schedule*—A schedule, prepared and maintained by Contractor, describing the sequence and duration of the activities comprising Contractor’s plan to accomplish the Work within the Contract Times.
32. *Project*—The total undertaking to be accomplished for Owner by engineers, contractors, and others, including planning, study, design, construction, testing, commissioning, and start-up, and of which the Work to be performed under the Contract Documents is a part.

33. *Resident Project Representative*—The authorized representative of Engineer assigned to assist Engineer at the Site. As used herein, the term Resident Project Representative (RPR) includes any assistants or field staff of Resident Project Representative.
34. *Samples*—Physical examples of materials, equipment, or workmanship that are representative of some portion of the Work and that establish the standards by which such portion of the Work will be judged.
35. *Schedule of Submittals*—A schedule, prepared and maintained by Contractor, of required submittals and the time requirements for Engineer’s review of the submittals.
36. *Schedule of Values*—A schedule, prepared and maintained by Contractor, allocating portions of the Contract Price to various portions of the Work and used as the basis for reviewing Contractor’s Applications for Payment.
37. *Shop Drawings*—All drawings, diagrams, illustrations, schedules, and other data or information that are specifically prepared or assembled by or for Contractor and submitted by Contractor to illustrate some portion of the Work. Shop Drawings, whether approved or not, are not Drawings and are not Contract Documents.
38. *Site*—Lands or areas indicated in the Contract Documents as being furnished by Owner upon which the Work is to be performed, including rights-of-way and easements, and such other lands or areas furnished by Owner which are designated for the use of Contractor.
39. *Specifications*—The part of the Contract that consists of written requirements for materials, equipment, systems, standards, and workmanship as applied to the Work, and certain administrative requirements and procedural matters applicable to the Work.
40. *Subcontractor*—An individual or entity having a direct contract with Contractor or with any other Subcontractor for the performance of a part of the Work.
41. *Submittal*—A written or graphic document, prepared by or for Contractor, which the Contract Documents require Contractor to submit to Engineer, or that is indicated as a Submittal in the Schedule of Submittals accepted by Engineer. Submittals may include Shop Drawings and Samples; schedules; product data; Owner-delegated designs; sustainable design information; information on special procedures; testing plans; results of tests and evaluations, source quality-control testing and inspections, and field or Site quality-control testing and inspections; warranties and certifications; Suppliers’ instructions and reports; records of delivery of spare parts and tools; operations and maintenance data; Project photographic documentation; record documents; and other such documents required by the Contract Documents. Submittals, whether or not approved or accepted by Engineer, are not Contract Documents. Change Proposals, Change Orders, Claims, notices, Applications for Payment, and requests for interpretation or clarification are not Submittals.
42. *Substantial Completion*—The time at which the Work (or a specified part thereof) has progressed to the point where, in the opinion of Engineer, the Work (or a specified part thereof) is sufficiently complete, in accordance with the Contract Documents, so that the Work (or a specified part thereof) can be utilized for the purposes for which it is intended. The terms “substantially complete” and “substantially completed” as applied to all or part of the Work refer to Substantial Completion of such Work.

43. *Successful Bidder*—The Bidder to which the Owner makes an award of contract.
44. *Supplementary Conditions*—The part of the Contract that amends or supplements these General Conditions.
45. *Supplier*—A manufacturer, fabricator, supplier, distributor, or vendor having a direct contract with Contractor or with any Subcontractor to furnish materials or equipment to be incorporated in the Work by Contractor or a Subcontractor.
46. *Technical Data*
- a. Those items expressly identified as Technical Data in the Supplementary Conditions, with respect to either (1) existing subsurface conditions at or adjacent to the Site, or existing physical conditions at or adjacent to the Site including existing surface or subsurface structures (except Underground Facilities) or (2) Hazardous Environmental Conditions at the Site.
 - b. If no such express identifications of Technical Data have been made with respect to conditions at the Site, then Technical Data is defined, with respect to conditions at the Site under Paragraphs 5.03, 5.04, and 5.06, as the data contained in boring logs, recorded measurements of subsurface water levels, assessments of the condition of subsurface facilities, laboratory test results, and other factual, objective information regarding conditions at the Site that are set forth in any geotechnical, environmental, or other Site or facilities conditions report prepared for the Project and made available to Contractor.
 - c. Information and data regarding the presence or location of Underground Facilities are not intended to be categorized, identified, or defined as Technical Data, and instead Underground Facilities are shown or indicated on the Drawings.
47. *Underground Facilities*—All active or not-in-service underground lines, pipelines, conduits, ducts, encasements, cables, wires, manholes, vaults, tanks, tunnels, or other such facilities or systems at the Site, including but not limited to those facilities or systems that produce, transmit, distribute, or convey telephone or other communications, cable television, fiber optic transmissions, power, electricity, light, heat, gases, oil, crude oil products, liquid petroleum products, water, steam, waste, wastewater, storm water, other liquids or chemicals, or traffic or other control systems. An abandoned facility or system is not an Underground Facility.
48. *Unit Price Work*—Work to be paid for on the basis of unit prices.
49. *Work*—The entire construction or the various separately identifiable parts thereof required to be provided under the Contract Documents. Work includes and is the result of performing or providing all labor, services, and documentation necessary to produce such construction; furnishing, installing, and incorporating all materials and equipment into such construction; and may include related services such as testing, start-up, and commissioning, all as required by the Contract Documents.
50. *Work Change Directive*—A written directive to Contractor issued on or after the Effective Date of the Contract, signed by Owner and recommended by Engineer, ordering an addition, deletion, or revision in the Work.

1.02 Terminology

- A. The words and terms discussed in Paragraphs 1.02.B, C, D, and E are not defined terms that require initial capital letters, but, when used in the Bidding Requirements or Contract Documents, have the indicated meaning.
- B. *Intent of Certain Terms or Adjectives:* The Contract Documents include the terms “as allowed,” “as approved,” “as ordered,” “as directed” or terms of like effect or import to authorize an exercise of professional judgment by Engineer. In addition, the adjectives “reasonable,” “suitable,” “acceptable,” “proper,” “satisfactory,” or adjectives of like effect or import are used to describe an action or determination of Engineer as to the Work. It is intended that such exercise of professional judgment, action, or determination will be solely to evaluate, in general, the Work for compliance with the information in the Contract Documents and with the design concept of the Project as a functioning whole as shown or indicated in the Contract Documents (unless there is a specific statement indicating otherwise). The use of any such term or adjective is not intended to and shall not be effective to assign to Engineer any duty or authority to supervise or direct the performance of the Work, or any duty or authority to undertake responsibility contrary to the provisions of Article 10 or any other provision of the Contract Documents.
- C. *Day:* The word “day” means a calendar day of 24 hours measured from midnight to the next midnight.
- D. *Defective:* The word “defective,” when modifying the word “Work,” refers to Work that is unsatisfactory, faulty, or deficient in that it:
 - 1. does not conform to the Contract Documents;
 - 2. does not meet the requirements of any applicable inspection, reference standard, test, or approval referred to in the Contract Documents; or
 - 3. has been damaged prior to Engineer’s recommendation of final payment (unless responsibility for the protection thereof has been assumed by Owner at Substantial Completion in accordance with Paragraph 15.03 or Paragraph 15.04).
- E. *Furnish, Install, Perform, Provide*
 - 1. The word “furnish,” when used in connection with services, materials, or equipment, means to supply and deliver said services, materials, or equipment to the Site (or some other specified location) ready for use or installation and in usable or operable condition.
 - 2. The word “install,” when used in connection with services, materials, or equipment, means to put into use or place in final position said services, materials, or equipment complete and ready for intended use.
 - 3. The words “perform” or “provide,” when used in connection with services, materials, or equipment, means to furnish and install said services, materials, or equipment complete and ready for intended use.
 - 4. If the Contract Documents establish an obligation of Contractor with respect to specific services, materials, or equipment, but do not expressly use any of the four words “furnish,” “install,” “perform,” or “provide,” then Contractor shall furnish and install said services, materials, or equipment complete and ready for intended use.

- F. *Contract Price or Contract Times*: References to a change in “Contract Price or Contract Times” or “Contract Times or Contract Price” or similar, indicate that such change applies to (1) Contract Price, (2) Contract Times, or (3) both Contract Price and Contract Times, as warranted, even if the term “or both” is not expressed.
- G. Unless stated otherwise in the Contract Documents, words or phrases that have a well-known technical or construction industry or trade meaning are used in the Contract Documents in accordance with such recognized meaning.

ARTICLE 2—PRELIMINARY MATTERS

2.01 *Delivery of Performance and Payment Bonds; Evidence of Insurance*

- A. *Performance and Payment Bonds*: When Contractor delivers the signed counterparts of the Agreement to Owner, Contractor shall also deliver to Owner the performance bond and payment bond (if the Contract requires Contractor to furnish such bonds).
- B. *Evidence of Contractor’s Insurance*: When Contractor delivers the signed counterparts of the Agreement to Owner, Contractor shall also deliver to Owner, with copies to each additional insured (as identified in the Contract), the certificates, endorsements, and other evidence of insurance required to be provided by Contractor in accordance with Article 6, except to the extent the Supplementary Conditions expressly establish other dates for delivery of specific insurance policies.
- C. *Evidence of Owner’s Insurance*: After receipt of the signed counterparts of the Agreement and all required bonds and insurance documentation, Owner shall promptly deliver to Contractor, with copies to each additional insured (as identified in the Contract), the certificates and other evidence of insurance required to be provided by Owner under Article 6.

2.02 *Copies of Documents*

- A. Owner shall furnish to Contractor four printed copies of the Contract (including one fully signed counterpart of the Agreement), and one copy in electronic portable document format (PDF). Additional printed copies will be furnished upon request at the cost of reproduction.
- B. Owner shall maintain and safeguard at least one original printed record version of the Contract, including Drawings and Specifications signed and sealed by Engineer and other design professionals. Owner shall make such original printed record version of the Contract available to Contractor for review. Owner may delegate the responsibilities under this provision to Engineer.

2.03 *Before Starting Construction*

- A. *Preliminary Schedules*: Within 10 days after the Effective Date of the Contract (or as otherwise required by the Contract Documents), Contractor shall submit to Engineer for timely review:
 - 1. a preliminary Progress Schedule indicating the times (numbers of days or dates) for starting and completing the various stages of the Work, including any Milestones specified in the Contract;
 - 2. a preliminary Schedule of Submittals; and
 - 3. a preliminary Schedule of Values for all of the Work which includes quantities and prices of items which when added together equal the Contract Price and subdivides the Work

into component parts in sufficient detail to serve as the basis for progress payments during performance of the Work. Such prices will include an appropriate amount of overhead and profit applicable to each item of Work.

2.04 *Preconstruction Conference; Designation of Authorized Representatives*

- A. Before any Work at the Site is started, a conference attended by Owner, Contractor, Engineer, and others as appropriate will be held to establish a working understanding among the parties as to the Work, and to discuss the schedules referred to in Paragraph 2.03.A, procedures for handling Shop Drawings, Samples, and other Submittals, processing Applications for Payment, electronic or digital transmittals, and maintaining required records.
- B. At this conference Owner and Contractor each shall designate, in writing, a specific individual to act as its authorized representative with respect to the services and responsibilities under the Contract. Such individuals shall have the authority to transmit and receive information, render decisions relative to the Contract, and otherwise act on behalf of each respective party.

2.05 *Acceptance of Schedules*

- A. At least 10 days before submission of the first Application for Payment a conference, attended by Contractor, Engineer, and others as appropriate, will be held to review the schedules submitted in accordance with Paragraph 2.03.A. No progress payment will be made to Contractor until acceptable schedules are submitted to Engineer.
 - 1. The Progress Schedule will be acceptable to Engineer if it provides an orderly progression of the Work to completion within the Contract Times. Such acceptance will not impose on Engineer responsibility for the Progress Schedule, for sequencing, scheduling, or progress of the Work, nor interfere with or relieve Contractor from Contractor's full responsibility therefor.
 - 2. Contractor's Schedule of Submittals will be acceptable to Engineer if it provides a workable arrangement for reviewing and processing the required submittals.
 - 3. Contractor's Schedule of Values will be acceptable to Engineer as to form and substance if it provides a reasonable allocation of the Contract Price to the component parts of the Work.
 - 4. If a schedule is not acceptable, Contractor will have an additional 10 days to revise and resubmit the schedule.

2.06 *Electronic Transmittals*

- A. Except as otherwise stated elsewhere in the Contract, the Owner, Engineer, and Contractor may send, and shall accept, Electronic Documents transmitted by Electronic Means.
- B. If the Contract does not establish protocols for Electronic Means, then Owner, Engineer, and Contractor shall jointly develop such protocols.
- C. Subject to any governing protocols for Electronic Means, when transmitting Electronic Documents by Electronic Means, the transmitting party makes no representations as to long-term compatibility, usability, or readability of the Electronic Documents resulting from the recipient's use of software application packages, operating systems, or computer hardware differing from those used in the drafting or transmittal of the Electronic Documents.

ARTICLE 3—CONTRACT DOCUMENTS: INTENT, REQUIREMENTS, REUSE

3.01 *Intent*

- A. The Contract Documents are complementary; what is required by one Contract Document is as binding as if required by all.
- B. It is the intent of the Contract Documents to describe a functionally complete Project (or part thereof) to be constructed in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- C. Unless otherwise stated in the Contract Documents, if there is a discrepancy between the electronic versions of the Contract Documents (including any printed copies derived from such electronic versions) and the printed record version, the printed record version will govern.
- D. The Contract supersedes prior negotiations, representations, and agreements, whether written or oral.
- E. Engineer will issue clarifications and interpretations of the Contract Documents as provided herein.
- F. Any provision or part of the Contract Documents held to be void or unenforceable under any Law or Regulation will be deemed stricken, and all remaining provisions will continue to be valid and binding upon Owner and Contractor, which agree that the Contract Documents will be reformed to replace such stricken provision or part thereof with a valid and enforceable provision that comes as close as possible to expressing the intention of the stricken provision.
- G. Nothing in the Contract Documents creates:
 - 1. any contractual relationship between Owner or Engineer and any Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity performing or furnishing any of the Work, for the benefit of such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity; or
 - 2. any obligation on the part of Owner or Engineer to pay or to see to the payment of any money due any such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity, except as may otherwise be required by Laws and Regulations.

3.02 *Reference Standards*

- A. *Standards Specifications, Codes, Laws and Regulations*
 - 1. Reference in the Contract Documents to standard specifications, manuals, reference standards, or codes of any technical society, organization, or association, or to Laws or Regulations, whether such reference be specific or by implication, means the standard specification, manual, reference standard, code, or Laws or Regulations in effect at the time of opening of Bids (or on the Effective Date of the Contract if there were no Bids), except as may be otherwise specifically stated in the Contract Documents.
 - 2. No provision of any such standard specification, manual, reference standard, or code, and no instruction of a Supplier, will be effective to change the duties or responsibilities of Owner, Contractor, or Engineer from those set forth in the part of the Contract Documents prepared by or for Engineer. No such provision or instruction shall be effective to assign to Owner or Engineer any duty or authority to supervise or direct the performance of the Work, or any duty or authority to undertake responsibility

inconsistent with the provisions of the part of the Contract Documents prepared by or for Engineer.

3.03 *Reporting and Resolving Discrepancies*

A. *Reporting Discrepancies*

1. *Contractor's Verification of Figures and Field Measurements:* Before undertaking each part of the Work, Contractor shall carefully study the Contract Documents, and check and verify pertinent figures and dimensions therein, particularly with respect to applicable field measurements. Contractor shall promptly report in writing to Engineer any conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy that Contractor discovers, or has actual knowledge of, and shall not proceed with any Work affected thereby until the conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy is resolved by a clarification or interpretation by Engineer, or by an amendment or supplement to the Contract issued pursuant to Paragraph 11.01.
2. *Contractor's Review of Contract Documents:* If, before or during the performance of the Work, Contractor discovers any conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy within the Contract Documents, or between the Contract Documents and (a) any applicable Law or Regulation, (b) actual field conditions, (c) any standard specification, manual, reference standard, or code, or (d) any instruction of any Supplier, then Contractor shall promptly report it to Engineer in writing. Contractor shall not proceed with the Work affected thereby (except in an emergency as required by Paragraph 7.15) until the conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy is resolved, by a clarification or interpretation by Engineer, or by an amendment or supplement to the Contract issued pursuant to Paragraph 11.01.
3. Contractor shall not be liable to Owner or Engineer for failure to report any conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy in the Contract Documents unless Contractor had actual knowledge thereof.

B. *Resolving Discrepancies*

1. Except as may be otherwise specifically stated in the Contract Documents, the provisions of the part of the Contract Documents prepared by or for Engineer take precedence in resolving any conflict, error, ambiguity, or discrepancy between such provisions of the Contract Documents and:
 - a. the provisions of any standard specification, manual, reference standard, or code, or the instruction of any Supplier (whether or not specifically incorporated by reference as a Contract Document); or
 - b. the provisions of any Laws or Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work (unless such an interpretation of the provisions of the Contract Documents would result in violation of such Law or Regulation).

3.04 *Requirements of the Contract Documents*

- A. During the performance of the Work and until final payment, Contractor and Owner shall submit to the Engineer in writing all matters in question concerning the requirements of the Contract Documents (sometimes referred to as requests for information or interpretation—RFIs), or relating to the acceptability of the Work under the Contract Documents, as soon as possible after such matters arise. Engineer will be the initial interpreter of the requirements of the Contract Documents, and judge of the acceptability of the Work.

- B. Engineer will, with reasonable promptness, render a written clarification, interpretation, or decision on the issue submitted, or initiate an amendment or supplement to the Contract Documents. Engineer's written clarification, interpretation, or decision will be final and binding on Contractor, unless it appeals by submitting a Change Proposal, and on Owner, unless it appeals by filing a Claim.
- C. If a submitted matter in question concerns terms and conditions of the Contract Documents that do not involve (1) the performance or acceptability of the Work under the Contract Documents, (2) the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise), or (3) other engineering or technical matters, then Engineer will promptly notify Owner and Contractor in writing that Engineer is unable to provide a decision or interpretation. If Owner and Contractor are unable to agree on resolution of such a matter in question, either party may pursue resolution as provided in Article 12.

3.05 *Reuse of Documents*

- A. Contractor and its Subcontractors and Suppliers shall not:
 - 1. have or acquire any title to or ownership rights in any of the Drawings, Specifications, or other documents (or copies of any thereof) prepared by or bearing the seal of Engineer or its consultants, including electronic media versions, or reuse any such Drawings, Specifications, other documents, or copies thereof on extensions of the Project or any other project without written consent of Owner and Engineer and specific written verification or adaptation by Engineer; or
 - 2. have or acquire any title or ownership rights in any other Contract Documents, reuse any such Contract Documents for any purpose without Owner's express written consent, or violate any copyrights pertaining to such Contract Documents.
- B. The prohibitions of this Paragraph 3.05 will survive final payment, or termination of the Contract. Nothing herein precludes Contractor from retaining copies of the Contract Documents for record purposes.

ARTICLE 4—COMMENCEMENT AND PROGRESS OF THE WORK

4.01 *Commencement of Contract Times; Notice to Proceed*

- A. The Contract Times will commence to run on the 30th day after the Effective Date of the Contract or, if a Notice to Proceed is given, on the day indicated in the Notice to Proceed. A Notice to Proceed may be given at any time within 30 days after the Effective Date of the Contract. In no event will the Contract Times commence to run later than the 60th day after the day of Bid opening or the 30th day after the Effective Date of the Contract, whichever date is earlier.

4.02 *Starting the Work*

- A. Contractor shall start to perform the Work on the date when the Contract Times commence to run. No Work may be done at the Site prior to such date.

4.03 *Reference Points*

- A. Owner shall provide engineering surveys to establish reference points for construction which in Engineer's judgment are necessary to enable Contractor to proceed with the Work. Contractor shall be responsible for laying out the Work, shall protect and preserve the

established reference points and property monuments, and shall make no changes or relocations without the prior written approval of Owner. Contractor shall report to Engineer whenever any reference point or property monument is lost or destroyed or requires relocation because of necessary changes in grades or locations, and shall be responsible for the accurate replacement or relocation of such reference points or property monuments by professionally qualified personnel.

4.04 *Progress Schedule*

- A. Contractor shall adhere to the Progress Schedule established in accordance with Paragraph 2.05 as it may be adjusted from time to time as provided below.
 - 1. Contractor shall submit to Engineer for acceptance (to the extent indicated in Paragraph 2.05) proposed adjustments in the Progress Schedule that will not result in changing the Contract Times.
 - 2. Proposed adjustments in the Progress Schedule that will change the Contract Times must be submitted in accordance with the requirements of Article 11.
- B. Contractor shall carry on the Work and adhere to the Progress Schedule during all disputes or disagreements with Owner. No Work will be delayed or postponed pending resolution of any disputes or disagreements, or during any appeal process, except as permitted by Paragraph 16.04, or as Owner and Contractor may otherwise agree in writing.

4.05 *Delays in Contractor's Progress*

- A. If Owner, Engineer, or anyone for whom Owner is responsible, delays, disrupts, or interferes with the performance or progress of the Work, then Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times.
- B. Contractor shall not be entitled to an adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times for delay, disruption, or interference caused by or within the control of Contractor. Delay, disruption, and interference attributable to and within the control of a Subcontractor or Supplier shall be deemed to be within the control of Contractor.
- C. If Contractor's performance or progress is delayed, disrupted, or interfered with by unanticipated causes not the fault of and beyond the control of Owner, Contractor, and those for which they are responsible, then Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in Contract Times. Such an adjustment will be Contractor's sole and exclusive remedy for the delays, disruption, and interference described in this paragraph. Causes of delay, disruption, or interference that may give rise to an adjustment in Contract Times under this paragraph include but are not limited to the following:
 - 1. Severe and unavoidable natural catastrophes such as fires, floods, epidemics, and earthquakes;
 - 2. Abnormal weather conditions;
 - 3. Acts or failures to act of third-party utility owners or other third-party entities (other than those third-party utility owners or other third-party entities performing other work at or adjacent to the Site as arranged by or under contract with Owner, as contemplated in Article 8); and
 - 4. Acts of war or terrorism.

- D. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of Contract Times or Contract Price is limited as follows:
1. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of the Contract Times is conditioned on the delay, disruption, or interference adversely affecting an activity on the critical path to completion of the Work, as of the time of the delay, disruption, or interference.
 2. Contractor shall not be entitled to an adjustment in Contract Price for any delay, disruption, or interference if such delay is concurrent with a delay, disruption, or interference caused by or within the control of Contractor. Such a concurrent delay by Contractor shall not preclude an adjustment of Contract Times to which Contractor is otherwise entitled.
 3. Adjustments of Contract Times or Contract Price are subject to the provisions of Article 11.
- E. Each Contractor request or Change Proposal seeking an increase in Contract Times or Contract Price must be supplemented by supporting data that sets forth in detail the following:
1. The circumstances that form the basis for the requested adjustment;
 2. The date upon which each cause of delay, disruption, or interference began to affect the progress of the Work;
 3. The date upon which each cause of delay, disruption, or interference ceased to affect the progress of the Work;
 4. The number of days' increase in Contract Times claimed as a consequence of each such cause of delay, disruption, or interference; and
 5. The impact on Contract Price, in accordance with the provisions of Paragraph 11.07.
- Contractor shall also furnish such additional supporting documentation as Owner or Engineer may require including, where appropriate, a revised progress schedule indicating all the activities affected by the delay, disruption, or interference, and an explanation of the effect of the delay, disruption, or interference on the critical path to completion of the Work.
- F. Delays, disruption, and interference to the performance or progress of the Work resulting from the existence of a differing subsurface or physical condition, an Underground Facility that was not shown or indicated by the Contract Documents, or not shown or indicated with reasonable accuracy, and those resulting from Hazardous Environmental Conditions, are governed by Article 5, together with the provisions of Paragraphs 4.05.D and 4.05.E.
- G. Paragraph 8.03 addresses delays, disruption, and interference to the performance or progress of the Work resulting from the performance of certain other work at or adjacent to the Site.

ARTICLE 5—SITE; SUBSURFACE AND PHYSICAL CONDITIONS; HAZARDOUS ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

5.01 *Availability of Lands*

- A. Owner shall furnish the Site. Owner shall notify Contractor in writing of any encumbrances or restrictions not of general application but specifically related to use of the Site with which Contractor must comply in performing the Work.

- B. Upon reasonable written request, Owner shall furnish Contractor with a current statement of record legal title and legal description of the lands upon which permanent improvements are to be made and Owner's interest therein as necessary for giving notice of or filing a mechanic's or construction lien against such lands in accordance with applicable Laws and Regulations.
- C. Contractor shall provide for all additional lands and access thereto that may be required for temporary construction facilities or storage of materials and equipment.

5.02 *Use of Site and Other Areas*

A. *Limitation on Use of Site and Other Areas*

1. Contractor shall confine construction equipment, temporary construction facilities, the storage of materials and equipment, and the operations of workers to the Site, adjacent areas that Contractor has arranged to use through construction easements or otherwise, and other adjacent areas permitted by Laws and Regulations, and shall not unreasonably encumber the Site and such other adjacent areas with construction equipment or other materials or equipment. Contractor shall assume full responsibility for (a) damage to the Site; (b) damage to any such other adjacent areas used for Contractor's operations; (c) damage to any other adjacent land or areas, or to improvements, structures, utilities, or similar facilities located at such adjacent lands or areas; and (d) for injuries and losses sustained by the owners or occupants of any such land or areas; provided that such damage or injuries result from the performance of the Work or from other actions or conduct of the Contractor or those for which Contractor is responsible.
 2. If a damage or injury claim is made by the owner or occupant of any such land or area because of the performance of the Work, or because of other actions or conduct of the Contractor or those for which Contractor is responsible, Contractor shall (a) take immediate corrective or remedial action as required by Paragraph 7.13, or otherwise; (b) promptly attempt to settle the claim as to all parties through negotiations with such owner or occupant, or otherwise resolve the claim by arbitration or other dispute resolution proceeding, or in a court of competent jurisdiction; and (c) to the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors of each and any of them, from and against any such claim, and against all costs, losses, and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolution costs) arising out of or relating to any claim or action, legal or equitable, brought by any such owner or occupant against Owner, Engineer, or any other party indemnified hereunder to the extent caused directly or indirectly, in whole or in part by, or based upon, Contractor's performance of the Work, or because of other actions or conduct of the Contractor or those for which Contractor is responsible.
- B. *Removal of Debris During Performance of the Work:* During the progress of the Work the Contractor shall keep the Site and other adjacent areas free from accumulations of waste materials, rubbish, and other debris. Removal and disposal of such waste materials, rubbish, and other debris will conform to applicable Laws and Regulations.
 - C. *Cleaning:* Prior to Substantial Completion of the Work Contractor shall clean the Site and the Work and make it ready for utilization by Owner. At the completion of the Work Contractor shall remove from the Site and adjacent areas all tools, appliances, construction equipment

and machinery, and surplus materials and shall restore to original condition all property not designated for alteration by the Contract Documents.

- D. *Loading of Structures*: Contractor shall not load nor permit any part of any structure to be loaded in any manner that will endanger the structure, nor shall Contractor subject any part of the Work or adjacent structures or land to stresses or pressures that will endanger them.

5.03 *Subsurface and Physical Conditions*

- A. *Reports and Drawings*: The Supplementary Conditions identify:

1. Those reports of explorations and tests of subsurface conditions at or adjacent to the Site that contain Technical Data;
2. Those drawings of existing physical conditions at or adjacent to the Site, including those drawings depicting existing surface or subsurface structures at or adjacent to the Site (except Underground Facilities), that contain Technical Data; and
3. Technical Data contained in such reports and drawings.

- B. *Underground Facilities*: Underground Facilities are shown or indicated on the Drawings, pursuant to Paragraph 5.05, and not in the drawings referred to in Paragraph 5.03.A. Information and data regarding the presence or location of Underground Facilities are not intended to be categorized, identified, or defined as Technical Data.

- C. *Reliance by Contractor on Technical Data*: Contractor may rely upon the accuracy of the Technical Data expressly identified in the Supplementary Conditions with respect to such reports and drawings, but such reports and drawings are not Contract Documents. If no such express identification has been made, then Contractor may rely upon the accuracy of the Technical Data as defined in Paragraph 1.01.A.46.b.

- D. *Limitations of Other Data and Documents*: Except for such reliance on Technical Data, Contractor may not rely upon or make any claim against Owner or Engineer, or any of their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors, with respect to:

1. the completeness of such reports and drawings for Contractor's purposes, including, but not limited to, any aspects of the means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction to be employed by Contractor, and safety precautions and programs incident thereto;
2. other data, interpretations, opinions, and information contained in such reports or shown or indicated in such drawings;
3. the contents of other Site-related documents made available to Contractor, such as record drawings from other projects at or adjacent to the Site, or Owner's archival documents concerning the Site; or
4. any Contractor interpretation of or conclusion drawn from any Technical Data or any such other data, interpretations, opinions, or information.

5.04 *Differing Subsurface or Physical Conditions*

- A. *Notice by Contractor:* If Contractor believes that any subsurface or physical condition that is uncovered or revealed at the Site:
1. is of such a nature as to establish that any Technical Data on which Contractor is entitled to rely as provided in Paragraph 5.03 is materially inaccurate;
 2. is of such a nature as to require a change in the Drawings or Specifications;
 3. differs materially from that shown or indicated in the Contract Documents; or
 4. is of an unusual nature, and differs materially from conditions ordinarily encountered and generally recognized as inherent in work of the character provided for in the Contract Documents;

then Contractor shall, promptly after becoming aware thereof and before further disturbing the subsurface or physical conditions or performing any Work in connection therewith (except in an emergency as required by Paragraph 7.15), notify Owner and Engineer in writing about such condition. Contractor shall not further disturb such condition or perform any Work in connection therewith (except with respect to an emergency) until receipt of a written statement permitting Contractor to do so.

- B. *Engineer's Review:* After receipt of written notice as required by the preceding paragraph, Engineer will promptly review the subsurface or physical condition in question; determine whether it is necessary for Owner to obtain additional exploration or tests with respect to the condition; conclude whether the condition falls within any one or more of the differing site condition categories in Paragraph 5.04.A; obtain any pertinent cost or schedule information from Contractor; prepare recommendations to Owner regarding the Contractor's resumption of Work in connection with the subsurface or physical condition in question and the need for any change in the Drawings or Specifications; and advise Owner in writing of Engineer's findings, conclusions, and recommendations.
- C. *Owner's Statement to Contractor Regarding Site Condition:* After receipt of Engineer's written findings, conclusions, and recommendations, Owner shall issue a written statement to Contractor (with a copy to Engineer) regarding the subsurface or physical condition in question, addressing the resumption of Work in connection with such condition, indicating whether any change in the Drawings or Specifications will be made, and adopting or rejecting Engineer's written findings, conclusions, and recommendations, in whole or in part.
- D. *Early Resumption of Work:* If at any time Engineer determines that Work in connection with the subsurface or physical condition in question may resume prior to completion of Engineer's review or Owner's issuance of its statement to Contractor, because the condition in question has been adequately documented, and analyzed on a preliminary basis, then the Engineer may at its discretion instruct Contractor to resume such Work.
- E. *Possible Price and Times Adjustments*
1. Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times, to the extent that the existence of a differing subsurface or physical condition, or any related delay, disruption, or interference, causes an increase or decrease in

Contractor's cost of, or time required for, performance of the Work; subject, however, to the following:

- a. Such condition must fall within any one or more of the categories described in Paragraph 5.04.A;
 - b. With respect to Work that is paid for on a unit price basis, any adjustment in Contract Price will be subject to the provisions of Paragraph 13.03; and,
 - c. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of the Contract Times is subject to the provisions of Paragraphs 4.05.D and 4.05.E.
2. Contractor shall not be entitled to any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times with respect to a subsurface or physical condition if:
- a. Contractor knew of the existence of such condition at the time Contractor made a commitment to Owner with respect to Contract Price and Contract Times by the submission of a Bid or becoming bound under a negotiated contract, or otherwise;
 - b. The existence of such condition reasonably could have been discovered or revealed as a result of any examination, investigation, exploration, test, or study of the Site and contiguous areas expressly required by the Bidding Requirements or Contract Documents to be conducted by or for Contractor prior to Contractor's making such commitment; or
 - c. Contractor failed to give the written notice required by Paragraph 5.04.A.
3. If Owner and Contractor agree regarding Contractor's entitlement to and the amount or extent of any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, then any such adjustment will be set forth in a Change Order.
4. Contractor may submit a Change Proposal regarding its entitlement to or the amount or extent of any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, no later than 30 days after Owner's issuance of the Owner's written statement to Contractor regarding the subsurface or physical condition in question.
- F. *Underground Facilities; Hazardous Environmental Conditions*: Paragraph 5.05 governs rights and responsibilities regarding the presence or location of Underground Facilities. Paragraph 5.06 governs rights and responsibilities regarding Hazardous Environmental Conditions. The provisions of Paragraphs 5.03 and 5.04 are not applicable to the presence or location of Underground Facilities, or to Hazardous Environmental Conditions.

5.05 *Underground Facilities*

- A. *Contractor's Responsibilities*: Unless it is otherwise expressly provided in the Supplementary Conditions, the cost of all of the following are included in the Contract Price, and Contractor shall have full responsibility for:
1. reviewing and checking all information and data regarding existing Underground Facilities at the Site;
 2. complying with applicable state and local utility damage prevention Laws and Regulations;

3. verifying the actual location of those Underground Facilities shown or indicated in the Contract Documents as being within the area affected by the Work, by exposing such Underground Facilities during the course of construction;
 4. coordination of the Work with the owners (including Owner) of such Underground Facilities, during construction; and
 5. the safety and protection of all existing Underground Facilities at the Site, and repairing any damage thereto resulting from the Work.
- B. *Notice by Contractor:* If Contractor believes that an Underground Facility that is uncovered or revealed at the Site was not shown or indicated on the Drawings, or was not shown or indicated on the Drawings with reasonable accuracy, then Contractor shall, promptly after becoming aware thereof and before further disturbing conditions affected thereby or performing any Work in connection therewith (except in an emergency as required by Paragraph 7.15), notify Owner and Engineer in writing regarding such Underground Facility.
- C. *Engineer's Review:* Engineer will:
1. promptly review the Underground Facility and conclude whether such Underground Facility was not shown or indicated on the Drawings, or was not shown or indicated with reasonable accuracy;
 2. identify and communicate with the owner of the Underground Facility; prepare recommendations to Owner (and if necessary issue any preliminary instructions to Contractor) regarding the Contractor's resumption of Work in connection with the Underground Facility in question;
 3. obtain any pertinent cost or schedule information from Contractor; determine the extent, if any, to which a change is required in the Drawings or Specifications to reflect and document the consequences of the existence or location of the Underground Facility; and
 4. advise Owner in writing of Engineer's findings, conclusions, and recommendations.
- During such time, Contractor shall be responsible for the safety and protection of such Underground Facility.
- D. *Owner's Statement to Contractor Regarding Underground Facility:* After receipt of Engineer's written findings, conclusions, and recommendations, Owner shall issue a written statement to Contractor (with a copy to Engineer) regarding the Underground Facility in question addressing the resumption of Work in connection with such Underground Facility, indicating whether any change in the Drawings or Specifications will be made, and adopting or rejecting Engineer's written findings, conclusions, and recommendations in whole or in part.
- E. *Early Resumption of Work:* If at any time Engineer determines that Work in connection with the Underground Facility may resume prior to completion of Engineer's review or Owner's issuance of its statement to Contractor, because the Underground Facility in question and conditions affected by its presence have been adequately documented, and analyzed on a preliminary basis, then the Engineer may at its discretion instruct Contractor to resume such Work.
- F. *Possible Price and Times Adjustments*
1. Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, to the extent that any existing Underground Facility at the Site that was not shown

or indicated on the Drawings, or was not shown or indicated with reasonable accuracy, or any related delay, disruption, or interference, causes an increase or decrease in Contractor's cost of, or time required for, performance of the Work; subject, however, to the following:

- a. With respect to Work that is paid for on a unit price basis, any adjustment in Contract Price will be subject to the provisions of Paragraph 13.03;
 - b. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of the Contract Times is subject to the provisions of Paragraphs 4.05.D and 4.05.E; and
 - c. Contractor gave the notice required in Paragraph 5.05.B.
2. If Owner and Contractor agree regarding Contractor's entitlement to and the amount or extent of any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, then any such adjustment will be set forth in a Change Order.
 3. Contractor may submit a Change Proposal regarding its entitlement to or the amount or extent of any adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, no later than 30 days after Owner's issuance of the Owner's written statement to Contractor regarding the Underground Facility in question.
 4. The information and data shown or indicated on the Drawings with respect to existing Underground Facilities at the Site is based on information and data (a) furnished by the owners of such Underground Facilities, or by others, (b) obtained from available records, or (c) gathered in an investigation conducted in accordance with the current edition of ASCE 38, Standard Guideline for the Collection and Depiction of Existing Subsurface Utility Data, by the American Society of Civil Engineers. If such information or data is incorrect or incomplete, Contractor's remedies are limited to those set forth in this Paragraph 5.05.F.

5.06 *Hazardous Environmental Conditions at Site*

A. *Reports and Drawings:* The Supplementary Conditions identify:

1. those reports known to Owner relating to Hazardous Environmental Conditions that have been identified at or adjacent to the Site;
2. drawings known to Owner relating to Hazardous Environmental Conditions that have been identified at or adjacent to the Site; and
3. Technical Data contained in such reports and drawings.

B. *Reliance by Contractor on Technical Data Authorized:* Contractor may rely upon the accuracy of the Technical Data expressly identified in the Supplementary Conditions with respect to such reports and drawings, but such reports and drawings are not Contract Documents. If no such express identification has been made, then Contractor may rely on the accuracy of the Technical Data as defined in Paragraph 1.01.A.46.b. Except for such reliance on Technical Data, Contractor may not rely upon or make any claim against Owner or Engineer, or any of their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors, with respect to:

1. the completeness of such reports and drawings for Contractor's purposes, including, but not limited to, any aspects of the means, methods, techniques, sequences and procedures

- of construction to be employed by Contractor, and safety precautions and programs incident thereto;
2. other data, interpretations, opinions, and information contained in such reports or shown or indicated in such drawings; or
 3. any Contractor interpretation of or conclusion drawn from any Technical Data or any such other data, interpretations, opinions or information.
- C. Contractor shall not be responsible for removing or remediating any Hazardous Environmental Condition encountered, uncovered, or revealed at the Site unless such removal or remediation is expressly identified in the Contract Documents to be within the scope of the Work.
- D. Contractor shall be responsible for controlling, containing, and duly removing all Constituents of Concern brought to the Site by Contractor, Subcontractors, Suppliers, or anyone else for whom Contractor is responsible, and for any associated costs; and for the costs of removing and remediating any Hazardous Environmental Condition created by the presence of any such Constituents of Concern.
- E. If Contractor encounters, uncovers, or reveals a Hazardous Environmental Condition whose removal or remediation is not expressly identified in the Contract Documents as being within the scope of the Work, or if Contractor or anyone for whom Contractor is responsible creates a Hazardous Environmental Condition, then Contractor shall immediately: (1) secure or otherwise isolate such condition; (2) stop all Work in connection with such condition and in any area affected thereby (except in an emergency as required by Paragraph 7.15); and (3) notify Owner and Engineer (and promptly thereafter confirm such notice in writing). Owner shall promptly consult with Engineer concerning the necessity for Owner to retain a qualified expert to evaluate such condition or take corrective action, if any. Promptly after consulting with Engineer, Owner shall take such actions as are necessary to permit Owner to timely obtain required permits and provide Contractor the written notice required by Paragraph 5.06.F. If Contractor or anyone for whom Contractor is responsible created the Hazardous Environmental Condition in question, then Owner may remove and remediate the Hazardous Environmental Condition, and impose a set-off against payments to account for the associated costs.
- F. Contractor shall not resume Work in connection with such Hazardous Environmental Condition or in any affected area until after Owner has obtained any required permits related thereto, and delivered written notice to Contractor either (1) specifying that such condition and any affected area is or has been rendered safe for the resumption of Work, or (2) specifying any special conditions under which such Work may be resumed safely.
- G. If Owner and Contractor cannot agree as to entitlement to or on the amount or extent, if any, of any adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times, as a result of such Work stoppage, such special conditions under which Work is agreed to be resumed by Contractor, or any costs or expenses incurred in response to the Hazardous Environmental Condition, then within 30 days of Owner's written notice regarding the resumption of Work, Contractor may submit a Change Proposal, or Owner may impose a set-off. Entitlement to any such adjustment is subject to the provisions of Paragraphs 4.05.D, 4.05.E, 11.07, and 11.08.
- H. If, after receipt of such written notice, Contractor does not agree to resume such Work based on a reasonable belief it is unsafe, or does not agree to resume such Work under such special

conditions, then Owner may order the portion of the Work that is in the area affected by such condition to be deleted from the Work, following the contractual change procedures in Article 11. Owner may have such deleted portion of the Work performed by Owner's own forces or others in accordance with Article 8.

- I. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, Owner shall indemnify and hold harmless Contractor, Subcontractors, and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them, from and against all claims, costs, losses, and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals, and all court, arbitration, or other dispute resolution costs) arising out of or relating to a Hazardous Environmental Condition, provided that such Hazardous Environmental Condition (1) was not shown or indicated in the Drawings, Specifications, or other Contract Documents, identified as Technical Data entitled to limited reliance pursuant to Paragraph 5.06.B, or identified in the Contract Documents to be included within the scope of the Work, and (2) was not created by Contractor or by anyone for whom Contractor is responsible. Nothing in this Paragraph 5.06.I obligates Owner to indemnify any individual or entity from and against the consequences of that individual's or entity's own negligence.
- J. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them, from and against all claims, costs, losses, and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolution costs) arising out of or relating to the failure to control, contain, or remove a Constituent of Concern brought to the Site by Contractor or by anyone for whom Contractor is responsible, or to a Hazardous Environmental Condition created by Contractor or by anyone for whom Contractor is responsible. Nothing in this Paragraph 5.06.J obligates Contractor to indemnify any individual or entity from and against the consequences of that individual's or entity's own negligence.
- K. The provisions of Paragraphs 5.03, 5.04, and 5.05 do not apply to the presence of Constituents of Concern or to a Hazardous Environmental Condition uncovered or revealed at the Site.

ARTICLE 6—BONDS AND INSURANCE

6.01 *Performance, Payment, and Other Bonds*

- A. Contractor shall furnish a performance bond and a payment bond, each in an amount at least equal to the Contract Price, as security for the faithful performance and payment of Contractor's obligations under the Contract. These bonds must remain in effect until one year after the date when final payment becomes due or until completion of the correction period specified in Paragraph 15.08, whichever is later, except as provided otherwise by Laws or Regulations, the terms of a prescribed bond form, the Supplementary Conditions, or other provisions of the Contract.
- B. Contractor shall also furnish such other bonds (if any) as are required by the Supplementary Conditions or other provisions of the Contract.
- C. All bonds must be in the form included in the Bidding Documents or otherwise specified by Owner prior to execution of the Contract, except as provided otherwise by Laws or

Regulations, and must be issued and signed by a surety named in “Companies Holding Certificates of Authority as Acceptable Sureties on Federal Bonds and as Acceptable Reinsuring Companies” as published in Department Circular 570 (as amended and supplemented) by the Bureau of the Fiscal Service, U.S. Department of the Treasury. A bond signed by an agent or attorney-in-fact must be accompanied by a certified copy of that individual’s authority to bind the surety. The evidence of authority must show that it is effective on the date the agent or attorney-in-fact signed the accompanying bond.

- D. Contractor shall obtain the required bonds from surety companies that are duly licensed or authorized, in the state or jurisdiction in which the Project is located, to issue bonds in the required amounts.
- E. If the surety on a bond furnished by Contractor is declared bankrupt or becomes insolvent, or the surety ceases to meet the requirements above, then Contractor shall promptly notify Owner and Engineer in writing and shall, within 20 days after the event giving rise to such notification, provide another bond and surety, both of which must comply with the bond and surety requirements above.
- F. If Contractor has failed to obtain a required bond, Owner may exclude the Contractor from the Site and exercise Owner’s termination rights under Article 16.
- G. Upon request to Owner from any Subcontractor, Supplier, or other person or entity claiming to have furnished labor, services, materials, or equipment used in the performance of the Work, Owner shall provide a copy of the payment bond to such person or entity.
- H. Upon request to Contractor from any Subcontractor, Supplier, or other person or entity claiming to have furnished labor, services, materials, or equipment used in the performance of the Work, Contractor shall provide a copy of the payment bond to such person or entity.

6.02 *Insurance—General Provisions*

- A. Owner and Contractor shall obtain and maintain insurance as required in this article and in the Supplementary Conditions.
- B. All insurance required by the Contract to be purchased and maintained by Owner or Contractor shall be obtained from insurance companies that are duly licensed or authorized in the state or jurisdiction in which the Project is located to issue insurance policies for the required limits and coverages. Unless a different standard is indicated in the Supplementary Conditions, all companies that provide insurance policies required under this Contract shall have an A.M. Best rating of A-VII or better.
- C. Alternative forms of insurance coverage, including but not limited to self-insurance and “Occupational Accident and Excess Employer’s Indemnity Policies,” are not sufficient to meet the insurance requirements of this Contract, unless expressly allowed in the Supplementary Conditions.
- D. Contractor shall deliver to Owner, with copies to each additional insured identified in the Contract, certificates of insurance and endorsements establishing that Contractor has obtained and is maintaining the policies and coverages required by the Contract. Upon request by Owner or any other insured, Contractor shall also furnish other evidence of such required insurance, including but not limited to copies of policies, documentation of applicable self-insured retentions (if allowed) and deductibles, full disclosure of all relevant exclusions, and evidence of insurance required to be purchased and maintained by

Subcontractors or Suppliers. In any documentation furnished under this provision, Contractor, Subcontractors, and Suppliers may block out (redact) (1) any confidential premium or pricing information and (2) any wording specific to a project or jurisdiction other than those applicable to this Contract.

- E. Owner shall deliver to Contractor, with copies to each additional insured identified in the Contract, certificates of insurance and endorsements establishing that Owner has obtained and is maintaining the policies and coverages required of Owner by the Contract (if any). Upon request by Contractor or any other insured, Owner shall also provide other evidence of such required insurance (if any), including but not limited to copies of policies, documentation of applicable self-insured retentions (if allowed) and deductibles, and full disclosure of all relevant exclusions. In any documentation furnished under this provision, Owner may block out (redact) (1) any confidential premium or pricing information and (2) any wording specific to a project or jurisdiction other than those relevant to this Contract.
- F. Failure of Owner or Contractor to demand such certificates or other evidence of the other party's full compliance with these insurance requirements, or failure of Owner or Contractor to identify a deficiency in compliance from the evidence provided, will not be construed as a waiver of the other party's obligation to obtain and maintain such insurance.
- G. In addition to the liability insurance required to be provided by Contractor, the Owner, at Owner's option, may purchase and maintain Owner's own liability insurance. Owner's liability policies, if any, operate separately and independently from policies required to be provided by Contractor, and Contractor cannot rely upon Owner's liability policies for any of Contractor's obligations to the Owner, Engineer, or third parties.
- H. Contractor shall require:
 - 1. Subcontractors to purchase and maintain worker's compensation, commercial general liability, and other insurance that is appropriate for their participation in the Project, and to name as additional insureds Owner and Engineer (and any other individuals or entities identified in the Supplementary Conditions as additional insureds on Contractor's liability policies) on each Subcontractor's commercial general liability insurance policy; and
 - 2. Suppliers to purchase and maintain insurance that is appropriate for their participation in the Project.
- I. If either party does not purchase or maintain the insurance required of such party by the Contract, such party shall notify the other party in writing of such failure to purchase prior to the start of the Work, or of such failure to maintain prior to any change in the required coverage.
- J. If Contractor has failed to obtain and maintain required insurance, Contractor's entitlement to enter or remain at the Site will end immediately, and Owner may impose an appropriate set-off against payment for any associated costs (including but not limited to the cost of purchasing necessary insurance coverage), and exercise Owner's termination rights under Article 16.
- K. Without prejudice to any other right or remedy, if a party has failed to obtain required insurance, the other party may elect (but is in no way obligated) to obtain equivalent insurance to protect such other party's interests at the expense of the party who was required to provide such coverage, and the Contract Price will be adjusted accordingly.

- L. Owner does not represent that insurance coverage and limits established in this Contract necessarily will be adequate to protect Contractor or Contractor's interests. Contractor is responsible for determining whether such coverage and limits are adequate to protect its interests, and for obtaining and maintaining any additional insurance that Contractor deems necessary.
- M. The insurance and insurance limits required herein will not be deemed as a limitation on Contractor's liability, or that of its Subcontractors or Suppliers, under the indemnities granted to Owner and other individuals and entities in the Contract or otherwise.
- N. All the policies of insurance required to be purchased and maintained under this Contract will contain a provision or endorsement that the coverage afforded will not be canceled, or renewal refused, until at least 10 days prior written notice has been given to the purchasing policyholder. Within three days of receipt of any such written notice, the purchasing policyholder shall provide a copy of the notice to each other insured and Engineer.

6.03 Contractor's Insurance

- A. *Required Insurance:* Contractor shall purchase and maintain Worker's Compensation, Commercial General Liability, and other insurance pursuant to the specific requirements of the Supplementary Conditions.
- B. *General Provisions:* The policies of insurance required by this Paragraph 6.03 as supplemented must:
 - 1. include at least the specific coverages required;
 - 2. be written for not less than the limits provided, or those required by Laws or Regulations, whichever is greater;
 - 3. remain in effect at least until the Work is complete (as set forth in Paragraph 15.06.D), and longer if expressly required elsewhere in this Contract, and at all times thereafter when Contractor may be correcting, removing, or replacing defective Work as a warranty or correction obligation, or otherwise, or returning to the Site to conduct other tasks arising from the Contract;
 - 4. apply with respect to the performance of the Work, whether such performance is by Contractor, any Subcontractor or Supplier, or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them to perform any of the Work, or by anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable; and
 - 5. include all necessary endorsements to support the stated requirements.
- C. *Additional Insureds:* The Contractor's commercial general liability, automobile liability, employer's liability, umbrella or excess, pollution liability, and unmanned aerial vehicle liability policies, if required by this Contract, must:
 - 1. include and list as additional insureds Owner and Engineer, and any individuals or entities identified as additional insureds in the Supplementary Conditions;
 - 2. include coverage for the respective officers, directors, members, partners, employees, and consultants of all such additional insureds;
 - 3. afford primary coverage to these additional insureds for all claims covered thereby (including as applicable those arising from both ongoing and completed operations);

4. not seek contribution from insurance maintained by the additional insured; and
5. as to commercial general liability insurance, apply to additional insureds with respect to liability caused in whole or in part by Contractor's acts or omissions, or the acts and omissions of those working on Contractor's behalf, in the performance of Contractor's operations.

6.04 *Builder's Risk and Other Property Insurance*

- A. *Builder's Risk*: Unless otherwise provided in the Supplementary Conditions, Contractor shall purchase and maintain builder's risk insurance upon the Work on a completed value basis, in the amount of the Work's full insurable replacement cost (subject to such deductible amounts as may be provided in the Supplementary Conditions or required by Laws and Regulations). The specific requirements applicable to the builder's risk insurance are set forth in the Supplementary Conditions.
- B. *Property Insurance for Facilities of Owner Where Work Will Occur*: Owner is responsible for obtaining and maintaining property insurance covering each existing structure, building, or facility in which any part of the Work will occur, or to which any part of the Work will attach or be adjoined. Such property insurance will be written on a special perils (all-risk) form, on a replacement cost basis, providing coverage consistent with that required for the builder's risk insurance, and will be maintained until the Work is complete, as set forth in Paragraph 15.06.D.
- C. *Property Insurance for Substantially Complete Facilities*: Promptly after Substantial Completion, and before actual occupancy or use of the substantially completed Work, Owner will obtain property insurance for such substantially completed Work, and maintain such property insurance at least until the Work is complete, as set forth in Paragraph 15.06.D. Such property insurance will be written on a special perils (all-risk) form, on a replacement cost basis, and provide coverage consistent with that required for the builder's risk insurance. The builder's risk insurance may terminate upon written confirmation of Owner's procurement of such property insurance.
- D. *Partial Occupancy or Use by Owner*: If Owner will occupy or use a portion or portions of the Work prior to Substantial Completion of all the Work, as provided in Paragraph 15.04, then Owner (directly, if it is the purchaser of the builder's risk policy, or through Contractor) will provide advance notice of such occupancy or use to the builder's risk insurer, and obtain an endorsement consenting to the continuation of coverage prior to commencing such partial occupancy or use.
- E. *Insurance of Other Property; Additional Insurance*: If the express insurance provisions of the Contract do not require or address the insurance of a property item or interest, then the entity or individual owning such property item will be responsible for insuring it. If Contractor elects to obtain other special insurance to be included in or supplement the builder's risk or property insurance policies provided under this Paragraph 6.04, it may do so at Contractor's expense.

6.05 *Property Losses; Subrogation*

- A. The builder's risk insurance policy purchased and maintained in accordance with Paragraph 6.04 (or an installation floater policy if authorized by the Supplementary Conditions), will contain provisions to the effect that in the event of payment of any loss or damage the insurer will have no rights of recovery against any insureds thereunder, or against

Engineer or its consultants, or their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors.

1. Owner and Contractor waive all rights against each other and the respective officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them, for all losses and damages caused by, arising out of, or resulting from any of the perils, risks, or causes of loss covered by such policies and any other property insurance applicable to the Work; and, in addition, waive all such rights against Engineer, its consultants, all individuals or entities identified in the Supplementary Conditions as builder's risk or installation floater insureds, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them, under such policies for losses and damages so caused.
 2. None of the above waivers extends to the rights that any party making such waiver may have to the proceeds of insurance held by Owner or Contractor as trustee or fiduciary, or otherwise payable under any policy so issued.
- B. Any property insurance policy maintained by Owner covering any loss, damage, or consequential loss to Owner's existing structures, buildings, or facilities in which any part of the Work will occur, or to which any part of the Work will attach or adjoin; to adjacent structures, buildings, or facilities of Owner; or to part or all of the completed or substantially completed Work, during partial occupancy or use pursuant to Paragraph 15.04, after Substantial Completion pursuant to Paragraph 15.03, or after final payment pursuant to Paragraph 15.06, will contain provisions to the effect that in the event of payment of any loss or damage the insurer will have no rights of recovery against any insureds thereunder, or against Contractor, Subcontractors, or Engineer, or the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors of each and any of them, and that the insured is allowed to waive the insurer's rights of subrogation in a written contract executed prior to the loss, damage, or consequential loss.
1. Owner waives all rights against Contractor, Subcontractors, and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors of each and any of them, for all losses and damages caused by, arising out of, or resulting from fire or any of the perils, risks, or causes of loss covered by such policies.
- C. The waivers in this Paragraph 6.05 include the waiver of rights due to business interruption, loss of use, or other consequential loss extending beyond direct physical loss or damage to Owner's property or the Work caused by, arising out of, or resulting from fire or other insured peril, risk, or cause of loss.
- D. Contractor shall be responsible for assuring that each Subcontract contains provisions whereby the Subcontractor waives all rights against Owner, Contractor, all individuals or entities identified in the Supplementary Conditions as insureds, the Engineer and its consultants, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them, for all losses and damages caused by, arising out of, relating to, or resulting from fire or other peril, risk, or cause of loss covered by builder's risk insurance, installation floater, and any other property insurance applicable to the Work.

6.06 *Receipt and Application of Property Insurance Proceeds*

- A. Any insured loss under the builder's risk and other policies of property insurance required by Paragraph 6.04 will be adjusted and settled with the named insured that purchased the policy. Such named insured shall act as fiduciary for the other insureds, and give notice to such other insureds that adjustment and settlement of a claim is in progress. Any other insured may state its position regarding a claim for insured loss in writing within 15 days after notice of such claim.
- B. Proceeds for such insured losses may be made payable by the insurer either jointly to multiple insureds, or to the named insured that purchased the policy in its own right and as fiduciary for other insureds, subject to the requirements of any applicable mortgage clause. A named insured receiving insurance proceeds under the builder's risk and other policies of insurance required by Paragraph 6.04 shall maintain such proceeds in a segregated account, and distribute such proceeds in accordance with such agreement as the parties in interest may reach, or as otherwise required under the dispute resolution provisions of this Contract or applicable Laws and Regulations.
- C. If no other special agreement is reached, Contractor shall repair or replace the damaged Work, using allocated insurance proceeds.

ARTICLE 7—CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

7.01 *Contractor's Means and Methods of Construction*

- A. Contractor shall be solely responsible for the means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction.
- B. If the Contract Documents note, or Contractor determines, that professional engineering or other design services are needed to carry out Contractor's responsibilities for construction means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures, or for Site safety, then Contractor shall cause such services to be provided by a properly licensed design professional, at Contractor's expense. Such services are not Owner-delegated professional design services under this Contract, and neither Owner nor Engineer has any responsibility with respect to (1) Contractor's determination of the need for such services, (2) the qualifications or licensing of the design professionals retained or employed by Contractor, (3) the performance of such services, or (4) any errors, omissions, or defects in such services.

7.02 *Supervision and Superintendence*

- A. Contractor shall supervise, inspect, and direct the Work competently and efficiently, devoting such attention thereto and applying such skills and expertise as may be necessary to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- B. At all times during the progress of the Work, Contractor shall assign a competent resident superintendent who will not be replaced without written notice to Owner and Engineer except under extraordinary circumstances.

7.03 *Labor; Working Hours*

- A. Contractor shall provide competent, suitably qualified personnel to survey and lay out the Work and perform construction as required by the Contract Documents. Contractor shall maintain good discipline and order at the Site.

- B. Contractor shall be fully responsible to Owner and Engineer for all acts and omissions of Contractor's employees; of Suppliers and Subcontractors, and their employees; and of any other individuals or entities performing or furnishing any of the Work, just as Contractor is responsible for Contractor's own acts and omissions.
- C. Except as otherwise required for the safety or protection of persons or the Work or property at the Site or adjacent thereto, and except as otherwise stated in the Contract Documents, all Work at the Site will be performed during regular working hours, Monday through Friday. Contractor will not perform Work on a Saturday, Sunday, or any legal holiday. Contractor may perform Work outside regular working hours or on Saturdays, Sundays, or legal holidays only with Owner's written consent, which will not be unreasonably withheld.

7.04 *Services, Materials, and Equipment*

- A. Unless otherwise specified in the Contract Documents, Contractor shall provide and assume full responsibility for all services, materials, equipment, labor, transportation, construction equipment and machinery, tools, appliances, fuel, power, light, heat, telephone, water, sanitary facilities, temporary facilities, and all other facilities and incidentals necessary for the performance, testing, start up, and completion of the Work, whether or not such items are specifically called for in the Contract Documents.
- B. All materials and equipment incorporated into the Work must be new and of good quality, except as otherwise provided in the Contract Documents. All special warranties and guarantees required by the Specifications will expressly run to the benefit of Owner. If required by Engineer, Contractor shall furnish satisfactory evidence (including reports of required tests) as to the source, kind, and quality of materials and equipment.
- C. All materials and equipment must be stored, applied, installed, connected, erected, protected, used, cleaned, and conditioned in accordance with instructions of the applicable Supplier, except as otherwise may be provided in the Contract Documents.

7.05 *"Or Equals"*

- A. *Contractor's Request; Governing Criteria:* Whenever an item of equipment or material is specified or described in the Contract Documents by using the names of one or more proprietary items or specific Suppliers, the Contract Price has been based upon Contractor furnishing such item as specified. The specification or description of such an item is intended to establish the type, function, appearance, and quality required. Unless the specification or description contains or is followed by words reading that no like, equivalent, or "or equal" item is permitted, Contractor may request that Engineer authorize the use of other items of equipment or material, or items from other proposed Suppliers, under the circumstances described below.
 - 1. If Engineer in its sole discretion determines that an item of equipment or material proposed by Contractor is functionally equal to that named and sufficiently similar so that no change in related Work will be required, Engineer will deem it an "or equal" item. For the purposes of this paragraph, a proposed item of equipment or material will be considered functionally equal to an item so named if:
 - a. in the exercise of reasonable judgment Engineer determines that the proposed item:
 - 1) is at least equal in materials of construction, quality, durability, appearance, strength, and design characteristics;

- 2) will reliably perform at least equally well the function and achieve the results imposed by the design concept of the completed Project as a functioning whole;
 - 3) has a proven record of performance and availability of responsive service; and
 - 4) is not objectionable to Owner.
- b. Contractor certifies that, if the proposed item is approved and incorporated into the Work:
- 1) there will be no increase in cost to the Owner or increase in Contract Times; and
 - 2) the item will conform substantially to the detailed requirements of the item named in the Contract Documents.
- B. *Contractor's Expense*: Contractor shall provide all data in support of any proposed "or equal" item at Contractor's expense.
- C. *Engineer's Evaluation and Determination*: Engineer will be allowed a reasonable time to evaluate each "or-equal" request. Engineer may require Contractor to furnish additional data about the proposed "or-equal" item. Engineer will be the sole judge of acceptability. No "or-equal" item will be ordered, furnished, installed, or utilized until Engineer's review is complete and Engineer determines that the proposed item is an "or-equal," which will be evidenced by an approved Shop Drawing or other written communication. Engineer will advise Contractor in writing of any negative determination.
- D. *Effect of Engineer's Determination*: Neither approval nor denial of an "or-equal" request will result in any change in Contract Price. The Engineer's denial of an "or-equal" request will be final and binding, and may not be reversed through an appeal under any provision of the Contract.
- E. *Treatment as a Substitution Request*: If Engineer determines that an item of equipment or material proposed by Contractor does not qualify as an "or-equal" item, Contractor may request that Engineer consider the item a proposed substitute pursuant to Paragraph 7.06.

7.06 *Substitutes*

- A. *Contractor's Request; Governing Criteria*: Unless the specification or description of an item of equipment or material required to be furnished under the Contract Documents contains or is followed by words reading that no substitution is permitted, Contractor may request that Engineer authorize the use of other items of equipment or material under the circumstances described below. To the extent possible such requests must be made before commencement of related construction at the Site.
1. Contractor shall submit sufficient information as provided below to allow Engineer to determine if the item of material or equipment proposed is functionally equivalent to that named and an acceptable substitute therefor. Engineer will not accept requests for review of proposed substitute items of equipment or material from anyone other than Contractor.
 2. The requirements for review by Engineer will be as set forth in Paragraph 7.06.B, as supplemented by the Specifications, and as Engineer may decide is appropriate under the circumstances.

3. Contractor shall make written application to Engineer for review of a proposed substitute item of equipment or material that Contractor seeks to furnish or use. The application:
 - a. will certify that the proposed substitute item will:
 - 1) perform adequately the functions and achieve the results called for by the general design;
 - 2) be similar in substance to the item specified; and
 - 3) be suited to the same use as the item specified.
 - b. will state:
 - 1) the extent, if any, to which the use of the proposed substitute item will necessitate a change in Contract Times;
 - 2) whether use of the proposed substitute item in the Work will require a change in any of the Contract Documents (or in the provisions of any other direct contract with Owner for other work on the Project) to adapt the design to the proposed substitute item; and
 - 3) whether incorporation or use of the proposed substitute item in connection with the Work is subject to payment of any license fee or royalty.
 - c. will identify:
 - 1) all variations of the proposed substitute item from the item specified; and
 - 2) available engineering, sales, maintenance, repair, and replacement services.
 - d. will contain an itemized estimate of all costs or credits that will result directly or indirectly from use of such substitute item, including but not limited to changes in Contract Price, shared savings, costs of redesign, and claims of other contractors affected by any resulting change.
- B. *Engineer's Evaluation and Determination*: Engineer will be allowed a reasonable time to evaluate each substitute request, and to obtain comments and direction from Owner. Engineer may require Contractor to furnish additional data about the proposed substitute item. Engineer will be the sole judge of acceptability. No substitute will be ordered, furnished, installed, or utilized until Engineer's review is complete and Engineer determines that the proposed item is an acceptable substitute. Engineer's determination will be evidenced by a Field Order or a proposed Change Order accounting for the substitution itself and all related impacts, including changes in Contract Price or Contract Times. Engineer will advise Contractor in writing of any negative determination.
- C. *Special Guarantee*: Owner may require Contractor to furnish at Contractor's expense a special performance guarantee or other surety with respect to any substitute.
- D. *Reimbursement of Engineer's Cost*: Engineer will record Engineer's costs in evaluating a substitute proposed or submitted by Contractor. Whether or not Engineer approves a substitute so proposed or submitted by Contractor, Contractor shall reimburse Owner for the reasonable charges of Engineer for evaluating each such proposed substitute. Contractor shall also reimburse Owner for the reasonable charges of Engineer for making changes in the Contract Documents (or in the provisions of any other direct contract with Owner) resulting from the acceptance of each proposed substitute.

- E. *Contractor's Expense*: Contractor shall provide all data in support of any proposed substitute at Contractor's expense.
- F. *Effect of Engineer's Determination*: If Engineer approves the substitution request, Contractor shall execute the proposed Change Order and proceed with the substitution. The Engineer's denial of a substitution request will be final and binding, and may not be reversed through an appeal under any provision of the Contract. Contractor may challenge the scope of reimbursement costs imposed under Paragraph 7.06.D, by timely submittal of a Change Proposal.

7.07 *Concerning Subcontractors and Suppliers*

- A. Contractor may retain Subcontractors and Suppliers for the performance of parts of the Work. Such Subcontractors and Suppliers must be acceptable to Owner. The Contractor's retention of a Subcontractor or Supplier for the performance of parts of the Work will not relieve Contractor's obligation to Owner to perform and complete the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- B. Contractor shall retain specific Subcontractors and Suppliers for the performance of designated parts of the Work if required by the Contract to do so.
- C. Subsequent to the submittal of Contractor's Bid or final negotiation of the terms of the Contract, Owner may not require Contractor to retain any Subcontractor or Supplier to furnish or perform any of the Work against which Contractor has reasonable objection.
- D. Prior to entry into any binding subcontract or purchase order, Contractor shall submit to Owner the identity of the proposed Subcontractor or Supplier (unless Owner has already deemed such proposed Subcontractor or Supplier acceptable during the bidding process or otherwise). Such proposed Subcontractor or Supplier shall be deemed acceptable to Owner unless Owner raises a substantive, reasonable objection within 5 days.
- E. Owner may require the replacement of any Subcontractor or Supplier. Owner also may require Contractor to retain specific replacements; provided, however, that Owner may not require a replacement to which Contractor has a reasonable objection. If Contractor has submitted the identity of certain Subcontractors or Suppliers for acceptance by Owner, and Owner has accepted it (either in writing or by failing to make written objection thereto), then Owner may subsequently revoke the acceptance of any such Subcontractor or Supplier so identified solely on the basis of substantive, reasonable objection after due investigation. Contractor shall submit an acceptable replacement for the rejected Subcontractor or Supplier.
- F. If Owner requires the replacement of any Subcontractor or Supplier retained by Contractor to perform any part of the Work, then Contractor shall be entitled to an adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times, with respect to the replacement; and Contractor shall initiate a Change Proposal for such adjustment within 30 days of Owner's requirement of replacement.
- G. No acceptance by Owner of any such Subcontractor or Supplier, whether initially or as a replacement, will constitute a waiver of the right of Owner to the completion of the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

- H. On a monthly basis, Contractor shall submit to Engineer a complete list of all Subcontractors and Suppliers having a direct contract with Contractor, and of all other Subcontractors and Suppliers known to Contractor at the time of submittal.
- I. Contractor shall be solely responsible for scheduling and coordinating the work of Subcontractors and Suppliers.
- J. The divisions and sections of the Specifications and the identifications of any Drawings do not control Contractor in dividing the Work among Subcontractors or Suppliers, or in delineating the Work to be performed by any specific trade.
- K. All Work performed for Contractor by a Subcontractor or Supplier must be pursuant to an appropriate contractual agreement that specifically binds the Subcontractor or Supplier to the applicable terms and conditions of the Contract for the benefit of Owner and Engineer.
- L. Owner may furnish to any Subcontractor or Supplier, to the extent practicable, information about amounts paid to Contractor for Work performed for Contractor by the Subcontractor or Supplier.
- M. Contractor shall restrict all Subcontractors and Suppliers from communicating with Engineer or Owner, except through Contractor or in case of an emergency, or as otherwise expressly allowed in this Contract.

7.08 *Patent Fees and Royalties*

- A. Contractor shall pay all license fees and royalties and assume all costs incident to the use in the performance of the Work or the incorporation in the Work of any invention, design, process, product, or device which is the subject of patent rights or copyrights held by others. If an invention, design, process, product, or device is specified in the Contract Documents for use in the performance of the Work and if, to the actual knowledge of Owner or Engineer, its use is subject to patent rights or copyrights calling for the payment of any license fee or royalty to others, the existence of such rights will be disclosed in the Contract Documents.
- B. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, Owner shall indemnify and hold harmless Contractor, and its officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors, from and against all claims, costs, losses, and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals, and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolution costs) arising out of or relating to any infringement of patent rights or copyrights incident to the use in the performance of the Work or resulting from the incorporation in the Work of any invention, design, process, product, or device specified in the Contract Documents, but not identified as being subject to payment of any license fee or royalty to others required by patent rights or copyrights.
- C. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors of each and any of them, from and against all claims, costs, losses, and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolution costs) arising out of or relating to any infringement of patent rights or copyrights incident to the use in the performance of the Work or resulting from the incorporation in the Work of any invention, design, process, product, or device not specified in the Contract Documents.

7.09 *Permits*

- A. Unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, Contractor shall obtain and pay for all construction permits, licenses, and certificates of occupancy. Owner shall assist Contractor, when necessary, in obtaining such permits and licenses. Contractor shall pay all governmental charges and inspection fees necessary for the prosecution of the Work which are applicable at the time of the submission of Contractor's Bid (or when Contractor became bound under a negotiated contract). Owner shall pay all charges of utility owners for connections for providing permanent service to the Work.

7.10 *Taxes*

- A. Contractor shall pay all sales, consumer, use, and other similar taxes required to be paid by Contractor in accordance with the Laws and Regulations of the place of the Project which are applicable during the performance of the Work.

7.11 *Laws and Regulations*

- A. Contractor shall give all notices required by and shall comply with all Laws and Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work. Neither Owner nor Engineer shall be responsible for monitoring Contractor's compliance with any Laws or Regulations.
- B. If Contractor performs any Work or takes any other action knowing or having reason to know that it is contrary to Laws or Regulations, Contractor shall bear all resulting costs and losses, and shall indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors of each and any of them, from and against all claims, costs, losses, and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolution costs) arising out of or relating to such Work or other action. It is not Contractor's responsibility to make certain that the Work described in the Contract Documents is in accordance with Laws and Regulations, but this does not relieve Contractor of its obligations under Paragraph 3.03.
- C. Owner or Contractor may give written notice to the other party of any changes after the submission of Contractor's Bid (or after the date when Contractor became bound under a negotiated contract) in Laws or Regulations having an effect on the cost or time of performance of the Work, including but not limited to changes in Laws or Regulations having an effect on procuring permits and on sales, use, value-added, consumption, and other similar taxes. If Owner and Contractor are unable to agree on entitlement to or on the amount or extent, if any, of any adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times resulting from such changes, then within 30 days of such written notice Contractor may submit a Change Proposal, or Owner may initiate a Claim.

7.12 *Record Documents*

- A. Contractor shall maintain in a safe place at the Site one printed record copy of all Drawings, Specifications, Addenda, Change Orders, Work Change Directives, Field Orders, written interpretations and clarifications, and approved Shop Drawings. Contractor shall keep such record documents in good order and annotate them to show changes made during construction. These record documents, together with all approved Samples, will be available to Engineer for reference. Upon completion of the Work, Contractor shall deliver these record documents to Engineer.

7.13 *Safety and Protection*

- A. Contractor shall be solely responsible for initiating, maintaining, and supervising all safety precautions and programs in connection with the Work. Such responsibility does not relieve Subcontractors of their responsibility for the safety of persons or property in the performance of their work, nor for compliance with applicable safety Laws and Regulations.
- B. Contractor shall designate a qualified and experienced safety representative whose duties and responsibilities are the prevention of Work-related accidents and the maintenance and supervision of safety precautions and programs.
- C. Contractor shall take all necessary precautions for the safety of, and shall provide the necessary protection to prevent damage, injury, or loss to:
 - 1. all persons on the Site or who may be affected by the Work;
 - 2. all the Work and materials and equipment to be incorporated therein, whether in storage on or off the Site; and
 - 3. other property at the Site or adjacent thereto, including trees, shrubs, lawns, walks, pavements, roadways, structures, other work in progress, utilities, and Underground Facilities not designated for removal, relocation, or replacement in the course of construction.
- D. All damage, injury, or loss to any property referred to in Paragraph 7.13.C.2 or 7.13.C.3 caused, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, by Contractor, any Subcontractor, Supplier, or any other individual or entity directly or indirectly employed by any of them to perform any of the Work, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, shall be remedied by Contractor at its expense (except damage or loss attributable to the fault of Drawings or Specifications or to the acts or omissions of Owner or Engineer or anyone employed by any of them, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, and not attributable, directly or indirectly, in whole or in part, to the fault or negligence of Contractor or any Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity directly or indirectly employed by any of them).
- E. Contractor shall comply with all applicable Laws and Regulations relating to the safety of persons or property, or to the protection of persons or property from damage, injury, or loss; and shall erect and maintain all necessary safeguards for such safety and protection.
- F. Contractor shall notify Owner; the owners of adjacent property; the owners of Underground Facilities and other utilities (if the identity of such owners is known to Contractor); and other contractors and utility owners performing work at or adjacent to the Site, in writing, when Contractor knows that prosecution of the Work may affect them, and shall cooperate with them in the protection, removal, relocation, and replacement of their property or work in progress.
- G. Contractor shall comply with the applicable requirements of Owner's safety programs, if any. Any Owner's safety programs that are applicable to the Work are identified or included in the Supplementary Conditions or Specifications.
- H. Contractor shall inform Owner and Engineer of the specific requirements of Contractor's safety program with which Owner's and Engineer's employees and representatives must comply while at the Site.

- I. Contractor's duties and responsibilities for safety and protection will continue until all the Work is completed, Engineer has issued a written notice to Owner and Contractor in accordance with Paragraph 15.06.C that the Work is acceptable, and Contractor has left the Site (except as otherwise expressly provided in connection with Substantial Completion).
- J. Contractor's duties and responsibilities for safety and protection will resume whenever Contractor or any Subcontractor or Supplier returns to the Site to fulfill warranty or correction obligations, or to conduct other tasks arising from the Contract Documents.

7.14 *Hazard Communication Programs*

- A. Contractor shall be responsible for coordinating any exchange of safety data sheets (formerly known as material safety data sheets) or other hazard communication information required to be made available to or exchanged between or among employers at the Site in accordance with Laws or Regulations.

7.15 *Emergencies*

- A. In emergencies affecting the safety or protection of persons or the Work or property at the Site or adjacent thereto, Contractor is obligated to act to prevent damage, injury, or loss. Contractor shall give Engineer prompt written notice if Contractor believes that any significant changes in the Work or variations from the Contract Documents have been caused by an emergency, or are required as a result of Contractor's response to an emergency. If Engineer determines that a change in the Contract Documents is required because of an emergency or Contractor's response, a Work Change Directive or Change Order will be issued.

7.16 *Submittals*

A. *Shop Drawing and Sample Requirements*

- 1. Before submitting a Shop Drawing or Sample, Contractor shall:
 - a. review and coordinate the Shop Drawing or Sample with other Shop Drawings and Samples and with the requirements of the Work and the Contract Documents;
 - b. determine and verify:
 - 1) all field measurements, quantities, dimensions, specified performance and design criteria, installation requirements, materials, catalog numbers, and similar information with respect to the Submittal;
 - 2) the suitability of all materials and equipment offered with respect to the indicated application, fabrication, shipping, handling, storage, assembly, and installation pertaining to the performance of the Work; and
 - 3) all information relative to Contractor's responsibilities for means, methods, techniques, sequences, and procedures of construction, and safety precautions and programs incident thereto;
 - c. confirm that the Submittal is complete with respect to all related data included in the Submittal.
- 2. Each Shop Drawing or Sample must bear a stamp or specific written certification that Contractor has satisfied Contractor's obligations under the Contract Documents with respect to Contractor's review of that Submittal, and that Contractor approves the Submittal.

3. With each Shop Drawing or Sample, Contractor shall give Engineer specific written notice of any variations that the Submittal may have from the requirements of the Contract Documents. This notice must be set forth in a written communication separate from the Submittal; and, in addition, in the case of a Shop Drawing by a specific notation made on the Shop Drawing itself.
- B. *Submittal Procedures for Shop Drawings and Samples:* Contractor shall label and submit Shop Drawings and Samples to Engineer for review and approval in accordance with the accepted Schedule of Submittals.
1. *Shop Drawings*
 - a. Contractor shall submit the number of copies required in the Specifications.
 - b. Data shown on the Shop Drawings must be complete with respect to quantities, dimensions, specified performance and design criteria, materials, and similar data to show Engineer the services, materials, and equipment Contractor proposes to provide, and to enable Engineer to review the information for the limited purposes required by Paragraph 7.16.C.
 2. *Samples*
 - a. Contractor shall submit the number of Samples required in the Specifications.
 - b. Contractor shall clearly identify each Sample as to material, Supplier, pertinent data such as catalog numbers, the use for which intended and other data as Engineer may require to enable Engineer to review the Submittal for the limited purposes required by Paragraph 7.16.C.
 3. Where a Shop Drawing or Sample is required by the Contract Documents or the Schedule of Submittals, any related Work performed prior to Engineer's review and approval of the pertinent submittal will be at the sole expense and responsibility of Contractor.
- C. *Engineer's Review of Shop Drawings and Samples*
1. Engineer will provide timely review of Shop Drawings and Samples in accordance with the accepted Schedule of Submittals. Engineer's review and approval will be only to determine if the items covered by the Submittals will, after installation or incorporation in the Work, comply with the requirements of the Contract Documents, and be compatible with the design concept of the completed Project as a functioning whole as indicated by the Contract Documents.
 2. Engineer's review and approval will not extend to means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or to safety precautions or programs incident thereto.
 3. Engineer's review and approval of a separate item as such will not indicate approval of the assembly in which the item functions.
 4. Engineer's review and approval of a Shop Drawing or Sample will not relieve Contractor from responsibility for any variation from the requirements of the Contract Documents unless Contractor has complied with the requirements of Paragraph 7.16.A.3 and Engineer has given written approval of each such variation by specific written notation thereof incorporated in or accompanying the Shop Drawing or Sample. Engineer will

document any such approved variation from the requirements of the Contract Documents in a Field Order or other appropriate Contract modification.

5. Engineer's review and approval of a Shop Drawing or Sample will not relieve Contractor from responsibility for complying with the requirements of Paragraphs 7.16.A and B.
6. Engineer's review and approval of a Shop Drawing or Sample, or of a variation from the requirements of the Contract Documents, will not, under any circumstances, change the Contract Times or Contract Price, unless such changes are included in a Change Order.
7. Neither Engineer's receipt, review, acceptance, or approval of a Shop Drawing or Sample will result in such item becoming a Contract Document.
8. Contractor shall perform the Work in compliance with the requirements and commitments set forth in approved Shop Drawings and Samples, subject to the provisions of Paragraph 7.16.C.4.

D. Resubmittal Procedures for Shop Drawings and Samples

1. Contractor shall make corrections required by Engineer and shall return the required number of corrected copies of Shop Drawings and submit, as required, new Samples for review and approval. Contractor shall direct specific attention in writing to revisions other than the corrections called for by Engineer on previous Submittals.
2. Contractor shall furnish required Shop Drawing and Sample submittals with sufficient information and accuracy to obtain required approval of an item with no more than two resubmittals. Engineer will record Engineer's time for reviewing a third or subsequent resubmittal of a Shop Drawing or Sample, and Contractor shall be responsible for Engineer's charges to Owner for such time. Owner may impose a set-off against payments due Contractor to secure reimbursement for such charges.
3. If Contractor requests a change of a previously approved Shop Drawing or Sample, Contractor shall be responsible for Engineer's charges to Owner for its review time, and Owner may impose a set-off against payments due Contractor to secure reimbursement for such charges, unless the need for such change is beyond the control of Contractor.

E. Submittals Other than Shop Drawings, Samples, and Owner-Delegated Designs

1. The following provisions apply to all Submittals other than Shop Drawings, Samples, and Owner-delegated designs:
 - a. Contractor shall submit all such Submittals to the Engineer in accordance with the Schedule of Submittals and pursuant to the applicable terms of the Contract Documents.
 - b. Engineer will provide timely review of all such Submittals in accordance with the Schedule of Submittals and return such Submittals with a notation of either Accepted or Not Accepted. Any such Submittal that is not returned within the time established in the Schedule of Submittals will be deemed accepted.
 - c. Engineer's review will be only to determine if the Submittal is acceptable under the requirements of the Contract Documents as to general form and content of the Submittal.

- d. If any such Submittal is not accepted, Contractor shall confer with Engineer regarding the reason for the non-acceptance, and resubmit an acceptable document.
 2. Procedures for the submittal and acceptance of the Progress Schedule, the Schedule of Submittals, and the Schedule of Values are set forth in Paragraphs 2.03, 2.04, and 2.05.
- F. Owner-delegated Designs: Submittals pursuant to Owner-delegated designs are governed by the provisions of Paragraph 7.19.

7.17 Contractor's General Warranty and Guarantee

- A. Contractor warrants and guarantees to Owner that all Work will be in accordance with the Contract Documents and will not be defective. Engineer is entitled to rely on Contractor's warranty and guarantee.
- B. Owner's rights under this warranty and guarantee are in addition to, and are not limited by, Owner's rights under the correction period provisions of Paragraph 15.08. The time in which Owner may enforce its warranty and guarantee rights under this Paragraph 7.17 is limited only by applicable Laws and Regulations restricting actions to enforce such rights; provided, however, that after the end of the correction period under Paragraph 15.08:
1. Owner shall give Contractor written notice of any defective Work within 60 days of the discovery that such Work is defective; and
 2. Such notice will be deemed the start of an event giving rise to a Claim under Paragraph 12.01.B, such that any related Claim must be brought within 30 days of the notice.
- C. Contractor's warranty and guarantee hereunder excludes defects or damage caused by:
1. abuse, or improper modification, maintenance, or operation, by persons other than Contractor, Subcontractors, Suppliers, or any other individual or entity for whom Contractor is responsible; or
 2. normal wear and tear under normal usage.
- D. Contractor's obligation to perform and complete the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents is absolute. None of the following will constitute an acceptance of Work that is not in accordance with the Contract Documents, a release of Contractor's obligation to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents, or a release of Owner's warranty and guarantee rights under this Paragraph 7.17:
1. Observations by Engineer;
 2. Recommendation by Engineer or payment by Owner of any progress or final payment;
 3. The issuance of a certificate of Substantial Completion by Engineer or any payment related thereto by Owner;
 4. Use or occupancy of the Work or any part thereof by Owner;
 5. Any review and approval of a Shop Drawing or Sample submittal;
 6. The issuance of a notice of acceptability by Engineer;
 7. The end of the correction period established in Paragraph 15.08;
 8. Any inspection, test, or approval by others; or

9. Any correction of defective Work by Owner.
- E. If the Contract requires the Contractor to accept the assignment of a contract entered into by Owner, then the specific warranties, guarantees, and correction obligations contained in the assigned contract will govern with respect to Contractor's performance obligations to Owner for the Work described in the assigned contract.

7.18 *Indemnification*

- A. To the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, and in addition to any other obligations of Contractor under the Contract or otherwise, Contractor shall indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors of each and any of them, from losses, damages, costs, and judgments (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals, and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolution costs) arising from third-party claims or actions relating to or resulting from the performance or furnishing of the Work, provided that any such claim, action, loss, cost, judgment or damage is attributable to bodily injury, sickness, disease, or death, or to damage to or destruction of tangible property (other than the Work itself), including the loss of use resulting therefrom, but only to the extent caused by any negligent act or omission of Contractor, any Subcontractor, any Supplier, or any individual or entity directly or indirectly employed by any of them to perform any of the Work, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable.
- B. In any and all claims against Owner or Engineer, or any of their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors, by any employee (or the survivor or personal representative of such employee) of Contractor, any Subcontractor, any Supplier, or any individual or entity directly or indirectly employed by any of them to perform any of the Work, or anyone for whose acts any of them may be liable, the indemnification obligation under Paragraph 7.18.A will not be limited in any way by any limitation on the amount or type of damages, compensation, or benefits payable by or for Contractor or any such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other individual or entity under workers' compensation acts, disability benefit acts, or other employee benefit acts.

7.19 *Delegation of Professional Design Services*

- A. Owner may require Contractor to provide professional design services for a portion of the Work by express delegation in the Contract Documents. Such delegation will specify the performance and design criteria that such services must satisfy, and the Submittals that Contractor must furnish to Engineer with respect to the Owner-delegated design.
- B. Contractor shall cause such Owner-delegated professional design services to be provided pursuant to the professional standard of care by a properly licensed design professional, whose signature and seal must appear on all drawings, calculations, specifications, certifications, and Submittals prepared by such design professional. Such design professional must issue all certifications of design required by Laws and Regulations.
- C. If a Shop Drawing or other Submittal related to the Owner-delegated design is prepared by Contractor, a Subcontractor, or others for submittal to Engineer, then such Shop Drawing or other Submittal must bear the written approval of Contractor's design professional when submitted by Contractor to Engineer.

- D. Owner and Engineer shall be entitled to rely upon the adequacy, accuracy, and completeness of the services, certifications, and approvals performed or provided by the design professionals retained or employed by Contractor under an Owner-delegated design, subject to the professional standard of care and the performance and design criteria stated in the Contract Documents.
- E. Pursuant to this Paragraph 7.19, Engineer's review, approval, and other determinations regarding design drawings, calculations, specifications, certifications, and other Submittals furnished by Contractor pursuant to an Owner-delegated design will be only for the following limited purposes:
 - 1. Checking for conformance with the requirements of this Paragraph 7.19;
 - 2. Confirming that Contractor (through its design professionals) has used the performance and design criteria specified in the Contract Documents; and
 - 3. Establishing that the design furnished by Contractor is consistent with the design concept expressed in the Contract Documents.
- F. Contractor shall not be responsible for the adequacy of performance or design criteria specified by Owner or Engineer.
- G. Contractor is not required to provide professional services in violation of applicable Laws and Regulations.

ARTICLE 8—OTHER WORK AT THE SITE

8.01 *Other Work*

- A. In addition to and apart from the Work under the Contract Documents, the Owner may perform other work at or adjacent to the Site. Such other work may be performed by Owner's employees, or through contracts between the Owner and third parties. Owner may also arrange to have third-party utility owners perform work on their utilities and facilities at or adjacent to the Site.
- B. If Owner performs other work at or adjacent to the Site with Owner's employees, or through contracts for such other work, then Owner shall give Contractor written notice thereof prior to starting any such other work. If Owner has advance information regarding the start of any third-party utility work that Owner has arranged to take place at or adjacent to the Site, Owner shall provide such information to Contractor.
- C. Contractor shall afford proper and safe access to the Site to each contractor that performs such other work, each utility owner performing other work, and Owner, if Owner is performing other work with Owner's employees, and provide a reasonable opportunity for the introduction and storage of materials and equipment and the execution of such other work.
- D. Contractor shall do all cutting, fitting, and patching of the Work that may be required to properly connect or otherwise make its several parts come together and properly integrate with such other work. Contractor shall not endanger any work of others by cutting, excavating, or otherwise altering such work; provided, however, that Contractor may cut or alter others' work with the written consent of Engineer and the others whose work will be affected.

- E. If the proper execution or results of any part of Contractor's Work depends upon work performed by others, Contractor shall inspect such other work and promptly report to Engineer in writing any delays, defects, or deficiencies in such other work that render it unavailable or unsuitable for the proper execution and results of Contractor's Work. Contractor's failure to so report will constitute an acceptance of such other work as fit and proper for integration with Contractor's Work except for latent defects and deficiencies in such other work.
- F. The provisions of this article are not applicable to work that is performed by third-party utilities or other third-party entities without a contract with Owner, or that is performed without having been arranged by Owner. If such work occurs, then any related delay, disruption, or interference incurred by Contractor is governed by the provisions of Paragraph 4.05.C.3.

8.02 *Coordination*

- A. If Owner intends to contract with others for the performance of other work at or adjacent to the Site, to perform other work at or adjacent to the Site with Owner's employees, or to arrange to have utility owners perform work at or adjacent to the Site, the following will be set forth in the Supplementary Conditions or provided to Contractor prior to the start of any such other work:
 - 1. The identity of the individual or entity that will have authority and responsibility for coordination of the activities among the various contractors;
 - 2. An itemization of the specific matters to be covered by such authority and responsibility; and
 - 3. The extent of such authority and responsibilities.
- B. Unless otherwise provided in the Supplementary Conditions, Owner shall have sole authority and responsibility for such coordination.

8.03 *Legal Relationships*

- A. If, in the course of performing other work for Owner at or adjacent to the Site, the Owner's employees, any other contractor working for Owner, or any utility owner that Owner has arranged to perform work, causes damage to the Work or to the property of Contractor or its Subcontractors, or delays, disrupts, interferes with, or increases the scope or cost of the performance of the Work, through actions or inaction, then Contractor shall be entitled to an equitable adjustment in the Contract Price or the Contract Times. Contractor must submit any Change Proposal seeking an equitable adjustment in the Contract Price or the Contract Times under this paragraph within 30 days of the damaging, delaying, disrupting, or interfering event. The entitlement to, and extent of, any such equitable adjustment will take into account information (if any) regarding such other work that was provided to Contractor in the Contract Documents prior to the submittal of the Bid or the final negotiation of the terms of the Contract, and any remedies available to Contractor under Laws or Regulations concerning utility action or inaction. When applicable, any such equitable adjustment in Contract Price will be conditioned on Contractor assigning to Owner all Contractor's rights against such other contractor or utility owner with respect to the damage, delay, disruption, or interference that is the subject of the adjustment. Contractor's entitlement to an adjustment of the Contract Times or Contract Price is subject to the provisions of Paragraphs 4.05.D and 4.05.E.

- B. Contractor shall take reasonable and customary measures to avoid damaging, delaying, disrupting, or interfering with the work of Owner, any other contractor, or any utility owner performing other work at or adjacent to the Site.
 - 1. If Contractor fails to take such measures and as a result damages, delays, disrupts, or interferes with the work of any such other contractor or utility owner, then Owner may impose a set-off against payments due Contractor, and assign to such other contractor or utility owner the Owner's contractual rights against Contractor with respect to the breach of the obligations set forth in this Paragraph 8.03.B.
 - 2. When Owner is performing other work at or adjacent to the Site with Owner's employees, Contractor shall be liable to Owner for damage to such other work, and for the reasonable direct delay, disruption, and interference costs incurred by Owner as a result of Contractor's failure to take reasonable and customary measures with respect to Owner's other work. In response to such damage, delay, disruption, or interference, Owner may impose a set-off against payments due Contractor.
- C. If Contractor damages, delays, disrupts, or interferes with the work of any other contractor, or any utility owner performing other work at or adjacent to the Site, through Contractor's failure to take reasonable and customary measures to avoid such impacts, or if any claim arising out of Contractor's actions, inactions, or negligence in performance of the Work at or adjacent to the Site is made by any such other contractor or utility owner against Contractor, Owner, or Engineer, then Contractor shall (1) promptly attempt to settle the claim as to all parties through negotiations with such other contractor or utility owner, or otherwise resolve the claim by arbitration or other dispute resolution proceeding or at law, and (2) indemnify and hold harmless Owner and Engineer, and the officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants and subcontractors of each and any of them from and against any such claims, and against all costs, losses, and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolution costs) arising out of or relating to such damage, delay, disruption, or interference.

ARTICLE 9—OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

9.01 *Communications to Contractor*

- A. Except as otherwise provided in these General Conditions, Owner shall issue all communications to Contractor through Engineer.

9.02 *Replacement of Engineer*

- A. Owner may at its discretion appoint an engineer to replace Engineer, provided Contractor makes no reasonable objection to the replacement engineer. The replacement engineer's status under the Contract Documents will be that of the former Engineer.

9.03 *Furnish Data*

- A. Owner shall promptly furnish the data required of Owner under the Contract Documents.

9.04 *Pay When Due*

- A. Owner shall make payments to Contractor when they are due as provided in the Agreement.

- 9.05 *Lands and Easements; Reports, Tests, and Drawings*
- A. Owner's duties with respect to providing lands and easements are set forth in Paragraph 5.01.
 - B. Owner's duties with respect to providing engineering surveys to establish reference points are set forth in Paragraph 4.03.
 - C. Article 5 refers to Owner's identifying and making available to Contractor copies of reports of explorations and tests of conditions at the Site, and drawings of physical conditions relating to existing surface or subsurface structures at the Site.
- 9.06 *Insurance*
- A. Owner's responsibilities, if any, with respect to purchasing and maintaining liability and property insurance are set forth in Article 6.
- 9.07 *Change Orders*
- A. Owner's responsibilities with respect to Change Orders are set forth in Article 11.
- 9.08 *Inspections, Tests, and Approvals*
- A. Owner's responsibility with respect to certain inspections, tests, and approvals is set forth in Paragraph 14.02.B.
- 9.09 *Limitations on Owner's Responsibilities*
- A. The Owner shall not supervise, direct, or have control or authority over, nor be responsible for, Contractor's means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or the safety precautions and programs incident thereto, or for any failure of Contractor to comply with Laws and Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work. Owner will not be responsible for Contractor's failure to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- 9.10 *Undisclosed Hazardous Environmental Condition*
- A. Owner's responsibility in respect to an undisclosed Hazardous Environmental Condition is set forth in Paragraph 5.06.
- 9.11 *Evidence of Financial Arrangements*
- A. Upon request of Contractor, Owner shall furnish Contractor reasonable evidence that financial arrangements have been made to satisfy Owner's obligations under the Contract (including obligations under proposed changes in the Work).
- 9.12 *Safety Programs*
- A. While at the Site, Owner's employees and representatives shall comply with the specific applicable requirements of Contractor's safety programs of which Owner has been informed.
 - B. Owner shall furnish copies of any applicable Owner safety programs to Contractor.

ARTICLE 10—ENGINEER'S STATUS DURING CONSTRUCTION

10.01 *Owner's Representative*

- A. Engineer will be Owner's representative during the construction period. The duties and responsibilities and the limitations of authority of Engineer as Owner's representative during construction are set forth in the Contract.

10.02 *Visits to Site*

- A. Engineer will make visits to the Site at intervals appropriate to the various stages of construction as Engineer deems necessary in order to observe, as an experienced and qualified design professional, the progress that has been made and the quality of the various aspects of Contractor's executed Work. Based on information obtained during such visits and observations, Engineer, for the benefit of Owner, will determine, in general, if the Work is proceeding in accordance with the Contract Documents. Engineer will not be required to make exhaustive or continuous inspections on the Site to check the quality or quantity of the Work. Engineer's efforts will be directed toward providing for Owner a greater degree of confidence that the completed Work will conform generally to the Contract Documents. On the basis of such visits and observations, Engineer will keep Owner informed of the progress of the Work and will endeavor to guard Owner against defective Work.
- B. Engineer's visits and observations are subject to all the limitations on Engineer's authority and responsibility set forth in Paragraph 10.07. Particularly, but without limitation, during or as a result of Engineer's visits or observations of Contractor's Work, Engineer will not supervise, direct, control, or have authority over or be responsible for Contractor's means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or the safety precautions and programs incident thereto, or for any failure of Contractor to comply with Laws and Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work.

10.03 *Resident Project Representative*

- A. If Owner and Engineer have agreed that Engineer will furnish a Resident Project Representative to represent Engineer at the Site and assist Engineer in observing the progress and quality of the Work, then the authority and responsibilities of any such Resident Project Representative will be as provided in the Supplementary Conditions, and limitations on the responsibilities thereof will be as provided in the Supplementary Conditions and in Paragraph 10.07.
- B. If Owner designates an individual or entity who is not Engineer's consultant, agent, or employee to represent Owner at the Site, then the responsibilities and authority of such individual or entity will be as provided in the Supplementary Conditions.

10.04 *Engineer's Authority*

- A. Engineer has the authority to reject Work in accordance with Article 14.
- B. Engineer's authority as to Submittals is set forth in Paragraph 7.16.
- C. Engineer's authority as to design drawings, calculations, specifications, certifications and other Submittals from Contractor in response to Owner's delegation (if any) to Contractor of professional design services, is set forth in Paragraph 7.19.
- D. Engineer's authority as to changes in the Work is set forth in Article 11.

E. Engineer's authority as to Applications for Payment is set forth in Article 15.

10.05 *Determinations for Unit Price Work*

A. Engineer will determine the actual quantities and classifications of Unit Price Work performed by Contractor as set forth in Paragraph 13.03.

10.06 *Decisions on Requirements of Contract Documents and Acceptability of Work*

A. Engineer will render decisions regarding the requirements of the Contract Documents, and judge the acceptability of the Work, pursuant to the specific procedures set forth herein for initial interpretations, Change Proposals, and acceptance of the Work. In rendering such decisions and judgments, Engineer will not show partiality to Owner or Contractor, and will not be liable to Owner, Contractor, or others in connection with any proceedings, interpretations, decisions, or judgments conducted or rendered in good faith.

10.07 *Limitations on Engineer's Authority and Responsibilities*

A. Neither Engineer's authority or responsibility under this Article 10 or under any other provision of the Contract, nor any decision made by Engineer in good faith either to exercise or not exercise such authority or responsibility or the undertaking, exercise, or performance of any authority or responsibility by Engineer, will create, impose, or give rise to any duty in contract, tort, or otherwise owed by Engineer to Contractor, any Subcontractor, any Supplier, any other individual or entity, or to any surety for or employee or agent of any of them.

B. Engineer will not supervise, direct, control, or have authority over or be responsible for Contractor's means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or the safety precautions and programs incident thereto, or for any failure of Contractor to comply with Laws and Regulations applicable to the performance of the Work. Engineer will not be responsible for Contractor's failure to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents.

C. Engineer will not be responsible for the acts or omissions of Contractor or of any Subcontractor, any Supplier, or of any other individual or entity performing any of the Work.

D. Engineer's review of the final Application for Payment and accompanying documentation, and all maintenance and operating instructions, schedules, guarantees, bonds, certificates of inspection, tests and approvals, and other documentation required to be delivered by Contractor under Paragraph 15.06.A, will only be to determine generally that their content complies with the requirements of, and in the case of certificates of inspections, tests, and approvals, that the results certified indicate compliance with the Contract Documents.

E. The limitations upon authority and responsibility set forth in this Paragraph 10.07 also apply to the Resident Project Representative, if any.

10.08 *Compliance with Safety Program*

A. While at the Site, Engineer's employees and representatives will comply with the specific applicable requirements of Owner's and Contractor's safety programs of which Engineer has been informed.

ARTICLE 11—CHANGES TO THE CONTRACT

11.01 *Amending and Supplementing the Contract*

- A. The Contract may be amended or supplemented by a Change Order, a Work Change Directive, or a Field Order.
- B. If an amendment or supplement to the Contract includes a change in the Contract Price or the Contract Times, such amendment or supplement must be set forth in a Change Order.
- C. All changes to the Contract that involve (1) the performance or acceptability of the Work, (2) the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise), or (3) other engineering or technical matters, must be supported by Engineer's recommendation. Owner and Contractor may amend other terms and conditions of the Contract without the recommendation of the Engineer.

11.02 *Change Orders*

- A. Owner and Contractor shall execute appropriate Change Orders covering:
 - 1. Changes in Contract Price or Contract Times which are agreed to by the parties, including any undisputed sum or amount of time for Work actually performed in accordance with a Work Change Directive;
 - 2. Changes in Contract Price resulting from an Owner set-off, unless Contractor has duly contested such set-off;
 - 3. Changes in the Work which are: (a) ordered by Owner pursuant to Paragraph 11.05, (b) required because of Owner's acceptance of defective Work under Paragraph 14.04 or Owner's correction of defective Work under Paragraph 14.07, or (c) agreed to by the parties, subject to the need for Engineer's recommendation if the change in the Work involves the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise) or other engineering or technical matters; and
 - 4. Changes that embody the substance of any final and binding results under: Paragraph 11.03.B, resolving the impact of a Work Change Directive; Paragraph 11.09, concerning Change Proposals; Article 12, Claims; Paragraph 13.02.D, final adjustments resulting from allowances; Paragraph 13.03.D, final adjustments relating to determination of quantities for Unit Price Work; and similar provisions.
- B. If Owner or Contractor refuses to execute a Change Order that is required to be executed under the terms of Paragraph 11.02.A, it will be deemed to be of full force and effect, as if fully executed.

11.03 *Work Change Directives*

- A. A Work Change Directive will not change the Contract Price or the Contract Times but is evidence that the parties expect that the modification ordered or documented by a Work Change Directive will be incorporated in a subsequently issued Change Order, following negotiations by the parties as to the Work Change Directive's effect, if any, on the Contract Price and Contract Times; or, if negotiations are unsuccessful, by a determination under the terms of the Contract Documents governing adjustments, expressly including Paragraph 11.07 regarding change of Contract Price.

- B. If Owner has issued a Work Change Directive and:
 - 1. Contractor believes that an adjustment in Contract Times or Contract Price is necessary, then Contractor shall submit any Change Proposal seeking such an adjustment no later than 30 days after the completion of the Work set out in the Work Change Directive.
 - 2. Owner believes that an adjustment in Contract Times or Contract Price is necessary, then Owner shall submit any Claim seeking such an adjustment no later than 60 days after issuance of the Work Change Directive.

11.04 *Field Orders*

- A. Engineer may authorize minor changes in the Work if the changes do not involve an adjustment in the Contract Price or the Contract Times and are compatible with the design concept of the completed Project as a functioning whole as indicated by the Contract Documents. Such changes will be accomplished by a Field Order and will be binding on Owner and also on Contractor, which shall perform the Work involved promptly.
- B. If Contractor believes that a Field Order justifies an adjustment in the Contract Price or Contract Times, then before proceeding with the Work at issue, Contractor shall submit a Change Proposal as provided herein.

11.05 *Owner-Authorized Changes in the Work*

- A. Without invalidating the Contract and without notice to any surety, Owner may, at any time or from time to time, order additions, deletions, or revisions in the Work. Changes involving the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise) or other engineering or technical matters will be supported by Engineer's recommendation.
- B. Such changes in the Work may be accomplished by a Change Order, if Owner and Contractor have agreed as to the effect, if any, of the changes on Contract Times or Contract Price; or by a Work Change Directive. Upon receipt of any such document, Contractor shall promptly proceed with the Work involved; or, in the case of a deletion in the Work, promptly cease construction activities with respect to such deleted Work. Added or revised Work must be performed under the applicable conditions of the Contract Documents.
- C. Nothing in this Paragraph 11.05 obligates Contractor to undertake work that Contractor reasonably concludes cannot be performed in a manner consistent with Contractor's safety obligations under the Contract Documents or Laws and Regulations.

11.06 *Unauthorized Changes in the Work*

- A. Contractor shall not be entitled to an increase in the Contract Price or an extension of the Contract Times with respect to any work performed that is not required by the Contract Documents, as amended, modified, or supplemented, except in the case of an emergency as provided in Paragraph 7.15 or in the case of uncovering Work as provided in Paragraph 14.05.C.2.

11.07 *Change of Contract Price*

- A. The Contract Price may only be changed by a Change Order. Any Change Proposal for an adjustment in the Contract Price must comply with the provisions of Paragraph 11.09. Any Claim for an adjustment of Contract Price must comply with the provisions of Article 12.
- B. An adjustment in the Contract Price will be determined as follows:

1. Where the Work involved is covered by unit prices contained in the Contract Documents, then by application of such unit prices to the quantities of the items involved (subject to the provisions of Paragraph 13.03);
 2. Where the Work involved is not covered by unit prices contained in the Contract Documents, then by a mutually agreed lump sum (which may include an allowance for overhead and profit not necessarily in accordance with Paragraph 11.07.C.2); or
 3. Where the Work involved is not covered by unit prices contained in the Contract Documents and the parties do not reach mutual agreement to a lump sum, then on the basis of the Cost of the Work (determined as provided in Paragraph 13.01) plus a Contractor's fee for overhead and profit (determined as provided in Paragraph 11.07.C).
- C. *Contractor's Fee:* When applicable, the Contractor's fee for overhead and profit will be determined as follows:
1. A mutually acceptable fixed fee; or
 2. If a fixed fee is not agreed upon, then a fee based on the following percentages of the various portions of the Cost of the Work:
 - a. For costs incurred under Paragraphs 13.01.B.1 and 13.01.B.2, the Contractor's fee will be 15 percent;
 - b. For costs incurred under Paragraph 13.01.B.3, the Contractor's fee will be 5 percent;
 - c. Where one or more tiers of subcontracts are on the basis of Cost of the Work plus a fee and no fixed fee is agreed upon, the intent of Paragraphs 11.07.C.2.a and 11.07.C.2.b is that the Contractor's fee will be based on: (1) a fee of 15 percent of the costs incurred under Paragraphs 13.01.B.1 and 13.01.B.2 by the Subcontractor that actually performs the Work, at whatever tier, and (2) with respect to Contractor itself and to any Subcontractors of a tier higher than that of the Subcontractor that actually performs the Work, a fee of 5 percent of the amount (fee plus underlying costs incurred) attributable to the next lower tier Subcontractor; provided, however, that for any such subcontracted Work the maximum total fee to be paid by Owner will be no greater than 27 percent of the costs incurred by the Subcontractor that actually performs the Work;
 - d. No fee will be payable on the basis of costs itemized under Paragraphs 13.01.B.4, 13.01.B.5, and 13.01.C;
 - e. The amount of credit to be allowed by Contractor to Owner for any change which results in a net decrease in Cost of the Work will be the amount of the actual net decrease in Cost of the Work and a deduction of an additional amount equal to 5 percent of such actual net decrease in Cost of the Work; and
 - f. When both additions and credits are involved in any one change or Change Proposal, the adjustment in Contractor's fee will be computed by determining the sum of the costs in each of the cost categories in Paragraph 13.01.B (specifically, payroll costs, Paragraph 13.01.B.1; incorporated materials and equipment costs, Paragraph 13.01.B.2; Subcontract costs, Paragraph 13.01.B.3; special consultants costs, Paragraph 13.01.B.4; and other costs, Paragraph 13.01.B.5) and applying to each such cost category sum the appropriate fee from Paragraphs 11.07.C.2.a through 11.07.C.2.e, inclusive.

11.08 *Change of Contract Times*

- A. The Contract Times may only be changed by a Change Order. Any Change Proposal for an adjustment in the Contract Times must comply with the provisions of Paragraph 11.09. Any Claim for an adjustment in the Contract Times must comply with the provisions of Article 12.
- B. Delay, disruption, and interference in the Work, and any related changes in Contract Times, are addressed in and governed by Paragraph 4.05.

11.09 *Change Proposals*

A. *Purpose and Content:* Contractor shall submit a Change Proposal to Engineer to request an adjustment in the Contract Times or Contract Price; contest an initial decision by Engineer concerning the requirements of the Contract Documents or relating to the acceptability of the Work under the Contract Documents; challenge a set-off against payment due; or seek other relief under the Contract. The Change Proposal will specify any proposed change in Contract Times or Contract Price, or other proposed relief, and explain the reason for the proposed change, with citations to any governing or applicable provisions of the Contract Documents. Each Change Proposal will address only one issue, or a set of closely related issues.

B. *Change Proposal Procedures*

1. *Submittal:* Contractor shall submit each Change Proposal to Engineer within 30 days after the start of the event giving rise thereto, or after such initial decision.
2. *Supporting Data:* The Contractor shall submit supporting data, including the proposed change in Contract Price or Contract Time (if any), to the Engineer and Owner within 15 days after the submittal of the Change Proposal.
 - a. Change Proposals based on or related to delay, interruption, or interference must comply with the provisions of Paragraphs 4.05.D and 4.05.E.
 - b. Change proposals related to a change of Contract Price must include full and detailed accounts of materials incorporated into the Work and labor and equipment used for the subject Work.

The supporting data must be accompanied by a written statement that the supporting data are accurate and complete, and that any requested time or price adjustment is the entire adjustment to which Contractor believes it is entitled as a result of said event.

3. *Engineer's Initial Review:* Engineer will advise Owner regarding the Change Proposal, and consider any comments or response from Owner regarding the Change Proposal. If in its discretion Engineer concludes that additional supporting data is needed before conducting a full review and making a decision regarding the Change Proposal, then Engineer may request that Contractor submit such additional supporting data by a date specified by Engineer, prior to Engineer beginning its full review of the Change Proposal.
4. *Engineer's Full Review and Action on the Change Proposal:* Upon receipt of Contractor's supporting data (including any additional data requested by Engineer), Engineer will conduct a full review of each Change Proposal and, within 30 days after such receipt of the Contractor's supporting data, either approve the Change Proposal in whole, deny it in whole, or approve it in part and deny it in part. Such actions must be in writing, with a copy provided to Owner and Contractor. If Engineer does not take action on the Change

Proposal within 30 days, then either Owner or Contractor may at any time thereafter submit a letter to the other party indicating that as a result of Engineer's inaction the Change Proposal is deemed denied, thereby commencing the time for appeal of the denial under Article 12.

5. *Binding Decision*: Engineer's decision is final and binding upon Owner and Contractor, unless Owner or Contractor appeals the decision by filing a Claim under Article 12.
- C. *Resolution of Certain Change Proposals*: If the Change Proposal does not involve the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise), the acceptability of the Work, or other engineering or technical matters, then Engineer will notify the parties in writing that the Engineer is unable to resolve the Change Proposal. For purposes of further resolution of such a Change Proposal, such notice will be deemed a denial, and Contractor may choose to seek resolution under the terms of Article 12.
- D. *Post-Completion*: Contractor shall not submit any Change Proposals after Engineer issues a written recommendation of final payment pursuant to Paragraph 15.06.B.

11.10 *Notification to Surety*

- A. If the provisions of any bond require notice to be given to a surety of any change affecting the general scope of the Work or the provisions of the Contract Documents (including, but not limited to, Contract Price or Contract Times), the giving of any such notice will be Contractor's responsibility. The amount of each applicable bond will be adjusted to reflect the effect of any such change.

ARTICLE 12—CLAIMS

12.01 *Claims*

- A. *Claims Process*: The following disputes between Owner and Contractor are subject to the Claims process set forth in this article:
 1. Appeals by Owner or Contractor of Engineer's decisions regarding Change Proposals;
 2. Owner demands for adjustments in the Contract Price or Contract Times, or other relief under the Contract Documents;
 3. Disputes that Engineer has been unable to address because they do not involve the design (as set forth in the Drawings, Specifications, or otherwise), the acceptability of the Work, or other engineering or technical matters; and
 4. Subject to the waiver provisions of Paragraph 15.07, any dispute arising after Engineer has issued a written recommendation of final payment pursuant to Paragraph 15.06.B.
- B. *Submittal of Claim*: The party submitting a Claim shall deliver it directly to the other party to the Contract promptly (but in no event later than 30 days) after the start of the event giving rise thereto; in the case of appeals regarding Change Proposals within 30 days of the decision under appeal. The party submitting the Claim shall also furnish a copy to the Engineer, for its information only. The responsibility to substantiate a Claim rests with the party making the Claim. In the case of a Claim by Contractor seeking an increase in the Contract Times or Contract Price, Contractor shall certify that the Claim is made in good faith, that the supporting data are accurate and complete, and that to the best of Contractor's knowledge

and belief the amount of time or money requested accurately reflects the full amount to which Contractor is entitled.

- C. *Review and Resolution*: The party receiving a Claim shall review it thoroughly, giving full consideration to its merits. The two parties shall seek to resolve the Claim through the exchange of information and direct negotiations. The parties may extend the time for resolving the Claim by mutual agreement. All actions taken on a Claim will be stated in writing and submitted to the other party, with a copy to Engineer.
- D. *Mediation*
 - 1. At any time after initiation of a Claim, Owner and Contractor may mutually agree to mediation of the underlying dispute. The agreement to mediate will stay the Claim submittal and response process.
 - 2. If Owner and Contractor agree to mediation, then after 60 days from such agreement, either Owner or Contractor may unilaterally terminate the mediation process, and the Claim submittal and decision process will resume as of the date of the termination. If the mediation proceeds but is unsuccessful in resolving the dispute, the Claim submittal and decision process will resume as of the date of the conclusion of the mediation, as determined by the mediator.
 - 3. Owner and Contractor shall each pay one-half of the mediator's fees and costs.
- E. *Partial Approval*: If the party receiving a Claim approves the Claim in part and denies it in part, such action will be final and binding unless within 30 days of such action the other party invokes the procedure set forth in Article 17 for final resolution of disputes.
- F. *Denial of Claim*: If efforts to resolve a Claim are not successful, the party receiving the Claim may deny it by giving written notice of denial to the other party. If the receiving party does not take action on the Claim within 90 days, then either Owner or Contractor may at any time thereafter submit a letter to the other party indicating that as a result of the inaction, the Claim is deemed denied, thereby commencing the time for appeal of the denial. A denial of the Claim will be final and binding unless within 30 days of the denial the other party invokes the procedure set forth in Article 17 for the final resolution of disputes.
- G. *Final and Binding Results*: If the parties reach a mutual agreement regarding a Claim, whether through approval of the Claim, direct negotiations, mediation, or otherwise; or if a Claim is approved in part and denied in part, or denied in full, and such actions become final and binding; then the results of the agreement or action on the Claim will be incorporated in a Change Order or other written document to the extent they affect the Contract, including the Work, the Contract Times, or the Contract Price.

ARTICLE 13—COST OF THE WORK; ALLOWANCES; UNIT PRICE WORK

13.01 *Cost of the Work*

- A. *Purposes for Determination of Cost of the Work*: The term Cost of the Work means the sum of all costs necessary for the proper performance of the Work at issue, as further defined below. The provisions of this Paragraph 13.01 are used for two distinct purposes:
 - 1. To determine Cost of the Work when Cost of the Work is a component of the Contract Price, under cost-plus-fee, time-and-materials, or other cost-based terms; or

2. When needed to determine the value of a Change Order, Change Proposal, Claim, set-off, or other adjustment in Contract Price. When the value of any such adjustment is determined on the basis of Cost of the Work, Contractor is entitled only to those additional or incremental costs required because of the change in the Work or because of the event giving rise to the adjustment.
- B. *Costs Included:* Except as otherwise may be agreed to in writing by Owner, costs included in the Cost of the Work will be in amounts no higher than those commonly incurred in the locality of the Project, will not include any of the costs itemized in Paragraph 13.01.C, and will include only the following items:
1. Payroll costs for employees in the direct employ of Contractor in the performance of the Work under schedules of job classifications agreed upon by Owner and Contractor in advance of the subject Work. Such employees include, without limitation, superintendents, foremen, safety managers, safety representatives, and other personnel employed full time on the Work. Payroll costs for employees not employed full time on the Work will be apportioned on the basis of their time spent on the Work. Payroll costs include, but are not limited to, salaries and wages plus the cost of fringe benefits, which include social security contributions, unemployment, excise, and payroll taxes, workers' compensation, health and retirement benefits, sick leave, and vacation and holiday pay applicable thereto. The expenses of performing Work outside of regular working hours, on Saturday, Sunday, or legal holidays, will be included in the above to the extent authorized by Owner.
 2. Cost of all materials and equipment furnished and incorporated in the Work, including costs of transportation and storage thereof, and Suppliers' field services required in connection therewith. All cash discounts accrue to Contractor unless Owner deposits funds with Contractor with which to make payments, in which case the cash discounts will accrue to Owner. All trade discounts, rebates, and refunds and returns from sale of surplus materials and equipment will accrue to Owner, and Contractor shall make provisions so that they may be obtained.
 3. Payments made by Contractor to Subcontractors for Work performed by Subcontractors. If required by Owner, Contractor shall obtain competitive bids from subcontractors acceptable to Owner and Contractor and shall deliver such bids to Owner, which will then determine, with the advice of Engineer, which bids, if any, will be acceptable. If any subcontract provides that the Subcontractor is to be paid on the basis of Cost of the Work plus a fee, the Subcontractor's Cost of the Work and fee will be determined in the same manner as Contractor's Cost of the Work and fee as provided in this Paragraph 13.01.
 4. Costs of special consultants (including but not limited to engineers, architects, testing laboratories, surveyors, attorneys, and accountants) employed or retained for services specifically related to the Work.
 5. Other costs consisting of the following:
 - a. The proportion of necessary transportation, travel, and subsistence expenses of Contractor's employees incurred in discharge of duties connected with the Work.
 - b. Cost, including transportation and maintenance, of all materials, supplies, equipment, machinery, appliances, office, and temporary facilities at the Site, which are

consumed in the performance of the Work, and cost, less market value, of such items used but not consumed which remain the property of Contractor.

- 1) In establishing included costs for materials such as scaffolding, plating, or sheeting, consideration will be given to the actual or the estimated life of the material for use on other projects; or rental rates may be established on the basis of purchase or salvage value of such items, whichever is less. Contractor will not be eligible for compensation for such items in an amount that exceeds the purchase cost of such item.

c. *Construction Equipment Rental*

- 1) Rentals of all construction equipment and machinery, and the parts thereof, in accordance with rental agreements approved by Owner as to price (including any surcharge or special rates applicable to overtime use of the construction equipment or machinery), and the costs of transportation, loading, unloading, assembly, dismantling, and removal thereof. All such costs will be in accordance with the terms of said rental agreements. The rental of any such equipment, machinery, or parts must cease when the use thereof is no longer necessary for the Work.
- 2) Costs for equipment and machinery owned by Contractor or a Contractor-related entity will be paid at a rate shown for such equipment in the equipment rental rate book specified in the Supplementary Conditions. An hourly rate will be computed by dividing the monthly rates by 176. These computed rates will include all operating costs.
- 3) With respect to Work that is the result of a Change Order, Change Proposal, Claim, set-off, or other adjustment in Contract Price ("changed Work"), included costs will be based on the time the equipment or machinery is in use on the changed Work and the costs of transportation, loading, unloading, assembly, dismantling, and removal when directly attributable to the changed Work. The cost of any such equipment or machinery, or parts thereof, must cease to accrue when the use thereof is no longer necessary for the changed Work.

- d. Sales, consumer, use, and other similar taxes related to the Work, and for which Contractor is liable, as imposed by Laws and Regulations.
- e. Deposits lost for causes other than negligence of Contractor, any Subcontractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or for whose acts any of them may be liable, and royalty payments and fees for permits and licenses.
- f. Losses and damages (and related expenses) caused by damage to the Work, not compensated by insurance or otherwise, sustained by Contractor in connection with the performance of the Work (except losses and damages within the deductible amounts of builder's risk or other property insurance established in accordance with Paragraph 6.04), provided such losses and damages have resulted from causes other than the negligence of Contractor, any Subcontractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or for whose acts any of them may be liable. Such losses include settlements made with the written consent and approval of Owner. No such losses, damages, and expenses will be included in the Cost of the Work for the purpose of determining Contractor's fee.

- g. The cost of utilities, fuel, and sanitary facilities at the Site.
- h. Minor expenses such as communication service at the Site, express and courier services, and similar petty cash items in connection with the Work.
- i. The costs of premiums for all bonds and insurance that Contractor is required by the Contract Documents to purchase and maintain.

C. *Costs Excluded*: The term Cost of the Work does not include any of the following items:

- 1. Payroll costs and other compensation of Contractor's officers, executives, principals, general managers, engineers, architects, estimators, attorneys, auditors, accountants, purchasing and contracting agents, expeditors, timekeepers, clerks, and other personnel employed by Contractor, whether at the Site or in Contractor's principal or branch office for general administration of the Work and not specifically included in the agreed upon schedule of job classifications referred to in Paragraph 13.01.B.1 or specifically covered by Paragraph 13.01.B.4. The payroll costs and other compensation excluded here are to be considered administrative costs covered by the Contractor's fee.
- 2. The cost of purchasing, renting, or furnishing small tools and hand tools.
- 3. Expenses of Contractor's principal and branch offices other than Contractor's office at the Site.
- 4. Any part of Contractor's capital expenses, including interest on Contractor's capital employed for the Work and charges against Contractor for delinquent payments.
- 5. Costs due to the negligence of Contractor, any Subcontractor, or anyone directly or indirectly employed by any of them or for whose acts any of them may be liable, including but not limited to, the correction of defective Work, disposal of materials or equipment wrongly supplied, and making good any damage to property.
- 6. Expenses incurred in preparing and advancing Claims.
- 7. Other overhead or general expense costs of any kind and the costs of any item not specifically and expressly included in Paragraph 13.01.B.

D. *Contractor's Fee*

- 1. When the Work as a whole is performed on the basis of cost-plus-a-fee, then:
 - a. Contractor's fee for the Work set forth in the Contract Documents as of the Effective Date of the Contract will be determined as set forth in the Agreement.
 - b. for any Work covered by a Change Order, Change Proposal, Claim, set-off, or other adjustment in Contract Price on the basis of Cost of the Work, Contractor's fee will be determined as follows:
 - 1) When the fee for the Work as a whole is a percentage of the Cost of the Work, the fee will automatically adjust as the Cost of the Work changes.
 - 2) When the fee for the Work as a whole is a fixed fee, the fee for any additions or deletions will be determined in accordance with Paragraph 11.07.C.2.
- 2. When the Work as a whole is performed on the basis of a stipulated sum, or any other basis other than cost-plus-a-fee, then Contractor's fee for any Work covered by a Change

Order, Change Proposal, Claim, set-off, or other adjustment in Contract Price on the basis of Cost of the Work will be determined in accordance with Paragraph 11.07.C.2.

- E. *Documentation and Audit*: Whenever the Cost of the Work for any purpose is to be determined pursuant to this Article 13, Contractor and pertinent Subcontractors will establish and maintain records of the costs in accordance with generally accepted accounting practices. Subject to prior written notice, Owner will be afforded reasonable access, during normal business hours, to all Contractor's accounts, records, books, correspondence, instructions, drawings, receipts, vouchers, memoranda, and similar data relating to the Cost of the Work and Contractor's fee. Contractor shall preserve all such documents for a period of three years after the final payment by Owner. Pertinent Subcontractors will afford such access to Owner, and preserve such documents, to the same extent required of Contractor.

13.02 Allowances

- A. It is understood that Contractor has included in the Contract Price all allowances so named in the Contract Documents and shall cause the Work so covered to be performed for such sums and by such persons or entities as may be acceptable to Owner and Engineer.
- B. *Cash Allowances*: Contractor agrees that:
1. the cash allowances include the cost to Contractor (less any applicable trade discounts) of materials and equipment required by the allowances to be delivered at the Site, and all applicable taxes; and
 2. Contractor's costs for unloading and handling on the Site, labor, installation, overhead, profit, and other expenses contemplated for the cash allowances have been included in the Contract Price and not in the allowances, and no demand for additional payment for any of the foregoing will be valid.
- C. *Owner's Contingency Allowance*: Contractor agrees that an Owner's contingency allowance, if any, is for the sole use of Owner to cover unanticipated costs.
- D. Prior to final payment, an appropriate Change Order will be issued as recommended by Engineer to reflect actual amounts due Contractor for Work covered by allowances, and the Contract Price will be correspondingly adjusted.

13.03 Unit Price Work

- A. Where the Contract Documents provide that all or part of the Work is to be Unit Price Work, initially the Contract Price will be deemed to include for all Unit Price Work an amount equal to the sum of the unit price for each separately identified item of Unit Price Work times the estimated quantity of each item as indicated in the Agreement.
- B. The estimated quantities of items of Unit Price Work are not guaranteed and are solely for the purpose of comparison of Bids and determining an initial Contract Price. Payments to Contractor for Unit Price Work will be based on actual quantities.
- C. Each unit price will be deemed to include an amount considered by Contractor to be adequate to cover Contractor's overhead and profit for each separately identified item.
- D. Engineer will determine the actual quantities and classifications of Unit Price Work performed by Contractor. Engineer will review with Contractor the Engineer's preliminary determinations on such matters before rendering a written decision thereon (by recommendation of an Application for Payment or otherwise). Engineer's written decision

thereon will be final and binding (except as modified by Engineer to reflect changed factual conditions or more accurate data) upon Owner and Contractor, and the final adjustment of Contract Price will be set forth in a Change Order, subject to the provisions of the following paragraph.

E. *Adjustments in Unit Price*

1. Contractor or Owner shall be entitled to an adjustment in the unit price with respect to an item of Unit Price Work if:
 - a. the quantity of the item of Unit Price Work performed by Contractor differs materially and significantly from the estimated quantity of such item indicated in the Agreement; and
 - b. Contractor's unit costs to perform the item of Unit Price Work have changed materially and significantly as a result of the quantity change.
2. The adjustment in unit price will account for and be coordinated with any related changes in quantities of other items of Work, and in Contractor's costs to perform such other Work, such that the resulting overall change in Contract Price is equitable to Owner and Contractor.
3. Adjusted unit prices will apply to all units of that item.

ARTICLE 14—TESTS AND INSPECTIONS; CORRECTION, REMOVAL, OR ACCEPTANCE OF DEFECTIVE WORK

14.01 *Access to Work*

- A. Owner, Engineer, their consultants and other representatives and personnel of Owner, independent testing laboratories, and authorities having jurisdiction have access to the Site and the Work at reasonable times for their observation, inspection, and testing. Contractor shall provide them proper and safe conditions for such access and advise them of Contractor's safety procedures and programs so that they may comply with such procedures and programs as applicable.

14.02 *Tests, Inspections, and Approvals*

- A. Contractor shall give Engineer timely notice of readiness of the Work (or specific parts thereof) for all required inspections and tests, and shall cooperate with inspection and testing personnel to facilitate required inspections and tests.
- B. Owner shall retain and pay for the services of an independent inspector, testing laboratory, or other qualified individual or entity to perform all inspections and tests expressly required by the Contract Documents to be furnished and paid for by Owner, except that costs incurred in connection with tests or inspections of covered Work will be governed by the provisions of Paragraph 14.05.
- C. If Laws or Regulations of any public body having jurisdiction require any Work (or part thereof) specifically to be inspected, tested, or approved by an employee or other representative of such public body, Contractor shall assume full responsibility for arranging and obtaining such inspections, tests, or approvals, pay all costs in connection therewith, and furnish Engineer the required certificates of inspection or approval.

- D. Contractor shall be responsible for arranging, obtaining, and paying for all inspections and tests required:
1. by the Contract Documents, unless the Contract Documents expressly allocate responsibility for a specific inspection or test to Owner;
 2. to attain Owner's and Engineer's acceptance of materials or equipment to be incorporated in the Work;
 3. by manufacturers of equipment furnished under the Contract Documents;
 4. for testing, adjusting, and balancing of mechanical, electrical, and other equipment to be incorporated into the Work; and
 5. for acceptance of materials, mix designs, or equipment submitted for approval prior to Contractor's purchase thereof for incorporation in the Work.

Such inspections and tests will be performed by independent inspectors, testing laboratories, or other qualified individuals or entities acceptable to Owner and Engineer.

- E. If the Contract Documents require the Work (or part thereof) to be approved by Owner, Engineer, or another designated individual or entity, then Contractor shall assume full responsibility for arranging and obtaining such approvals.
- F. If any Work (or the work of others) that is to be inspected, tested, or approved is covered by Contractor without written concurrence of Engineer, Contractor shall, if requested by Engineer, uncover such Work for observation. Such uncovering will be at Contractor's expense unless Contractor had given Engineer timely notice of Contractor's intention to cover the same and Engineer had not acted with reasonable promptness in response to such notice.

14.03 *Defective Work*

- A. *Contractor's Obligation:* It is Contractor's obligation to assure that the Work is not defective.
- B. *Engineer's Authority:* Engineer has the authority to determine whether Work is defective, and to reject defective Work.
- C. *Notice of Defects:* Prompt written notice of all defective Work of which Owner or Engineer has actual knowledge will be given to Contractor.
- D. *Correction, or Removal and Replacement:* Promptly after receipt of written notice of defective Work, Contractor shall correct all such defective Work, whether or not fabricated, installed, or completed, or, if Engineer has rejected the defective Work, remove it from the Project and replace it with Work that is not defective.
- E. *Preservation of Warranties:* When correcting defective Work, Contractor shall take no action that would void or otherwise impair Owner's special warranty and guarantee, if any, on said Work.
- F. *Costs and Damages:* In addition to its correction, removal, and replacement obligations with respect to defective Work, Contractor shall pay all claims, costs, losses, and damages arising out of or relating to defective Work, including but not limited to the cost of the inspection, testing, correction, removal, replacement, or reconstruction of such defective Work, fines levied against Owner by governmental authorities because the Work is defective, and the costs of repair or replacement of work of others resulting from defective Work. Prior to final payment, if Owner and Contractor are unable to agree as to the measure of such claims, costs,

losses, and damages resulting from defective Work, then Owner may impose a reasonable set-off against payments due under Article 15.

14.04 *Acceptance of Defective Work*

- A. If, instead of requiring correction or removal and replacement of defective Work, Owner prefers to accept it, Owner may do so (subject, if such acceptance occurs prior to final payment, to Engineer's confirmation that such acceptance is in general accord with the design intent and applicable engineering principles, and will not endanger public safety). Contractor shall pay all claims, costs, losses, and damages attributable to Owner's evaluation of and determination to accept such defective Work (such costs to be approved by Engineer as to reasonableness), and for the diminished value of the Work to the extent not otherwise paid by Contractor. If any such acceptance occurs prior to final payment, the necessary revisions in the Contract Documents with respect to the Work will be incorporated in a Change Order. If the parties are unable to agree as to the decrease in the Contract Price, reflecting the diminished value of Work so accepted, then Owner may impose a reasonable set-off against payments due under Article 15. If the acceptance of defective Work occurs after final payment, Contractor shall pay an appropriate amount to Owner.

14.05 *Uncovering Work*

- A. Engineer has the authority to require additional inspection or testing of the Work, whether or not the Work is fabricated, installed, or completed.
- B. If any Work is covered contrary to the written request of Engineer, then Contractor shall, if requested by Engineer, uncover such Work for Engineer's observation, and then replace the covering, all at Contractor's expense.
- C. If Engineer considers it necessary or advisable that covered Work be observed by Engineer or inspected or tested by others, then Contractor, at Engineer's request, shall uncover, expose, or otherwise make available for observation, inspection, or testing as Engineer may require, that portion of the Work in question, and provide all necessary labor, material, and equipment.
 - 1. If it is found that the uncovered Work is defective, Contractor shall be responsible for all claims, costs, losses, and damages arising out of or relating to such uncovering, exposure, observation, inspection, and testing, and of satisfactory replacement or reconstruction (including but not limited to all costs of repair or replacement of work of others); and pending Contractor's full discharge of this responsibility the Owner shall be entitled to impose a reasonable set-off against payments due under Article 15.
 - 2. If the uncovered Work is not found to be defective, Contractor shall be allowed an increase in the Contract Price or an extension of the Contract Times, directly attributable to such uncovering, exposure, observation, inspection, testing, replacement, and reconstruction. If the parties are unable to agree as to the amount or extent thereof, then Contractor may submit a Change Proposal within 30 days of the determination that the Work is not defective.

14.06 *Owner May Stop the Work*

- A. If the Work is defective, or Contractor fails to supply sufficient skilled workers or suitable materials or equipment, or fails to perform the Work in such a way that the completed Work will conform to the Contract Documents, then Owner may order Contractor to stop the Work,

or any portion thereof, until the cause for such order has been eliminated; however, this right of Owner to stop the Work will not give rise to any duty on the part of Owner to exercise this right for the benefit of Contractor, any Subcontractor, any Supplier, any other individual or entity, or any surety for, or employee or agent of any of them.

14.07 Owner May Correct Defective Work

- A. If Contractor fails within a reasonable time after written notice from Engineer to correct defective Work, or to remove and replace defective Work as required by Engineer, then Owner may, after 7 days' written notice to Contractor, correct or remedy any such deficiency.
- B. In exercising the rights and remedies under this Paragraph 14.07, Owner shall proceed expeditiously. In connection with such corrective or remedial action, Owner may exclude Contractor from all or part of the Site, take possession of all or part of the Work and suspend Contractor's services related thereto, and incorporate in the Work all materials and equipment stored at the Site or for which Owner has paid Contractor but which are stored elsewhere. Contractor shall allow Owner, Owner's representatives, agents and employees, Owner's other contractors, and Engineer and Engineer's consultants access to the Site to enable Owner to exercise the rights and remedies under this paragraph.
- C. All claims, costs, losses, and damages incurred or sustained by Owner in exercising the rights and remedies under this Paragraph 14.07 will be charged against Contractor as set-offs against payments due under Article 15. Such claims, costs, losses and damages will include but not be limited to all costs of repair, or replacement of work of others destroyed or damaged by correction, removal, or replacement of Contractor's defective Work.
- D. Contractor shall not be allowed an extension of the Contract Times because of any delay in the performance of the Work attributable to the exercise by Owner of Owner's rights and remedies under this Paragraph 14.07.

ARTICLE 15—PAYMENTS TO CONTRACTOR; SET-OFFS; COMPLETION; CORRECTION PERIOD

15.01 Progress Payments

- A. *Basis for Progress Payments:* The Schedule of Values established as provided in Article 2 will serve as the basis for progress payments and will be incorporated into a form of Application for Payment acceptable to Engineer. Progress payments for Unit Price Work will be based on the number of units completed during the pay period, as determined under the provisions of Paragraph 13.03. Progress payments for cost-based Work will be based on Cost of the Work completed by Contractor during the pay period.
- B. *Applications for Payments*
 - 1. At least 20 days before the date established in the Agreement for each progress payment (but not more often than once a month), Contractor shall submit to Engineer for review an Application for Payment filled out and signed by Contractor covering the Work completed as of the date of the Application and accompanied by such supporting documentation as is required by the Contract Documents.
 - 2. If payment is requested on the basis of materials and equipment not incorporated in the Work but delivered and suitably stored at the Site or at another location agreed to in writing, the Application for Payment must also be accompanied by: (a) a bill of sale, invoice, copies of subcontract or purchase order payments, or other documentation

establishing full payment by Contractor for the materials and equipment; (b) at Owner's request, documentation warranting that Owner has received the materials and equipment free and clear of all Liens; and (c) evidence that the materials and equipment are covered by appropriate property insurance, a warehouse bond, or other arrangements to protect Owner's interest therein, all of which must be satisfactory to Owner.

3. Beginning with the second Application for Payment, each Application must include an affidavit of Contractor stating that all previous progress payments received by Contractor have been applied to discharge Contractor's legitimate obligations associated with prior Applications for Payment.
4. The amount of retainage with respect to progress payments will be as stipulated in the Agreement.

C. *Review of Applications*

1. Engineer will, within 10 days after receipt of each Application for Payment, including each resubmittal, either indicate in writing a recommendation of payment and present the Application to Owner, or return the Application to Contractor indicating in writing Engineer's reasons for refusing to recommend payment. In the latter case, Contractor may make the necessary corrections and resubmit the Application.
2. Engineer's recommendation of any payment requested in an Application for Payment will constitute a representation by Engineer to Owner, based on Engineer's observations of the executed Work as an experienced and qualified design professional, and on Engineer's review of the Application for Payment and the accompanying data and schedules, that to the best of Engineer's knowledge, information and belief:
 - a. the Work has progressed to the point indicated;
 - b. the quality of the Work is generally in accordance with the Contract Documents (subject to an evaluation of the Work as a functioning whole prior to or upon Substantial Completion, the results of any subsequent tests called for in the Contract Documents, a final determination of quantities and classifications for Unit Price Work under Paragraph 13.03, and any other qualifications stated in the recommendation); and
 - c. the conditions precedent to Contractor's being entitled to such payment appear to have been fulfilled in so far as it is Engineer's responsibility to observe the Work.
3. By recommending any such payment Engineer will not thereby be deemed to have represented that:
 - a. inspections made to check the quality or the quantity of the Work as it has been performed have been exhaustive, extended to every aspect of the Work in progress, or involved detailed inspections of the Work beyond the responsibilities specifically assigned to Engineer in the Contract; or
 - b. there may not be other matters or issues between the parties that might entitle Contractor to be paid additionally by Owner or entitle Owner to withhold payment to Contractor.

4. Neither Engineer's review of Contractor's Work for the purposes of recommending payments nor Engineer's recommendation of any payment, including final payment, will impose responsibility on Engineer:
 - a. to supervise, direct, or control the Work;
 - b. for the means, methods, techniques, sequences, or procedures of construction, or the safety precautions and programs incident thereto;
 - c. for Contractor's failure to comply with Laws and Regulations applicable to Contractor's performance of the Work;
 - d. to make any examination to ascertain how or for what purposes Contractor has used the money paid by Owner; or
 - e. to determine that title to any of the Work, materials, or equipment has passed to Owner free and clear of any Liens.
5. Engineer may refuse to recommend the whole or any part of any payment if, in Engineer's opinion, it would be incorrect to make the representations to Owner stated in Paragraph 15.01.C.2.
6. Engineer will recommend reductions in payment (set-offs) necessary in Engineer's opinion to protect Owner from loss because:
 - a. the Work is defective, requiring correction or replacement;
 - b. the Contract Price has been reduced by Change Orders;
 - c. Owner has been required to correct defective Work in accordance with Paragraph 14.07, or has accepted defective Work pursuant to Paragraph 14.04;
 - d. Owner has been required to remove or remediate a Hazardous Environmental Condition for which Contractor is responsible; or
 - e. Engineer has actual knowledge of the occurrence of any of the events that would constitute a default by Contractor and therefore justify termination for cause under the Contract Documents.

D. *Payment Becomes Due*

1. Ten days after presentation of the Application for Payment to Owner with Engineer's recommendation, the amount recommended (subject to any Owner set-offs) will become due, and when due will be paid by Owner to Contractor.

E. *Reductions in Payment by Owner*

1. In addition to any reductions in payment (set-offs) recommended by Engineer, Owner is entitled to impose a set-off against payment based on any of the following:
 - a. Claims have been made against Owner based on Contractor's conduct in the performance or furnishing of the Work, or Owner has incurred costs, losses, or damages resulting from Contractor's conduct in the performance or furnishing of the Work, including but not limited to claims, costs, losses, or damages from workplace injuries, adjacent property damage, non-compliance with Laws and Regulations, and patent infringement;

- b. Contractor has failed to take reasonable and customary measures to avoid damage, delay, disruption, and interference with other work at or adjacent to the Site;
 - c. Contractor has failed to provide and maintain required bonds or insurance;
 - d. Owner has been required to remove or remediate a Hazardous Environmental Condition for which Contractor is responsible;
 - e. Owner has incurred extra charges or engineering costs related to submittal reviews, evaluations of proposed substitutes, tests and inspections, or return visits to manufacturing or assembly facilities;
 - f. The Work is defective, requiring correction or replacement;
 - g. Owner has been required to correct defective Work in accordance with Paragraph 14.07, or has accepted defective Work pursuant to Paragraph 14.04;
 - h. The Contract Price has been reduced by Change Orders;
 - i. An event has occurred that would constitute a default by Contractor and therefore justify a termination for cause;
 - j. Liquidated or other damages have accrued as a result of Contractor's failure to achieve Milestones, Substantial Completion, or final completion of the Work;
 - k. Liens have been filed in connection with the Work, except where Contractor has delivered a specific bond satisfactory to Owner to secure the satisfaction and discharge of such Liens; or
 - l. Other items entitle Owner to a set-off against the amount recommended.
2. If Owner imposes any set-off against payment, whether based on its own knowledge or on the written recommendations of Engineer, Owner will give Contractor immediate written notice (with a copy to Engineer) stating the reasons for such action and the specific amount of the reduction, and promptly pay Contractor any amount remaining after deduction of the amount so withheld. Owner shall promptly pay Contractor the amount so withheld, or any adjustment thereto agreed to by Owner and Contractor, if Contractor remedies the reasons for such action. The reduction imposed will be binding on Contractor unless it duly submits a Change Proposal contesting the reduction.
3. Upon a subsequent determination that Owner's refusal of payment was not justified, the amount wrongfully withheld will be treated as an amount due as determined by Paragraph 15.01.D.1 and subject to interest as provided in the Agreement.

15.02 Contractor's Warranty of Title

- A. Contractor warrants and guarantees that title to all Work, materials, and equipment furnished under the Contract will pass to Owner free and clear of (1) all Liens and other title defects, and (2) all patent, licensing, copyright, or royalty obligations, no later than 7 days after the time of payment by Owner.

15.03 Substantial Completion

- A. When Contractor considers the entire Work ready for its intended use Contractor shall notify Owner and Engineer in writing that the entire Work is substantially complete and request that Engineer issue a certificate of Substantial Completion. Contractor shall at the same time

submit to Owner and Engineer an initial draft of punch list items to be completed or corrected before final payment.

- B. Promptly after Contractor's notification, Owner, Contractor, and Engineer shall make an inspection of the Work to determine the status of completion. If Engineer does not consider the Work substantially complete, Engineer will notify Contractor in writing giving the reasons therefor.
- C. If Engineer considers the Work substantially complete, Engineer will deliver to Owner a preliminary certificate of Substantial Completion which will fix the date of Substantial Completion. Engineer shall attach to the certificate a punch list of items to be completed or corrected before final payment. Owner shall have 7 days after receipt of the preliminary certificate during which to make written objection to Engineer as to any provisions of the certificate or attached punch list. If, after considering the objections to the provisions of the preliminary certificate, Engineer concludes that the Work is not substantially complete, Engineer will, within 14 days after submission of the preliminary certificate to Owner, notify Contractor in writing that the Work is not substantially complete, stating the reasons therefor. If Owner does not object to the provisions of the certificate, or if despite consideration of Owner's objections Engineer concludes that the Work is substantially complete, then Engineer will, within said 14 days, execute and deliver to Owner and Contractor a final certificate of Substantial Completion (with a revised punch list of items to be completed or corrected) reflecting such changes from the preliminary certificate as Engineer believes justified after consideration of any objections from Owner.
- D. At the time of receipt of the preliminary certificate of Substantial Completion, Owner and Contractor will confer regarding Owner's use or occupancy of the Work following Substantial Completion, review the builder's risk insurance policy with respect to the end of the builder's risk coverage, and confirm the transition to coverage of the Work under a permanent property insurance policy held by Owner. Unless Owner and Contractor agree otherwise in writing, Owner shall bear responsibility for security, operation, protection of the Work, property insurance, maintenance, heat, and utilities upon Owner's use or occupancy of the Work.
- E. After Substantial Completion the Contractor shall promptly begin work on the punch list of items to be completed or corrected prior to final payment. In appropriate cases Contractor may submit monthly Applications for Payment for completed punch list items, following the progress payment procedures set forth above.
- F. Owner shall have the right to exclude Contractor from the Site after the date of Substantial Completion subject to allowing Contractor reasonable access to remove its property and complete or correct items on the punch list.

15.04 *Partial Use or Occupancy*

- A. Prior to Substantial Completion of all the Work, Owner may use or occupy any substantially completed part of the Work which has specifically been identified in the Contract Documents, or which Owner, Engineer, and Contractor agree constitutes a separately functioning and usable part of the Work that can be used by Owner for its intended purpose without

significant interference with Contractor's performance of the remainder of the Work, subject to the following conditions:

1. At any time, Owner may request in writing that Contractor permit Owner to use or occupy any such part of the Work that Owner believes to be substantially complete. If and when Contractor agrees that such part of the Work is substantially complete, Contractor, Owner, and Engineer will follow the procedures of Paragraph 15.03.A through 15.03.E for that part of the Work.
2. At any time, Contractor may notify Owner and Engineer in writing that Contractor considers any such part of the Work substantially complete and request Engineer to issue a certificate of Substantial Completion for that part of the Work.
3. Within a reasonable time after either such request, Owner, Contractor, and Engineer shall make an inspection of that part of the Work to determine its status of completion. If Engineer does not consider that part of the Work to be substantially complete, Engineer will notify Owner and Contractor in writing giving the reasons therefor. If Engineer considers that part of the Work to be substantially complete, the provisions of Paragraph 15.03 will apply with respect to certification of Substantial Completion of that part of the Work and the division of responsibility in respect thereof and access thereto.
4. No use or occupancy or separate operation of part of the Work may occur prior to compliance with the requirements of Paragraph 6.04 regarding builder's risk or other property insurance.

15.05 *Final Inspection*

- A. Upon written notice from Contractor that the entire Work or an agreed portion thereof is complete, Engineer will promptly make a final inspection with Owner and Contractor and will notify Contractor in writing of all particulars in which this inspection reveals that the Work, or agreed portion thereof, is incomplete or defective. Contractor shall immediately take such measures as are necessary to complete such Work or remedy such deficiencies.

15.06 *Final Payment*

A. *Application for Payment*

1. After Contractor has, in the opinion of Engineer, satisfactorily completed all corrections identified during the final inspection and has delivered, in accordance with the Contract Documents, all maintenance and operating instructions, schedules, guarantees, bonds, certificates or other evidence of insurance, certificates of inspection, annotated record documents (as provided in Paragraph 7.12), and other documents, Contractor may make application for final payment.
2. The final Application for Payment must be accompanied (except as previously delivered) by:
 - a. all documentation called for in the Contract Documents;
 - b. consent of the surety, if any, to final payment;
 - c. satisfactory evidence that all title issues have been resolved such that title to all Work, materials, and equipment has passed to Owner free and clear of any Liens or other title defects, or will so pass upon final payment.

- d. a list of all duly pending Change Proposals and Claims; and
 - e. complete and legally effective releases or waivers (satisfactory to Owner) of all Lien rights arising out of the Work, and of Liens filed in connection with the Work.
3. In lieu of the releases or waivers of Liens specified in Paragraph 15.06.A.2 and as approved by Owner, Contractor may furnish receipts or releases in full and an affidavit of Contractor that: (a) the releases and receipts include all labor, services, material, and equipment for which a Lien could be filed; and (b) all payrolls, material and equipment bills, and other indebtedness connected with the Work for which Owner might in any way be responsible, or which might in any way result in liens or other burdens on Owner's property, have been paid or otherwise satisfied. If any Subcontractor or Supplier fails to furnish such a release or receipt in full, Contractor may furnish a bond or other collateral satisfactory to Owner to indemnify Owner against any Lien, or Owner at its option may issue joint checks payable to Contractor and specified Subcontractors and Suppliers.
- B. *Engineer's Review of Final Application and Recommendation of Payment:* If, on the basis of Engineer's observation of the Work during construction and final inspection, and Engineer's review of the final Application for Payment and accompanying documentation as required by the Contract Documents, Engineer is satisfied that the Work has been completed and Contractor's other obligations under the Contract have been fulfilled, Engineer will, within 10 days after receipt of the final Application for Payment, indicate in writing Engineer's recommendation of final payment and present the final Application for Payment to Owner for payment. Such recommendation will account for any set-offs against payment that are necessary in Engineer's opinion to protect Owner from loss for the reasons stated above with respect to progress payments. Otherwise, Engineer will return the Application for Payment to Contractor, indicating in writing the reasons for refusing to recommend final payment, in which case Contractor shall make the necessary corrections and resubmit the Application for Payment.
- C. *Notice of Acceptability:* In support of its recommendation of payment of the final Application for Payment, Engineer will also give written notice to Owner and Contractor that the Work is acceptable, subject to stated limitations in the notice and to the provisions of Paragraph 15.07.
- D. *Completion of Work:* The Work is complete (subject to surviving obligations) when it is ready for final payment as established by the Engineer's written recommendation of final payment and issuance of notice of the acceptability of the Work.
- E. *Final Payment Becomes Due:* Upon receipt from Engineer of the final Application for Payment and accompanying documentation, Owner shall set off against the amount recommended by Engineer for final payment any further sum to which Owner is entitled, including but not limited to set-offs for liquidated damages and set-offs allowed under the provisions of this Contract with respect to progress payments. Owner shall pay the resulting balance due to Contractor within 30 days of Owner's receipt of the final Application for Payment from Engineer.

15.07 *Waiver of Claims*

- A. By making final payment, Owner waives its claim or right to liquidated damages or other damages for late completion by Contractor, except as set forth in an outstanding Claim,

appeal under the provisions of Article 17, set-off, or express reservation of rights by Owner. Owner reserves all other claims or rights after final payment.

- B. The acceptance of final payment by Contractor will constitute a waiver by Contractor of all claims and rights against Owner other than those pending matters that have been duly submitted as a Claim, or appealed under the provisions of Article 17.

15.08 *Correction Period*

- A. If within one year after the date of Substantial Completion (or such longer period of time as may be prescribed by the Supplementary Conditions or the terms of any applicable special guarantee required by the Contract Documents), Owner gives Contractor written notice that any Work has been found to be defective, or that Contractor's repair of any damages to the Site or adjacent areas has been found to be defective, then after receipt of such notice of defect Contractor shall promptly, without cost to Owner and in accordance with Owner's written instructions:
 - 1. correct the defective repairs to the Site or such adjacent areas;
 - 2. correct such defective Work;
 - 3. remove the defective Work from the Project and replace it with Work that is not defective, if the defective Work has been rejected by Owner, and
 - 4. satisfactorily correct or repair or remove and replace any damage to other Work, to the work of others, or to other land or areas resulting from the corrective measures.
- B. Owner shall give any such notice of defect within 60 days of the discovery that such Work or repairs is defective. If such notice is given within such 60 days but after the end of the correction period, the notice will be deemed a notice of defective Work under Paragraph 7.17.B.
- C. If, after receipt of a notice of defect within 60 days and within the correction period, Contractor does not promptly comply with the terms of Owner's written instructions, or in an emergency where delay would cause serious risk of loss or damage, Owner may have the defective Work corrected or repaired or may have the rejected Work removed and replaced. Contractor shall pay all costs, losses, and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals and all court or arbitration or other dispute resolution costs) arising out of or relating to such correction or repair or such removal and replacement (including but not limited to all costs of repair or replacement of work of others). Contractor's failure to pay such costs, losses, and damages within 10 days of invoice from Owner will be deemed the start of an event giving rise to a Claim under Paragraph 12.01.B, such that any related Claim must be brought within 30 days of the failure to pay.
- D. In special circumstances where a particular item of equipment is placed in continuous service before Substantial Completion of all the Work, the correction period for that item may start to run from an earlier date if so provided in the Specifications.
- E. Where defective Work (and damage to other Work resulting therefrom) has been corrected or removed and replaced under this paragraph, the correction period hereunder with respect to such Work will be extended for an additional period of one year after such correction or removal and replacement has been satisfactorily completed.

- F. Contractor's obligations under this paragraph are in addition to all other obligations and warranties. The provisions of this paragraph are not to be construed as a substitute for, or a waiver of, the provisions of any applicable statute of limitation or repose.

ARTICLE 16—SUSPENSION OF WORK AND TERMINATION

16.01 *Owner May Suspend Work*

- A. At any time and without cause, Owner may suspend the Work or any portion thereof for a period of not more than 90 consecutive days by written notice to Contractor and Engineer. Such notice will fix the date on which Work will be resumed. Contractor shall resume the Work on the date so fixed. Contractor shall be entitled to an adjustment in the Contract Price or an extension of the Contract Times directly attributable to any such suspension. Any Change Proposal seeking such adjustments must be submitted no later than 30 days after the date fixed for resumption of Work.

16.02 *Owner May Terminate for Cause*

- A. The occurrence of any one or more of the following events will constitute a default by Contractor and justify termination for cause:
 - 1. Contractor's persistent failure to perform the Work in accordance with the Contract Documents (including, but not limited to, failure to supply sufficient skilled workers or suitable materials or equipment, or failure to adhere to the Progress Schedule);
 - 2. Failure of Contractor to perform or otherwise to comply with a material term of the Contract Documents;
 - 3. Contractor's disregard of Laws or Regulations of any public body having jurisdiction; or
 - 4. Contractor's repeated disregard of the authority of Owner or Engineer.
- B. If one or more of the events identified in Paragraph 16.02.A occurs, then after giving Contractor (and any surety) 10 days' written notice that Owner is considering a declaration that Contractor is in default and termination of the Contract, Owner may proceed to:
 - 1. declare Contractor to be in default, and give Contractor (and any surety) written notice that the Contract is terminated; and
 - 2. enforce the rights available to Owner under any applicable performance bond.
- C. Subject to the terms and operation of any applicable performance bond, if Owner has terminated the Contract for cause, Owner may exclude Contractor from the Site, take possession of the Work, incorporate in the Work all materials and equipment stored at the Site or for which Owner has paid Contractor but which are stored elsewhere, and complete the Work as Owner may deem expedient.
- D. Owner may not proceed with termination of the Contract under Paragraph 16.02.B if Contractor within 7 days of receipt of notice of intent to terminate begins to correct its failure to perform and proceeds diligently to cure such failure.
- E. If Owner proceeds as provided in Paragraph 16.02.B, Contractor shall not be entitled to receive any further payment until the Work is completed. If the unpaid balance of the Contract Price exceeds the cost to complete the Work, including all related claims, costs, losses, and damages (including but not limited to all fees and charges of engineers, architects,

attorneys, and other professionals) sustained by Owner, such excess will be paid to Contractor. If the cost to complete the Work including such related claims, costs, losses, and damages exceeds such unpaid balance, Contractor shall pay the difference to Owner. Such claims, costs, losses, and damages incurred by Owner will be reviewed by Engineer as to their reasonableness and, when so approved by Engineer, incorporated in a Change Order. When exercising any rights or remedies under this paragraph, Owner shall not be required to obtain the lowest price for the Work performed.

- F. Where Contractor's services have been so terminated by Owner, the termination will not affect any rights or remedies of Owner against Contractor then existing or which may thereafter accrue, or any rights or remedies of Owner against Contractor or any surety under any payment bond or performance bond. Any retention or payment of money due Contractor by Owner will not release Contractor from liability.
- G. If and to the extent that Contractor has provided a performance bond under the provisions of Paragraph 6.01.A, the provisions of that bond will govern over any inconsistent provisions of Paragraphs 16.02.B and 16.02.D.

16.03 *Owner May Terminate for Convenience*

- A. Upon 7 days' written notice to Contractor and Engineer, Owner may, without cause and without prejudice to any other right or remedy of Owner, terminate the Contract. In such case, Contractor shall be paid for (without duplication of any items):
 - 1. completed and acceptable Work executed in accordance with the Contract Documents prior to the effective date of termination, including fair and reasonable sums for overhead and profit on such Work;
 - 2. expenses sustained prior to the effective date of termination in performing services and furnishing labor, materials, or equipment as required by the Contract Documents in connection with uncompleted Work, plus fair and reasonable sums for overhead and profit on such expenses; and
 - 3. other reasonable expenses directly attributable to termination, including costs incurred to prepare a termination for convenience cost proposal.
- B. Contractor shall not be paid for any loss of anticipated profits or revenue, post-termination overhead costs, or other economic loss arising out of or resulting from such termination.

16.04 *Contractor May Stop Work or Terminate*

- A. If, through no act or fault of Contractor, (1) the Work is suspended for more than 90 consecutive days by Owner or under an order of court or other public authority, or (2) Engineer fails to act on any Application for Payment within 30 days after it is submitted, or (3) Owner fails for 30 days to pay Contractor any sum finally determined to be due, then Contractor may, upon 7 days' written notice to Owner and Engineer, and provided Owner or Engineer do not remedy such suspension or failure within that time, terminate the contract and recover from Owner payment on the same terms as provided in Paragraph 16.03.
- B. In lieu of terminating the Contract and without prejudice to any other right or remedy, if Engineer has failed to act on an Application for Payment within 30 days after it is submitted, or Owner has failed for 30 days to pay Contractor any sum finally determined to be due, Contractor may, 7 days after written notice to Owner and Engineer, stop the Work until payment is made of all such amounts due Contractor, including interest thereon. The

provisions of this paragraph are not intended to preclude Contractor from submitting a Change Proposal for an adjustment in Contract Price or Contract Times or otherwise for expenses or damage directly attributable to Contractor's stopping the Work as permitted by this paragraph.

ARTICLE 17—FINAL RESOLUTION OF DISPUTES

17.01 *Methods and Procedures*

- A. *Disputes Subject to Final Resolution:* The following disputed matters are subject to final resolution under the provisions of this article:
1. A timely appeal of an approval in part and denial in part of a Claim, or of a denial in full, pursuant to Article 12; and
 2. Disputes between Owner and Contractor concerning the Work, or obligations under the Contract Documents, that arise after final payment has been made.
- B. *Final Resolution of Disputes:* For any dispute subject to resolution under this article, Owner or Contractor may:
1. elect in writing to invoke the dispute resolution process provided for in the Supplementary Conditions;
 2. agree with the other party to submit the dispute to another dispute resolution process; or
 3. if no dispute resolution process is provided for in the Supplementary Conditions or mutually agreed to, give written notice to the other party of the intent to submit the dispute to a court of competent jurisdiction.

ARTICLE 18—MISCELLANEOUS

18.01 *Giving Notice*

- A. Whenever any provision of the Contract requires the giving of written notice to Owner, Engineer, or Contractor, it will be deemed to have been validly given only if delivered:
1. in person, by a commercial courier service or otherwise, to the recipient's place of business;
 2. by registered or certified mail, postage prepaid, to the recipient's place of business; or
 3. by e-mail to the recipient, with the words "Formal Notice" or similar in the e-mail's subject line.

18.02 *Computation of Times*

- A. When any period of time is referred to in the Contract by days, it will be computed to exclude the first and include the last day of such period. If the last day of any such period falls on a Saturday or Sunday or on a day made a legal holiday by the law of the applicable jurisdiction, such day will be omitted from the computation.

18.03 *Cumulative Remedies*

- A. The duties and obligations imposed by these General Conditions and the rights and remedies available hereunder to the parties hereto are in addition to, and are not to be construed in any way as a limitation of, any rights and remedies available to any or all of them which are otherwise imposed or available by Laws or Regulations, by special warranty or guarantee, or by other provisions of the Contract. The provisions of this paragraph will be as effective as if repeated specifically in the Contract Documents in connection with each particular duty, obligation, right, and remedy to which they apply.

18.04 *Limitation of Damages*

- A. With respect to any and all Change Proposals, Claims, disputes subject to final resolution, and other matters at issue, neither Owner nor Engineer, nor any of their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors, shall be liable to Contractor for any claims, costs, losses, or damages sustained by Contractor on or in connection with any other project or anticipated project.

18.05 *No Waiver*

- A. A party's non-enforcement of any provision will not constitute a waiver of that provision, nor will it affect the enforceability of that provision or of the remainder of this Contract.

18.06 *Survival of Obligations*

- A. All representations, indemnifications, warranties, and guarantees made in, required by, or given in accordance with the Contract, as well as all continuing obligations indicated in the Contract, will survive final payment, completion, and acceptance of the Work or termination of the Contract or of the services of Contractor.

18.07 *Controlling Law*

- A. This Contract is to be governed by the law of the state in which the Project is located.

18.08 *Assignment of Contract*

- A. Unless expressly agreed to elsewhere in the Contract, no assignment by a party to this Contract of any rights under or interests in the Contract will be binding on the other party without the written consent of the party sought to be bound; and, specifically but without limitation, money that may become due and money that is due may not be assigned without such consent (except to the extent that the effect of this restriction may be limited by law), and unless specifically stated to the contrary in any written consent to an assignment, no assignment will release or discharge the assignor from any duty or responsibility under the Contract.

18.09 *Successors and Assigns*

- A. Owner and Contractor each binds itself, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives to the other party hereto, its successors, assigns, and legal representatives in respect to all covenants, agreements, and obligations contained in the Contract Documents.

18.10 *Headings*

- A. Article and paragraph headings are inserted for convenience only and do not constitute parts of these General Conditions.

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SECTION 00800

SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS

**AMENDING THE STANDARD GENERAL CONDITIONS OF THE CONSTRUCTION
CONTRACT PREPARED BY ENGINEERS JOINT CONTRACT DOCUMENTS
COMMITTEE
(EJCDC NO. C-700, 2018 EDITION)**

(Sub) Paragraph No.

ARTICLE 1. DEFINITIONS AND TERMINOLOGY

1.01.A.30

Add the following language to the definition entitled "Owner":

Also referred to as “awarding authority” or “contracting authority” in applicable statutory provisions which may be used interchangeably and shall have the same meaning.

1.01.A.51

Add the following definition:

“State” shall mean the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

ARTICLE 2. PRELIMINARY MATTERS

2.01.C

Delete this paragraph.

2.05

Add the following paragraphs immediately after paragraph 2.05.A.4 which is to read as follows:

“2.05.A.5. Before any work at the site is started, CONTRACTOR shall deliver to OWNER, with a copy to ENGINEER, certificates of insurance (and other evidence of insurance requested by OWNER) which CONTRACTOR is required to purchase and maintain in accordance with the requirements of Article 6.

2.05.A.6. Contractor shall include and identify on the certificate of insurance, indemnification as required by Article 7.18.”

ARTICLE 3. DOCUMENTS: INTENT, REQUIREMENTS, REUSE

3.01

Add the following paragraphs immediately after paragraph 3.01.A which is to read as follows:

“3.01.A.1. Each and every provision of law and clause required by law to be inserted in the Contract shall be deemed to be inserted herein, and the Contract shall be read and enforced as though they were included herein. If through mistake or otherwise any such provision is not inserted, or is not correctly inserted, then upon the application of either party, the Contract shall forthwith be physically amended to make such insertion.

3.01.A.2. Sections of Division 1 - General Requirements govern the execution of the work of all sections of the specifications.”

3.02.A.1

Delete the portion of the paragraph starting at “means” through the end of this sentence and insert the following:

“shall mean the standard, specification, manual, code, or Laws or Regulations in effect and applicable at the time in question, except as may be otherwise specifically stated in the Contract Documents.”

3.03.A.3

Delete Paragraph 3.03.A.3 in its entirety and insert the following:

“3.03.A.3. CONTRACTOR shall be liable to OWNER and/or ENGINEER for failure to report any such conflict, error, ambiguity or discrepancy if Contractor knew or reasonably should have known thereof.”

ARTICLE 4. COMMENCEMENT AND PROGRESS OF THE WORK

4.01

Delete paragraph 4.01 in its entirety and insert the following in its place:

“4.01.A. The Contract Times will commence to run on the day indicated in the Notice to Proceed.”

4.03.A

Add a new paragraph at the end of paragraph 4.03.A which is to read as follows:

“4.03.B. ENGINEER may check the lines, elevations, reference marks, batter boards, etc., set by CONTRACTOR, and CONTRACTOR shall correct any errors disclosed by

such check. Such a check shall not be considered as approval of CONTRACTOR's work and shall not relieve CONTRACTOR of the responsibility for accurate and satisfactory construction and completion of the entire Work. CONTRACTOR shall furnish personnel to assist ENGINEER in checking lines and grades.”

4.05.A

Delete Paragraph 4.05.A in its entirety.

4.05.D.

Delete the second sentence of Paragraph 4.05.D.2.

4.05.E

Delete the first sentence of Paragraph 4.05.E and replace with the following:

“Contractor shall submit a Change Proposal seeking an increase in Contract Times or Contract Price, which shall be submitted within 30 days of the commencement of the delaying, disrupting, or interfering event, and must be supplemented by supporting data that sets forth in detail the following:”

4.05.H

Add a new Paragraph at the end of Paragraph 4.05.G which is to be read as follows:

“4.05.H. Delays caused by or within the control of the OWNER: In such event, the CONTRACTOR’S sole remedy shall be an extension of the Contract Time. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in the Contract Documents, CONTRACTOR shall not be eligible for any increase in the Contract Price on account of any delay in the Work, no matter by whom such delay is caused, and CONTRACTOR shall make no claim for such an increase, whether such claim is styled as a claim for delay damages, acceleration of work, loss of production, or otherwise.”

4.05.G

Add the following new paragraphs after paragraph 4.05.H:

“4.06 Liquidated Damages:

A. If the Contractor shall neglect, fail or refuse to complete the work within the time herein specified, or any proper extension thereof granted by the Owner, then the Contractor does hereby agree, as a part consideration for the awarding of this Contract, to pay to the Owner the amount specified in the Contract, not as a penalty but as liquidated damages for such breach of contract as hereinafter set forth, for each and every calendar day that the Contract shall be in default after the time stipulated in the Contract for completing the work. Such damages may be retained from time to time by the Owner from progress payments or any amounts owing to the Contractor, or otherwise collected.

B. The said amount is fixed and agreed upon by and between the Contractor and the Owner because of the impracticability and extreme difficulty of fixing and ascertaining the actual damages the Owner would in such event sustain, and said amount is agreed to be the amount of damages which the Owner would sustain and said amount shall be retained from time to time by the Owner from current periodical estimates.

C. It is further agreed that time is of the essence of each and every portion of this Contract and of the specifications wherein as definite and certain length of times if fixed for the performance of any act whatsoever; and where under the Contract an additional time is allowed for the completion of any work, the new time limit fixed by such extension shall be of the essence of this Contract; provided, that the Contractor shall not be charged with liquidated damages of any excess cost when the Owner determines that the Contractor is without fault and the Contractor's reasons for the time extension are acceptable to the Owner.”

ARTICLE 5. AVAILABILITY OF LANDS; SUBSURFACE AND PHYSICAL CONDITIONS; HAZARDOUS ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

5.01.B

Delete Paragraph 5.01.B in its entirety.

5.03.A

In Paragraph 5.03.A.1 insert the words “known to OWNER” after the word “reports”.

In Paragraph 5.03.A.2 insert the words “known to OWNER” after the word “reports”.

5.03.C

In paragraph 5.03.C insert the word “reasonably” before the word “rely” in the first line and insert the following at the end of the first sentence:

“; the OWNER does not warrant or guarantee the accuracy or completeness of the information therein, and the CONTRACTOR may not so rely to the extent that the CONTRACTOR knows, or reasonably should have known, of any inaccuracy or omission therein.

5.04

Insert the following paragraph before Paragraph 5.04.A

“5.04 Differing Subsurface or Physical Conditions

In accordance with Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 30, Section 39N, if, during the progress of the Work, the CONTRACTOR or the OWNER discovers that the actual subsurface or latent physical conditions encountered at the site differ substantially or materially from those shown on the plans or indicated in the Contract Documents either

the CONTRACTOR or the OWNER may request an equitable adjustment in the Contract Price applying to work affected by the differing site conditions. A request for such an adjustment shall be in writing and shall be delivered by the party making such request to the other party as soon as possible after such conditions are discovered. Upon receipt of such a request from the CONTRACTOR, or upon its own initiative, the OWNER will make an investigation of such physical conditions, and if they differ substantially or materially from those shown on the plans or indicated in the Contract Documents or from those ordinarily encountered and generally recognized as inherent in work of the character provided for in the plans and Contract Documents and are of such a nature as to cause an increase or decrease in the cost of performance of the Work or a change in the construction methods required for the performance of the Work which results in an increase or decrease in the cost of the Work, the OWNER will make an equitable adjustment in the Contract Price and the Contract shall be modified in writing accordingly.”

5.04.D

Add the following at the end of Paragraph 5.04.D:

“Any determination and instruction to proceed in accordance with this Paragraph shall be communicated in writing by the Engineer to Owner, which shall include the reasons therefor.”

5.04.E.1

Delete Paragraph 5.04.E.1 in its entirety.

Add a new paragraph immediately after paragraph 5.04.F which is to read as follows:

“5.04.G. Adjustments resulting from actual subsurface or latent physical conditions from those indicated will be in accordance with Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 30, Section 39N and the applicable provisions of the Contract Documents.”

5.05.A

Insert the following new paragraph immediately after Paragraph 5.05.A.5:

“5.05.A.6. CONTRACTOR’s attention is directed to the requirements of Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 82, Section 40, regarding the notification of owners of underground facilities.”

5.05.B

Delete the phrase “or was not shown or indicated on the Drawings with reasonable accuracy” following the word “Drawings” in the first sentence of Paragraph 5.05.B.

5.05.E

Add the following at the end of Paragraph 5.05.E:

“Any determination and instruction to proceed in accordance with this Paragraph shall be communicated in writing by the Engineer to Owner, which shall include the reasons therefor.”

5.06.B

Delete Paragraph 5.06.B in its entirety.

5.06.C

Add the following at the end of the first sentence of Paragraph 5.06.C:

“,or unless CONTRACTOR caused or contributed to such Hazardous Environmental Condition.”

5.06.E

Delete the second and third sentences of Paragraph 5.06.E.

5.06.I

Delete Paragraph 5.06.I in its entirety.

5.06.J

Delete the last sentence of Paragraph 5.06.J.

ARTICLE 6. BONDS AND INSURANCE

6.02

Delete Paragraph 6.02.E in its entirety.

Add the new paragraphs immediately after paragraph 6.02.N which is to read as follows:

"6.02.O. If OWNER has any objection to the coverage afforded by or other provisions of the insurance required to be purchased and maintained by CONTRACTOR in accordance with this Article 6 on the basis of its not complying with the Contract Documents, OWNER will notify CONTRACTOR in writing thereof within thirty days of the date of delivery of such certificates to OWNER in accordance with paragraph 2.01.B CONTRACTOR will provide such additional information in respect of insurance provided by him as OWNER may reasonably request."

6.03

Contractor shall purchase and maintain the following insurance coverages for not less than the following amounts or greater where required by Laws and Regulations:

Workers' Compensation.

(1)	Worker's Compensation	As required by Massachusetts statute	
(2)	Employer's Liability	\$500,000	Each occurrence
		\$500,000	Disease policy limit

Comprehensive General Liability including Operations/Premises, Contractor's Protective, Products/Completed Operations, and Personal Injury liabilities:

(1)	Bodily injury:	\$1,000,000	Each occurrence
		\$2,000,000	Annual aggregate
(2)	Property damage, including explosion, collapse and underground coverage:	\$1,000,000	Each occurrence
		\$2,000,000	Annual aggregate
	Property damage liability insurance shall provide coverage for property in the care, custody and control of the insured.		
(3)	Personal injury, with employment exclusion deleted:	\$3,000,000	Annual aggregate

The Umbrella for excess Liability -shall provide coverage for not less than the following amounts:

(1)	Excess Liability:	\$3,000,000	Annual aggregate
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Pollution Liability Insurance:

(1)	Pollution Liability:	\$1,000,000	Each occurrence
		\$3,000,000	Aggregate

Comprehensive Automobile Liability including owned, hired and non-owned vehicles:

(1)	Bodily injury:	\$1,000,000	Each person
		\$1,000,000	Each accident
(2)	Property damage	\$1,000,000	Each occurrence
(3)	Combined single limit	\$2,000,000	Aggregate

6.04

Delete Paragraph 6.04.B in its entirety and insert the following in its place:

"6.04.B. CONTRACTOR shall purchase and maintain, until final payment, property insurance upon the Work at the site in an amount equal to the total bid price for the completed construction. This insurance shall include the interests of OWNER, CONTRACTOR, Subcontractors, ENGINEER and ENGINEER's consultants in the Work, shall insure against the perils of fire and extended coverage, shall include "all risk" insurance for physical loss and damage including theft, vandalism and malicious mischief, collapse and water damage, and shall include damages, losses and expenses rising out of or resulting from any insured loss or incurred in the repair or replacement of any insured property (including but not limited to fees and charges of engineers, architects, attorneys and other professionals). This insurance shall be provided on the completed value form. If not covered under the "all risk" insurance or otherwise provided in these Supplementary Conditions, CONTRACTOR shall purchase and maintain similar property insurance on portions of the Work stored on and off the site or in transit when such portions of the Work are to be included in an Application for Payment."

6.04.C

Delete Paragraph 6.04.C in its entirety.

6.04.D

Delete Paragraph 6.04.D in its entirety and insert the following:

“OWNER may occupy or use a portion of the Work prior to Substantial Completion.”

6.04.E

Delete the first sentence of 6.04.E in its entirety and insert the following in its place:

“Insurance of Other Property: If the express insurance provisions of the Contract do not require or address the insurance of a property item or interest, such as tools, construction equipment, or other personal property owned by Contractor, a Subcontractor, or an employee of Contractor or a Subcontractor, then the entity or individual owning such property item will be responsible for deciding whether to insure it, and if so in what amount.”

6.04.F

Add the following Paragraph after Paragraph 6.04.E:

"6.04.F. All the policies of insurance (or the certificates or other evidence thereof) required to be purchased and maintained by CONTRACTOR in accordance with Article 6 will contain a provision or endorsement that the coverage afforded will not be canceled or materially changed or renewal refused until at least thirty days' prior written notice has

been given to OWNER by certified mail and will contain waiver provisions in accordance with paragraph 6.05.B."

6.05.A

Delete the first sentence of Paragraph of 6.05.A and insert the following in its place:

"The insurance policies purchased and maintained in accordance with Article 6 (or an installation floater policy if authorized by the Supplementary Conditions), will contain provisions to the effect that in the event of payment of any loss or damage the insurer will have no rights of recovery against any insureds thereunder, or against Engineer or its consultants, or their officers, directors, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, or subcontractors"

6.05.B

Delete Paragraph 6.05.B in its entirety and insert the following:

"6.05.B. OWNER and CONTRACTOR intend that all policies of insurance purchased in accordance with the provisions of Article 6 will protect OWNER, CONTRACTOR, Subcontractors, and ENGINEER, and all other individuals or entities identified in the Supplementary Conditions as loss payees (and officers, director, members, partners, employees, agents, consultants, and subcontractors or each and any of them) in such policies and will, where required to provided such insurance, provide primary coverage for all losses and damages caused by the perils or causes of loss covered thereby."

6.05.D.

Add the following Paragraph after Paragraph 6.05.D:

"6.05.E. The CONTRACTOR shall pay for all costs not covered because of the application of a policy deductible due under any of its insurance policies required hereunder."

6.06

Delete paragraph 6.06.A in its entirety.

Delete paragraph 6.06.B in its entirety.

Delete paragraph 6.06.C in its entirety.

ARTICLE 7. CONTRACTOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES

7.01.B

Insert the following at the end of Paragraph 7.01.B:

“Contractor shall not be entitled to any equitable adjustment in Contract Price as a result of such services.”

7.05.A

Insert the following at the end of the third sentence of Paragraph 7.05.A:

“, and in accordance with G.L. c.30, §39M.”

Add a new paragraph 7.05.A.1.c immediately after paragraph 7.05.A.1.b, which is to read as follows:

“7.05.A.1.c. It shall be CONTRACTOR’s responsibility to coordinate all submittals to ENGINEER for approval to eliminate any conflicts which might arise due to the use of “or equal” items. Any additional costs incidental to the use of “or equal” items shall be paid by CONTRACTOR.”

7.07

Add the following to Paragraph 7.07.A:

“CONTRACTOR shall not employ any Subcontractor, Supplier or other person or organization, (including those who are to furnish the principal items of materials or equipment), whether initially or as a substitute, against whom OWNER makes reasonable objection. Acceptance of any Subcontractor, other person or organization by OWNER shall not constitute a waiver of any right of OWNER to reject defective Work.”

7.07.H.1

Add the following paragraph immediately after paragraph 7.07.H:

7.07.H.1. CONTRACTOR shall make payments to Subcontractors in accordance with Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 30, Section 39F.”

Add the following paragraph immediately after paragraph 7.07.I:

“7.07.I.1. OWNER or ENGINEER may furnish to any such Subcontractor, Supplier, or other person or organization, to the extent practicable, information about amounts paid to CONTRACTOR in accordance with CONTRACTOR’s Applications for Payment on account of the particular Subcontractor’s, Suppliers, other person’s, or other organization’s Work.”

7.08.A

Delete the second sentence of Paragraph 7.08.A.

7.08.B

Delete this subparagraph.

7.10

Add the following language at the end of paragraph 7.10:

“7.10.A.1. The materials and supplies to be used in the Work under this Contract are exempt from the Sales and Use Tax of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Contractor shall obtain the proper certificates, maintain the necessary records, and otherwise comply with all applicable requirements governing the exemption from sales tax.”

7.11C

Delete the last sentence of Paragraph 7.11C.

7.12.B – C

Insert the following new paragraphs immediately after Paragraph 7.12.A:

“7.12.B. The CONTRACTOR shall return to the ENGINEER one set of the Contract Drawings marked in colored pencil, showing all changes made during construction and including the location, by dimensions and elevations, of installed equipment, and underground facilities that will become concealed or buried by the construction. This shall include ties to all concealed work, etc. measured from permanent structures. Additionally, the CONTRACTOR shall be required to keep marked-up drawings current and on site and to provide mark-ups to the OWNER on a monthly basis.

7.12.C. CONTRACTOR shall comply with all applicable provisions of Chapter 30, Section 39R of the Massachusetts General Laws regarding CONTRACTOR’s records.”

7.13.D

Delete the text in parentheses in Paragraph 7.13.D.

7.16

Add the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph 7.16.F, which is to read as follows:

“7.16.G. The accuracy of all such information submitted by the Contractor is the responsibility of the Contractor. In reviewing Shop Drawings, Samples, and similar submittals, the Engineer shall be entitled to rely upon the Contractor’s representation that such information is correct and accurate.”

7.17.F

Add the following new paragraph 7.17.F, immediately after paragraph 7.17.E:

“7.17.F. CONTRACTOR shall guarantee all materials and equipment furnished and Work performed for a period of two (2) years from the date of Substantial Completion. CONTRACTOR warrants and guarantees for a period of two (2) years from the date of Substantial Completion that the completed Work is free from all defects due to faulty materials or workmanship and CONTRACTOR shall promptly make such corrections as may be necessary by reason of any such defects including the repairs of any damage to other parts of the Work resulting from such defects. In the event that CONTRACTOR should fail to make such repairs, adjustments, or other work that may be made necessary by such defects, OWNER may do so and charge CONTRACTOR the cost thereby incurred. The Performance Bond shall remain in full force and effect through the guarantee period.”

7.18.A

Delete the phrase in parentheses: “(other than the Work itself)” in Paragraph 7.18.A.

Change the phrase “negligent act or omission” to “negligent or willful or wrongful act or omission.”

7.18.B

Insert the following at the end of Paragraph 7.18.B:

“If, through the acts or neglect of CONTRACTOR, any other Contractor or any Subcontractor shall suffer loss or damage on the Work, CONTRACTOR shall settle with such other Contractor or Subcontractor by agreement if such other Contractor or Subcontractor will so settle. If such other Contractor or Subcontractor shall assert any claim against OWNER on account of any damage alleged to have been sustained, OWNER shall notify CONTRACTOR, who shall indemnify and hold harmless OWNER against any such claims.”

ARTICLE 8. OTHER WORK AT THE SITE

8.02

Delete Paragraph 8.02 in its entirety.

8.03

Delete paragraph 8.03.C in its entirety, and insert the following in its place:

“8.03.C Should CONTRACTOR cause damage to the work or property of any separate contractor at the site, or should any claim arising out of CONTRACTOR'S performance of the Work at the site be made by any separate contractor against CONTRACTOR,

OWNER, ENGINEER, ENGINEER'S Consultants, or any other person, CONTRACTOR shall promptly attempt to settle with such other contractor by agreement, or to otherwise resolve the dispute by arbitration or at law. CONTRACTOR shall, to the fullest extent permitted by Laws and Regulations, indemnify and hold OWNER, ENGINEER, and ENGINEER'S Consultants, harmless from and against all claims, damages, losses, and expenses (including, but not limited to, fees of engineers, architects, attorneys, and other professionals, and court and arbitration costs) arising directly, indirectly, or consequentially out of any action, legal or equitable, brought by any separate contractor against OWNER, ENGINEER, or ENGINEER'S Consultants, to the extent based on a claim arising out of the CONTRACTOR'S performance of the Work. Should a separate contractor cause damage to the Work or property of CONTRACTOR or should the performance of Work by any separate contractor at the site give rise to any other claim, CONTRACTOR shall not institute any action, legal or equitable, against OWNER, ENGINEER, or ENGINEER'S Consultants or permit any action against any of them to be maintained and continued in its name or for its benefit in any court or before any arbiter which seeks to impose liability on or to recover damages from OWNER, ENGINEER, or ENGINEER'S Consultants, on such action or claim. If CONTRACTOR is delayed at any time in performing or furnishing Work by any act or neglect of a separate contractor and OWNER and CONTRACTOR are unable to agree to the extent of any adjustment in Contract Times attributable thereto, CONTRACTOR may make a claim for an extension of times in accordance with Article 11.02. An extension of the Contract Times shall be CONTRACTOR'S exclusive remedy with respect to OWNER, ENGINEER, and ENGINEER'S Consultants, for any delay, disruption, interference or hindrance caused by any separate contractor. This paragraph does not prevent recovery from OWNER, ENGINEER, or ENGINEER'S Consultant, for activities that are their respective responsibilities.”

ARTICLE 9. OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITIES

9.02.A

Delete the phrase “provided Contractor makes no reasonable objection to the replacement engineer” in Paragraph 9.02.A.

9.06

Delete Paragraph 9.06 in its entirety.

9.09

Insert the following after the first sentence of Paragraph 9.09.A:

“However, the OWNER shall have the right to direct the CONTRACTOR to perform the Work according to any sequence schedule set forth in the Contract Documents or established pursuant thereto.”

ARTICLE 10. ENGINEER'S STATUS DURING CONSTRUCTION

10.01

Add a new paragraph 10.01.B after paragraph 10.01.A, which is to read as follows:

"10.01.B. Nothing contained in the Contract Documents shall be construed to create a contractual relationship of any kind (1) between the ENGINEER and CONTRACTOR, (2) between the OWNER and a Subcontractor or Subcontractors, or (3) between any person or entities other than the OWNER and CONTRACTOR. The ENGINEER shall, however, be entitled to performance and enforcement of obligations under the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS intended to facilitate performance of the ENGINEER'S duties."

10.02B

Insert the following at the end of Paragraph 10.02.B:

"However, the ENGINEER shall have the right to direct the CONTRACTOR to perform the Work according to any sequence schedule set forth in the Contract Documents or established pursuant thereto."

10.03

Delete the last sentence of Paragraph 10.03.A

10.08.B

Insert the following after the first sentence in Paragraph 10.08.B:

"However, the ENGINEER shall have the right to direct the CONTRACTOR to perform the Work according to any sequence schedule set forth in the Contract Documents or established pursuant thereto."

10.07.F

Add a new paragraph immediately after paragraph 10.07.E which is to read as follows:

"10.07.F. ENGINEER'S interpretations will be made in accordance with Massachusetts General Laws Chapter 30, Section 39P."

ARTICLE 11. CHANGES TO THE CONTRACT

11.05

Add a new paragraph immediately after paragraph 11.05.A which is to read as follows:

“11.02.A.1 ENGINEER'S interpretations will be made in accordance with Massachusetts General Law, Chapter 30, Section 39P.”

11.05.D

Add the following new paragraph immediately after paragraph 11.05.D, which is to read as follows:

“11.05.D. Upon request of the Owner or Engineer, the Contractor shall without cost to the Owner submit to the Engineer, in such form as the Engineer may require, an accurate written estimate of the cost of any such proposed extra Work or change. The estimate shall indicate the quantity and unit cost of each item of materials, and the number of hours of work and hourly rate for each class of labor, as well as the description and amounts of all other costs chargeable under the terms of this Article. Unit labor costs for the installation of each item of materials shall be shown if required by the Engineer. The Contractor shall promptly revise and resubmit such estimate if the Engineer determines that it is not in compliance with the requirements of this Article, or that it contains errors of facts or mathematical errors. If required by the Engineer, in order to establish the exact cost of new Work added or previously required Work omitted, the Contractor shall obtain and furnish to the Engineer bona fide proposals from recognized suppliers for furnishing any material included in such Work, and shall be furnished at Contractor’s expense. The Contractor shall state in the estimate any extension of time required for the completion of the Work if the change or extra work is ordered.”

11.07

In paragraph 11.07.C.2.a change “15 percent” to “10 percent”.

Delete paragraph 11.07.C.2.c

ARTICLE 12. CLAIMS

12.01

Add a new paragraph immediately after paragraph 12.01.D.1 to read as follows:

“12.01.D.1.a CONTRACTOR shall carry on the Work and maintain the progress schedule during the dispute resolution proceedings unless otherwise agreed in writing by OWNER and CONTRACTOR.”

ARTICLE 13. COST OF THE WORK; ALLOWANCES; UNIT PRICE WORK

13.01

Add the following to the beginning of paragraph 13.01.B to read as follows:

“Following the Notice of Award and prior to the execution of the AGREEMENT the OWNER, prospective contractor and, if any, each prospective filed subbid contractor

shall agree on what percentage markup shall be used as direct labor costs in determination of extra work costs.”

In the second sentence of paragraph 13.01.B.1 delete the word "superintendents".

13.01.B.5

Delete subparagraphs a, d, e, f, g, and h of Paragraph 13.01.B.5.

13.03.E

Delete Paragraph 13.03.E in its entirety.

ARTICLE 14. TESTS AND INSPECTIONS; CORRECTION, REMOVAL OR ACCEPTANCE OF DEFECTIVE WORK

14.02.F

Delete the remainder of Paragraph 14.02.F after the words “Contractor’s expense.”

14.05.C.2

Delete Paragraph 14.05.C.2 in its entirety.

14.06.B

Insert the following new paragraph immediately after Paragraph 14.06.A:

“14.06.B. If Owner stops Work under paragraph 14.06.A, CONTRACTOR shall not be entitled to any extension of Contract Time or increase in Contract Price.”

ARTICLE 15. PAYMENTS TO CONTRACTOR; SET-OFFS; COMPLETION; CORRECTION PERIOD

15.01.B.1

Delete the first phrase prior to the words “Contractor shall” in the first sentence of Paragraph 15.01.B.1 and insert the following:

“On a monthly basis and in accordance with G.L. c.30, §39G,”.

Delete paragraph 15.01.B.4 and insert the following in its place:

"15.01.B.4. Retainage with respect to progress payments will be five percent or, if stipulated, the maximum allowed by law."

15.01.B.4

Insert the following new paragraph immediately after Paragraph 15.01.B.4:

“15.01.B5. CONTRACTOR shall furnish evidence that payment received on the basis of materials and equipment not incorporated and suitably stored, has in fact been paid to the respective supplier(s) within ten (10) days of payment by OWNER. Failure to provide such evidence of payment may result in the withdrawal of previous approval(s) and removal of the cost of related materials and equipment from the next submitted Application for Payment.

15.01.C.1

Delete Paragraph 15.01.C.1 in its entirety and insert the following:

“15.01.C.1. Progress Payments shall be made in accordance with Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 30, Section 39G.”

15.01.D.1

Delete Paragraph 15.01.D.1 in its entirety and insert the following:

“15.01.D.1. Payment shall be made in accordance with G.L. c.30, §39G.”

15.01.E.2

Delete the words “immediate” and “promptly” in the first sentence of Paragraph 15.01.E.2.

15.01.E.3

Delete Paragraph 15.01.E.3 in its entirety.

15.02

Insert the following new paragraphs immediately after Paragraph 15.02.A:

“15.02.B. No materials or supplies for the Work shall be purchased by CONTRACTOR or Subcontractor subject to any chattel mortgage or under a conditional sale contract or other agreement by which an interest is retained by the seller. CONTRACTOR warrants that CONTRACTOR has good title to all materials and supplies used by CONTRACTOR in the Work, free from all liens, claims or encumbrances.

15.02.C. CONTRACTOR shall indemnify and save OWNER harmless from all claims growing out of the lawful demands of Subcontractors, laborers, workmen, mechanics, materialmen, and furnishers of machinery and parts thereof, equipment, power tools, and all supplies, including commissary, incurred in the furtherance of the performance of this Contract. CONTRACTOR shall, at OWNERS request, furnish satisfactory evidence that all obligations of the nature hereinabove designated have been paid, discharged, or

waived. If CONTRACTOR fails to do so, then OWNER may, after having served written notice on the CONTRACTOR, either pay unpaid bills, of which OWNER has written notice, or withhold from the CONTRACTOR's unpaid compensation a sum of money deemed reasonably sufficient to pay any and all such lawful claims until satisfactory evidence is furnished that all liabilities have been fully discharged whereupon payment to CONTRACTOR shall be resumed, in accordance with the terms of this Contract, but in no event shall the provisions of this sentence be construed to impose any obligation upon OWNER to either CONTRACTOR, or CONTRACTOR's Surety. In paying any unpaid bills of the CONTRACTOR, OWNER's payment shall be considered as payment made under the Contract by OWNER to CONTRACTOR and OWNER shall not be liable to CONTRACTOR for any such payment made in good faith."

15.04.A

Delete the phrase "subject to the following conditions" at the end of the first sentence of Paragraph 15.04.A.

Delete Paragraph 15.04.A.2 in its entirety.

15.06

Delete Paragraph 15.06.B.1 and insert the following:

"15.06.B.1. If, on the basis of ENGINEER's observations of the Work during construction and final inspection, and ENGINEER's review of the final Application for Payment and accompanying documentation, all as required by the Contract Documents, ENGINEER is satisfied that the Work has been completed and CONTRACTOR's other obligations under the Contract Documents have been fulfilled, ENGINEER will indicate in writing ENGINEER's recommendation of payment and present the Application for Payment to OWNER for payment. Thereupon ENGINEER will give written notice to OWNER and CONTRACTOR that the Work is acceptable subject to the provisions of paragraph 15.07. Otherwise, ENGINEER will return the Application for Payment to CONTRACTOR, indicating in writing the reasons for refusing to recommend final payment, in which case CONTRACTOR shall make the necessary corrections and resubmit the Application for Payment.

15.06.E

Insert the following at the end of Paragraph 15.06.E:

"Final payment shall be made in accordance with G.L. c.30, §39G."

15.07.A

Delete paragraph 15.07.A in its entirety and insert the following:

"15.07.A. The making of final payment will not constitute a waiver by OWNER of claims or rights against CONTRACTOR. OWNER expressly reserves claims and rights

arising from unsettled Liens, from defective Work appearing after final inspection pursuant to Paragraph 15.05, from CONTRACTOR'S failure to comply with the Contract Documents or the terms of any special guarantees specified therein, from outstanding Claims by OWNER, or from CONTRACTOR'S continuing obligations under the Contract Documents."

ARTICLE 16. SUSPENSION OF WORK AND TERMINATION

16.01.A

Delete Paragraph 16.01.A in its entirety and insert the following:

"16.01.A. OWNER may suspend the work or any portion thereof in accordance with G.L. c.30, §39O."

16.02.A.5

Insert new paragraph immediately after Paragraph 16.02.A.4:

"16.02.A.5. If CONTRACTOR abandons the Work, or sublets this Contract or any part thereof, without the previous written consent of OWNER, or if the Contract or any claim thereunder shall be assigned by CONTRACTOR other than as herein specified."

16.03.A.1

Delete the phrase "including fair and reasonable sums for overhead and profit on such Work" in Paragraph 16.03.A.1.

16.03.A.2

Delete the phrase "plus fair and reasonable sums for overhead and profit on such expenses" in Paragraph 16.03.A.2.

16.03.A.3

Delete Paragraph 16.03.A.3 in its entirety.

16.04.B

Delete the last sentence of Paragraph 16.04.B.

ARTICLE 17. FINAL RESOLUTION OF DISPUTES

17.01.C

Insert a new sub-paragraph after Paragraph 17.01.B:

“CONTRACTOR shall be responsible to carry on the Work and maintain the progress schedule during the dispute resolution proceedings.”

17.02

Add a new paragraph immediately after Paragraph 17.01 which is to read as follows:

“17.02 Venue

Any legal action relating to this Contract shall be filed in the Superior Court for the County in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in which the Project is located, unless otherwise agreed by CONTRACTOR and OWNER in writing.”

ARTICLE 18. MISCELLANEOUS

18.10

Delete paragraph 18.10.A and replace with the following paragraph:

“18.10.A The headings or titles of any article, paragraph, subparagraph, section, subsection, or part of the Contract Documents shall not be deemed to limit or restrict the article, paragraph, section, or part.”

18.11

Insert the following new paragraph:

“18.11 Wage Rates

A. The requirements and provisions of all applicable laws and any amendments thereof or additions thereto as to employment of labor, and to the schedule of minimum wage rates established in compliance with laws shall be a part of the Contract Documents. If after the Notice of Award, it becomes necessary to employ any person in a trade or occupation not classified in the wage determinations, such person shall be paid at not less than such rates as shall be determined by the officials administering the laws mentioned above.

B. The schedule of wages referred to above is minimum rates only, and OWNER will not consider any claims for additional compensation made by CONTRACTOR because of payment by CONTRACTOR of any wage in excess of the applicable, required rates.

C. The said schedules of wages shall continue to be the minimum rates to be paid during the life of this Agreement, unless state laws and regulations require updating the same in which case the Owner shall provide the updated applicable schedule of wages, and a legible copy of said schedules shall be kept posted in a conspicuous place at the site of the work.”

SUPPLEMENTAL CONDITIONS

§ SC 1.1 INTRODUCTION

The following provisions modify, change, delete from or add to Section 00500 Agreement. Where any Subsection of the Agreement is modified or any Article Paragraph, Subparagraph or Clause thereof is modified or deleted by these Supplemental Conditions, the unaltered provisions of that Article, Paragraph, Subparagraph or Clause shall remain in effect.

§ SC 2.1 PREVAILING WAGE

In accordance with General Laws Chapter 149, Section 26 through 27D, the Contractor is obligated to comply with the prevailing wage rates established by the Commissioner of the Department of Labor and Workforce Development for mechanics, apprentices, chauffeurs, teamsters and laborers employed on the Project. The schedule of applicable prevailing wage rates for the Project, together with a Certificate of Compliance therewith, are set forth in Attachment A herein.

§ SC 3.1 CONTRACTOR'S LIABILITY INSURANCE

In no case shall the limits of liability be less than the following:

- (1) General Liability of at least \$1,000,000 per incident and \$2,000,000 aggregate for Bodily Injury and Property Damage Liability. Products and Completed Operations should be maintained for up to 3 years after the completion of the project.
- (2) Automobile Liability (applicable for any contractor who has an automobile operating exposure) of at least \$1,000,000 Bodily Injury and Property Damage per accident.
- (3) Workers' Compensation Insurance as required by law – (Include Employers Liability Part B).
- (4) Property Coverage for materials and supplies is the responsibility of the contractor until the job is completed and turned over to the town (proof of builder's risk or installation floater should be provided).
- (5) Umbrella Liability of at least \$2,000,000/occurrence, \$2,000,000/aggregate.

The Town should be named as an "Additional Insured" on the liability, automobile and umbrella policies and the contractors liability policy should be considered primary/non-contributory.

The selected Bidder must furnish proof of insurance to the Town at the time of award.

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SECTION 00850

INCORPORATION OF APPLICABLE PROVISIONS OF THE
MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAWS

Certain provisions of the Massachusetts General Laws are applicable to Construction contracts including, but not limited to, those contained in Chapter 30 and Chapter 149. All applicable provisions of the Massachusetts General Laws are incorporated into the Contract as if fully set forth herein, and shall prevail over any conflicting provisions of the General or Supplemental Conditions.

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DIVISION 0 ATTACHMENT A
PREVAILING WAGE RATES

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MAURA HEALEY
Governor

KIM DRISCOLL
Lt. Governor

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF LABOR AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR STANDARDS

Prevailing Wage Rates

As determined by the Director under the provisions of the
Massachusetts General Laws, Chapter 149, Sections 26 to 27H

LAUREN JONES
Secretary

MICHAEL FLANAGAN
Director

Awarding Authority: Town of Middleborough
Contract Number: **City/Town:** MIDDLEBOROUGH
Description of Work: Replacement of 14,250 linear feet of 8" to 12" CLDI water main, and 3,000 linear feet of 1" to 2" water service piping.
Job Location: Various streets in Middleborough, MA

Information about Prevailing Wage Schedules for Awarding Authorities and Contractors

- The wage rates will remain in effect for the duration of the project, except in the case of multi-year public construction projects. For construction projects lasting longer than one year, awarding authorities must request an updated wage schedule no later than two weeks before the anniversary of the date the contract was executed by the awarding authority and the general contractor. For multi-year CM AT RISK projects, the awarding authority must request an annual update no later than two weeks before the anniversary date, determined as the earlier of: (a) the execution date of the GMP Amendment, or (b) the execution date of the first amendment to permit procurement of construction services. The annual update requirement is not applicable to 27F "rental of equipment" contracts. **The updated wage schedule must be provided to all contractors, including general and sub-contractors, working on the construction project.**
- This wage schedule applies only to the specific project referenced at the top of this page and uniquely identified by the "Wage Request Number" on all pages of this schedule.
- An Awarding Authority must request an updated wage schedule if it has not opened bids or selected a contractor within 90 days of the date of issuance of the wage schedule. For CM AT RISK projects (bid pursuant to G.L. c.149A), the earlier of: (a) the execution date of the GMP Amendment, or (b) the bid for the first construction scope of work must be within 90-days of the wage schedule issuance date.
- The wage schedule shall be incorporated in any advertisement or call for bids for the project as required by M.G.L. c. 149, § 27. The wage schedule shall be made a part of the contract awarded for the project. The wage schedule must be posted in a conspicuous place at the work site for the life of the project in accordance with M.G.L. c. 149 § 27. The wages listed on the wage schedule must be paid to employees performing construction work on the project whether they are employed by the prime contractor, a filed sub-bidder, or a sub-contractor.
- Apprentices working on the project are required to be registered with the Massachusetts Division of Apprentice Standards (DAS). Apprentices must keep their apprentice identification card on their persons during all work hours on the project. An apprentice registered with DAS may be paid the lower apprentice wage rate at the applicable step as provided on the prevailing wage schedule. **Any apprentice not registered with DAS regardless of whether they are registered with another federal, state, local, or private agency must be paid the journeyworker's rate.**
- Every contractor or subcontractor working on the construction project must submit weekly payroll reports and a Statement of Compliance directly to the awarding authority by mail or email and keep them on file for three years. Each weekly payroll report must contain: the employee's name, address, occupational classification, hours worked, and wages paid. Do not submit weekly payroll reports to DLS. For a sample payroll reporting form go to <http://www.mass.gov/dols/pw>.
- Contractors with questions about the wage rates or classifications included on the wage schedule have an affirmative obligation to inquire with DLS at (617) 626-6953.
- Contractors must obtain the wage schedules from awarding authorities. Failure of a contractor or subcontractor to pay the prevailing wage rates listed on the wage schedule to all employees who perform construction work on the project is a violation of the law and subjects the contractor or subcontractor to civil and criminal penalties.
- Employees not receiving the prevailing wage rate set forth on the wage schedule may file a complaint with the Fair Labor Division of the office of the Attorney General at (617) 727-3465.

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
Construction						
(2 AXLE) DRIVER - EQUIPMENT <i>TEAMSTERS JOINT COUNCIL NO. 10 ZONE B</i>	06/01/2023	\$38.95	\$14.57	\$17.29	\$0.00	\$70.81
	12/01/2023	\$38.95	\$14.57	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.19
	01/01/2024	\$38.95	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.69
	06/01/2024	\$39.95	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$73.69
	12/01/2024	\$39.95	\$15.07	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.19
	01/01/2025	\$39.95	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.69
	06/01/2025	\$40.95	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$76.69
	12/01/2025	\$40.95	\$15.57	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$78.30
	01/01/2026	\$40.95	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$78.90
	06/01/2026	\$41.95	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$79.90
	12/01/2026	\$41.95	\$16.17	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$81.64
	01/01/2027	\$41.95	\$16.77	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$82.24
(3 AXLE) DRIVER - EQUIPMENT <i>TEAMSTERS JOINT COUNCIL NO. 10 ZONE B</i>	06/01/2023	\$39.02	\$14.57	\$17.29	\$0.00	\$70.88
	12/01/2023	\$39.02	\$14.57	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.26
	01/01/2024	\$39.02	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.76
	06/01/2024	\$40.02	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$73.76
	12/01/2024	\$40.02	\$15.07	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.26
	01/01/2025	\$40.02	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.76
	06/01/2025	\$41.02	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$76.76
	12/01/2025	\$41.02	\$15.57	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$78.37
	01/01/2026	\$41.02	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$78.97
	06/01/2026	\$42.02	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$79.97
	12/01/2026	\$42.02	\$16.17	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$81.71
	01/01/2027	\$42.02	\$16.77	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$82.31
(4 & 5 AXLE) DRIVER - EQUIPMENT <i>TEAMSTERS JOINT COUNCIL NO. 10 ZONE B</i>	06/01/2023	\$39.14	\$14.57	\$17.29	\$0.00	\$71.00
	12/01/2023	\$39.14	\$14.57	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.38
	01/01/2024	\$39.14	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.88
	06/01/2024	\$40.14	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$73.88
	12/01/2024	\$40.14	\$15.07	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.38
	01/01/2025	\$40.14	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.88
	06/01/2025	\$41.14	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$76.88
	12/01/2025	\$41.14	\$15.57	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$78.49
	01/01/2026	\$41.14	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$79.09
	06/01/2026	\$42.14	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$80.09
	12/01/2026	\$42.14	\$16.17	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$81.83
	01/01/2027	\$42.14	\$16.77	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$82.43
ADS/SUBMERSIBLE PILOT <i>PILE DRIVER LOCAL 56 (ZONE 1)</i>	08/01/2020	\$103.05	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$135.57
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- PILE DRIVER"						
AIR TRACK OPERATOR <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$38.21	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.50
	12/01/2023	\$39.11	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$65.40
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
AIR TRACK OPERATOR (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$38.21	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.50
	12/01/2023	\$39.11	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$65.40
	06/01/2024	\$40.44	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.73
	12/01/2024	\$41.77	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.06
	06/01/2025	\$43.16	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$69.45
	12/01/2025	\$44.54	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.83
	06/01/2026	\$45.98	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$72.27
	12/01/2026	\$47.42	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.71
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)						
ASBESTOS WORKER (PIPES & TANKS) <i>HEAT & FROST INSULATORS LOCAL 6 (SOUTHERN MASS)</i>	06/01/2023	\$39.80	\$14.50	\$11.05	\$0.00	\$65.35
	12/01/2023	\$40.80	\$14.50	\$11.05	\$0.00	\$66.35
	06/01/2024	\$41.80	\$14.50	\$11.05	\$0.00	\$67.35
	12/01/2024	\$42.80	\$14.50	\$11.05	\$0.00	\$68.35
	06/01/2025	\$43.80	\$14.50	\$11.05	\$0.00	\$69.35
	12/01/2025	\$44.80	\$14.50	\$11.05	\$0.00	\$70.35
ASPHALT RAKER <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
ASPHALT RAKER (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
	06/01/2024	\$39.94	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.23
	12/01/2024	\$41.27	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$67.56
	06/01/2025	\$42.66	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.95
	12/01/2025	\$44.04	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.33
	06/01/2026	\$45.48	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$71.77
	12/01/2026	\$46.92	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.21
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)						
ASPHALT/CONCRETE/CRUSHER PLANT-ON SITE <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$54.28	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$85.18
	12/01/2023	\$55.03	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$86.43
	06/01/2024	\$56.33	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.73
	12/01/2024	\$57.78	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.18
	06/01/2025	\$59.08	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$90.48
	12/01/2025	\$60.53	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.93
	06/01/2026	\$61.83	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.23
	12/01/2026	\$63.28	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$94.68
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
BACKHOE/FRONT-END LOADER <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$54.28	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$85.18
	12/01/2023	\$55.03	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$86.43
	06/01/2024	\$56.33	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.73
	12/01/2024	\$57.78	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.18
	06/01/2025	\$59.08	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$90.48
	12/01/2025	\$60.53	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.93
	06/01/2026	\$61.83	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.23
	12/01/2026	\$63.28	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$94.68
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
BARCO-TYPE JUMPING TAMPER <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
BLOCK PAVER, RAMMER / CURB SETTER <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$38.21	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.50
	12/01/2023	\$39.11	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$65.40
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
BLOCK PAVER, RAMMER / CURB SETTER (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$38.21	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.50
	12/01/2023	\$39.11	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$65.40
	06/01/2024	\$40.44	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.73
	12/01/2024	\$41.77	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.06
	06/01/2025	\$43.16	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$69.45
	12/01/2025	\$44.54	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.83
	06/01/2026	\$45.98	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$72.27
	12/01/2026	\$47.42	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.71
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)"						
BOILER MAKER <i>BOILERMAKERS LOCAL 29</i>	01/01/2023	\$47.37	\$7.07	\$20.31	\$0.00	\$74.75
	01/01/2024	\$48.12	\$7.07	\$20.60	\$0.00	\$75.79

Apprentice - BOILERMAKER - Local 29

Effective Date - 01/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	65	\$30.79	\$7.07	\$13.22	\$0.00	\$51.08
2	65	\$30.79	\$7.07	\$13.22	\$0.00	\$51.08
3	70	\$33.16	\$7.07	\$14.23	\$0.00	\$54.46
4	75	\$35.53	\$7.07	\$15.24	\$0.00	\$57.84
5	80	\$37.90	\$7.07	\$16.25	\$0.00	\$61.22
6	85	\$40.26	\$7.07	\$17.28	\$0.00	\$64.61
7	90	\$42.63	\$7.07	\$18.28	\$0.00	\$67.98
8	95	\$45.00	\$7.07	\$19.32	\$0.00	\$71.39

Effective Date - 01/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	65	\$31.28	\$7.07	\$13.22	\$0.00	\$51.57
2	65	\$31.28	\$7.07	\$13.22	\$0.00	\$51.57
3	70	\$33.68	\$7.07	\$14.23	\$0.00	\$54.98
4	75	\$36.09	\$7.07	\$15.24	\$0.00	\$58.40
5	80	\$38.50	\$7.07	\$16.25	\$0.00	\$61.82
6	85	\$40.90	\$7.07	\$17.28	\$0.00	\$65.25
7	90	\$43.31	\$7.07	\$18.28	\$0.00	\$68.66
8	95	\$45.71	\$7.07	\$19.32	\$0.00	\$72.10

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:4

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
BRICK/STONE/ARTIFICIAL MASONRY (INCL. MASONRY WATERPROOFING) <i>BRICKLAYERS LOCAL 3 (QUINCY)</i>	08/01/2023	\$62.40	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$96.23
	02/01/2024	\$63.65	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$97.48
	08/01/2024	\$65.75	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$99.58
	02/01/2025	\$67.05	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$100.88
	08/01/2025	\$69.20	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$103.03
	02/01/2026	\$70.55	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$104.38
	08/01/2026	\$72.75	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$106.58
	02/01/2027	\$74.15	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$107.98

Apprentice - BRICK/PLASTER/CEMENT MASON - Local 3 Quincy

Effective Date - 08/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$31.20	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$65.03
2	60	\$37.44	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$71.27
3	70	\$43.68	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$77.51
4	80	\$49.92	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$83.75
5	90	\$56.16	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$89.99

Effective Date - 02/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$31.83	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$65.66
2	60	\$38.19	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$72.02
3	70	\$44.56	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$78.39
4	80	\$50.92	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$84.75
5	90	\$57.29	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$91.12

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:5

BULLDOZER/GRADER/SCRAPER <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$53.69	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.59
	12/01/2023	\$54.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$85.83
	06/01/2024	\$55.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.11
	12/01/2024	\$57.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.55
	06/01/2025	\$58.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.83
	12/01/2025	\$59.87	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.27
	06/01/2026	\$61.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$92.55
	12/01/2026	\$62.59	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.99

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
CAISSON & UNDERPINNING BOTTOM MAN <i>LABORERS - FOUNDATION AND MARINE</i>	06/01/2023	\$44.73	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$72.10
	12/01/2023	\$45.98	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$73.35
	06/01/2024	\$47.46	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$74.83
	12/01/2024	\$48.93	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$76.30
	06/01/2025	\$50.43	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$77.80
	12/01/2025	\$51.93	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$79.30
	06/01/2026	\$53.48	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$80.85
	12/01/2026	\$54.98	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$82.35
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
CAISSON & UNDERPINNING LABORER <i>LABORERS - FOUNDATION AND MARINE</i>	06/01/2023	\$43.58	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$70.95
	12/01/2023	\$44.83	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$72.20
	06/01/2024	\$46.31	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$73.68
	12/01/2024	\$47.78	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$75.15
	06/01/2025	\$49.28	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$76.65
	12/01/2025	\$50.78	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$78.15
	06/01/2026	\$52.33	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$79.70
	12/01/2026	\$53.83	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$81.20
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
CAISSON & UNDERPINNING TOP MAN <i>LABORERS - FOUNDATION AND MARINE</i>	06/01/2023	\$43.58	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$70.95
	12/01/2023	\$44.83	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$72.20
	06/01/2024	\$46.31	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$73.68
	12/01/2024	\$47.78	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$75.15
	06/01/2025	\$49.28	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$76.65
	12/01/2025	\$50.78	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$78.15
	06/01/2026	\$52.33	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$79.70
	12/01/2026	\$53.83	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$81.20
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
CARBIDE CORE DRILL OPERATOR <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
CARPENTER <i>CARPENTERS -ZONE 2 (Eastern Massachusetts)</i>	03/01/2023	\$45.12	\$9.33	\$19.97	\$0.00	\$74.42

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - CARPENTER - Zone 2 Eastern MA

Effective Date - 03/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$22.56	\$9.33	\$1.73	\$0.00	\$33.62
2	60	\$27.07	\$9.33	\$1.73	\$0.00	\$38.13
3	70	\$31.58	\$9.33	\$14.78	\$0.00	\$55.69
4	75	\$33.84	\$9.33	\$14.78	\$0.00	\$57.95
5	80	\$36.10	\$9.33	\$16.51	\$0.00	\$61.94
6	80	\$36.10	\$9.33	\$16.51	\$0.00	\$61.94
7	90	\$40.61	\$9.33	\$18.24	\$0.00	\$68.18
8	90	\$40.61	\$9.33	\$18.24	\$0.00	\$68.18

Notes:

% Indentured After 10/1/17; 45/45/55/55/70/70/80/80
 Step 1&2 \$30.71/ 3&4 \$36.93/ 5&6 \$56.82/ 7&8 \$63.06

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:5

CARPENTER WOOD FRAME CARPENTERS-ZONE 3 (Wood Frame)	04/01/2023	\$24.16	\$7.21	\$4.80	\$0.00	\$36.17
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All Aspects of New Wood Frame Work

Apprentice - CARPENTER (Wood Frame) - Zone 3

Effective Date - 04/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	60	\$14.50	\$7.21	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$21.71
2	60	\$14.50	\$7.21	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$21.71
3	65	\$15.70	\$7.21	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$22.91
4	70	\$16.91	\$7.21	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$24.12
5	75	\$18.12	\$7.21	\$3.80	\$0.00	\$29.13
6	80	\$19.33	\$7.21	\$3.80	\$0.00	\$30.34
7	85	\$20.54	\$7.21	\$3.80	\$0.00	\$31.55
8	90	\$21.74	\$7.21	\$3.80	\$0.00	\$32.75

Notes:

% Indentured After 10/1/17; 45/45/55/55/70/70/80/80
 Step 1&2 \$17.86/ 3&4 \$20.22/ 5&6 \$27.57/ 7&8 \$29.94

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:5

CEMENT MASONRY/PLASTERING BRICKLAYERS LOCAL 3 (QUINCY)	07/01/2023	\$48.19	\$13.00	\$23.57	\$1.30	\$86.06
	01/01/2024	\$49.33	\$13.00	\$23.57	\$1.30	\$87.20

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - CEMENT MASONRY/PLASTERING - Eastern Mass (Quincy)

Effective Date - 07/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$24.10	\$13.00	\$15.93	\$0.00	\$53.03
2	60	\$28.91	\$13.00	\$18.57	\$1.30	\$61.78
3	65	\$31.32	\$13.00	\$19.57	\$1.30	\$65.19
4	70	\$33.73	\$13.00	\$20.57	\$1.30	\$68.60
5	75	\$36.14	\$13.00	\$21.57	\$1.30	\$72.01
6	80	\$38.55	\$13.00	\$22.57	\$1.30	\$75.42
7	90	\$43.37	\$13.00	\$23.57	\$1.30	\$81.24

Effective Date - 01/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$24.67	\$13.00	\$15.93	\$0.00	\$53.60
2	60	\$29.60	\$13.00	\$18.57	\$1.30	\$62.47
3	65	\$32.06	\$13.00	\$19.57	\$1.30	\$65.93
4	70	\$34.53	\$13.00	\$20.57	\$1.30	\$69.40
5	75	\$37.00	\$13.00	\$21.57	\$1.30	\$72.87
6	80	\$39.46	\$13.00	\$22.57	\$1.30	\$76.33
7	90	\$44.40	\$13.00	\$23.57	\$1.30	\$82.27

Notes:
Steps 3,4 are 500 hrs. All other steps are 1,000 hrs.

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:3

CHAIN SAW OPERATOR LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
CLAM SHELLS/SLURRY BUCKETS/HEADING MACHINES OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4	06/01/2023	\$55.35	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$86.25
	12/01/2023	\$56.13	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.53
	06/01/2024	\$57.45	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.85
	12/01/2024	\$58.93	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$90.33
	06/01/2025	\$60.26	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.66
	12/01/2025	\$61.73	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.13
	06/01/2026	\$63.06	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$94.46
	12/01/2026	\$64.54	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$95.94
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
COMPRESSOR OPERATOR OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4	06/01/2023	\$35.30	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$66.20
	12/01/2023	\$35.62	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$67.02
	06/01/2024	\$36.47	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$67.87
	12/01/2024	\$37.42	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$68.82
	06/01/2025	\$38.27	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$69.67
	12/01/2025	\$39.22	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$70.62
	06/01/2026	\$40.08	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$71.48
	12/01/2026	\$41.03	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$72.43

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
DELEADER (BRIDGE) PAINTERS LOCAL 35 - ZONE 2	07/01/2023	\$55.51	\$9.65	\$23.70	\$0.00	\$88.86
	01/01/2024	\$56.06	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$89.96
	07/01/2024	\$57.26	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$91.16
	01/01/2025	\$58.46	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$92.36

Apprentice - PAINTER Local 35 - BRIDGES/TANKS

Effective Date - 07/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$27.76	\$9.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$37.41
2	55	\$30.53	\$9.65	\$6.55	\$0.00	\$46.73
3	60	\$33.31	\$9.65	\$7.14	\$0.00	\$50.10
4	65	\$36.08	\$9.65	\$7.74	\$0.00	\$53.47
5	70	\$38.86	\$9.65	\$20.13	\$0.00	\$68.64
6	75	\$41.63	\$9.65	\$20.73	\$0.00	\$72.01
7	80	\$44.41	\$9.65	\$21.32	\$0.00	\$75.38
8	90	\$49.96	\$9.65	\$22.51	\$0.00	\$82.12

Effective Date - 01/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$28.03	\$9.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$37.98
2	55	\$30.83	\$9.95	\$6.66	\$0.00	\$47.44
3	60	\$33.64	\$9.95	\$7.26	\$0.00	\$50.85
4	65	\$36.44	\$9.95	\$7.87	\$0.00	\$54.26
5	70	\$39.24	\$9.95	\$20.32	\$0.00	\$69.51
6	75	\$42.05	\$9.95	\$20.93	\$0.00	\$72.93
7	80	\$44.85	\$9.95	\$21.53	\$0.00	\$76.33
8	90	\$50.45	\$9.95	\$22.74	\$0.00	\$83.14

Notes:

Steps are 750 hrs.

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:1

DEMO: ADZEMAN LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$43.73	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$70.95
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For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"

DEMO: BACKHOE/LOADER/HAMMER OPERATOR LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$44.73	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$71.95
	12/01/2023	\$45.98	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$73.20

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"

DEMO: BURNERS LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$44.48	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$71.70
	12/01/2023	\$45.73	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$72.95

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"

DEMO: CONCRETE CUTTER/SAWYER LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$44.73	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$71.95
	12/01/2023	\$45.98	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$73.20

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
DEMO: JACKHAMMER OPERATOR <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$44.48	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$71.70
	12/01/2023	\$45.73	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$72.95
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
DEMO: WRECKING LABORER <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$43.73	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$70.95
	12/01/2023	\$44.98	\$9.40	\$17.82	\$0.00	\$72.20
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
DIRECTIONAL DRILL MACHINE OPERATOR <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$53.69	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.59
	12/01/2023	\$54.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$85.83
	06/01/2024	\$55.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.11
	12/01/2024	\$57.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.55
	06/01/2025	\$58.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.83
	12/01/2025	\$59.87	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.27
	06/01/2026	\$61.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$92.55
	12/01/2026	\$62.59	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.99
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
DIVER <i>PILE DRIVER LOCAL 56 (ZONE 1)</i>	08/01/2020	\$68.70	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$101.22
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- PILE DRIVER"						
DIVER TENDER <i>PILE DRIVER LOCAL 56 (ZONE 1)</i>	08/01/2020	\$49.07	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$81.59
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- PILE DRIVER"						
DIVER TENDER (EFFLUENT) <i>PILE DRIVER LOCAL 56 (ZONE 1)</i>	08/01/2020	\$73.60	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$106.12
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- PILE DRIVER"						
DIVER/SLURRY (EFFLUENT) <i>PILE DRIVER LOCAL 56 (ZONE 1)</i>	08/01/2020	\$103.05	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$135.57
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- PILE DRIVER"						
DRAWBRIDGE OPERATOR (Construction) <i>DRAWBRIDGE - SEIU LOCAL 888</i>	07/01/2020	\$26.77	\$6.67	\$3.93	\$0.16	\$37.53
ELECTRICIAN <i>ELECTRICIANS LOCAL 223</i>	09/01/2023	\$47.87	\$11.75	\$16.86	\$0.00	\$76.48

Apprentice - ELECTRICIAN - Local 223

Effective Date - 09/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	40	\$19.15	\$11.75	\$0.57	\$0.00	\$31.47
2	45	\$21.54	\$11.75	\$0.65	\$0.00	\$33.94
3	50	\$23.94	\$11.75	\$0.72	\$0.00	\$36.41
4	55	\$26.33	\$11.75	\$7.79	\$0.00	\$45.87
5	60	\$28.72	\$11.75	\$8.31	\$0.00	\$48.78
6	65	\$31.12	\$11.75	\$8.65	\$0.00	\$51.52
7	70	\$33.51	\$11.75	\$9.38	\$0.00	\$54.64
8	75	\$35.90	\$11.75	\$9.90	\$0.00	\$57.55

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:2:3***

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTOR <i>ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTORS LOCAL 4</i>	01/01/2022	\$65.62	\$16.03	\$20.21	\$0.00	\$101.86

Apprentice - ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTOR - Local 4

Effective Date - 01/01/2022

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$32.81	\$16.03	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$48.84
2	55	\$36.09	\$16.03	\$20.21	\$0.00	\$72.33
3	65	\$42.65	\$16.03	\$20.21	\$0.00	\$78.89
4	70	\$45.93	\$16.03	\$20.21	\$0.00	\$82.17
5	80	\$52.50	\$16.03	\$20.21	\$0.00	\$88.74

Notes:

Steps 1-2 are 6 mos.; Steps 3-5 are 1 year

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:1

ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTOR HELPER <i>ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTORS LOCAL 4</i>	01/01/2022	\$45.93	\$16.03	\$20.21	\$0.00	\$82.17
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For apprentice rates see "Apprentice - ELEVATOR CONSTRUCTOR"

FENCE & GUARD RAIL ERECTOR (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
	06/01/2024	\$39.94	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.23
	12/01/2024	\$41.27	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$67.56
	06/01/2025	\$42.66	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.95
	12/01/2025	\$44.04	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.33
	06/01/2026	\$45.48	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$71.77
	12/01/2026	\$46.92	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.21

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)"

FIELD ENG.INST.PERSON-BLDG,SITE,HVY/HWY <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	11/01/2023	\$50.30	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$80.95
	05/01/2024	\$51.54	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$82.19
	11/01/2024	\$52.83	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$83.48
	05/01/2025	\$54.27	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.92
	11/01/2025	\$55.56	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$86.21
	05/01/2026	\$57.00	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$87.65
	11/01/2026	\$58.29	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$88.94
	05/01/2027	\$59.72	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$90.37

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"

FIELD ENG.PARTY CHIEF-BLDG,SITE,HVY/HWY <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	11/01/2023	\$51.87	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$82.52
	05/01/2024	\$53.12	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$83.77
	11/01/2024	\$54.42	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$85.07
	05/01/2025	\$55.87	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$86.52
	11/01/2025	\$57.17	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$87.82
	05/01/2026	\$58.62	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$89.27
	11/01/2026	\$59.92	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$90.57
	05/01/2027	\$61.37	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$92.02

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
FIELD ENG.ROD PERSON-BLDG,SITE,HVY/HWY <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	11/01/2023	\$24.93	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$55.58
	05/01/2024	\$25.66	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$56.31
	11/01/2024	\$26.42	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$57.07
	05/01/2025	\$27.27	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$57.92
	11/01/2025	\$28.03	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$58.68
	05/01/2026	\$28.88	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$59.53
	11/01/2026	\$29.64	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$60.29
	05/01/2027	\$30.49	\$14.50	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$61.14
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
FIRE ALARM INSTALLER <i>ELECTRICIANS LOCAL 223</i>	09/01/2020	\$43.66	\$10.90	\$14.66	\$0.00	\$69.22
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- ELECTRICIAN"						
FIRE ALARM REPAIR / MAINTENANCE / COMMISSIONING <i>ELECTRICIANS LOCAL 223</i>	09/01/2020	\$36.86	\$10.90	\$12.45	\$0.00	\$60.21
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- TELECOMMUNICATIONS TECHNICIAN"						
FIREMAN (ASST. ENGINEER) <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$43.96	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$74.86
	12/01/2023	\$44.47	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$75.87
	06/01/2024	\$45.53	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$76.93
	12/01/2024	\$46.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$78.11
	06/01/2025	\$47.77	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$79.17
	12/01/2025	\$48.94	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$80.34
	06/01/2026	\$50.00	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$81.40
	12/01/2026	\$51.18	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$82.58
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
FLAGGER & SIGNALER (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$25.98	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$52.27
	12/01/2023	\$25.98	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$52.27
	06/01/2024	\$27.01	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$53.30
	12/01/2024	\$27.01	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$53.30
	06/01/2025	\$28.09	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$54.38
	12/01/2025	\$28.09	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$54.38
	06/01/2026	\$29.21	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$55.50
	12/01/2026	\$29.21	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$55.50
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)"						
FLOORCOVERER <i>FLOORCOVERERS LOCAL 2168 ZONE 1</i>	03/01/2022	\$51.77	\$9.33	\$20.27	\$0.00	\$81.37

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - FLOORCOVERER - Local 2168 Zone I

Effective Date - 03/01/2022

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$25.89	\$9.33	\$1.79	\$0.00	\$37.01
2	55	\$28.47	\$9.33	\$1.79	\$0.00	\$39.59
3	60	\$31.06	\$9.33	\$14.90	\$0.00	\$55.29
4	65	\$33.65	\$9.33	\$14.90	\$0.00	\$57.88
5	70	\$36.24	\$9.33	\$16.69	\$0.00	\$62.26
6	75	\$38.83	\$9.33	\$16.69	\$0.00	\$64.85
7	80	\$41.42	\$9.33	\$18.48	\$0.00	\$69.23
8	85	\$44.00	\$9.33	\$18.48	\$0.00	\$71.81

Notes: Steps are 750 hrs.
 % After 10/1/17; 45/45/55/55/70/70/80/80 (1500hr Steps)
 Step 1&2 \$32.94/ 3&4 \$39.66/ 5&6 \$60.32/ 7&8 \$67.10

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:1

FORK LIFT/CHERRY PICKER <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$54.28	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$85.18
	12/01/2023	\$55.03	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$86.43
	06/01/2024	\$56.33	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.73
	12/01/2024	\$57.78	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.18
	06/01/2025	\$59.08	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$90.48
	12/01/2025	\$60.53	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.93
	06/01/2026	\$61.83	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.23
	12/01/2026	\$63.28	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$94.68

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"

GENERATOR/LIGHTING PLANT/HEATERS <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$35.30	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$66.20
	12/01/2023	\$35.62	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$67.02
	06/01/2024	\$36.47	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$67.87
	12/01/2024	\$37.42	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$68.82
	06/01/2025	\$38.27	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$69.67
	12/01/2025	\$39.22	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$70.62
	06/01/2026	\$40.08	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$71.48
	12/01/2026	\$41.03	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$72.43

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"

GLAZIER (GLASS PLANK/AIR BARRIER/INTERIOR SYSTEMS) <i>GLAZIERS LOCAL 1333</i>	06/01/2020	\$39.18	\$10.80	\$10.45	\$0.00	\$60.43
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Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - GLAZIER - Local 1333

Effective Date - 06/01/2020

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$19.59	\$10.80	\$1.80	\$0.00	\$32.19
2	56	\$22.04	\$10.80	\$1.80	\$0.00	\$34.64
3	63	\$24.49	\$10.80	\$2.45	\$0.00	\$37.74
4	69	\$26.94	\$10.80	\$2.45	\$0.00	\$40.19
5	75	\$29.39	\$10.80	\$3.15	\$0.00	\$43.34
6	81	\$31.83	\$10.80	\$3.15	\$0.00	\$45.78
7	88	\$34.28	\$10.80	\$10.45	\$0.00	\$55.53
8	94	\$36.73	\$10.80	\$10.45	\$0.00	\$57.98

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:3

HOISTING ENGINEER/CRANES/GRADALLS	06/01/2023	\$54.28	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$85.18
OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4	12/01/2023	\$55.03	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$86.43
	06/01/2024	\$56.33	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.73
	12/01/2024	\$57.78	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.18
	06/01/2025	\$59.08	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$90.48
	12/01/2025	\$60.53	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.93
	06/01/2026	\$61.83	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.23
	12/01/2026	\$63.28	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$94.68

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - OPERATING ENGINEERS - Local 4

Effective Date - 06/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	55	\$29.85	\$15.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$44.85
2	60	\$32.57	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$63.97
3	65	\$35.28	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$66.68
4	70	\$38.00	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$69.40
5	75	\$40.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$72.11
6	80	\$43.42	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$74.82
7	85	\$46.14	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$77.54
8	90	\$48.85	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$80.25

Effective Date - 12/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	55	\$30.27	\$15.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$45.27
2	60	\$33.02	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$64.42
3	65	\$35.77	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$67.17
4	70	\$38.52	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$69.92
5	75	\$41.27	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$72.67
6	80	\$44.02	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$75.42
7	85	\$46.78	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$78.18
8	90	\$49.53	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$80.93

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:6

HVAC (DUCTWORK) SHEETMETAL WORKERS LOCAL 17 - A	08/01/2023	\$56.16	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$100.59
	02/01/2024	\$57.86	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$102.29
	08/01/2024	\$59.61	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$104.04
	02/01/2025	\$61.36	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$105.79
	08/01/2025	\$63.21	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$107.64
	02/01/2026	\$65.16	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$109.59

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- SHEET METAL WORKER"

HVAC (ELECTRICAL CONTROLS) ELECTRICIANS LOCAL 223	09/01/2020	\$43.66	\$10.90	\$14.66	\$0.00	\$69.22
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For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- ELECTRICIAN"

HVAC (TESTING AND BALANCING - AIR) SHEETMETAL WORKERS LOCAL 17 - A	08/01/2023	\$56.16	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$100.59
	02/01/2024	\$57.86	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$102.29
	08/01/2024	\$59.61	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$104.04
	02/01/2025	\$61.36	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$105.79
	08/01/2025	\$63.21	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$107.64
	02/01/2026	\$65.16	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$109.59

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- SHEET METAL WORKER"

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
HVAC (TESTING AND BALANCING -WATER) <i>PLUMBERS & PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 51</i>	08/28/2023	\$51.99	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$82.09
	08/26/2024	\$54.74	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$84.84
	08/25/2025	\$57.49	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$87.59
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- PIPEFITTER" or "PLUMBER/PIPEFITTER"						
HVAC MECHANIC <i>PLUMBERS & PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 51</i>	08/28/2023	\$51.99	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$82.09
	08/26/2024	\$54.74	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$84.84
	08/25/2025	\$57.49	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$87.59
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- PIPEFITTER" or "PLUMBER/PIPEFITTER"						
HYDRAULIC DRILLS <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$38.21	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.50
	12/01/2023	\$39.11	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$65.40
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
HYDRAULIC DRILLS (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$38.21	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.50
	12/01/2023	\$39.11	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$65.40
	06/01/2024	\$40.44	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.73
	12/01/2024	\$41.77	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.06
	06/01/2025	\$43.16	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$69.45
	12/01/2025	\$44.54	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.83
	06/01/2026	\$45.98	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$72.27
	12/01/2026	\$47.42	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.71
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)"						
INSULATOR (PIPES & TANKS) <i>HEAT & FROST INSULATORS LOCAL 6 (SOUTHERN MASS)</i>	09/01/2023	\$48.15	\$14.75	\$19.61	\$0.00	\$82.51
	09/01/2024	\$51.23	\$14.75	\$19.61	\$0.00	\$85.59
	09/01/2025	\$54.31	\$14.75	\$19.61	\$0.00	\$88.67
	09/01/2026	\$57.38	\$14.75	\$19.61	\$0.00	\$91.74

Apprentice - ASBESTOS INSULATOR (Pipes & Tanks) - Local 6 Southern MA

Effective Date - 09/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$24.08	\$14.75	\$14.32	\$0.00	\$53.15
2	60	\$28.89	\$14.75	\$15.37	\$0.00	\$59.01
3	70	\$33.71	\$14.75	\$16.43	\$0.00	\$64.89
4	80	\$38.52	\$14.75	\$17.49	\$0.00	\$70.76

Effective Date - 09/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$25.62	\$14.75	\$14.32	\$0.00	\$54.69
2	60	\$30.74	\$14.75	\$15.37	\$0.00	\$60.86
3	70	\$35.86	\$14.75	\$16.43	\$0.00	\$67.04
4	80	\$40.98	\$14.75	\$17.49	\$0.00	\$73.22

Notes:

Steps are 1 year

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:4

IRONWORKER/WELDER <i>IRONWORKERS LOCAL 37</i>	03/16/2021	\$42.46	\$7.70	\$17.10	\$0.00	\$67.26
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Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - IRONWORKER - Local 37

Effective Date - 03/16/2021

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	70	\$29.72	\$7.70	\$17.10	\$0.00	\$54.52
2	75	\$31.85	\$7.70	\$17.10	\$0.00	\$56.65
3	80	\$33.97	\$7.70	\$17.10	\$0.00	\$58.77
4	85	\$36.09	\$7.70	\$17.10	\$0.00	\$60.89
5	90	\$38.21	\$7.70	\$17.10	\$0.00	\$63.01
6	95	\$40.34	\$7.70	\$17.10	\$0.00	\$65.14

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:4

JACKHAMMER & PAVING BREAKER OPERATOR LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
LABORER LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$37.46	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$63.75
	12/01/2023	\$38.36	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.65

Apprentice - LABORER - Zone 2

Effective Date - 06/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	60	\$22.48	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$48.77
2	70	\$26.22	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$52.51
3	80	\$29.97	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$56.26
4	90	\$33.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$60.00

Effective Date - 12/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	60	\$23.02	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$49.31
2	70	\$26.85	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$53.14
3	80	\$30.69	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$56.98
4	90	\$34.52	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$60.81

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:5

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
LABORER (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)	06/01/2023	\$37.46	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$63.75
	12/01/2023	\$38.36	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.65
	06/01/2024	\$39.69	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$65.98
	12/01/2024	\$41.02	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$67.31
	06/01/2025	\$42.41	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.70
	12/01/2025	\$43.79	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.08
	06/01/2026	\$45.23	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$71.52
	12/01/2026	\$46.67	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$72.96

Apprentice - LABORER (Heavy & Highway) - Zone 2

Effective Date - 06/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	60	\$22.48	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$48.77
2	70	\$26.22	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$52.51
3	80	\$29.97	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$56.26
4	90	\$33.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$60.00

Effective Date - 12/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	60	\$23.02	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$49.31
2	70	\$26.85	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$53.14
3	80	\$30.69	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$56.98
4	90	\$34.52	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$60.81

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:5

LABORER: CARPENTER TENDER LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$37.46	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$63.75
	12/01/2023	\$38.36	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.65
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
LABORER: CEMENT FINISHER TENDER LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$37.46	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$63.75
	12/01/2023	\$38.36	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.65
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
LABORER: HAZARDOUS WASTE/ASBESTOS REMOVER LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$37.55	\$9.40	\$16.95	\$0.00	\$63.90
	12/01/2023	\$38.45	\$9.40	\$16.95	\$0.00	\$64.80
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
LABORER: MASON TENDER LABORERS - ZONE 2	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
LABORER: MASON TENDER (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
	06/01/2024	\$39.94	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.23
	12/01/2024	\$41.27	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$67.56
	06/01/2025	\$42.66	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.95
	12/01/2025	\$44.04	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.33
	06/01/2026	\$45.48	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$71.77
	12/01/2026	\$46.92	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.21
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)						
LABORER: MULTI-TRADE TENDER <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.46	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$63.75
	12/01/2023	\$38.36	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.65
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
LABORER: TREE REMOVER <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.46	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$63.75
	12/01/2023	\$38.36	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.65
This classification applies to the removal of standing trees, and the trimming and removal of branches and limbs when related to public works construction or site clearance incidental to construction . For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
LASER BEAM OPERATOR <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
LASER BEAM OPERATOR (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
	06/01/2024	\$39.94	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.23
	12/01/2024	\$41.27	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$67.56
	06/01/2025	\$42.66	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.95
	12/01/2025	\$44.04	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.33
	06/01/2026	\$45.48	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$71.77
	12/01/2026	\$46.92	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.21
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)						
MARBLE & TILE FINISHERS <i>BRICKLAYERS LOCAL 3 - MARBLE & TILE</i>	08/01/2023	\$47.89	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$79.75
	02/01/2024	\$48.89	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$80.75
	08/01/2024	\$50.57	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$82.43
	02/01/2025	\$51.61	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$83.47
	08/01/2025	\$53.33	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$85.19
	02/01/2026	\$54.41	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$86.27
	08/01/2026	\$56.17	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$88.03
	02/01/2027	\$57.29	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$89.15

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - MARBLE & TILE FINISHER - Local 3 Marble & Tile

Effective Date - 08/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$23.95	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$55.81
2	60	\$28.73	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$60.59
3	70	\$33.52	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$65.38
4	80	\$38.31	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$70.17
5	90	\$43.10	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$74.96

Effective Date - 02/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$24.45	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$56.31
2	60	\$29.33	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$61.19
3	70	\$34.22	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$66.08
4	80	\$39.11	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$70.97
5	90	\$44.00	\$11.49	\$20.37	\$0.00	\$75.86

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:3

MARBLE MASONS, TILELAYERS & TERRAZZO MECH	08/01/2023	\$62.42	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$96.22
BRICKLAYERS LOCAL 3 - MARBLE & TILE	02/01/2024	\$63.67	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$97.47
	08/01/2024	\$65.77	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$99.57
	02/01/2025	\$67.07	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$100.87
	08/01/2025	\$69.22	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$103.02
	02/01/2026	\$70.57	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$104.37
	08/01/2026	\$72.77	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$106.57
	02/01/2027	\$74.17	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$107.97

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - MARBLE-TILE-TERRAZZO MECHANIC - Local 3 Marble & Tile

Effective Date - 08/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$31.21	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$65.01
2	60	\$37.45	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$71.25
3	70	\$43.69	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$77.49
4	80	\$49.94	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$83.74
5	90	\$56.18	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$89.98

Effective Date - 02/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$31.84	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$65.64
2	60	\$38.20	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$72.00
3	70	\$44.57	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$78.37
4	80	\$50.94	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$84.74
5	90	\$57.30	\$11.49	\$22.31	\$0.00	\$91.10

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:5

MECH. SWEEPER OPERATOR (ON CONST. SITES) <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$53.69	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.59
	12/01/2023	\$54.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$85.83
	06/01/2024	\$55.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.11
	12/01/2024	\$57.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.55
	06/01/2025	\$58.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.83
	12/01/2025	\$59.87	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.27
	06/01/2026	\$61.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$92.55
	12/01/2026	\$62.59	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.99

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"

MECHANICS MAINTENANCE <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$53.69	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.59
	12/01/2023	\$54.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$85.83
	06/01/2024	\$55.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.11
	12/01/2024	\$57.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.55
	06/01/2025	\$58.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.83
	12/01/2025	\$59.87	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.27
	06/01/2026	\$61.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$92.55
	12/01/2026	\$62.59	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.99

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"

MILLWRIGHT (Zone 2) <i>MILLWRIGHTS LOCAL 1121 - Zone 2</i>	01/02/2023	\$41.92	\$8.58	\$21.57	\$0.00	\$72.07
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Apprentice - MILLWRIGHT - Local 1121 Zone 2

Effective Date - 01/02/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	55	\$23.06	\$8.58	\$5.72	\$0.00	\$37.36
2	65	\$27.25	\$8.58	\$17.93	\$0.00	\$53.76
3	75	\$31.44	\$8.58	\$18.98	\$0.00	\$59.00
4	85	\$35.63	\$8.58	\$20.01	\$0.00	\$64.22

Notes: Step 1&2 Appr. indentured after 1/6/2020 receive no pension, but do receive annuity. (Step 1 \$5.72, Step 2 \$6.66)
Steps are 2,000 hours

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:4

MORTAR MIXER <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						

OILER (OTHER THAN TRUCK CRANES,GRADALLS) <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$24.34	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$55.24
	12/01/2023	\$24.41	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$55.81
	06/01/2024	\$25.01	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$56.41
	12/01/2024	\$25.67	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$57.07
	06/01/2025	\$26.27	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$57.67
	12/01/2025	\$26.93	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$58.33
	06/01/2026	\$27.52	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$58.92
	12/01/2026	\$28.19	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$59.59
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						

OILER (TRUCK CRANES, GRADALLS) <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$29.67	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$60.57
	12/01/2023	\$29.86	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$61.26
	06/01/2024	\$30.58	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$61.98
	12/01/2024	\$31.38	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$62.78
	06/01/2025	\$32.10	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$63.50
	12/01/2025	\$32.90	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$64.30
	06/01/2026	\$33.62	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$65.02
	12/01/2026	\$34.42	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$65.82
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						

OTHER POWER DRIVEN EQUIPMENT - CLASS II <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$53.69	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.59
	12/01/2023	\$54.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$85.83
	06/01/2024	\$55.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.11
	12/01/2024	\$57.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.55
	06/01/2025	\$58.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.83
	12/01/2025	\$59.87	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.27
	06/01/2026	\$61.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$92.55
	12/01/2026	\$62.59	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.99
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
PAINTER (BRIDGES/TANKS) <i>PAINTERS LOCAL 35 - ZONE 2</i>	07/01/2023	\$55.51	\$9.65	\$23.70	\$0.00	\$88.86
	01/01/2024	\$56.06	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$89.96
	07/01/2024	\$57.26	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$91.16
	01/01/2025	\$58.46	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$92.36

Apprentice - PAINTER Local 35 - BRIDGES/TANKS

Effective Date - 07/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$27.76	\$9.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$37.41
2	55	\$30.53	\$9.65	\$6.55	\$0.00	\$46.73
3	60	\$33.31	\$9.65	\$7.14	\$0.00	\$50.10
4	65	\$36.08	\$9.65	\$7.74	\$0.00	\$53.47
5	70	\$38.86	\$9.65	\$20.13	\$0.00	\$68.64
6	75	\$41.63	\$9.65	\$20.73	\$0.00	\$72.01
7	80	\$44.41	\$9.65	\$21.32	\$0.00	\$75.38
8	90	\$49.96	\$9.65	\$22.51	\$0.00	\$82.12

Effective Date - 01/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$28.03	\$9.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$37.98
2	55	\$30.83	\$9.95	\$6.66	\$0.00	\$47.44
3	60	\$33.64	\$9.95	\$7.26	\$0.00	\$50.85
4	65	\$36.44	\$9.95	\$7.87	\$0.00	\$54.26
5	70	\$39.24	\$9.95	\$20.32	\$0.00	\$69.51
6	75	\$42.05	\$9.95	\$20.93	\$0.00	\$72.93
7	80	\$44.85	\$9.95	\$21.53	\$0.00	\$76.33
8	90	\$50.45	\$9.95	\$22.74	\$0.00	\$83.14

Notes:

Steps are 750 hrs.

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:1

PAINTER (SPRAY OR SANDBLAST, NEW) *	07/01/2023	\$46.41	\$9.65	\$23.70	\$0.00	\$79.76
* If 30% or more of surfaces to be painted are new construction, NEW paint rate shall be used. <i>PAINTERS LOCAL 35 - ZONE 2</i>	01/01/2024	\$46.96	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$80.86
	07/01/2024	\$48.16	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$82.06
	01/01/2025	\$49.36	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$83.26

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - PAINTER Local 35 Zone 2 - Spray/Sandblast - New

Effective Date - 07/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$23.21	\$9.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$32.86
2	55	\$25.53	\$9.65	\$6.55	\$0.00	\$41.73
3	60	\$27.85	\$9.65	\$7.14	\$0.00	\$44.64
4	65	\$30.17	\$9.65	\$7.74	\$0.00	\$47.56
5	70	\$32.49	\$9.65	\$20.13	\$0.00	\$62.27
6	75	\$34.81	\$9.65	\$20.73	\$0.00	\$65.19
7	80	\$37.13	\$9.65	\$21.32	\$0.00	\$68.10
8	90	\$41.77	\$8.65	\$22.51	\$0.00	\$72.93

Effective Date - 01/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$23.48	\$9.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$33.43
2	55	\$25.83	\$9.95	\$6.66	\$0.00	\$42.44
3	60	\$28.18	\$9.95	\$7.26	\$0.00	\$45.39
4	65	\$30.52	\$9.95	\$7.87	\$0.00	\$48.34
5	70	\$32.87	\$9.95	\$20.32	\$0.00	\$63.14
6	75	\$35.22	\$9.95	\$20.93	\$0.00	\$66.10
7	80	\$37.57	\$9.95	\$21.53	\$0.00	\$69.05
8	90	\$42.26	\$9.95	\$22.74	\$0.00	\$74.95

Notes:

Steps are 750 hrs.

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:1

PAINTER (SPRAY OR SANDBLAST, REPAINT)	07/01/2023	\$44.47	\$9.65	\$23.70	\$0.00	\$77.82
PAINTERS LOCAL 35 - ZONE 2	01/01/2024	\$45.02	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$78.92
	07/01/2024	\$46.22	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$80.12
	01/01/2025	\$47.42	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$81.32

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - PAINTER Local 35 Zone 2 - Spray/Sandblast - Repaint

Effective Date - 07/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$22.24	\$9.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$31.89
2	55	\$24.46	\$9.65	\$6.55	\$0.00	\$40.66
3	60	\$26.68	\$9.65	\$7.14	\$0.00	\$43.47
4	65	\$28.91	\$9.65	\$7.74	\$0.00	\$46.30
5	70	\$31.13	\$9.65	\$20.13	\$0.00	\$60.91
6	75	\$33.35	\$9.65	\$20.73	\$0.00	\$63.73
7	80	\$35.58	\$9.65	\$21.32	\$0.00	\$66.55
8	90	\$40.02	\$9.65	\$22.51	\$0.00	\$72.18

Effective Date - 01/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$22.51	\$9.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$32.46
2	55	\$24.76	\$9.95	\$6.66	\$0.00	\$41.37
3	60	\$27.01	\$9.95	\$7.26	\$0.00	\$44.22
4	65	\$29.26	\$9.95	\$7.87	\$0.00	\$47.08
5	70	\$31.51	\$9.95	\$20.32	\$0.00	\$61.78
6	75	\$33.77	\$9.95	\$20.93	\$0.00	\$64.65
7	80	\$36.02	\$9.95	\$21.53	\$0.00	\$67.50
8	90	\$40.52	\$9.95	\$22.74	\$0.00	\$73.21

Notes:

Steps are 750 hrs.

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:1

PAINTER / TAPER (BRUSH, NEW) *	07/01/2023	\$45.01	\$9.65	\$23.70	\$0.00	\$78.36
* If 30% or more of surfaces to be painted are new construction, NEW paint rate shall be used. <i>PAINTERS LOCAL 35 - ZONE 2</i>	01/01/2024	\$45.56	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$79.46
	07/01/2024	\$46.76	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$80.66
	01/01/2025	\$47.96	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$81.86

Apprentice - PAINTER - Local 35 Zone 2 - BRUSH NEW

Effective Date - 07/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$22.51	\$9.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$32.16
2	55	\$24.76	\$9.65	\$6.55	\$0.00	\$40.96
3	60	\$27.01	\$9.65	\$7.14	\$0.00	\$43.80
4	65	\$29.26	\$9.65	\$7.74	\$0.00	\$46.65
5	70	\$31.51	\$9.65	\$20.13	\$0.00	\$61.29
6	75	\$33.76	\$9.65	\$20.73	\$0.00	\$64.14
7	80	\$36.01	\$9.65	\$21.32	\$0.00	\$66.98
8	90	\$40.51	\$9.65	\$22.51	\$0.00	\$72.67

Effective Date - 01/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$22.78	\$9.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$32.73
2	55	\$25.06	\$9.95	\$6.66	\$0.00	\$41.67
3	60	\$27.34	\$9.95	\$7.26	\$0.00	\$44.55
4	65	\$29.61	\$9.95	\$7.87	\$0.00	\$47.43
5	70	\$31.89	\$9.95	\$20.32	\$0.00	\$62.16
6	75	\$34.17	\$9.95	\$20.93	\$0.00	\$65.05
7	80	\$36.45	\$9.95	\$21.53	\$0.00	\$67.93
8	90	\$41.00	\$9.95	\$22.74	\$0.00	\$73.69

Notes:

Steps are 750 hrs.

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:1

PAINTER / TAPER (BRUSH, REPAINT)	07/01/2023	\$43.07	\$9.65	\$23.70	\$0.00	\$76.42
PAINTERS LOCAL 35 - ZONE 2	01/01/2024	\$43.62	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$77.52
	07/01/2024	\$44.82	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$78.72
	01/01/2025	\$46.02	\$9.95	\$23.95	\$0.00	\$79.92

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - PAINTER Local 35 Zone 2 - BRUSH REPAINT

Effective Date - 07/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$21.54	\$9.65	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$31.19
2	55	\$23.69	\$9.65	\$6.27	\$0.00	\$39.61
3	60	\$25.84	\$9.65	\$6.84	\$0.00	\$42.33
4	65	\$28.00	\$9.65	\$7.41	\$0.00	\$45.06
5	70	\$30.15	\$9.65	\$19.78	\$0.00	\$59.58
6	75	\$32.30	\$9.65	\$20.35	\$0.00	\$62.30
7	80	\$34.46	\$9.65	\$20.92	\$0.00	\$65.03
8	90	\$38.76	\$9.65	\$22.06	\$0.00	\$70.47

Effective Date - 01/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$21.81	\$9.95	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$31.76
2	55	\$23.99	\$9.95	\$6.66	\$0.00	\$40.60
3	60	\$26.17	\$9.95	\$7.26	\$0.00	\$43.38
4	65	\$28.35	\$9.95	\$7.87	\$0.00	\$46.17
5	70	\$30.53	\$9.95	\$20.32	\$0.00	\$60.80
6	75	\$32.72	\$9.95	\$20.93	\$0.00	\$63.60
7	80	\$34.90	\$9.95	\$21.53	\$0.00	\$66.38
8	90	\$39.26	\$9.95	\$22.74	\$0.00	\$71.95

Notes:

Steps are 750 hrs.

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:1

PAINTER TRAFFIC MARKINGS (HEAVY/HIGHWAY)	06/01/2023	\$37.46	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$63.75
LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)	12/01/2023	\$38.36	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.65
	06/01/2024	\$39.69	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$65.98
	12/01/2024	\$41.02	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$67.31
	06/01/2025	\$42.41	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.70
	12/01/2025	\$43.79	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.08
	06/01/2026	\$45.23	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$71.52
	12/01/2026	\$46.67	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$72.96

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
PANEL & PICKUP TRUCKS DRIVER <i>TEAMSTERS JOINT COUNCIL NO. 10 ZONE B</i>	06/01/2023	\$38.78	\$14.57	\$17.29	\$0.00	\$70.64
	12/01/2023	\$38.78	\$14.57	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.02
	01/01/2024	\$38.78	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.52
	06/01/2024	\$39.78	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$73.52
	12/01/2024	\$39.78	\$15.07	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.02
	01/01/2025	\$39.78	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.52
	06/01/2025	\$40.78	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$76.52
	12/01/2025	\$40.78	\$15.57	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$78.13
	01/01/2026	\$40.78	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$78.73
	06/01/2026	\$41.78	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$79.73
PIER AND DOCK CONSTRUCTOR (UNDERPINNING AND DECK) <i>PILE DRIVER LOCAL 56 (ZONE 1)</i> For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- PILE DRIVER"	08/01/2020	\$49.07	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$81.59
	08/01/2020	\$49.07	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$81.59

Apprentice - PILE DRIVER - Local 56 Zone 1

Effective Date - 08/01/2020

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$24.54	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$57.06
2	60	\$29.44	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$61.96
3	70	\$34.35	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$66.87
4	75	\$36.80	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$69.32
5	80	\$39.26	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$71.78
6	80	\$39.26	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$71.78
7	90	\$44.16	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$76.68
8	90	\$44.16	\$9.40	\$23.12	\$0.00	\$76.68

Notes:

% Indentured After 10/1/17; 45/45/55/55/70/70/80/80
Step 1&2 \$34.01/ 3&4 \$41.46/ 5&6 \$62.80/ 7&8 \$69.25

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:5

PIPELAYER <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i> For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
PIPELAYER (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i> For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)"	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
	06/01/2024	\$39.94	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.23
	12/01/2024	\$41.27	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$67.56
	06/01/2025	\$42.66	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.95
	12/01/2025	\$44.04	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.33
	06/01/2026	\$45.48	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$71.77
	12/01/2026	\$46.92	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.21

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
PLUMBER & PIPEFITTER <i>PLUMBERS & PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 51</i>	08/28/2023	\$51.99	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$82.09
	08/26/2024	\$54.74	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$84.84
	08/25/2025	\$57.49	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$87.59

Apprentice - PLUMBER/PIPEFITTER - Local 51

Effective Date - 08/28/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	40	\$20.80	\$10.15	\$2.50	\$0.00	\$33.45
2	50	\$26.00	\$10.15	\$2.50	\$0.00	\$38.65
3	60	\$31.19	\$10.15	\$8.80	\$0.00	\$50.14
4	70	\$36.39	\$10.15	\$14.08	\$0.00	\$60.62
5	80	\$41.59	\$10.15	\$17.60	\$0.00	\$69.34

Effective Date - 08/26/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	40	\$21.90	\$10.15	\$2.50	\$0.00	\$34.55
2	50	\$27.37	\$10.15	\$2.50	\$0.00	\$40.02
3	60	\$32.84	\$10.15	\$8.80	\$0.00	\$51.79
4	70	\$38.32	\$10.15	\$14.08	\$0.00	\$62.55
5	80	\$43.79	\$10.15	\$17.60	\$0.00	\$71.54

Notes:

Steps 2000hrs. Prior 9/1/05; 40/40/45/50/55/60/65/75/80/85

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:3

PNEUMATIC CONTROLS (TEMP.) <i>PLUMBERS & PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 51</i>	08/28/2023	\$51.99	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$82.09
	08/26/2024	\$54.74	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$84.84
	08/25/2025	\$57.49	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$87.59

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- PIPEFITTER" or "PLUMBER/PIPEFITTER"

PNEUMATIC DRILL/TOOL OPERATOR <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"

PNEUMATIC DRILL/TOOL OPERATOR (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
	06/01/2024	\$39.94	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.23
	12/01/2024	\$41.27	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$67.56
	06/01/2025	\$42.66	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.95
	12/01/2025	\$44.04	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.33
	06/01/2026	\$45.48	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$71.77
	12/01/2026	\$46.92	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.21

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)"

POWDERMAN & BLASTER <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$38.46	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.75
	12/01/2023	\$39.36	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$65.65

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
POWDERMAN & BLASTER (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$38.46	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.75
	12/01/2023	\$39.36	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$65.65
	06/01/2024	\$40.69	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.98
	12/01/2024	\$42.02	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.31
	06/01/2025	\$43.41	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$69.70
	12/01/2025	\$44.79	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$71.08
	06/01/2026	\$46.23	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$72.52
	12/01/2026	\$47.67	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.96
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)						
POWER SHOVEL/DERRICK/TRENCHING MACHINE <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$54.28	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$85.18
	12/01/2023	\$55.03	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$86.43
	06/01/2024	\$56.33	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.73
	12/01/2024	\$57.78	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.18
	06/01/2025	\$59.08	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$90.48
	12/01/2025	\$60.53	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.93
	06/01/2026	\$61.83	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.23
	12/01/2026	\$63.28	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$94.68
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
PUMP OPERATOR (CONCRETE) <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$54.28	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$85.18
	12/01/2023	\$55.03	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$86.43
	06/01/2024	\$56.33	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.73
	12/01/2024	\$57.78	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.18
	06/01/2025	\$59.08	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$90.48
	12/01/2025	\$60.53	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.93
	06/01/2026	\$61.83	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.23
	12/01/2026	\$63.28	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$94.68
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
PUMP OPERATOR (DEWATERING, OTHER) <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$35.30	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$66.20
	12/01/2023	\$35.62	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$67.02
	06/01/2024	\$36.47	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$67.87
	12/01/2024	\$37.42	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$68.82
	06/01/2025	\$38.27	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$69.67
	12/01/2025	\$39.22	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$70.62
	06/01/2026	\$40.08	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$71.48
	12/01/2026	\$41.03	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$72.43
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
READY-MIX CONCRETE DRIVER <i>TEAMSTERS 653 - Southeastern Concrete (Weymouth)</i>	08/01/2023	\$25.00	\$13.91	\$6.90	\$0.00	\$45.81
RECLAIMERS <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$53.69	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.59
	12/01/2023	\$54.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$85.83
	06/01/2024	\$55.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.11
	12/01/2024	\$57.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.55
	06/01/2025	\$58.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.83
	12/01/2025	\$59.87	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.27
	06/01/2026	\$61.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$92.55
	12/01/2026	\$62.59	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.99
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
RIDE-ON MOTORIZED BUGGY OPERATOR <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
ROLLER/SPREADER/MULCHING MACHINE <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$53.69	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.59
	12/01/2023	\$54.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$85.83
	06/01/2024	\$55.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.11
	12/01/2024	\$57.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.55
	06/01/2025	\$58.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.83
	12/01/2025	\$59.87	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.27
	06/01/2026	\$61.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$92.55
	12/01/2026	\$62.59	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.99
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
ROOFER (Inc.Roofing Waterproofing &Roofing Damproofg) <i>ROOFERS LOCAL 33</i>	08/01/2023	\$50.03	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$83.01
	02/01/2024	\$51.28	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$84.26
	08/01/2024	\$52.78	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$85.76
	02/01/2025	\$54.03	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$87.01
	08/01/2025	\$55.53	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$88.51
	02/01/2026	\$56.78	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$89.76

Apprentice - ROOFER - Local 33

Effective Date - 08/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$25.02	\$12.78	\$5.59	\$0.00	\$43.39
2	60	\$30.02	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$63.00
3	65	\$32.52	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$65.50
4	75	\$37.52	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$70.50
5	85	\$42.53	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$75.51

Effective Date - 02/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$25.64	\$12.78	\$5.59	\$0.00	\$44.01
2	60	\$30.77	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$63.75
3	65	\$33.33	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$66.31
4	75	\$38.46	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$71.44
5	85	\$43.59	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$76.57

Notes: ** 1:5, 2:6-10, the 1:10; Reroofing: 1:4, then 1:1
 Step 1 is 2000 hrs.; Steps 2-5 are 1000 hrs.
 (Hot Pitch Mechanics' receive \$1.00 hr. above ROOFER)

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:**

ROOFER SLATE / TILE / PRECAST CONCRETE <i>ROOFERS LOCAL 33</i>	08/01/2023	\$50.28	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$83.26
	02/01/2024	\$51.53	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$84.51
	08/01/2024	\$53.03	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$86.01
	02/01/2025	\$54.28	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$87.26
	08/01/2025	\$55.78	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$88.76
	02/01/2026	\$57.03	\$12.78	\$20.20	\$0.00	\$90.01

Classification

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- ROOFER"

	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
SHEETMETAL WORKER	08/01/2023	\$56.16	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$100.59
SHEETMETAL WORKERS LOCAL 17 - A	02/01/2024	\$57.86	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$102.29
	08/01/2024	\$59.61	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$104.04
	02/01/2025	\$61.36	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$105.79
	08/01/2025	\$63.21	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$107.64
	02/01/2026	\$65.16	\$14.43	\$27.07	\$2.93	\$109.59

Apprentice - SHEET METAL WORKER - Local 17-A**Effective Date - 08/01/2023**

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	42	\$23.59	\$14.43	\$6.13	\$0.00	\$44.15
2	42	\$23.59	\$14.43	\$6.13	\$0.00	\$44.15
3	47	\$26.40	\$14.43	\$12.11	\$1.59	\$54.53
4	47	\$26.40	\$14.43	\$12.11	\$1.59	\$54.53
5	52	\$29.20	\$14.43	\$13.09	\$1.70	\$58.42
6	52	\$29.20	\$14.43	\$13.34	\$1.70	\$58.67
7	60	\$33.70	\$14.43	\$14.75	\$1.89	\$64.77
8	65	\$36.50	\$14.43	\$15.73	\$2.00	\$68.66
9	75	\$42.12	\$14.43	\$17.69	\$2.23	\$76.47
10	85	\$47.74	\$14.43	\$19.15	\$2.44	\$83.76

Effective Date - 02/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	42	\$24.30	\$14.43	\$6.13	\$0.00	\$44.86
2	42	\$24.30	\$14.43	\$6.13	\$0.00	\$44.86
3	47	\$27.19	\$14.43	\$12.11	\$1.61	\$55.34
4	47	\$27.19	\$14.43	\$12.11	\$1.61	\$55.34
5	52	\$30.09	\$14.43	\$13.09	\$1.73	\$59.34
6	52	\$30.09	\$14.43	\$13.34	\$1.73	\$59.59
7	60	\$34.72	\$14.43	\$14.75	\$1.92	\$65.82
8	65	\$37.61	\$14.43	\$15.73	\$2.03	\$69.80
9	75	\$43.40	\$14.43	\$17.69	\$2.27	\$77.79
10	85	\$49.18	\$14.43	\$19.15	\$2.48	\$85.24

Notes:

Steps are 6 mos.

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:4

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
SPECIALIZED EARTH MOVING EQUIP < 35 TONS <i>TEAMSTERS JOINT COUNCIL NO. 10 ZONE B</i>	06/01/2023	\$39.24	\$14.57	\$17.29	\$0.00	\$71.10
	12/01/2023	\$39.24	\$14.57	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.48
	01/01/2024	\$39.24	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.98
	06/01/2024	\$40.24	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$73.98
	12/01/2024	\$40.24	\$15.07	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.48
	01/01/2025	\$40.24	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.98
	06/01/2025	\$41.24	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$76.98
	12/01/2025	\$41.24	\$15.57	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$78.59
	01/01/2026	\$41.24	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$79.19
	06/01/2026	\$42.24	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$80.19
	12/01/2026	\$42.24	\$16.17	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$81.93
	01/01/2027	\$42.24	\$16.77	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$82.53
SPECIALIZED EARTH MOVING EQUIP > 35 TONS <i>TEAMSTERS JOINT COUNCIL NO. 10 ZONE B</i>	06/01/2023	\$39.53	\$14.57	\$17.29	\$0.00	\$71.39
	12/01/2023	\$39.53	\$14.57	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.77
	01/01/2024	\$39.53	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$73.27
	06/01/2024	\$40.53	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$74.27
	12/01/2024	\$40.53	\$15.07	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.77
	01/01/2025	\$40.53	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$76.27
	06/01/2025	\$41.53	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$77.27
	12/01/2025	\$41.53	\$15.57	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$78.88
	01/01/2026	\$41.53	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$79.48
	06/01/2026	\$42.53	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$80.48
	12/01/2026	\$42.53	\$16.17	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$82.22
	01/01/2027	\$42.53	\$16.77	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$82.82
SPRINKLER FITTER <i>SPRINKLER FITTERS LOCAL 550 - (Section A) Zone 1</i>	10/01/2023	\$67.95	\$10.90	\$23.20	\$0.00	\$102.05
	03/01/2024	\$69.75	\$10.90	\$23.20	\$0.00	\$103.85
	10/01/2024	\$71.55	\$10.90	\$23.20	\$0.00	\$105.65
	03/01/2025	\$73.35	\$10.90	\$23.20	\$0.00	\$107.45

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - SPRINKLER FITTER - Local 550 (Section A) Zone 1

Effective Date - 10/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	35	\$23.78	\$10.90	\$12.80	\$0.00	\$47.48
2	40	\$27.18	\$10.90	\$13.60	\$0.00	\$51.68
3	45	\$30.58	\$10.90	\$14.40	\$0.00	\$55.88
4	50	\$33.98	\$10.90	\$15.20	\$0.00	\$60.08
5	55	\$37.37	\$10.90	\$16.00	\$0.00	\$64.27
6	60	\$40.77	\$10.90	\$16.80	\$0.00	\$68.47
7	65	\$44.17	\$10.90	\$17.60	\$0.00	\$72.67
8	70	\$47.57	\$10.90	\$18.40	\$0.00	\$76.87
9	75	\$50.96	\$10.90	\$19.20	\$0.00	\$81.06
10	80	\$54.36	\$10.90	\$20.00	\$0.00	\$85.26

Effective Date - 03/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	35	\$24.41	\$10.90	\$12.80	\$0.00	\$48.11
2	40	\$27.90	\$10.90	\$13.60	\$0.00	\$52.40
3	45	\$31.39	\$10.90	\$14.40	\$0.00	\$56.69
4	50	\$34.88	\$10.90	\$15.20	\$0.00	\$60.98
5	55	\$38.36	\$10.90	\$16.00	\$0.00	\$65.26
6	60	\$41.85	\$10.90	\$16.80	\$0.00	\$69.55
7	65	\$45.34	\$10.90	\$17.60	\$0.00	\$73.84
8	70	\$48.83	\$10.90	\$18.40	\$0.00	\$78.13
9	75	\$52.31	\$10.90	\$19.20	\$0.00	\$82.41
10	80	\$55.80	\$10.90	\$20.00	\$0.00	\$86.70

Notes: Apprentice entered prior 9/30/10:
40/45/50/55/60/65/70/75/80/85
Steps are 850 hours

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:3

STEAM BOILER OPERATOR	06/01/2023	\$53.69	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.59
OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4	12/01/2023	\$54.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$85.83
	06/01/2024	\$55.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.11
	12/01/2024	\$57.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.55
	06/01/2025	\$58.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.83
	12/01/2025	\$59.87	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.27
	06/01/2026	\$61.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$92.55
	12/01/2026	\$62.59	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.99

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
TAMPERS, SELF-PROPELLED OR TRACTOR DRAWN <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$53.69	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.59
	12/01/2023	\$54.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$85.83
	06/01/2024	\$55.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.11
	12/01/2024	\$57.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.55
	06/01/2025	\$58.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.83
	12/01/2025	\$59.87	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.27
	06/01/2026	\$61.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$92.55
	12/01/2026	\$62.59	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.99
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
TELECOMMUNICATION TECHNICIAN <i>ELECTRICIANS LOCAL 223</i>	09/01/2023	\$39.40	\$11.50	\$13.91	\$0.00	\$64.81
	09/01/2024	\$40.69	\$11.75	\$14.53	\$0.00	\$66.97

Apprentice - TELECOMMUNICATION TECHNICIAN - Local 223

Effective Date - 09/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

Notes: See Electrician Apprentice Wages

Telecom Apprentice Wages shall be the same as the Electrician Apprentice Wages

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:2:3***

TERRAZZO FINISHERS <i>BRICKLAYERS LOCAL 3 - MARBLE & TILE</i>	08/01/2023	\$61.34	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$95.17
	02/01/2024	\$62.59	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$96.42
	08/01/2024	\$64.69	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$98.52
	02/01/2025	\$65.99	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$99.82
	08/01/2025	\$68.14	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$101.97
	02/01/2026	\$69.49	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$103.32
	08/01/2026	\$71.69	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$105.52
	02/01/2027	\$73.09	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$106.92

Classification

Effective Date Base Wage Health Pension Supplemental Unemployment Total Rate

Apprentice - TERRAZZO FINISHER - Local 3 Marble & Tile

Effective Date - 08/01/2023

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$30.67	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$64.50
2	60	\$36.80	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$70.63
3	70	\$42.94	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$76.77
4	80	\$49.07	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$82.90
5	90	\$55.21	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$89.04

Effective Date - 02/01/2024

Step	percent	Apprentice Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
1	50	\$31.30	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$65.13
2	60	\$37.55	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$71.38
3	70	\$43.81	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$77.64
4	80	\$50.07	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$83.90
5	90	\$56.33	\$11.49	\$22.34	\$0.00	\$90.16

Notes:

Apprentice to Journeyworker Ratio:1:3

TEST BORING DRILLER <i>LABORERS - FOUNDATION AND MARINE</i>	06/01/2023	\$47.58	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$74.95
	12/01/2023	\$48.83	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$76.20
	06/01/2024	\$50.31	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$77.68
	12/01/2024	\$51.78	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$79.15
	06/01/2025	\$53.28	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$80.65
	12/01/2025	\$54.78	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$82.15
	06/01/2026	\$56.33	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$83.70
	12/01/2026	\$57.83	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$85.20

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"

TEST BORING DRILLER HELPER <i>LABORERS - FOUNDATION AND MARINE</i>	06/01/2023	\$43.70	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$71.07
	12/01/2023	\$44.95	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$72.32
	06/01/2024	\$46.43	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$73.80
	12/01/2024	\$47.90	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$75.27
	06/01/2025	\$49.40	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$76.77
	12/01/2025	\$50.90	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$78.27
	06/01/2026	\$52.45	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$79.82
	12/01/2026	\$53.95	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$81.32

For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
TEST BORING LABORER <i>LABORERS - FOUNDATION AND MARINE</i>	06/01/2023	\$43.58	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$70.95
	12/01/2023	\$44.83	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$72.20
	06/01/2024	\$46.31	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$73.68
	12/01/2024	\$47.78	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$75.15
	06/01/2025	\$49.28	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$76.65
	12/01/2025	\$50.78	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$78.15
	06/01/2026	\$52.33	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$79.70
	12/01/2026	\$53.83	\$9.40	\$17.97	\$0.00	\$81.20
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
TRACTORS/PORTABLE STEAM GENERATORS <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$53.69	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$84.59
	12/01/2023	\$54.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$85.83
	06/01/2024	\$55.71	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.11
	12/01/2024	\$57.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$88.55
	06/01/2025	\$58.43	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.83
	12/01/2025	\$59.87	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.27
	06/01/2026	\$61.15	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$92.55
	12/01/2026	\$62.59	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.99
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
TRAILERS FOR EARTH MOVING EQUIPMENT <i>TEAMSTERS JOINT COUNCIL NO. 10 ZONE B</i>	06/01/2023	\$39.82	\$14.57	\$17.29	\$0.00	\$71.68
	12/01/2023	\$39.82	\$14.57	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$73.06
	01/01/2024	\$39.82	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$73.56
	06/01/2024	\$40.82	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$74.56
	12/01/2024	\$40.82	\$15.07	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$76.06
	01/01/2025	\$40.82	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$76.56
	06/01/2025	\$41.82	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$77.56
	12/01/2025	\$41.82	\$15.57	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$79.17
	01/01/2026	\$41.82	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$79.77
	06/01/2026	\$42.82	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$80.77
	12/01/2026	\$42.82	\$16.17	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$82.51
	01/01/2027	\$42.82	\$16.77	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$83.11
TUNNEL WORK - COMPRESSED AIR <i>LABORERS (COMPRESSED AIR)</i>	06/01/2023	\$55.81	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$83.63
	12/01/2023	\$57.06	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$84.88
	06/01/2024	\$58.54	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$86.36
	12/01/2024	\$60.01	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$87.83
	06/01/2025	\$61.51	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$89.33
	12/01/2025	\$63.01	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$90.83
	06/01/2026	\$64.56	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$92.38
	12/01/2026	\$66.06	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$93.88
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
TUNNEL WORK - COMPRESSED AIR (HAZ. WASTE) <i>LABORERS (COMPRESSED AIR)</i>	06/01/2023	\$57.81	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$85.63
	12/01/2023	\$59.06	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$86.88
	06/01/2024	\$60.54	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$88.36
	12/01/2024	\$62.01	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$89.83
	06/01/2025	\$63.51	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$91.33
	12/01/2025	\$65.01	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$92.83
	06/01/2026	\$66.56	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$94.38
	12/01/2026	\$68.06	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$95.88
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
TUNNEL WORK - FREE AIR <i>LABORERS (FREE AIR TUNNEL)</i>	06/01/2023	\$47.88	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$75.70
	12/01/2023	\$49.13	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$76.95
	06/01/2024	\$50.61	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$78.43
	12/01/2024	\$52.08	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$79.90
	06/01/2025	\$53.58	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$81.40
	12/01/2025	\$55.08	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$82.90
	06/01/2026	\$56.63	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$84.45
	12/01/2026	\$58.13	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$85.95
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
TUNNEL WORK - FREE AIR (HAZ. WASTE) <i>LABORERS (FREE AIR TUNNEL)</i>	06/01/2023	\$49.88	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$77.70
	12/01/2023	\$51.13	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$78.95
	06/01/2024	\$52.61	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$80.43
	12/01/2024	\$54.08	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$81.90
	06/01/2025	\$55.58	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$83.40
	12/01/2025	\$57.08	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$84.90
	06/01/2026	\$58.63	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$86.45
	12/01/2026	\$60.13	\$9.40	\$18.42	\$0.00	\$87.95
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						
VAC-HAUL <i>TEAMSTERS JOINT COUNCIL NO. 10 ZONE B</i>	06/01/2023	\$39.24	\$14.57	\$17.29	\$0.00	\$71.10
	12/01/2023	\$39.24	\$14.57	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.48
	01/01/2024	\$39.24	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$72.98
	06/01/2024	\$40.24	\$15.07	\$18.67	\$0.00	\$73.98
	12/01/2024	\$40.24	\$15.07	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.48
	01/01/2025	\$40.24	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$75.98
	06/01/2025	\$41.24	\$15.57	\$20.17	\$0.00	\$76.98
	12/01/2025	\$41.24	\$15.57	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$78.59
	01/01/2026	\$41.24	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$79.19
	06/01/2026	\$42.24	\$16.17	\$21.78	\$0.00	\$80.19
	12/01/2026	\$42.24	\$16.17	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$81.93
01/01/2027	\$42.24	\$16.77	\$23.52	\$0.00	\$82.53	
WAGON DRILL OPERATOR <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER"						

Classification	Effective Date	Base Wage	Health	Pension	Supplemental Unemployment	Total Rate
WAGON DRILL OPERATOR (HEAVY & HIGHWAY) <i>LABORERS - ZONE 2 (HEAVY & HIGHWAY)</i>	06/01/2023	\$37.71	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.00
	12/01/2023	\$38.61	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$64.90
	06/01/2024	\$39.94	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$66.23
	12/01/2024	\$41.27	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$67.56
	06/01/2025	\$42.66	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$68.95
	12/01/2025	\$44.04	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$70.33
	06/01/2026	\$45.48	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$71.77
	12/01/2026	\$46.92	\$9.40	\$16.89	\$0.00	\$73.21
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- LABORER (Heavy and Highway)						
WASTE WATER PUMP OPERATOR <i>OPERATING ENGINEERS LOCAL 4</i>	06/01/2023	\$54.28	\$14.75	\$16.15	\$0.00	\$85.18
	12/01/2023	\$55.03	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$86.43
	06/01/2024	\$56.33	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$87.73
	12/01/2024	\$57.78	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$89.18
	06/01/2025	\$59.08	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$90.48
	12/01/2025	\$60.53	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$91.93
	06/01/2026	\$61.83	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$93.23
	12/01/2026	\$63.28	\$15.00	\$16.40	\$0.00	\$94.68
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- OPERATING ENGINEERS"						
WATER METER INSTALLER <i>PLUMBERS & PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 51</i>	08/28/2023	\$51.99	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$82.09
	08/26/2024	\$54.74	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$84.84
	08/25/2025	\$57.49	\$10.15	\$19.95	\$0.00	\$87.59
For apprentice rates see "Apprentice- PLUMBER/PIPEFITTER" or "PLUMBER/GASFITTER"						

Additional Apprentices Information:

Minimum wage rates for apprentices employed on public works projects are listed above as a percentage of the pre-determined hourly wage rate established by the Commissioner under the provisions of the M.G.L. c. 149, ss. 26-27D. Apprenticeship ratios are established by the Division of Apprenticeship Training pursuant to M.G.L. c. 23, ss. 11E-11L.

All apprentices must be registered with the Division of Apprenticeship Training in accordance with M.G.L. c. 23, ss. 11E-11L.

All steps are six months (1000 hours.)

Ratios are expressed in allowable number of apprentices to journeymen or fraction thereof, unless otherwise specified.

** Multiple ratios are listed in the comment field.

*** APP to JM; 1:1, 2:2, 2:3, 3:4, 4:4, 4:5, 4:6, 5:7, 6:7, 6:8, 6:9, 7:10, 8:10, 8:11, 8:12, 9:13, 10:13, 10:14, etc.

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Attachment B
Davis-Bacon Wage Rates

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"General Decision Number: MA20230008 12/08/2023

Superseded General Decision Number: MA20220008

State: Massachusetts

Construction Types: Heavy (Heavy and Marine)

Counties: Barnstable, Bristol, Dukes, Essex, Middlesex, Nantucket, Norfolk, Plymouth and Suffolk Counties in Massachusetts.

HEAVY AND MARINE CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS

Note: Contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act are generally required to pay at least the applicable minimum wage rate required under Executive Order 14026 or Executive Order 13658. Please note that these Executive Orders apply to covered contracts entered into by the federal government that are subject to the Davis-Bacon Act itself, but do not apply to contracts subject only to the Davis-Bacon Related Acts, including those set forth at 29 CFR 5.1(a)(2)-(60).

If the contract is entered into on or after January 30, 2022, or the contract is renewed or extended (e.g., an option is exercised) on or after January 30, 2022:	. Executive Order 14026 generally applies to the contract. . The contractor must pay all covered workers at least \$16.20 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination, if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on the contract in 2023.
If the contract was awarded on or between January 1, 2015 and January 29, 2022, and the contract is not renewed or extended on or after January 30, 2022:	. Executive Order 13658 generally applies to the contract. . The contractor must pay all covered workers at least \$12.15 per hour (or the applicable wage rate listed on this wage determination, if it is higher) for all hours spent performing on that contract in 2023.

The applicable Executive Order minimum wage rate will be adjusted annually. If this contract is covered by one of the Executive Orders and a classification considered necessary for performance of work on the contract does not appear on this wage determination, the contractor must still submit a conformance request.

Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the Executive Orders is available at <http://www.dol.gov/whd/govcontracts>.

Modification Number	Publication Date
0	01/06/2023
1	01/27/2023
2	02/03/2023
3	03/03/2023
4	03/17/2023
5	03/24/2023
6	03/31/2023
7	04/14/2023
8	05/19/2023
9	06/16/2023
10	07/14/2023
11	07/21/2023
12	07/28/2023
13	09/01/2023
14	09/08/2023
15	09/15/2023
16	10/13/2023
17	10/20/2023
18	12/08/2023

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	Rates	Fringes
BOILERMAKER.....	\$ 45.87	29.02

BRMA0001-011 02/01/2023

FOXBORO CHAPTER

BRISTOL (Attleboro, Berkley, Dighton, Mansfield, North Attleboro, Norton, Raynham, Rehoboth, Seekonk, Taunton); NORFOLK, (Bellingham, Canton, Dedham, Foxboro, Franklin, Norfolk, Norwood, Plainville, Sharon, Walpole, Westwood, Wrentham); and PLYMOUTH (Lakeville)

	Rates	Fringes
Bricklayer/Cement Mason.....	\$ 60.35	34.40

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LOWELL CHAPTER

MIDDLESEX (Acton, Ashby, Ayer, Bedford, Billerica, Boxboro, Carlisle, Chemsford, Dracut, Dunstabale, Ft Devens, Groton, Littleton, Lowell, North Acton, Pepperell, Shirley, South Acton, Tewksbury, Townsend, Tyngsboro, West Acton, Westford, Wilmington)

	Rates	Fringes
BRICKLAYER.....	\$ 58.21	33.71

BRMA0001-013 02/01/2023

LOWELL CHAPTER

MIDDLESEX (Ashland, Framingham, Holliston, Hopkinton, Hudson, Maynard, Natick, Sherbvorn, Stow); and NORFOLK (Medfield, Medway, Millis)

	Rates	Fringes
BRICKLAYER.....	\$ 60.35	34.40

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	Rates	Fringes
Marble & Tile Finisher.....	\$ 46.25	32.43
Marble, Tile & Terrazzo Workers.....	\$ 60.37	34.37
TERRAZZO FINISHER.....	\$ 59.29	34.21

BRMA0003-003 02/01/2023

BOSTON CHAPTER

MIDDLESEX (Arlington, Cambridge, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Somerville); NORFOLK (Brookline, Milton); and SUFFOLK

Rates Fringes

BRICKLAYER.....\$ 60.35 34.40

BRMA0003-011 02/01/2023

LYNN CHAPTER

ESSEX (Amesbury, Andover, Beverly, Boxford, Danvers, Essex, Georgetown, Gloucester, Groveland, Hamilton, Haverhill, Ipswich, Lawrence, Lynn, Lynnfield, Manchester, Marblehead, Merrimac, Methuen, Middleton, Nahant, Newbury, Newburyport, North Andover, Peabody, Rockport, Rowley, Salisbury, Salem, Saugus, Swampscott, Topsfield, Wakefield, Wenham, West Newbury); and MIDDLESEX (North Reading, Reading, Wakefield)

Rates Fringes
Bricklayer/Cement Mason.....\$ 60.35 34.40

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Rates Fringes

BRICKLAYER

WALTHAM CHAPTER -
MIDDLESEX (Belmont, Burlington, Concord, Lexington, Lincoln, Stoneham, Sudbury, Waltham, Watertown, Wayland, Weston, Winchester, Woburn).....\$ 60.35 34.40

BRMA0003-014 02/01/2023

QUINCY CHAPTER

PLYMOUTH COUNTY (Abington, Bridgewater, Brockton, Carver, Duxbury, East Bridgewater, Halifax, Hanover, Hanson, Hingham, Hull, Kingston, Marshfield, Middleboro, Norwell, Pembroke, Plymouth, Rockland, Scituate, West Bridgewater, Whitman)

Rates Fringes
Bricklayer/Cement Mason.....\$ 60.35 34.40

BRMA0003-025 02/01/2023

NEW BEDFORD CHAPTER

BARNSTABLE; BRISTOL (Acushnet, Darmouth, Fairhaven, Fall River, Freetown, New Bedford, Somerset, Swansea, Westport); DUKES; NANTUCKET; PLYMOUTH (Marion, Mattapoisett, Rochester, Wareham)

	Rates	Fringes
Bricklayer/Cement Mason.....	\$ 60.35	34.40

BRMA0003-033 02/01/2023		

NEWTON CHAPTER
MIDDLESEX (Newton); NORFOLK (Dover, Needham, Wellesley)

	Rates	Fringes
Bricklayer, Plasterer.....	\$ 60.35	34.40

CARP0056-001 08/01/2023		

All of SUFFOLK COUNTY; and those areas of BARNSTABLE, BRISTOL, ESSEX, MIDDLESEX, NORFOLK, and PLYMOUTH COUNTIES situated INSIDE Boston Beltway (I-495) and North of Cape Cod Canal. ALL of DUKES and NANTUCKET COUNTIES

	Rates	Fringes
PILEDRIVERMAN.....	\$ 53.11	35.10

CARP0056-002 08/01/2022		

The areas of BARNSTABLE, BRISTOL, PLYMOUTH, and NORFOLK COUNTIES situated OUTSIDE Boston Beltway (I-495) and South of Cape Cod Canal

	Rates	Fringes
PILEDRIVERMAN.....	\$ 48.34	34.10

CARP0056-003 08/01/2022		

Those areas of ESSEX and MIDDLESEX COUNTIES situated OUTSIDE Boston Beltway (I-495)

Rates	Fringes
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PILED RIVERMAN.....\$ 45.74 34.10

CARP0056-004 08/01/2022

Rates Fringes

DIVER TENDER.....\$ 52.15 34.10

DIVER.....\$ 68.70 35.57

CARP0327-002 09/01/2023

MIDDLESEX (Belmont, Cambridge, Everett, Malden, Medford, Somerville); NORFOLK (Brookline, Dedham, Milton); AND SUFFOLK COUNTIES

Rates Fringes

CARPENTER.....\$ 55.96 29.93

CARP0339-002 09/01/2023

BRISTOL (Attleborough, North Attleborough); ESSEX; MIDDLESEX (Except Belmont, Cambridge, Everett, Malden, Medford, Somerville); AND NORFOLK (Bellingham, Braintree, Canton, Cohasset, Foxboro, Franklin, Medfield, Medway, Millis, Needham, Norfolk, Norwood, Plainville, Quincy, Sharon, Walpole, Wellesley, Westwood, Weymouth, Wrentham) COUNTIES

Rates Fringes

CARPENTER.....\$ 45.87 29.93

CARP0346-001 09/01/2023

NORFOLK (Braintree, Quincy, Cohasset, Weymouth, etc.) PLYMOUTH (Duxbury, Hanover, Hull, Hingham, Marshfield, Norwell, Pembroke Rockland, Scituate)

Rates Fringes

CARPENTER.....\$ 45.87 29.93

CARP0624-002 09/01/2017

DUKES; NANTUCKET

	Rates	Fringes
CARPENTER.....	\$ 46.43	28.35

 CARP0624-006 09/01/2017

BARNSTABLE; BRISTOL (Except Attleboro & North Attleboro);
 NORFOLK (Avon, Holbrook, Randolph, Stoughton); PLYMOUTH
 (Bridgewater, Kingston, Lakeville, Middleboro, Plymouth, S.
 Hanover, Whitman)

	Rates	Fringes
CARPENTER.....	\$ 39.28	27.90

 CARP1121-001 01/02/2023

SUFFOLK COUNTY

	Rates	Fringes
MILLWRIGHT.....	\$ 46.29	31.18

 CARP1121-005 01/02/2023

BARNSTABLE, BRISTOL, DUKES, ESSEX, MIDDLESEX, NANTUCKET,
 NORFOLK and PLYMOUTH COUNTIES

	Rates	Fringes
MILLWRIGHT.....	\$ 40.94	31.18

 ELEC0096-001 09/03/2023

MIDDLESEX (Ashby, Ashland, Ayer, Ft. Devens, Groton, Hopkinton,
 Hudson, Marlboro, Pepperell, Shirley, Stow, Townsend)

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN.....	\$ 45.99	33.06
Teledata System Installer.....	\$ 34.49	31.44

 ELEC0099-001 06/01/2021

BRISTOL (Attleboro, North Attleboro, Seekonk)

	Rates	Fringes
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ELECTRICIAN.....\$ 43.61 54.71%
Teledata System Installer.....\$ 31.21 13.1%+14.93

ELEC0103-002 09/01/2023

ESSEX (Amesbury, Andover, Boxford, Georgetown, Groveland, Haverhill, Lawrence, Merrimac, Methuen, Newbury, Newburyport, North Andover, Rowley, Salisbury, West Newbury); MIDDLESEX (Bedford, Billerica, Boxboro, Burlington, Carlisle, Chelmsford, Dracut, Dunstable littleton, Lowell, North Reading, Tewksbury, Tyngsboro, Westford, Wilmington)

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN.....	\$ 61.39	35.61

ELEC0103-004 09/01/2023

ESSEX (Beverly, Danvers, Essex, Gloucester, Hamilton, Ipswich, Manchester, Marblehead, Middleton, Peabody, Rockport, Salem, Topsfield, Wenham)

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN.....	\$ 61.39	35.61

ELEC0103-005 09/01/2023

ESSEX (Lynn, Lynnfield, Nahant, Saugus, Swampscott); MIDDLESEX (Acton, Arlington, Belmont, Cambridge, Concord, Everett, Framingham, Holliston, Lexington, Lincoln, Malden, Maynard, Medford, Melrose, Natick, Newton, Reading, Sherborn, Somerville, Stoneham, Sudbury, Wakefield, Waltham, Watertown, Wayland, Weston, Winchester, Woburn); NORFOLK (Bellingham, Braintree, Brookline, Canton, Cohasset, Dedham, Dover, Foxboro, Frankloin, Medfield, Medway, Millis, Milton, Needham, Norfolk, Norwood, Quincy, Sharon, Walpole, Wellesley, Westwood, Weymouth, Wrentham); PLYMOUTH (Hingham and Hull);SUFFOLK

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN.....	\$ 61.39	35.61

ELEC0104-001 08/29/2022

	Rates	Fringes
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Line Construction:

Cableman.....	\$ 53.06	28.49+A
Equipment Operator.....	\$ 45.10	25.20+A
Groundman.....	\$ 29.18	12.10+A
Lineman.....	\$ 53.06	28.49+A

A. PAID HOLIDAYS: New Year's Day; Memorial Day; Independence Day; Labor Day; Thanksgiving Day; Christmas Day and Columbus Day, provided the employee has been employed 5 working days prior to any one of the listed holidays.

ELEC0223-002 09/01/2023

BARNSTABLE, BRISTOL (Except Attleboro, North Attleboro, Seekonk); DUKES; NANTUCKET; PLYMOUTH (Except Hingham and Hull Twns); NORFOLK (Avon, Halbrook, Randolph, Sloughton)

	Rates	Fringes
ELECTRICIAN.....	\$ 47.87	29.92

ENGI0004-009 06/01/2023

	Rates	Fringes
Power equipment operators:		
Group 1.....	\$ 54.28	31.95
Group 2.....	\$ 53.69	31.95
Group 3.....	\$ 35.30	31.95
Group 4.....	\$ 43.96	31.95
Group 5.....	\$ 24.34	31.95
Group 6.....	\$ 29.67	31.95

HOURLY PREMIUM FOR BOOM LENGTHS (Including Jib):

Over 150 ft.	+2.18
Over 185 ft.	+3.84
Over 210 ft.	+5.39
Over 250 ft.	+8.16
Over 295 ft.	+11.29
Over 350 ft.	+13.14

FOOTNOTE FOR POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATORS:

A. PAID HOLIDAYS: New Year's Day, Washington's Birthday, Labor Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Patriot's Day, Columbus Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day

POWER EQUIPMENT OPERATORS CLASSIFICATIONS [HEAVY CONSTRUCTION]

GROUP 1: Power shovel; crane; truck crane; derrick; pile driver; trenching machine; mechanical hoist pavement breaker; cement concrete paver; dragline; hoisting engine; three drum machine; pumpcrete machine; loaders; shovel dozer; front end loader; mucking machine; shaft hoist; steam engine; backhoe; gradall; cable way; fork lift; cherry picker; boring machine; rotary drill; post hole hammer; post hole digger; asphalt plant on job site; concrete batching and/or mixing plant on job site; crusher plant on job site; paving concrete mixer; timber jack

GROUP 2: Sonic or vibratory hammer; grader; scraper; tandem scraper; bulldozer; tractor; mechanic - maintenance; York rake; mulching machine; paving screed machine; stationary steam boiler; paving concrete finishing machine; grout pump; portable steam boiler; portable steam generator; roller; spreader; asphalt paver; locomotives or machines used in place thereof; tamper (self propelled or tractor-draw); cal tracks; ballast regulator; rail anchor machine; switch tamper; tire truck

GROUP 3: Pumps (1-3 grouped); compressor; welding machines (1-3 grouped); generator; sighting plant; heaters (power driven, 1- 5); syphon-pulsometer; concrete mixer; valves controlling permanent plant air steam, conveyor, wellpoint system (operating)

GROUP 4: Assitant engineer (fireman)

GROUP 5: Oiler (other than truck cranes and gradalls)

GROUP 6: Oiler (on truck cranes and gradalls)

IRON0007-001 09/16/2023

AREA 1: BRISTOL (Easton); ESSEX (Beverly, Gloucester, Lynn, Lynnfield, Manchester, Marblehead, Nahant, Rockport, Salem, Saugus, Swampscott); MIDDLESEX (Arlington, Bedford, Belmont, Burlington, Cambridge, Carlisle, Concord, Dunstable, Everett, Framingham, Lexington, Lincoln, Malden, Maynard, Medford, Melrose, Natick, Newton, Reading, Sherborn, Somerville, Stoneham, Sudbury, Wakefield, Waltham, Watertown, Wayland, Weston, Winchester, Woburn); NORFOLK (Except Medway); PLYMOUTH (Abington, Bridgewater, Brocton, Duxbury, East Bridgewater, Halifax, Hanover, Hanson, Hingham, Hull, Kingston, Marshfield, Norwell, Pembroke, Plymouth, Plympton, Rockland, Scituate, West Bridgewater, Whitman); SUFFOLK

AREA 2: ESSEX (Amesbury, Andover, Boxford, Danvers, Essex, Georgetown, Hamilton, Haverhill, Ipswich, Lawrence, Merrimac, Methuen, Newbury, Newburyport, North Andover, Rowley, Salisbury, Topsfield, Wenham, West Newbury); MIDDLESEX

(Action, Billerica, Chelmsford, Dracut, Groton, Groveland, Littleton, Lowell, Middleton, North Reading, Pepperell, Tewksbury, Tyngsboro, Westford, Wilmington)

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER		
AREA 1.....	\$ 53.70	36.21
AREA 2.....	\$ 49.29	36.21

 IRON0007-010 09/16/2023

MIDDLESEX (Ashby, Ashland, Ayer, Boxboro, Holliston, Hopkinton, Hudson, Marlboro, Shirley, Stow, Townsend); NORFOLK (Medway)

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER.....	\$ 53.40	36.21

 IRON0037-002 09/16/2023

BARNSTABLE; BRISTOL (Acushnet, Attleboro, Berkley, Dartmouth, Dighton, Fairhaven, Fall River, Freetown, Mansfield, New Bedford, North Attleboro, Norton, Raynham, Rehoboth, Seekonk, Somerset, Swansea, Taunton, Westport); DUKES; NANTUCKET; NORFOLK (Billingham, Franklin, Plainville, Wrentham); PLYMOUTH (Lakeville, Marion, Mattapoisett, Middleboro, Rochester, Wareham)

	Rates	Fringes
IRONWORKER.....	\$ 40.00	32.58

 LAB00022-006 12/01/2021

SUFFOLK COUNTY (Boston, Chelsea, Revere, Winthrop, Deer & Nut Islands); MIDDLESEX COUNTY (Arlington, Belmont, Burlington, Cambridge, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Reading, Somerville, Stoneham, Wakefield, Winchester, Winthrop and Woburn only); NORFOLK COUNTY (Brookline, Dedham, and Milton only)

	Rates	Fringes
Laborers:		
GROUP 1.....	\$ 41.18	27.52

GROUP 2.....	\$ 41.43	27.52
GROUP 3.....	\$ 41.93	27.52
GROUP 4.....	\$ 42.18	27.52
GROUP 5.....	\$ 24.50	27.52
GROUP 6.....	\$ 43.18	27.52

LABORERS CLASSIFICATIONS

GROUP 1: Laborers; carpenter tenders; cement finisher tenders

GROUP 2: Asphalt raker; fence and guard rail erector; laser beam operator; mason tender; pipelayer; pneumatic drill operator; pneumatic tool operator; wagon drill operator

GROUP 3: Air track operator; block paver; rammer; curb setter

GROUP 4: Blaster; powderman

GROUP 5: Flagger

GROUP 6: Asbestos Abatement; Toxic and Hazardous Waste Laborers

LAB0022-012 12/01/2021

Counties of BARNSTABLE; BRISTOL; DUKES; ESSEX; NANTUCKET; PLYMOUTH; MIDDLESEX (With the exception of Arlington, Belmont, Burlington, Cambridge, Everett, Malden, Melrose, Reading, Somerville, Stoneham, Wakefield, Winchester, Winthrop and Woburn); NORFOLK (With the exception of Brookline, Dedham, and Milton)

	Rates	Fringes
Laborers:		
GROUP 1.....	\$ 35.41	26.59
GROUP 2.....	\$ 35.66	26.59
GROUP 3.....	\$ 36.16	26.59
GROUP 4.....	\$ 36.41	26.59
GROUP 5.....	\$ 24.50	26.59
GROUP 6.....	\$ 37.41	26.59

LABORERS CLASSIFICATIONS

GROUP 1: Laborers; carpenter tenders; cement finisher tenders

GROUP 2: Asphalt raker; fence and guard rail erector; laser beam operator; mason tender; pipelayer; pneumatic drill operator; pneumatic tool operator; wagon drilloperator

GROUP 3: Air track operator; block paver; rammer; curb setter; hydraulic & similar self powere drills

GROUP 4: Blaster; powderman

GROUP 5: Flagger

GROUP 6: Asbestos Abatement; Toxic and Hazardous Waste Laborers

LAB00022-013 12/01/2021

	Rates	Fringes
Laborers:		
(FREE AIR OPERATION):		
SHIELD DRIVEN AND LINER PLATE IN FREE AIR)		
GROUP 1.....	\$ 45.48	28.02
GROUP 2.....	\$ 45.48	28.02
(OPEN AIR CASSONS, UNDERPINNING AND TEST BORING INDUSTRIES):		
TEST BORING & WELL DRILLING		
Driller.....	\$ 42.58	27.67
Laborer.....	\$ 41.18	27.67
(OPEN AIR CASSONS, UNDERPINNING AND TEST BORING INDUSTRIES):		
OPEN AIR CASSON, UNDERPINNING WORK & BORING CREW		
Bottom man.....	\$ 42.33	27.67
Laborers; Top man.....	\$ 41.18	27.67
(TUNNELS, CAISSON & CYLINDER WORK IN COMPRESSED AIR)		
GROUP 1.....	\$ 42.93	28.02
GROUP 2.....	\$ 53.41	28.02
GROUP 3.....	\$ 53.41	28.02
GROUP 4.....	\$ 53.41	28.02
GROUP 5.....	\$ 53.41	28.02

GROUP 6.....	\$ 55.41	28.02
CLEANING CONCRETE AND CAULKING TUNNEL (Both New & Existing)		
GROUP 1.....	\$ 45.48	28.02
GROUP 2.....	\$ 45.48	28.02
ROCK SHAFT, CONCRETE LINING OF SAME AND TUNNEL IN FREE AIR		
GROUP 1.....	\$ 42.93	28.02
GROUP 2.....	\$ 45.48	28.02
GROUP 3.....	\$ 45.48	28.02
GROUP 4.....	\$ 45.48	28.02
GROUP 5.....	\$ 47.48	28.02

LABORERS CLASSIFICATIONS for TUNNELS, CAISSON & CYLINDER WORK
IN COMPRESSED AIR

GROUP 1: Powder watchman; Top man on iron bolt; change house attendant

GROUP 2: Brakeman; trackman; groutman; tunnel laborer; outside lock tender; lock tender; guage tender

GROUP 3: Motorman, miner

GROUP 4: Blaster

GROUP 5: Mucking machine operator

GROUP 6: Hazardous Waste work within the ""HOT"" zone. (A premium of two dollars \$2.00 per hour over the basic wage rate.

LABORERS CLASSIFICATIONS for (FREE AIR OPERATION): SHIELD
DRIVEN AND LINER PLATE IN FREE AIR

GROUP 1: Miner; miner welder; conveyor operator; motorman; mucking machine operator; nozzle man; grout man-; pumps, shaft and tunnel steel and rodman; shield and erector arm operators, mole nipper, outside motorman, burner, TBM operator, safety miner; laborer topside; heading motormen; erecting operators; top signal men

GROUP 2: Brakeman; trackman

LABORERS CLASSIFICATIONS FOR CLEANING CONCRETE AND CAULKING
TUNNEL (Both New & Existing)

GROUP 1: Concrete workers; strippers and form movers (wood & steel), cement finisher

GROUP 2: Form erector (wood & steel and all accessories)

LABORERS CLASSIFICATIONS for ROCK SHAFT, CONCRETE LINING OF SAME AND TUNNE IN FREE AIR

GROUP 1: Change house attendants

GROUP 2: Laborers, topside, bottom men (when heading is 50 ft. from shaft) and all other laborers

GROUP 3: Brakeman; trackman; tunnel laborers; shaft laborers

GROUP 4: Miner; cage tender; bellman

GROUP 5: Hazardous Waste work within the ""HOT"" zone. (A premium of two dollars \$2.00 per hour over the basic wage rate)

FOOTNOTE FOR LABORERS:

A. PAID HOLIDAYS: New Year's Day, Washington's Birthday, Patriot's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Columbus Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day, and Christmas Day

LAB01421-001 12/01/2021

WRECKING LABORERS:

	Rates	Fringes
Laborers: (Wrecking)		
Group 1.....	\$ 41.33	27.37
Group 2.....	\$ 42.08	27.37
Group 3.....	\$ 42.33	27.37
Group 4.....	\$ 37.33	27.37
Group 5.....	\$ 40.43	27.37
Group 6.....	\$ 41.33	27.37

Group 1: Adzeman, Wrecking Laborer.

Group 2: Burners, Jackhammers.

Group 3: Small Backhoes, Loaders on tracks, Bobcat Type Loaders, Hydraulic "Brock" Type Hammer Operators, Concrete Cutting Saws.

Group 4: Yardman (Salvage Yard Only).

Group 5: Yardman, Burners, Sawyers.

Group 6: Asbestos, Lead Paint, Toxic and Hazardous Waste.

 PAIN0035-001 07/01/2019

BARNSTABLE BRISTOL; DUKES; ESSEX; NANTUCKET; PLYMOUTH
 (Remainder of NORFOLK; MIDDLESEX AND SUFFOLK COUNTIES)

	Rates	Fringes
PAINTER		
NEW CONSTRUCTION:		
Bridge.....	\$ 50.36	30.25
Brush, Taper.....	\$ 39.86	30.25
Spray, Sandblast.....	\$ 41.26	30.25
REPAINT:		
Bridge.....	\$ 50.66	30.90
Brush, Taper.....	\$ 37.92	30.25
Spray, Sandblast.....	\$ 39.32	30.25

 PAIN0035-015 07/01/2023

MIDDLESEX (Cambridge, Everett, Malden, Medford, Somerville)
 SUFFOLK COUNTY (Boston, Chelsea) NORFOLK COUNTY (Brookline)

	Rates	Fringes
PAINTER		
NEW CONSTRUCTION:		
Brush, Taper.....	\$ 45.01	35.10
Spay, Sandblast.....	\$ 46.41	35.10
Spray, Sandblast.....	\$ 47.05	30.25
REPAINT:		
Bridge.....	\$ 55.51	35.10
Brush, Taper.....	\$ 43.07	35.10
Spray, Sandblast.....	\$ 44.47	35.10

 * PLAS0534-001 07/01/2023

ESSEX; MIDDLESEX; NORFOLK AND SUFFOLK COUNTY

	Rates	Fringes
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CEMENT MASON/CONCRETE FINISHER...\$ 48.19 39.37

PLUM0004-001 09/01/2023

MIDDLESEX (Ashby, Ayer-West of Greenville branch of Boston and
Maine Railroad, Ft. Devens, Groton, Shirley, Townsend)

Rates Fringes

Plumbers and Pipefitters.....\$ 52.55 28.42

PLUM0012-001 09/04/2023

ESSEX (Ames, Andover, Beverly, Boxford, Byfield, Danvers,
Essex, Georgetown, Gloucester, Groveland, Hamilton, Haverhill,
Ipswich, Lawrence, Manchester, Marblehead, Merrimac, Methuen,
Middleton, Newbury, Newburyport, North Andover, Peabody,
Rockport, Rowley, Salem, Salisbury, Topsfield, Wenham, West
Newbury)

Rates Fringes

PLUMBER.....\$ 65.94 35.03

PLUM0012-003 09/04/2023

ESSEX (Ames, Andover, Beverly, Boxford, Byfield, Danvers,
Essex, Georgetown, Gloucester, Groveland, Hamilton, Haverhill,
Ipswich, Lawrence, Manchester, Marblehead, Merrimac, Methuen,
Middleton, Newbury, Newburyport, North Andover, Peabody,
Rockport, Rowley, Salem, Salisbury, Topsfield, Wenham, West
Newbury)

Rates Fringes

Plumber, Pipefitter,
Steamfitter.....\$ 65.94 35.03

PLUM0012-006 09/04/2023

ESSEX (Lynn, Lynnfield, Nahant, Saugus, and Swampscott);
MIDDLESEX (Acton, Arlington, Ashland, Ayer - except W. of
Greenville Branch of Boston & Maine RR, Bedford, Belmont,
Billerica, Boxboro, Burlington, Cambridge, Carlisle,
Chelmsford, Concord, Dracut, Dunstable, Everett, Framingham,
Hudson, Holliston, Hopkinton, Lexington, Lincoln, Littleton,
Lowell, Malden, Marlboro, Maynard, Medford, Melrose, Natick,

Newton, North Reading, Pepperell, Reading, Sherborn, Somerville, Stoneham, Stow, Sudbury, Tewksbury, Tyngsboro, Wakefield, Waltham, Watertown, Wayland, Westford, Wilmington, Winchester, Woburn); NORFOLK (Bellingham, Braintree, Brookline, Canton, Cohasset, Dedham, Dover, Foxboro, Franklin, Medfield, Medway, Millis, Milton, Needham, Norfolk, Norwood, Plainville, Quincy, Sharon, Walpole, Wellesley, Westwood, Weymouth, Wrentham); PLYMOUTH (Hingham, Hull, Scituate); SUFFOLK

	Rates	Fringes
PLUMBER.....	\$ 65.94	35.03

PLUM0051-005 09/01/2018		

BARNSTABLE; BRISTOL; DUKES; NANTUCKET; NORFOLK (Avon, Holbrook, Randolph, Stoughton) PLYMOUTH(Remainder of County)

	Rates	Fringes
Plumbers and Pipefitters.....	\$ 42.04	29.91

PLUM0537-001 09/01/2023		

MIDDLESEX (Arlington, Cambridge, Everett, Malden, Medford, Melrose, Reading, Wakefield, Winchester and Woburn); NORFOLK (Bellingham, Braintree, Brookline, Canton, Cohasset, Dedham, Foxboro, Franklin, Millis, Milton, Sharon, Walpole, Westwood, and Wrentham); PLYMOUTH (Hingham, Hull, Scituate); ESSEX (Ames, Andover, Beverly, Boxford, Byfield, Danvers, Essex, Georgetown, Gloucester, Groveland, Hamilton, Haverhill, Ipswich, Lawrence, Lynn, Lynnfield, Manchester, Marblehead, Merrimac, Methuen, Middleton, Nahant, Newbury, Newburyport, North Andover, Peabody, Rockport, Rowley, Salem, Salisbury, Saugus, Swampscott, Topsfield, Wenham, West Newbury)

	Rates	Fringes
PIPEFITTER.....	\$ 63.48	36.67

TEAM0379-001 06/01/2023		

	Rates	Fringes
Truck drivers:		
Group 1.....	\$ 38.78	31.86+a+b

Group 2.....	\$ 38.95	31.86+a+b
Group 3.....	\$ 39.02	31.86+a+b
Group 4.....	\$ 39.14	31.86+a+b
Group 5.....	\$ 39.24	31.86+a+b
Group 6.....	\$ 39.53	31.86+a+b
Group 7.....	\$ 39.82	31.86+a+b

POWER TRUCKS \$.25 DIFFERENTIAL BY AXLE
TUNNEL WORK (UNDERGROUND ONLY) \$.40 DIFFERENTIAL BY AXLE
HAZARDOUS MATERIALS (IN HOT ZONE ONLY) \$2.00 PREMIUM

TRUCK DRIVERS CLASSIFICATIONS

- Group 1: Station wagons; panel trucks; and pickup trucks
- Group 2: Two axle equipment; & forklift operator
- Group 3: Three axle equipment and tireman
- Group 4: Four and Five Axle equipment
- Group 5: Specialized earth moving equipment under 35 tons other than conventional type trucks; low bed; vachual; mechanics, paving restoration equipment
- Group 6: Specialized earth moving equipment over 35 tons
- Group 7: Trailers for earth moving equipment (double hookup)

FOOTNOTES:

A. PAID HOLIDAYS: New Year's Day, Washington's Birthday, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Patriot's Day, Columbus Day, Veteran's Day, Thanksgiving Day and Christmas Day

B. PAID VACATION: Employees with 4 months to 1 year of service receive 1/2 day's pay per month; 1 week vacation for 1 - 5 years of service; 2 weeks vacation for 5 - 10 years of service; and 3 weeks vacation for more than 10 years of service

WELDERS - Receive rate prescribed for craft performing operation to which welding is incidental.

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Note: Executive Order (EO) 13706, Establishing Paid Sick Leave for Federal Contractors applies to all contracts subject to the Davis-Bacon Act for which the contract is awarded (and any solicitation was issued) on or after January 1, 2017. If this contract is covered by the EO, the contractor must provide employees with 1 hour of paid sick leave for every 30 hours they work, up to 56 hours of paid sick leave each year. Employees must be permitted to use paid sick leave for their own illness, injury or other health-related needs, including preventive care; to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is ill, injured, or has other health-related needs, including preventive care; or for reasons resulting from, or to assist a family member (or person who is like family to the employee) who is a victim of, domestic violence, sexual assault, or stalking. Additional information on contractor requirements and worker protections under the EO is available at <https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/government-contracts>.

Unlisted classifications needed for work not included within the scope of the classifications listed may be added after award only as provided in the labor standards contract clauses (29CFR 5.5 (a) (1) (ii)).

The body of each wage determination lists the classification and wage rates that have been found to be prevailing for the cited type(s) of construction in the area covered by the wage determination. The classifications are listed in alphabetical order of ""identifiers"" that indicate whether the particular rate is a union rate (current union negotiated rate for local), a survey rate (weighted average rate) or a union average rate (weighted union average rate).

Union Rate Identifiers

A four letter classification abbreviation identifier enclosed in dotted lines beginning with characters other than ""SU"" or ""UAVG"" denotes that the union classification and rate were prevailing for that classification in the survey. Example: PLUM0198-005 07/01/2014. PLUM is an abbreviation identifier of the union which prevailed in the survey for this classification, which in this example would be Plumbers. 0198 indicates the local union number or district council number where applicable, i.e., Plumbers Local 0198. The next number, 005 in the example, is an internal number used in processing

the wage determination. 07/01/2014 is the effective date of the most current negotiated rate, which in this example is July 1, 2014.

Union prevailing wage rates are updated to reflect all rate changes in the collective bargaining agreement (CBA) governing this classification and rate.

Survey Rate Identifiers

Classifications listed under the "SU" identifier indicate that no one rate prevailed for this classification in the survey and the published rate is derived by computing a weighted average rate based on all the rates reported in the survey for that classification. As this weighted average rate includes all rates reported in the survey, it may include both union and non-union rates. Example: SULA2012-007 5/13/2014. SU indicates the rates are survey rates based on a weighted average calculation of rates and are not majority rates. LA indicates the State of Louisiana. 2012 is the year of survey on which these classifications and rates are based. The next number, 007 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 5/13/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

Survey wage rates are not updated and remain in effect until a new survey is conducted.

Union Average Rate Identifiers

Classification(s) listed under the UAVG identifier indicate that no single majority rate prevailed for those classifications; however, 100% of the data reported for the classifications was union data. EXAMPLE: UAVG-OH-0010 08/29/2014. UAVG indicates that the rate is a weighted union average rate. OH indicates the state. The next number, 0010 in the example, is an internal number used in producing the wage determination. 08/29/2014 indicates the survey completion date for the classifications and rates under that identifier.

A UAVG rate will be updated once a year, usually in January of each year, to reflect a weighted average of the current negotiated/CBA rate of the union locals from which the rate is based.

1.) Has there been an initial decision in the matter? This can be:

- * an existing published wage determination
- * a survey underlying a wage determination
- * a Wage and Hour Division letter setting forth a position on a wage determination matter
- * a conformance (additional classification and rate) ruling

On survey related matters, initial contact, including requests for summaries of surveys, should be with the Wage and Hour National Office because National Office has responsibility for the Davis-Bacon survey program. If the response from this initial contact is not satisfactory, then the process described in 2.) and 3.) should be followed.

With regard to any other matter not yet ripe for the formal process described here, initial contact should be with the Branch of Construction Wage Determinations. Write to:

Branch of Construction Wage Determinations
Wage and Hour Division
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

2.) If the answer to the question in 1.) is yes, then an interested party (those affected by the action) can request review and reconsideration from the Wage and Hour Administrator (See 29 CFR Part 1.8 and 29 CFR Part 7). Write to:

Wage and Hour Administrator
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

The request should be accompanied by a full statement of the interested party's position and by any information (wage payment data, project description, area practice material, etc.) that the requestor considers relevant to the issue.

3.) If the decision of the Administrator is not favorable, an interested party may appeal directly to the Administrative Review Board (formerly the Wage Appeals Board). Write to:

Administrative Review Board
U.S. Department of Labor
200 Constitution Avenue, N.W.
Washington, DC 20210

4.) All decisions by the Administrative Review Board are final.

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DIVISION 1

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SECTION 01010

SUMMARY OF WORK

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

A. Work covered by the Contract, listing of Owner, Project location, Engineer. Sequence requirements, the Contractor's use of the premises and Owner's occupancy requirements.

1.02 WORK COVERED BY CONTRACT DOCUMENTS

A. The Work includes, but is not necessarily limited to the construction of approximately:

- **Replacement of approximately 14,250 linear feet of existing water main with 8-inch and 12-inch D.I.C.L water main;**
- **Replacement of approximately 27 hydrants**
- **Replacement of approximately 103 gate valves**
- **Replacement of approximately 130 existing water services, totaling 3,000 linear feet of water service pipe**
- **All related civil/site work**

all as more particularly indicated, shown or described in the Drawings, Specifications, and other Contract Documents.

1.03 OWNER

A. Town of Middleborough
Department of Public Works
65 Sachem Street
Middleborough, MA 02346
Telephone: 508-946-2480

1.04 PROJECT LOCATION

A. Acorn Street, Barden Hill Road, Lois Street, Margery Street, Terrace Road, Tiger Drive, Wareham Street, Wood Street in Middleborough, MA, 02346.

1.05 ENGINEER

A. BETA Group, Inc.

701 George Washington Highway

Lincoln, RI 02865

Telephone: 401-333-2382

Fax: 401-333-9225

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1.06 WORK SEQUENCE

A. In order that Work may be conducted with minimum inconvenience to the public and, work under this Contract may be coordinated with other work which may be under construction or contemplated, and that work under the Contract may conform to conditions which it has been undertaken or conditions attached to a right-of-way or particular location for this work, the Engineer may determine the point or points and time or times when portions of work will commence or be carried on and may issue orders pertaining to the work sequence, relative to the rate of progress on several portions of the work.

1.07 CONTRACTOR USE OF PREMISES

- A. The Contractor's use of premises shall be within the limits shown on the Drawings and as defined in Section 00500 – Contract Agreement, for the performance of the Work.
- B. The Contractor shall maintain access and utilities to the existing sanitary sewer, combined sewer and drainage systems at all times.
- C. The Contractor shall assume full responsibility for security of all materials and equipment on the site, including those of his subcontractor's.
- D. If directed by the Owner, the Contractor shall move any stored items that interfere with operations of the Owner.
- E. Obtain and pay for use of additional storage or work areas if needed to perform the Work.

1.08 OWNER OCCUPANCY REQUIREMENTS

A. The existing sanitary sewer and drainage systems must remain in full service at all times, throughout the duration of the project.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 01015

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Supplementary requirements governing temporary bypass systems, work hours, and traffic control.

B. Related sections

1. Section 00700 – General Conditions
2. Section 00800 – Supplementary Conditions
3. Section 01570 – Traffic Regulations
4. Section 02668 – Temporary Water Bypass

1.02 SCHEDULE

A. Contract Time

1. The total Contract Time to complete the project shall be 310 working days starting on or before the date stated in the Notice to Proceed. No site work shall be allowed between December 1 and April 1, without permission, in writing from the Owner or Engineer. It is expected that the Contractor commence work and substantially complete all proposed utility work in the fall of 2024.

B. Ongoing Projects

1. The Contractor shall be aware that the **Town of Middleborough** has other ongoing and future construction projects within the area. The Contractor without claim shall be required to coordinate his work with other Contractors to ensure no conflicts occur. The two following projects are currently anticipated to take place in 2024.
 - a. **Center Street Water Main Replacement:** The project consists of replacing approximately 2 miles of water main on Center Street, Anderson Avenue, and a portion of North Main Street.
 - b. **Select Building Demolition 48 Wareham Street:** The Town plans to remove some of the outbuildings including the salt shed and the garage bays on the eastern edge of the site.

C. Sequencing Restrictions

1. All work, inclusive of permanent trench pavement, at the following locations shall be completed during the months of July and August when school is not in session:
 - a. Terrace Road from Wareham Street to Tiger Drive
 - b. Tiger Drive from Wood Street to Terrace Road.
 - c. Wood Street
 - d. Wareham Street from Station 62+50 to 66+50.
2. Work at these locations while school is in session will not be permitted.
3. The Nemasket River and herring run are sensitive to siltation resulting from construction activities and shall be protected during all times during the course of work. All erosion control devices and catch basin silt sacks shall be installed and inspected by the Middleborough Conservation Agent prior to the start of construction.

1.03 WORK HOURS

- A. Regular working hours are defined as 8 hours per day, Monday through Friday, excluding federal and state holidays, between the hours of 7:30 AM and 3:30 PM. The Contractor shall also abide by work hour restrictions set forth in or required under permits obtained by the Contractor or Owner in connection with the Project. Requests to work other than regular working hours shall be submitted to Engineer not less than 48 hours prior to any proposed weekend work or scheduled extended work weeks.

1.04 BYPASS PIPING AND MAINTAINANCE OF EXISTING FLOWS

A. Water Work

1. The Contractor shall be required to submit a water temporary bypass plan for review and approval to the Engineer depicting the bypass sizes, locations, proposed connections to existing water supply systems, and an associated sequence of operation associated with said plan. The Contract shall refer to Section 02668 – Temporary Water Bypass, of these Specifications.
2. The Engineer shall retain the right to request any additional information or changes to the bypass plan that he or she feels ensures the integrity of the existing system, and consequently, should be incorporated into the submittal. The Contractor shall not receive any additional compensation for changes made by the Engineer to ensure the integrity of the water supply system.
3. At locations where hydrants are out of service due to work under this contract, the Contractor shall provide temporary hydrants. A hydrant or water main being used to feed **temporary hydrants must be fed by a 6-inch bypass pipe**. All hydrants temporarily out of service must be bagged.
4. The submittal shall be in the form of a shop drawing and no work may proceed without the approval of said shop drawing by the Engineer.

B. Disruption of Existing Water Supply System

1. The Contractor will not be allowed to operate any hydrants or gate valves without approval from the **Town of Middleborough** Water Department.
2. It is the intent of this Contract to relay all water services on within the limits of work, with new polyethylene piping from the main to approximately 1 foot from the property line/ back of sidewalk and set a new curb stop unless otherwise directed by the Engineer. All lead water services shall be replaced from the main to the foundation of the dwelling.

1.05 STAGGING AREA

- A. The Town has limited space available for storage of pipe materials at 48 Wareham Street. See Contract Drawing G-3 for approximate location.
- B. The Contractor shall provide for all additional lands that may be required for storage of materials and equipment at no additional cost to the Owner.

1.06 TRAFFIC REQUIREMENTS

- A. **Equipment shall not be stored within the roadway outside of the Contractor's specified work hours. The roadway shall be opened to two lanes of traffic at the end of each workday. The Contractor's equipment and materials shall be stored off site outside of specified work hours.**
- B. One lane of alternating residential and emergency traffic must be able to pass at all during the Contractor's work hours.
- C. Excavated water and sewer services must be plated at all times prior to backfilling.
- D. Comply with the requirements of Section 01570.

1.07 EXCAVATIONS

A. Backfilling

1. When backfilling the water main with existing site material stones larger than 6-inches in diameter shall be removed by the Contractor.
2. Any 6-inch or larger stones removed from the excavation shall be considered Natural soil, shall become the property of the Contractor, and shall be taken offsite at no additional cost to the Owner.

B. Test Pits

1. Prior to the start of any construction, the Contractor must conduct test pits as shown on the Contract Drawings and at locations where conflicts between existing piping and/or utilities may occur.

2. Test pits to be conducted to field verify exact size, material, location, elevation, alignment (vertical and horizontal) of existing piping and utilities
3. The Contractor is to provide record of utility elevation, size, material, and alignment to the Engineer upon completion of the test pits. The Contractor shall notify the Engineer of any conflicts between the proposed piping and existing piping or utilities prior to starting installation of the proposed piping.

C. Hand Digging

1. Due to the potential of conflict between existing utility infrastructure and the proposed work within the municipal right-of-way, the Contractor may be required to hand dig in locations where conflict exists between the proposed piping and existing utilities. The Contractor should expect hand digging to be required and will not receive additional compensation for hand digging.

D. Steel Plates

1. Steel plates are not to be left on the trench overnight without permission from the Owner on a case-by-case basis.
2. If the Owner grants permission to leave steel plates in place over night they shall be pinned and ramped with temporary pavement by the Contractor at no additional cost to the Owner.

E. Excavation Support

1. The Contractor shall furnish and install, as required, temporary excavation support including sheeting, shoring, and bracing of shallow trench excavations as necessary to comply with Applicable Safety Code; to accommodate traffic; to permit access to adjacent occupied properties; to protect adjacent buildings, pavements, structures and all existing utilities; to provide an opening of proper depth and width in which to install the proposed pipes and other underground structures; and to protect his workmen, employees of the Owner and Engineer, State and the public, from death or injury from bank failure, earth collapse or earth movement of any nature whatsoever.

1.08 COORDINATION WITH POLICE & FIRE

1. The Contractor is required to coordinate his work daily with the **Town of Middleborough** Police and Fire Departments.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01020

ALLOWANCES

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Contingencies and their respective value which have been established in the BID as an estimated lump sum to facilitate comparison of bids only.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 00300 - Bid Forms
2. Section 01025 - Measurement and Payment

1.02 ALLOWANCES

A. Utility Relocation - Bid Item No. 21

1. Provide the relocation, replacement or repair as shown on the Contract Documents or as directed by the Engineer.
2. Coordinate all work with the respective utility company or department providing access to the site at the appropriate time to prevent any delay in the work specified to be done under these Contract Documents.
3. In the event the respective utility company or department does not customarily perform relocation work on utilities under their jurisdiction, the Contractor shall perform all necessary work with his own forces experienced in the relocation work required.

B. Lead Service Replacement Private Property Allowance – Bid Item No. 22

1. Provide the replacement of unforeseen lead water services on private property identified during construction.
2. Coordinate all work with the respective property owner to prevent any delay in the work specified to be done under these Contract Documents.
3. Submit proposal for replacement of lead water service on private property for approval to the Engineer.

C. Uniformed Traffic Officers - Bid Item No. 24

1. Coordinate and schedule uniformed traffic officers prior to commencement of work on public ways.

1.03 PAYMENT PROCEDURES

- ###### A. Under these items, the Contractor shall be reimbursed for charges for the allowances required and authorized by the Owner and Engineer, as detailed in Section 01025 - Measurement and Payment.

- B. The lump-sum price for allowances is established in Section 00300 - Bid Forms as an estimated figure to facilitate comparison of bids only. The actual amount to be paid under this item shall constitute full compensation for services rendered.
- C. The lump-sum price for this item shall NOT include any costs associated with services rendered for routine utility markings, repair damages incurred as a result of the Contractor's operations, relocations of utilities done at the Contractor's request and/or convenience, or any other unauthorized services rendered by utility companies. The purpose of this item is strictly for the Contractor's reimbursement for those services authorized by the Owner or Engineer prior to the work being performed.
- D. The Contractor will be paid based on the actual PAID invoiced amount from the authority in question as approved by the Engineer. If the total cost for such charges is greater or less than the allowance amount stated under this item of the BID, a debit or credit of the difference in cost shall be to the Owner.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

- A. Materials as required and ordered by the Engineer shall conform to the Contract Documents.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 INSTALLATION

- A. Installation, relocation, or repair of utilities shall be performed in accordance with the Contract Documents.
- B. Replacement of lead water services on private property shall be performed in accordance with the Contract Documents.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01025

MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Measurement and payment criteria applicable to the Work performed under a unit price and/or lump sum payment method of Items listed in the BID.

B. RELATED SECTIONS

1. Section 00300 – Bid
2. Section 00500 – Contract Agreement

1.02 UNIT QUANTITIES SPECIFIED

- A. Quantities and measurements indicated in SECTION 00300 are for bidding and contract purposes only. Quantities and measurements supplied or placed in the Work and verified by the Engineer shall determine payment.
- B. If the actual Work requires more or fewer quantities than those quantities indicated, provide the required quantities at the unit price contracted.

1.03 MEASUREMENTS OF QUANTITIES

- A. Measurement by Volume: Measured by cubic dimension using mean length, width and height or thickness.
- B. Measurement by Area: Measured by square dimension using mean length and width or radius.
- C. Linear Measurement: Measured by linear dimension, along the horizontal projection of the centerline or mean chord.
- D. At appropriate points in this text, specifications are given with respect to measuring or estimating certain quantities and the sums due for the same. Except as otherwise provided, the Engineer shall determine the appropriate method for measuring and computing each quantity, and for estimating the sums due for the various kinds of work and material, using such methods, tools and degrees of precision as are suitable for the particular measurement, Item or computation. When so requested by the Engineer, assistance in measuring or determining quantities, shall be provided by furnishing the help of unskilled laborers on the site, by furnishing copies of invoices, or by other means.
- E. For estimating quantities in which the computations of areas by analytic and geometric methods would be laborious, as determined by the Engineer, it is stipulated

and agreed that the planimeter shall be considered an instrument of precision adapted to the measurement of such areas and may be used for this purpose.

1.04 UNIT PRICES

- A. Payment will be computed on the basis of the unit price bid in SECTION 00300 for each Item and the quantity of units completed. Unit prices are to include cost of all necessary materials, labor, equipment, overhead, profit and other applicable costs. (See Par. 1.06, this Section.)
- B. The Owner reserves the right to increase or decrease the scope of the Contract work by twenty-five percent (25%) of the original scope.

1.05 LUMP SUM PRICES

- A. Payment will be computed on the basis of the percentage of work completed on each Item in the contract BID as determined by the Engineer. Lump sum prices are to include the cost of all necessary materials, labor, equipment, overhead, profit and other applicable costs. (See Par. 1.06, this Section.)

1.06 PRICES INCLUDE

- A. The prices stated in the Proposal include full compensation not only for furnishing all the labor, equipment and material needed for, and for performing the work and building the structures contemplated by, the Contract, but also for assuming all risks of any kind for expenses arising by reason of the nature of the soil, ground water, or the action of the elements; for all excavation and backfilling; for the removal of and delay or damage occasioned by trees, stumps, tracks, pipes, ducts, timber, masonry or other obstacles; for removing, protecting, repairing, or restoring, without cost to the Owner, all pipes, ducts, drains, sewers, culverts, conduits, curbs, gutters, walks, fences, tracks, or other obstacles, road pavements and other ground surfacing whether shown on plans or not for draining, damming, pumping or otherwise handling and removing, without damage to the work or to other parties, and without needless nuisance, all water or sewage from whatever source which might affect the work or its progress, or be encountered in excavations made for the work; for furnishing, inserting and removing all sheeting, shoring staging, cofferdams, etc.; for all signs, fencing, lighting, watching, guarding, temporary surfacing, bridging, snow removal, etc., necessary to maintain and protect travel on streets, walks and private ways; for making all provisions necessary to maintain and protect buildings, fences, poles, trees, structures, pipes, ducts and other public or private property affected or endangered by the work; for the repair or replacement of such things if injured by neglect of such provisions for removing all surplus or rejected materials as may be directed; for replacing, repairing and maintaining the surfaces of streets, highways, public and private lands if and where disturbed by work performed under the Contract or by negligence in the performance of work under the Contract; for furnishing the requisite filling materials in case of any deficiency or lack of suitable materials; for obtaining all permits and licenses and complying with the requirements thereof, including the cost of furnishing any security needed in connection therewith; for any

- and all expense on account of the use of any patented device or process; for protection against inclement or cold weather; for all expenses incurred by or on account of the suspension; interruption or discontinuance of work; for the cost of the surety bond and adequate insurance; for all taxes, fees, union dues, etc., for which the Contractor may be or become liable, arising out of his operations incidental to the Contract; for providing equipment on the site and off site; for providing a field office and its appurtenances and for all general and incidental expenses; for tools, implements and equipment required to build and put into good working order all work contemplated by the Contract; for maintaining and guaranteeing the same as provided; and for fulfilling all obligations assumed by the Contractor under the Contract and its related documents.
- B. The Owner shall pay and the Contractor shall receive the prices stipulated in the BID made a part hereof as full compensation for everything performed and for all risks and obligations undertaken by the Contractor under and as required by the Contract.
 - C. The prices for those Items which involve excavation shall include compensation for disposal of surplus excavated material and handling water.
 - D. In all Items involving excavation, the price shall be based on doing the entire excavation in earth. Where rock is excavated, the price, therefore, shall be in addition to the cost of excavating earth and no deduction will be made in the amount for earth excavation.
 - E. The prices for all pipe Items (i.e. sewers, service connections, drains, etc.) shall constitute full compensation for furnishing, laying, jointing and testing; earth excavation, backfill and compaction; materials for bedding pipe as specified; and cleaning up.

1.07 PAYMENT

- A. In general, payment will be made for all Contract work satisfactorily completed through the end of the previous month. The payment will include any additional work which has been completed and approved and change order work agreed upon by the Owner and Contractor which has been completed and approved (See SECTION 00500).
- B. Each application for payment will indicate the total of a minimum percent retainage as defined in SECTION 00500, held by the Owner on the total of all work completed under the contract and approved for payment to-date.
- C. Monthly applications for payment may also indicate reduction or increase of the total Contract price when an approved change order results in a net reduction or net increase in the cost and quantity of work to be performed under the Contract.
- D. Special billings and charges against the Contract as credit or payment to the Owner, that are not for change order work, may be subtracted from monies due on any monthly application for payment but shall not serve to reduce the total Contract price.

- E. Final payment for Work governed by unit prices will be made on the basis of the actual measurements and quantities accepted by the Engineer multiplied by the unit price for work which is incorporated in or made necessary by the Work.

1.08 METHOD OF MEASUREMENT AND BASIS OF PAYMENT

WATER MAIN INSTALLATION

BID ITEM NO.	1A	INSTALL 6-INCH D.I.C.L. WATER MAIN	LF
	1B	INSTALL 8-INCH D.I.C.L. WATER MAIN	LF
	1C	INSTALL 10-INCH D.I.C.L. WATER MAIN	LF
	1D	INSTALL 12-INCH D.I.C.L. WATER MAIN	LF

1. The length of water main to be paid for under these Items shall be measured by the linear foot along the horizontal projection of the centerline of the completed water main, the lengths of valves or fittings not being deducted.
2. The unit prices shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing the water main with a minimum depth of cover of 5-feet, unless otherwise directed by the Engineer, including restrained joints and thrust blocks for pipe as required and directed by the Engineer, for sizes and classes specified including saw cutting existing pavement, , remove and dispose of excavated hot mix asphalt, excavation and backfill, sheeting and bracing, dewatering and drainage, disposal of excess material, laying and jointing pipe, furnishing and installing screened gravel and/or crushed stone bedding, connections to the existing water mains, removal, disposal and dewatering of existing water main and valves, furnishing and installing all fittings as shown on the Drawings including but not limited to any bends, tees, anchor tees, cutting in of new tees, reducers, adaptors, and any other fittings, complete, including all restraint devices as needed and directed by the Engineer to complete the work, furnishing, installing and removing end caps associated with testing/disinfection, all types of sidewalk reconstruction, resetting or replacing of all types of curbing disturbed, loaming and seeding of disturbed areas, dust control measures, disinfection, pressure and leakage testing, and sampling performed by separate independent and qualified companies and laboratories, as indicated on the Drawings and as specified, and all work incidental thereto, and all work not specifically included for payment under other Items.
3. The unit prices shall constitute full compensation for the removal of each existing gate box within the pipe trench limits. Gate boxes outside of the pipe trench limits to be removed or abandoned shall be paid for under Item 2D.
4. The unit prices shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing 8 mil poly wrap around water pipe that is installed with controlled density backfill.
5. The unit prices shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing polyurethane insulation and jacketing around water pipe that is installed with a depth

of cover of less than 5-feet, as indicated on the Drawings and as specified, or as otherwise directed by the Engineer.

6. The unit prices shall constitute full compensation for excavation of all depths required for installation to accommodate existing utilities or structures.
7. The unit prices shall include a reasonable amount of delays encountered for shut-downs of existing water mains required to prosecute the Work.
8. The unit prices shall include a maximum allowance of one week to locate and repair any detected leaks in the water main. Beyond this period, the Contractor shall pay for all additional required engineering, inspection and police detail expenses until such leaks are fully repaired.
9. The unit prices shall include full compensation for a pre-construction video inspection showing pre-construction conditions of the entire work area in accordance with Section 01381 – Pre-Construction Photography and Audio Video Recording of these Specifications for video recording requirements.
10. The unit prices shall include full compensation for all labor and materials to furnish, place, and maintain catch basin erosion control protection, remove and dispose of existing trees, trim and dispose of existing tree branches, furnish and plant new trees, furnish, install, remove, and dispose of tree protection during construction, and support existing utility poles during excavation, complete, as indicated on the Drawings or as otherwise directed by the Engineer.
11. Removal and transport of Excess Soil to the temporary storage location off Tiger Drive shall be included under these bid items.
12. The Contractor will be eligible for up to 75% of the unit price when pipe installation is completed as specified. The remaining 25% of the unit price will be paid when documentation of required testing has been submitted and approved by the Owner/Engineer.

BID ITEM NO. 1E CUT AND CAP EXISTING WATER MAIN EA

1. The number of caps to be paid for under this Item shall be measured as the number of caps (all sizes) actually installed, completed, and accepted by the Engineer.
2. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for cutting and capping the existing water main in preparation for abandonment, ensuring all necessary valves are closed, detachment of all existing connections to active water mains, and abandonment of the existing main.
3. The unit price shall include full compensation for furnishing and installing caps, excavation, dewatering, backfilling, cutting & capping, restraint, thrust blocks, sidewalks, roadway restoration, and all work incidental thereto, and all work not specifically included for payment under other items.

WATER VALVES

BID ITEM NO.	2A	INSTALL 6-INCH GATE VALVE	EA
	2B	INSTALL 8-INCH GATE VALVE	EA
	2C	INSTALL 12-INCH GATE VALVE	EA

1. The number of valves to be paid for under these Items shall be equal to the actual number of valves installed.
2. The unit prices shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing valves and valve boxes including all restraint devices required and as directed by the Engineer required to complete the work, and all work not specifically included for payment under other items.
3. Valves for hydrant assemblies shall be paid for under the appropriate hydrant assembly Item.

BID ITEM NO.	2D	ABANDON EXISTING GATE VALVE	EA
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1. The number of gate valves to be paid for under this Item shall be equal to the actual number of gate valves abandoned.
2. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for ensuring gate valves are in the specified position, removal and disposal of valve boxes, pavement repair, and all other work necessary and as directed by the Engineer required to complete the work, and all work not specifically included for payment under other Items.
3. Gate valves removed and disposed as part of the installation process of the proposed main shall not be paid for under this Item but shall be paid for under Bid Item Nos. 1A through 1D.

BID ITEM NO.	3A	INSTALL 6-INCH INSERTION VALVE	EA
	3B	INSTALL 8-INCH INSERTION VALVE	EA
	3C	INSTALL 10-INCH INSERTION VALVE	EA
	3D	INSTALL 12-INCH INSERTION VALVE	EA

1. The number of water insertion gate valves to be paid for under this Item shall be equal to the actual number of insertion gate valves installed. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing valves as specified, including excavation, trench support, tapping the water main, installing a valve box, supporting the water main, installing restraint devices as required and as directed by the Engineer required to complete the work, and all work not specifically included for payment under other items.
2. Removal and transport of Excess Soil to the temporary storage location off Tiger Drive shall be included under these bid items.

BID ITEM NO. 4 ADDITIONAL FITTINGS

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1. The quantity of additional fittings to be paid for under this Item shall be equal to the actual number of pounds of fittings furnished and installed as directed and approved by the Engineer exclusive of those identified on the Drawings.
2. The unit price for additional fittings shall include cutting main and furnishing and installing all restraint devices as required and directed by the Engineer.
3. Any fittings used for the Contractor's convenience shall be at his own expense. If a different fitting must be used in lieu of the fitting shown on the Drawings, payment shall be made on the basis of the difference in weights.
4. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

HYDRANTS

BID ITEM NO. 5A INSTALL HYDRANT ASSEMBLY

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1. The number of hydrant assemblies to be paid for under this Item shall be equal to the number of hydrant assemblies installed.
2. The unit price for this Item shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing new hydrant assemblies complete, as specified, and as shown on the Drawings, including all materials, anchor tees, 6-inch connection pipe, gate valve, fittings, adapters, valve boxes, thrust restraint, excavating, dewatering, bedding, filter fabric, backfilling, compacting, gravel fill, dense graded crushed stone base course, temporary and permanent trench pavement restoration, crushed stone for drain, loaming and seeding, all types of in kind sidewalk reconstruction, resetting or replacing of all types of curbing disturbed, painting of the hydrant to Town's color scheme, and all incidentals not specifically included for payment under other Items.
3. The unit price shall include furnishing and installing hydrant extensions as necessary and as directed by the Engineer.
4. Removal and transport of Excess Soil to the temporary storage location off of Tiger Drive shall be included under these bid items.

**BID ITEM NO. 5B REMOVE AND DISPOSE OF EXISTING
HYDRANT ASSEMBLY**

EA

1. The number of Hydrant Assemblies to be paid for under this Item shall be equal to the number of hydrant assemblies removed and disposed.
2. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for the cost of removing and disposing (or handling and transporting, as directed) hydrants, hydrant gates and hydrant gate boxes complete as specified, and as detailed, including, excavation,

removing all hydrant branch piping, capping pipe as required, backfilling, all types of sidewalk reconstruction, resetting or replacing of all types of curbing disturbed, and all incidentals not specifically included for payment under other Items.

3. Removal and transport of Excess Soil to the temporary storage location off of Tiger Drive shall be included under these bid items.

WATER SERVICE CONNECTIONS

BID ITEM NO.	6A	INSTALL 1-INCH WATER SERVICE PIPE	LF
	6B	INSTALL 2-INCH WATER SERVICE PIPE	LF

1. The length of service connections to be paid for under these Items shall be measured by the linear foot along the horizontal projection of the centerline of the completed connection, the lengths of valves or fittings not being deducted.
2. The unit prices shall constitute full compensation for removal and disposal of existing water service pipe where encountered, furnishing and installing polyethylene tubing service pipe (up to 2-inch diameter) at a minimum depth of 5-feet, unless otherwise directed by the Engineer, from the corporation stop to the curb stop with fittings and adapters as necessary and shown on the Drawings, including connection to the existing service, excavation, including saw cutting, removal and disposal of hot mix asphalt, dewatering, bedding, backfill and restoration of property to include loaming, seeding, curbing (all types), bituminous berm, all types of in kind sidewalk reconstruction and dust control measures.
3. The unit prices shall also constitute full compensation for the furnishing, placing and maintaining of temporary and permanent trench pavement restoration on all service connection cross trenches, including dense graded crushed stone base course, as specified.
4. The unit prices shall also constitute full compensation for the furnishing, placing and maintaining of temporary pavement on all sidewalks and driveways disturbed during the installation of services.
5. The unit prices shall also constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing permanent cement or hot mix asphalt sidewalks as applicable on all sidewalks disturbed during the installation of services including saw cutting, removal and disposal of temporary sidewalks, excavation to required depth, and special compaction requirements, as indicated on the Drawings and as specified.
6. Removal and transport of Excess Soil to the temporary storage location off of Tiger Drive shall be included under these bid items.

BID ITEM NO.	7A	INSTALL 1-INCH CORPORATION STOP	EA
	7B	INSTALL 2-INCH CORPORATION STOP	EA

1. The number of corporation stops to be paid for under these Items shall be equal to the number of corporation stops installed.
2. The unit prices shall constitute full compensation for tapping the water main, furnishing and installation corporation stops of all sizes up to 2-inch diameter, complete, as indicated on the Drawings and/or as directed by the Engineer.
3. The unit price for this Item shall also include furnishing and installing saddles where necessary and as directed by the Engineer.

BID ITEM NO.	8A	INSTALL 1-INCH CURB STOP	EA
	8B	INSTALL 2-INCH CURB STOP	EA

1. The number of curb stops to be paid for under these Items shall be equal to the number of curb stops installed.
2. The unit prices shall include excavation, including removal and disposal of hot mix asphalt, bedding, backfill and restoration of property to include loaming, seeding, curbing (all types), bituminous berm, if applicable, and in kind sidewalk restoration.
3. The unit prices for curb stops with boxes for all sizes up to 2-inch diameter shall constitute full compensation for removal and disposal of existing curb stop and boxes on Public Property, furnishing and installing curb stops, curb stop boxes, appurtenances, and all necessary restraint devices, if required, and as directed by the Engineer required to complete the work, and all work not specifically included for payment under other Items.

BID ITEM NO.	8C	REMOVE CURB STOP BOX, PRIVATE PROPERTY	EA
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1. The number of curb stop boxes removed to be paid for under this Item shall be equal to the number of curb stop boxes on private property removed. The unit price shall include removal and disposal of the curb box, excavation, including removal and disposal of hot mix asphalt, bedding, backfill and restoration of property to include loaming, seeding, and curbing (all types), bituminous berm, if applicable, and in kind sidewalk restoration.
2. The unit price shall also include the Contractor receiving written approval from the property owner to access and remove the curb box on private property.
3. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

TEMPORARY WATER BYPASS

BID ITEM NO. 9 TEMPORARY WATER BYPASS LS

1. The lump sum price shall constitute full compensation for furnishing piping, valves, **check valves**, labor, equipment and materials to install an approved temporary potable water bypass system, complete, including connections to existing hydrants for feed and fire department utilization, connections to individual house water services, wye fittings at sill cocks, disinfection and testing, temporary fire protection (hydrants), excavation & backfilling, saw cutting and disposal of pavement, and all work not specifically included for payment under other items.
2. The lump sum price shall constitute full compensation for any below-grade bypass pipe installation including backfill, gravel base course, trench width temporary pavement (where applicable), and permanent trench pavement restoration.
3. The lump sum price shall constitute full compensation for furnishing all piping, services, labor, equipment and materials to install an approved temporary potable water bypass connection to an existing water main or large service, complete, including disinfection and testing, furnishing and installing tapping sleeves and any valves, check valves, fittings, couplings, required to be installed and removed or left-in-place, excavation and backfilling and all work not specifically included for payment under other items.
4. The lump sum price shall constitute full compensation for providing and maintaining rubber or plastic bypass ramps, which shall be installed at all driveway, pedestrians way and right-of-way crossings, as specified and ordered by the Engineer.
5. The lump sum price shall constitute full compensation for fire services verification.

MISCELLANEOUS EXCAVATION & MATERIALS

BID ITEM NO. 10 EXCAVATION FOR TEST PITS CY

1. The quantity of earth excavation and backfill for test pits to be paid for under this Item shall be the actual number of cubic yards of material removed and backfilled, measured to the extent of the work done as indicated on the Drawings or as ordered by the Engineer for test pits.
2. The unit price for this Item shall constitute full compensation for sawcutting existing hot mix asphalt and reinforced concrete road base, removal and disposal of existing hot mix asphalt and reinforced concrete road base, excavation, backfill, fine grading, and compaction for test pits, including hand digging if required, and temporary and permanent trench pavement restoration, and removing, resetting, and reconstruction of all types of curbing as directed and authorized by the Engineer.
3. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

BID ITEM NO. 11 EARTH EXCAVATION BELOW NORMAL DEPTH CY

1. The quantity of earth excavation below normal depth (limit of normal excavation) to be included for payment under this Item shall be the actual number of cubic yards of unsuitable material excavated, measured to the depths and lengths ordered, and to the width between payment limits for normal excavation as indicated on the Drawings and as directed and authorized by the Engineer.
2. The unit price for this Item shall constitute full compensation for excavation below normal depth and proper disposal of unsuitable material. Replacement of excavated material shall be paid for under the appropriate Item for gravel borrow or other material as directed by the Engineer.
3. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

BID ITEM NO. 12 ROCK EXCAVATION & DISPOSAL CY

1. When rock is encountered, it shall be uncovered but not excavated until measurements have been made by the Engineer, unless in the opinion of the Engineer, satisfactory measurements can be made in some other manner.
2. The quantity of rock to be paid for under this Item shall be the number of cubic yards of rock, measured in place before excavation, within the payment limits as specified and as defined in the details section of the Drawings, unless rock excavation beyond such limits has been authorized in writing by the Engineer, in which case, measurements shall be made to the authorized limits.
3. Excavated rock which has not been properly disposed of shall not be included for payment.
4. The bidder shall include in his bid for items involving excavation, the cost of doing the entire excavation in earth, the unit price for this Item being intended to cover the difference between the cost of rock excavation and the cost of earth excavation.
5. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for rock excavation and disposal, for all necessary backfilling, and for furnishing all additional material needed for backfilling.
6. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

BID ITEM NO. 13 GRAVEL BORROW CY

1. Gravel borrow backfill ordered by the Engineer for backfill below normal depth shall be paid for under this Item. The quantity of gravel borrow backfill below normal depth to be paid for shall be the same as the number of cubic yards of earth

excavation below normal depth as directed by the Engineer measured for payment under the Item "Earth Excavation Below Normal Depth", which said gravel replaces.

2. Gravel borrow ordered by the Engineer for backfill of trenches above normal depth shall be paid for under this Item. The quantity of gravel used as backfill for trenches above normal depth shall be measured by the cubic yards to the depth and length ordered by the Engineer and to the width between payment limits for normal excavation as indicated on the Drawings. Unless otherwise directed by the Engineer gravel borrow outside the limits of normal excavation shall be furnished, placed, and compacted at the Contractor's expense, and no measurement will be made for such gravel.
3. Gravel borrow ordered to be used at other locations shall be measured after compaction and paid for under this Item as the number of cubic yards of gravel actually placed and compacted as directed.
4. Gravel borrow used to backfill rock excavations will not be measured for payment under this Item but shall be included as part of the unit price for Bid Item No. 22 - Rock Excavation and Disposal.
5. Gravel borrow used to backfill and/or fill around and/or beneath structures will not be measured for payment under this Item but shall be included as part of the appropriate unit price for the structures.
6. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for furnishing, placing, and compacting gravel borrow, as specified and/or directed by the Engineer.
7. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

BID ITEM NO. 14 CRUSHED STONE CY

1. Crushed stone backfill ordered by the Engineer for backfill below normal depth shall be paid for under this Item. The quantity of crushed stone backfill below normal depth to be paid for shall be the same as that number of cubic yards of earth excavation below normal depth as directed by the Engineer measured for payment under the Item "Earth Excavation Below Normal Depth", which said stone replaces.
2. Additional crushed stone used for support of existing utilities or ordered by the Engineer to be used at other locations shall be paid for under this Item. The quantity to be paid for shall be the number of cubic yards measured in place after compaction of crushed stone within the limits directed by the Engineer.
3. Crushed stone used for bedding pipe, to backfill authorized excavations, for any drainage purpose, or as indicated on the Drawings for work for which appropriate payment items have been provided, shall not be measured for payment under this Item.

4. Crushed stone used to backfill rock excavations will not be measured for payment under this Item but shall be included as part of the unit price for Bid Item No. 22 - Rock Excavation and Disposal.
5. Crushed stone used to backfill and/or fill around and/or beneath structures will not be measured for payment under this Item, but shall be included as part of the appropriate unit price for the structures.
6. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for furnishing, placing, and compacting crushed stone, as specified and/or directed by the Engineer.
7. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

BID ITEM NO. 15 CONTROLLED DENSITY FILL CY

1. The quantity of controlled density fill to be paid for under this Item shall be the number of cubic yards of controlled density fill ordered by the Engineer and installed in place in the field.
2. The unit price for this Item shall constitute full compensation for removal and disposal of excavated material, and furnishing and placing of controlled density fill per cubic yard as required and as directed by the Engineer.
3. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing controlled density fill and necessary procedures, materials, and equipment to protect until set-up, as specified or as otherwise directed by the Engineer.
4. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing the controlled density fill in all water, sewer and drain pipes to be abandoned.
5. The unit price shall also include furnishing a concrete pump truck capable of placing CDF for the abandonment of water, drain and sewer pipes as specified.
6. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

BID ITEM NO. 16 ADDITIONAL CONCRETE (ALL CLASSES) CY

1. The quantity of concrete to be measured for payment under this Item shall be the number of cubic yards placed as directed by the Engineer.
2. No measurement shall be made under this Item for concrete used as indicated on the Drawings for work which appropriate payment items have been provided or for concrete used to backfill unauthorized excavations.
3. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and placing concrete (all classes) as specified and/or as directed by the Engineer.

4. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

PAVEMENT RESTORATION

1. The unit prices for pavement restoration shall constitute full compensation for saw cutting, removal and disposal of all existing pavement including any existing bituminous, concrete or reinforced concrete base, if encountered; excavation to the required depth; fine grading of subgrade prior to placement of temporary and permanent pavement; special compaction requirements; removal and disposal of any temporary pavement; casting and valve box adjustments, as directed; cutting and matching existing pavement; furnishing and applying required prime coats and emulsions; removal and replacement; safety precautions including construction warning signs and barricades during the project; trench closing and openings ordered by the Engineer; obtaining all necessary roadway permits and/or approvals from state and local agencies; and constructing the pavement complete, including sidewalks and driveways, as specified and as indicated and not specifically included for payment under other Items.
2. The unit prices for pavement restoration shall also include the costs to remove and replace inductance loop vehicle detector wiring (traffic loops), and the cost to replace pavement markings which existed prior to construction as specified.

BID ITEM NO. 17A DENSE-GRADED CRUSHED STONE LF
BASE COURSE (12-INCH DEPTH)

1. The quantity of dense graded crushed stone base course to be paid for under this Item shall be equal to the amount of dense graded crushed stone base course installed, measured by the linear foot of trench, to the payment limits indicated on the Drawings or as otherwise directed by the Engineer.
2. The unit price for this Item shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing the dense graded crushed stone base course, complete as specified and detailed on the Drawings or as otherwise directed by the Engineer.
3. The dense graded crushed stone base course used for test pits, temporary bypass system and water service connections shall not be included for payment under this Item but shall be included for payment under Bid Item Nos. 6A, 6B, 9 and 10.
4. Material taken from excavations deemed suitable by the Engineer, for use as dense graded crushed stone base course shall not be included for payment under this Item.

BID ITEM NO. 17B TEMPORARY TRENCH WIDTH BITUMINOUS LF
PAVEMENT (2-INCH THICKNESS)

1. The unit price for temporary trench width bituminous concrete pavement shall constitute full compensation for construction of the trench width pavement as herein

specified and shall be measured per linear foot installed along the horizontal projection of the completed trench as determined by the Engineer.

2. The unit price for temporary pavement shall also include all additional work required in roads and streets, such as saw cutting existing pavement, special compaction requirements, temporary striping, safety precautions including but not limited to barricades, fences and all other appurtenant work not specifically paid for under other items.
3. Pavement thickness shall be a total of 2-inches after compaction. The pavement shall be installed in one 2-inch layer. Total tonnage slips must be submitted to the Engineer as provided by the production plant at the time of pavement installation.
4. The trench width binder used for test pits, temporary bypass system and service connections shall not be included for payment under this item but shall be included for payment under the appropriate item for Test Pits, Temporary Bypass System and Water Service Connections, as applicable.

BID ITEM NO. 17C PERMANENT TRENCH WIDTH BITUMINOUS PAVEMENT (4-INCH TOTAL THICKNESS) SY

1. The unit price for permanent trench width bituminous concrete pavement shall constitute full compensation for construction of the trench width pavement as herein specified and shall be measured by the number of square yard of bituminous concrete pavement actually placed in accordance with the Drawings and/or as directed by the Engineer.
2. The unit price for permanent pavement shall also include all additional work required in roads and streets, such as saw cutting, and removal and disposal of existing pavement, special compaction requirements, temporary striping, safety precautions including but not limited to barricades, fences and all other appurtenant work not specifically paid for under other items.
3. Pavement thickness shall be a total of 4-inches after compaction. The pavement shall be installed as detailed on the Contract Drawings. Total tonnage slips must be submitted to the Engineer as provided by the production plant at the time of pavement installation.
4. The unit price shall also include soil compaction test every 500 feet or as directed by the Engineer. Soil Compaction tests shall be performed prior to the installation of the binder pavement course.

BID ITEM NO. 17D PERMANENT TRAFFIC STRIPING, ALL COLORS/WIDTHS LF

1. The quantity of traffic striping to be paid for under this item shall be the amount of traffic striping, installed, measured by the linear foot, as specified. Replacement of the double-yellow road centerline shall be considered one line.

2. The length of broken lines (except for broken lines less than 10 feet, the actual length shall be used) will be obtained using ¼ the results for solid lines.
3. The unit price for this item shall constitute full compensation for furnishing all labor, materials, tools and equipment necessary for striping new pavement and to replace striping damaged or removed during construction, per linear foot of striping installed, regardless of width.
4. The striping installed shall be identical in length, width, color and configuration to the existing striping.
5. The unit prices shall also include protection of newly applied striping, cleaning and sweeping pavement.
6. Temporary traffic striping installed shall be included for payment under Item 17B and 20.

SIDEWALK AND LANDSCAPE RESTORATION

BID ITEM NO.	18A	ADDITIONAL BITUMINOUS CONCRETE SIDEWALKS (3-INCH THICKNESS)	SY
BID ITEM NO.	18B	ADDITIONAL CEMENT CONCRETE SIDEWALKS (4-INCH THICKNESS)	SY

1. The quantity of additional concrete used for the reconstruction of bituminous and cement concrete sidewalks to be measured for payment under this Item shall be the number of square yards of concrete sidewalk placed as directed by the Engineer.
2. The unit price for this Item shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing the concrete sidewalks including all labor, materials and equipment necessary to construct the concrete sidewalks, excavation, backfill, and grading as specified and/or detailed on the Drawings.
3. Reconstruction of sidewalks impacted from the installation of the proposed water main, hydrants, or service connections, shall not be included for payment under this Item but shall be included for payment under Bid Item Nos. 1A thru 1D, 5A, 6A, 6B, 9 and 10 respectively.
4. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

BID ITEM NO.	18C	ADDITIONAL BITUMINOUS CONCRETE BERM OR CURB	LF
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1. The quantity of additional bituminous berm or curb to be paid for this Item shall be the actual amount of berm or curb furnished and installed, measured by the linear foot, as directed by the Engineer.

2. The unit price for this Item shall constitute full compensation for excavating, grading, placement of berm or curb and site restoration, complete as specified and/or detailed on the Drawings.
3. Reconstruction of bituminous berm or curb impacted from the installation of the proposed water main, hydrants, or service connections, shall not be included for payment under this Item but shall be included for payment under Bid Item Nos. 1A thru 1D, 5A, 6A, 6B, 9 and 10 respectively.
4. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

BID ITEM NO. 18D REMOVE AND RESET EXISTING GRANITE CURB LF

1. The quantity of existing curbing to be paid for under this Item shall be equal to the actual amount of curbing removed and reset, measured by the linear foot along the centerline of the curb, as directed by the Engineer.
2. The unit price for this Item shall constitute full compensation for excavation, backfill, compaction, bedding, concrete, formwork, removal and replacement of gravel, driveways, bushes, mowing strips, trees and plantings, fences and walls, and all necessary grading, loaming and reseeded of grassed areas disturbed by the Contractor's operations, and all other work incidental to removing and resetting existing curbing and not specifically included for payment under other Items.
3. The unit price for this Item shall also constitute full compensation for furnishing and installing concrete curb lock for all reset curbing as identified on the Drawings.
4. Payment for this Item shall be used to correct unavoidable curb settlement as a result of Contractor's operations as determined by the Engineer.
5. Resetting of existing curbing impacted from the installation of the proposed water main, hydrants, or service connections, shall not be included for payment under this Item but shall be included for payment under Bid Item Nos. 1A thru 1D, 5A, 6A, 6B, 9 and 10 respectively.
6. The quantity identified in the Price Sheet is an indeterminate quantity to be utilized for comparison of bids.

MISCELLANEOUS WORK ITEMS

BID ITEM NO. 19 STAKED STRAW WATTLES LF

1. The quantity of staked straw wattles to be paid for under this Item shall be equal to the actual amount of staked straw wattles furnished and installed, measured by the linear foot along a horizontal projection of the centerline, complete, as indicated on the Drawings or as otherwise directed by the Engineer.

2. The unit price shall constitute full compensation for furnishing and supplying all labor, materials and equipment for installing staked straw wattles, maintenance of straw wattles as shown and specified, removal and disposal of same, and restoration of property to its original condition.
3. There shall be no additional payment for replacement due to maintenance.

BID ITEM NO. 20 TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT

LS

1. The lump sum price for this Item shall constitute full compensation for providing Safety Controls for Construction Operations consisting of furnishing, positioning, repositioning, storing, maintaining and removing, as needed and/or as directed: construction signs, sign supports, traffic cones and reflectorized drums, warning devices, special apparel, etc. high level warning devices, delineators, floodlights, Type I and II barricades, portable flashing and steady burning lights, hand signal devices, lanterns, pilot cars, and temporary bagging of signs and signals.
2. The lump sum price for this Item shall constitute full payment for all material, labor and equipment required or incidental to the satisfactory completion of the Work, as required by the Town of Middleborough and the Massachusetts Department of Transportation (MassDOT) to sufficiently inform motorists and pedestrians of the impending project and detours as required. All signs must meet MassDOT and MUTCD requirements. Any devices provided under this Item which are lost, stolen, destroyed or deemed unacceptable while their use is required shall be replaced without additional compensation.
3. The work included under this Item shall consist of providing daily lane closures for the purposes of safely directing traffic, by approved methods, away from and/or through areas affected by the contractors' operations. All Work shall be done in accordance with the approved Traffic Management Plan or as directed by the Engineer. This Item does not include those specific devices for which payment is made under other Items.
4. The lump sum price for this Item shall include the installation of temporary traffic striping, all widths and colors.
5. Payment for this Item will be made as follows:
 - a. 5% paid when the Contractor has commenced work at the site in a diligent and continuous manner as determined by the Engineer.
 - b. 5% paid when the Contractor has completed all Work, removed all equipment, and satisfied all requirements as detailed in the Contract Documents.
 - c. Payment for the remainder of the Item will be based on the overall percentage of completion of the project.

BID ITEM NO. 21 UTILITY RELOCATION ALLOWANCE

LS

1. Under this Item, the Contractor shall be reimbursed for certain charges authorized by

the Engineer for unforeseen utility relocations required and authorized by the Owner and Engineer.

2. The allowance for this Item established in the BID is an estimated figure to facilitate comparison of bids only. The actual amount to be paid under this Item shall be made pursuant to Article 11 and Article 13 of the General Conditions.
3. The allowance for this Item shall NOT include any costs associated with services rendered for routine utility markings, repair damages incurred as a result of the Contractor's operations, relocations or dismantling and reassembling of utilities done at the Contractor's request and/or convenience, or any other unauthorized services rendered by utility companies. The purpose of this Item is strictly for the Contractor's reimbursement for those unforeseen services authorized by the Owner or Engineer prior to the work being performed.
4. The Contractor will be paid based on the actual PAID invoiced amount from the Utility Company in question as approved and authorized by the Owner/Engineer. If the total cost for such charges is greater or less than the allowance amount stated under this Item of the BID, a debit or credit of the difference in cost shall be to the Owner.

BID ITEM NO. 22 LEAD SERVICE REPLACEMENT PRIVATE PROPERTY ALLOWANCE LS

1. Under this Item, the Contractor shall be reimbursed for lead service replacement on private property authorized by the Engineer for unforeseen lead water services required and authorized by the Owner and Engineer.
2. The allowance for this Item established in the BID is an estimated figure to facilitate comparison of bids only. The actual amount to be paid under this Item shall be made pursuant to Article 11 and Article 13 of the General Conditions.
3. The allowance for this Item shall NOT include any costs associated with services included under other Bid Items. The purpose of this Item is strictly for the Contractor's reimbursement for replacement of those unforeseen lead water services authorized by the Owner or Engineer prior to the work being performed.
4. The Contractor will be paid based on the actual PAID invoiced amount for lead service replacement on private property as approved and authorized by the Owner/Engineer. If the total cost for such charges is greater or less than the allowance amount stated under this Item of the BID, a debit or credit of the difference in cost shall be to the Owner.

BID ITEM NO. 23A MANAGEMENT OF EXCESS SOIL LS

1. Under this Item the Contractor shall be paid for management of all excess soil at the lump sum price stated in the Bid Schedule.

2. The lump sum price shall constitute full compensation for furnishing all labor, materials, tools, equipment, and incidentals required for excess soil, handling, staging, and Licensed Site Professional (LSP) services, laboratory testing of all soil and fill material prior to final transport and disposal; submittal and approval of all required and specified Plans; preparation of disposal applications; health and safety equipment; reuse, or disposal; protecting the stockpile areas. All costs related to transporting soils to and, if not disposed of offsite, from the staging area, if reused, shall be included for payment in this item; air monitoring; controlling the spread of airborne contaminants; all notifications, fees, permits, and taxes; and all other requirements specified in other sections of the Contract Documents; and all other requirements specified in other sections of the Contract Documents and any other work not covered by other Bid Items.
3. The Contractor will be eligible for payment for a portion of the lump sum price based on the Schedule of Values submitted in accordance with Section 00700, as approved by the Engineer.

BID ITEM NO. 23B SOIL DISPOSAL (RE-USE FACILITY) TON

1. The quantity of Disposal of Excess Soil at a Re-Use Facility to be paid for under this Item shall be the actual number of tons of Excess Soil loaded and transported to, and disposed at, an approved Re-Use facility identified by the Contractor.
2. The unit price shall include all costs associated with the loading, hauling and disposal of the material at an approved Re-Use disposal facility identified by the Contractor, including but not limited to labor, equipment, liners, trucking, disposal fees, and furnishing the Owner with the appropriate completed material shipping record forms.
3. The quantity of Soil Disposal (Re-Use-Facility) to be paid for under this Item shall be the actual number of tons of Soil Disposal (Re-Use-Facility) disposed, as verified by the actual certified weight slips provided by the approved disposal facility. In the event that Soil Disposal (Re-Use-Facility) is disposed at an approved disposal facility not having the ability to provide certified weight slips, tonnage shall be determined by volumetric measurement (in cubic yards) by the Engineer and converted to tonnage based on a conversion of 1.50 tons per cubic yard of material. The quantity of excess contaminated material disposed of shall be limited to the trench width payment limits indicated on the Drawings, or limits of actual excavation, whichever is smaller. Excess contaminated soils removed and disposed of outside the trench width payment limits will be determined by volumetric measurement (in cubic yards) by the Engineer and converted to tonnage based on a conversion of 1.50 tons per cubic yard of material, and subtracted from total tonnage for payment.
4. The Contractor will be eligible for up to 75% of the unit price when material is transported and disposed of offsite. The remaining 25% of the unit price will be paid upon the Owner's receipt of all signed transportation and disposal documents.
5. No compensation shall be provided under this item for removal or disposal of surplus or unsuitable fill materials EXCEPT those specifically identified as acceptable for disposal at a Re-Use facility.

BID ITEM NO. 23C SOIL DISPOSAL (IN-STATE LANDFILL)

TON

1. The quantity of Soil Disposal (In-State Landfill) material to be paid for under this Item shall be the actual number of cubic yards of Soil Disposal (In-State Landfill) material removed and disposed of as directed and authorized by the Engineer.
2. The unit price shall include all costs associated with the removal and disposal of Soil Disposal (In-State Landfill) material including but not limited to labor, equipment disposal fees and furnishing the Owner with the appropriate material shipping record forms.
3. The allowance for this item established in the Bid is an estimated figure to facilitate the comparison of bids only. The actual amount to be paid under this item shall constitute full compensation for wages paid, premiums on Workers' Compensation Insurance, payment on account of Social Security and other direct assessments on payroll, as may be required and all other costs incidental to the services rendered.
4. The quantity of Soil Disposal (In-State Landfill) to be paid for under this Item shall be the actual number of tons of Soil Disposal (In-State Landfill) disposed, as verified by the actual certified weight slips provided by the approved disposal facility. In the event that Soil Disposal (In-State Landfill) is disposed at an approved disposal facility not having the ability to provide certified weight slips, tonnage shall be determined by volumetric measurement (in cubic yards) by the Engineer and converted to tonnage based on a conversion of 1.50 tons per cubic yard of material. The quantity of Soil Disposal (In-State Landfill) disposed of shall be limited to the trench width payment limits indicated on the Drawings, or limits of actual excavation, whichever is smaller. Excess Soil Disposal (In-State Landfill) removed and disposed of outside the trench width payment limits will be determined by volumetric measurement (in cubic yards) by the Engineer and converted to tonnage based on a conversion of 1.50 tons per cubic yard of material, and subtracted from total tonnage for payment.
5. The Contractor will be eligible for up to 75% of the unit price when material is transported and disposed of offsite. The remaining 25% of the unit price will be paid upon the Owner's receipt of all signed transportation and disposal documents.
6. No compensation shall be provided under this item for removal or disposal of surplus or unsuitable fill materials EXCEPT those specifically identified as acceptable for disposal at an In-State-Landfill.

BID ITEM NO. 23D SOIL DISPOSAL (OUT-OF-STATE LANDFILL)

TON

1. The quantity of Soil Disposal (Out-of-State Landfill) material to be paid for under this Item shall be the actual number of cubic yards of Soil Disposal (Out-of-State Landfill) material removed and disposed of as directed and authorized by the Engineer.
2. The unit price shall include all costs associated with the removal and disposal of Soil Disposal (Out-of-State Landfill) material including but not limited to labor,

equipment disposal fees and furnishing the Owner with the appropriate material shipping record forms.

3. The allowance for this item established in the Bid is an estimated figure to facilitate the comparison of bids only. The actual amount to be paid under this item shall constitute full compensation for wages paid, premiums on Workers' Compensation Insurance, payment on account of Social Security and other direct assessments on payroll, as may be required and all other costs incidental to the services rendered.
4. The quantity of Soil Disposal (Out-of-State Landfill) to be paid for under this Item shall be the actual number of tons of Soil Disposal (Out-of-State Landfill) disposed, as verified by the actual certified weight slips provided by the approved disposal facility. In the event that Soil Disposal (Out-of-State Landfill) is disposed at an approved disposal facility not having the ability to provide certified weight slips, tonnage shall be determined by volumetric measurement (in cubic yards) by the Engineer and converted to tonnage based on a conversion of 1.50 tons per cubic yard of material. The quantity of excess Soil Disposal (Out-of-State Landfill) disposed of shall be limited to the trench width payment limits indicated on the Drawings, or limits of actual excavation, whichever is smaller. Soil Disposal (Out-of-State Landfill)soils removed and disposed of outside the trench width payment limits will be determined by volumetric measurement (in cubic yards) by the Engineer and converted to tonnage based on a conversion of 1.50 tons per cubic yard of material, and subtracted from total tonnage for payment.
5. The Contractor will be eligible for up to 75% of the unit price when material is transported and disposed of offsite. The remaining 25% of the unit price will be paid upon the Owner's receipt of all signed transportation and disposal documents.
6. No compensation shall be provided under this item for removal or disposal of surplus or unsuitable fill materials EXCEPT those specifically identified as acceptable for disposal at an Out-of-State-Landfill.

BID ITEM NO. 24 UNIFORMED TRAFFIC OFFICERS ALLOWANCE LS

1. Under this Item the Contractor shall be reimbursed for certain charges for the services rendered of uniformed traffic officers to provide traffic control as specified.
2. The allowance for this item established in the Bid is an estimated figure to facilitate the comparison of bids. The actual amount to be paid under this item shall constitute full compensation for wages paid, premiums on workers' compensation insurance, payment on account of social security and other direct assessments on payroll, and all other costs incidental to the employment of such uniformed officers.
3. Payment will be based on the actual paid invoiced amount from the Police Department without allowance for mark up, overhead or profit.
4. If the total cost for uniformed traffic officers is greater or less than the amount stated in the Bid, a debit or credit of the difference in cost shall be to the Owner.

5. Payment shall be made to the Police department no later than 30 calendar days after the Contractor receives any invoices for Police services rendered.

BID ITEM NO. 25 MOBILIZATION AND DEMOILIZATION LS

1. The lump sum price for this Item shall constitute full compensation for initiating the contract, exclusive of the cost of materials, for mobilizing all machinery, plant, tools, and other equipment necessary to carry on and complete the work.
2. The lump sum shall also include full compensation for furnishing the performance or surety bond and other securities required, all preliminary bidding and organizational expenses, necessary permits, construction of temporary roads, etc., and for all other materials, supplies, tools, equipment, labor financing, supervision, temporary structures, field offices, sanitary conveniences, and any and all other expenses incurred in carrying out the work and furnishing the material, keeping records and making reports required, and assuming risks, which have not been included in the prices in other Items of the Proposal.
3. The lump sum price shall also include the cost of demobilization once the work, as detailed in the Drawings and Documents, is complete.
4. The lump sum price for this Item shall not exceed five percent (5%) of the total amount of this bid, with payment as follows:
 - a. 50% when the Contractor has commenced Work on the Site in a diligent and continuous manner.
 - b. 50% when the Contractor has completed all Work, removed all equipment and satisfied all requirements as detailed in the contract documents.

PRICE ADJUSTMENTS

BID ITEM NO. 26A PRICE ADJUSTMENT FOR DIESEL FUEL

1. This adjustment will be based on fuel usage factors for various items of work developed by the Highway Research Board in Circular 158, dated July 1974. These factors will be multiplied by the quantities of work done in each item during each monthly period and further multiplied by the variance in price from the Base Price to the Period Price.
2. The Base Price of Diesel Fuel will be the price as indicated in the Bid. The Period Price will be the average of prices charged to the State, including State Tax for the bulk purchases made during each month, as published on the Massachusetts Department of Transportation's (MassDOT) website.
3. This adjustment will be applicable to excavation eligible for payment, material items furnished through excavation related Items, all measurements as determined by the Engineer and based on a fuel factor of 0.29 gallons per cubic yard.
4. This adjustment will be effected only if the variance from the Base Price is 5% or

more for a monthly period. The complete adjustment will be paid in all cases with no deduction of the 5% from either upward or downward adjustments.

5. No adjustment will be paid for work done beyond the extended completion date of the Contract.
6. Any adjustment (increase or decrease) to estimated quantities made to each item at the time of final payment will have the fuel price adjustment figured at the average period price for the entire term of the project for the difference of quantity.

BID ITEM NO. 26B PRICE ADJUSTMENT FOR GASOLINE

1. This adjustment will be based on fuel usage factors for various items of work developed by the Highway Research Board in Circular 158, dated July 1974. These factors will be multiplied by the quantities of work done in each Item during each monthly period and further multiplied by the variance in price from the Base Price to the Period Price.
2. The Base Price of Gasoline will be the price as indicated in the Bid. The Period Price will be the average of prices charged to the State, including State Tax for the bulk purchases made during each month, as published on the Massachusetts Department of Transportation's (MassDOT) website.
3. This adjustment will be applicable to excavation eligible for payment, material items furnished through excavation related Items, all measurements as determined by the Engineer and based on a fuel factor of 0.15 gallons per cubic yard.
4. This adjustment will be effected only if the variance from the Base Price is 5% or more for a monthly period. The complete adjustment will be paid in all cases with no deduction of the 5% from either upward or downward adjustments.
5. No adjustment will be paid for work done beyond the extended completion date of the Contract.
6. Any adjustment (increase or decrease) to estimated quantities made to each item at the time of final payment will have the fuel price adjustment figured at the average period price for the entire term of the project for the difference of quantity.

BID ITEM NO. 26C PRICE ADJUSTMENT FOR LIQUID ASPHALT

1. The Price Adjustment will be based on the variance in price for the liquid asphalt component only from the Base Price to the Period Price. It shall not include transportation or other charges. This Price Adjustment will occur on a monthly basis.
2. The Base Price of Liquid Asphalt will be the price as indicated in the Bid. The Period Price will be the average of prices charged to the State, including State Tax for the bulk purchases made during each month, as published on the Massachusetts Department of Transportation's (MassDOT) website.

3. This adjustment will be applicable to Bid Items involving the installation of temporary and/or permanent pavement, all measurements as determined by the Engineer by multiplying the number of tons of hot mix asphalt mixtures placed during each monthly period times the liquid asphalt content percentage times the variance in price between Base Price and Period Price of liquid asphalt.
4. In calculating the price adjustment , where temporary and permanent pavement is part of the lump sum Bid Item, the measurement for price adjustment shall be based on actual tonnage slips provided for all pavements installed within the payment limits indicated on the Drawings or as directed by the Engineer.
5. The Contract Price of the hot mix asphalt mixture will be paid under the respective item in the Contract. The price adjustment, as herein provided, upwards or downwards, will be made after the work has been performed, using the monthly period price for the month during which the work was performed.
6. The Price Adjustment applies only to the actual virgin liquid asphalt content in the mixture placed on the job in accordance with the Standard Specifications for Highways and Bridges, Division III, Section M3.11.03.
7. This adjustment will be effected only if the variance from the Base Price is 5% or more for a monthly period. The complete adjustment will be paid in all cases with no deduction of the 5% from either upward or downward adjustments.
8. No adjustment will be paid for work done beyond the extended completion date of the Contract.

BID ITEM NO. 26D PRICE ADJUSTMENT FOR PORTLAND CEMENT

1. The Price Adjustment will be based on the variance in price for the Portland cement component only from the Base Price to the Period Price. It shall not include transportation or other charges.
2. The Base Price of Portland Cement will be the price as indicated in the Bid. The Period Price of Portland cement will be determined by using the latest published price, in dollars per ton (U.S.), for Portland cement (Type I) quoted for Boston, U.S.A. in the Construction Economics section of ENR Engineering News-Record magazine, and republished on the Massachusetts Department of Transportation's (MassDOT) website.
3. The price adjustment applies only to the actual Portland cement content in the mix placed on the job in accordance with the Standard Specifications for Highways and Bridges, Division III, Section M4.02.01. No adjustments will be made for any cement replacement materials such as fly ash or ground granulated blast furnace slag.
4. The Contract Price of the Portland cement concrete mix will be paid under the respective item in the Contract. The price adjustment, as herein provided, upwards or

downwards, will be made after the work has been performed, using the monthly period price for the month during which the work was performed and determined by multiplying the number of cubic yards of Portland cement concrete placed during each monthly period, as measured by the Engineer, times the Portland cement content percentage times the variance in price between the Base Price and Period Price of Portland cement.

5. This adjustment will be effected only if the variance from the Base Price is 5% or more for a monthly period. The complete adjustment will be paid in all cases with no deduction of the 5% from either upward or downward adjustments.
6. No adjustment will be paid for work done beyond the extended completion date of the Contract.

PART 2 PRODUCTS NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION NOT USED

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01035

MODIFICATION PROCEDURES

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Procedures for making modifications to the Contract by change orders or other means.

B. Related Sections

1. Document 00500 - Agreement

1.02 CHANGE ORDERS

- A. In general Change Orders will be issued for modification of Contract documents which will incorporate changes in the Contract requirements, including additions or deletions in the Work; for unforeseen field conditions which will necessitate changes in the Work; changes in code provisions or other requirements of federal, state or local authority requiring changes in the Work; changes in the availability of products or for incorporating new products into the work and for changes directed by the Engineer for the benefit of the Owner.
- B. Authority to execute Change Orders shall be that of the Engineer and not of the Contractor. Changes Orders will, in general, originate by a "Change Order Proposal Request" or by issuance of a "Construction Change Authorization".
- C. Unless authorized by the Engineer, no work shall be performed that is involved in the change until a formal Change Order is issued.
- D. To initiate a Change Order, the Engineer will forward a Change Order proposal request describing the proposed changes and if required, include additional or revised drawings and specifications soliciting a formal quotation of cost and time to complete the proposed Change Order work. Upon reaching mutual agreement on the cost and time, the Engineer will sign his approval of the Change Order and submit it to the Contractor for his full signature of acceptance.

1.03 FIELD ORDERS

- A. The Engineer may, to avoid costly removal of, or alterations to, present on-going work, issue a Work Directive Change authorizing the Contractor to proceed, subject to later negotiation of the price of the change.

1.04 PRICE AGREEMENTS

- A. Prices agreed upon to cover the Change Orders may be either by mutual acceptance of a lump sum or by unit prices as stated in the Contract bid proposal or actual direct cost plus a percentage for overhead, profit and other expenses consistent with Section 00500 – Contract Agreement.
- B. Work done by a subcontractor entitles the General Contractor a percentage of the sum of the actual direct cost, not including the subcontractor’s overhead and profit, consistent with Section 00500 – Contract Agreement.
- C. Method for computing the cost of the change shall be based on the net additional increase. No overhead and profit shall be deducted from prices for changes deleting work.
- D. The Change Order form document shall indicate the net adjustment (+/-) to the total Contract price as a result thereof including extension or reduction of time when applicable.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01040

COORDINATION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

A. Requirements for coordinating the various parts of Work under this Contract.

1.02 REQUIREMENTS

A. Coordinate scheduling, submittals, and Work of the various Sections of specifications to assure efficient and orderly sequence of installation of interdependent construction elements.

B. Coordinate completion and clean up of Work of separate Sections in preparation for Substantial Completion.

C. After Owner occupancy of premises, coordinate access to site for correction of defective Work and Work not in accordance with Contract Documents, to minimize disruption of Owner's activities.

D. Coordinate work with all utility companies necessary for completion of work under this contract.

PART 2 PRODUCTS NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION NOT USED

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SECTION 01050

FIELD ENGINEERING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Survey work and other field engineering responsibilities of the Contractor.

1.02 REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Contractor shall be responsible for layout of the work and the establishing of lines and grades.
- B. Establish elevations, lines, levels, reference marks, batter boards, etc., required during the progress of the Work. Verify such marks by instrument to confirm accuracy.
- C. Locate and protect survey control and reference points.
- D. Make, check, and be responsible for all measurements and dimensions necessary for the proper construction of the Work.
- E. The Engineer will be permitted to check the lines, elevations, reference marks, batter boards, etc., set by the Contractor. The Contractor shall correct any errors found in lines, elevations, reference marks, batter boards, etc. Such a check shall not be construed as approval of the Contractor's work and shall not relieve or diminish the responsibility of the Contractor for the accurate construction and completion of the Work.
- F. Control datum for survey as shown on Drawings.

1.03 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Qualifications
- B. Qualifications
 - 1. Employ a Civil Engineer or Land Surveyor registered within the State of Massachusetts, acceptable to the Engineer.
- C. Certifications
 - 1. Submit certificate signed by the Contractor's Engineer or Land Surveyor stating elevations and locations of the Work are in conformance with the Contract Documents.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01060

REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Building codes, Mechanical codes, and Electrical codes, Regulations, Permits and Fees applicable to the project.

1.02 PERMITS BY CONTRACTOR

- A. The Contractor shall secure all necessary permits from the state, city or town authorities having jurisdiction, for digging of trenches in the streets or highways and all other building and construction operations requiring permits.
- B. As a minimum the following permits are required:
 - 1. Excavation and Trench Safety Permit in accordance with M.G.L. c. 82A, and 520 CMR 14.00 – Town of Middleborough, Dept. of Public Works. See **Appendix B**

1.03 CODES

- A. The Contractor shall conform to the requirements of and pay all fees imposed by local and State Building Authorities having jurisdiction over the Work. The Contractor is responsible to conform to all building, mechanical, electrical and plumbing code requirements.
- B. The Contractor shall conform to the latest requirements of the following codes:
 - 1. Federal, State and Municipal Laws
 - 2. Any prevailing rules and regulations pertaining to adequate protection and/or guarding of any moving parts or otherwise hazardous locations.

1.05 FEES

- A. The cost of all permits secured by the Contractor shall be borne by him and shall be considered as having been included in the price or prices stated in the Bid. Copies of all required permits shall be filed with the Engineer prior to starting work for which a permit is required.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

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SECTION 01065

MATERIAL PRICE ADJUSTMENT

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. General Provisions
- B. MGL Chapter 30 Section 38A
- C. Fuel Price Adjustment, (Both Diesel and Gas)
- D. Asphalt Price Adjustment
- E. Cement Price Adjustment
- F. Structural and Reinforcing Steel Price Adjustment

1.02 GENERAL PROVISIONS

- A. The herein specified material price adjustments are required in contracts for road, bridge water and sewer projects awarded under Chapter 30, Section 39M of the Massachusetts General Laws.
- B. Material price adjustments are not required for contracts awarded under Chapter 149, Section 44A of the Massachusetts General Laws.

1.03 MASSACHUSETTS GENERAL LAW CHAPTER 30 SECTION 38A

- A. Section 38A. “Contracts for road and bridge projects awarded as a result of a proposal or invitation for bids under section 39M shall include a price adjustment clause for each of the following materials: fuel, both diesel and gasoline; asphalt; concrete; and steel. Contracts for water and sewer projects awarded as a result of a proposal or invitation for bids under said section 39M shall include a price adjustment clause for fuel, both diesel and gasoline; liquid asphalt; and portland cement contained in cast-in-place concrete. A base price for each material shall be set by the awarding authority or agency and shall be included in the bid documents at the time the project is advertised. The awarding authority or agency shall also identify in the bid documents the price index to be used for each material. The price adjustment clause shall provide for a contract adjustment to be made on a monthly basis when the monthly cost change exceeds plus or minus 5 per cent.”

1.04 FUEL PRICE ADJUSTMENT, (BOTH DIESEL AND GAS)

- A. This monthly fuel price adjustment is inserted in this contract because the national and worldwide energy situation has made the future cost of fuel unpredictable. This adjustment will provide for either additional compensation to the Contractor or repayment to the Owner, depending on an increase or decrease in the average price of diesel fuel or gasoline.
- B. The fuel adjustment for prices increasing or decreasing 5% or more will be based on the actual number of gallons of diesel and/or gasoline fuel utilized for an individual

monthly period as verified through the requirements stated herein, and further multiplied by the variance in price from the Base Price to the Period Price.

- C. The Base Price of Diesel Fuel and Gasoline will be the price as indicated in the Massachusetts DOT Highway Division's web site:
<http://www.massdot.state.ma.us/highway/DoingBusinessWithUs/Construction/PriceAdjustments.aspx> for the month in which the contract was bid, which included State Tax.
- D. The Period Price will be the average of prices charged to the State, including State Tax for the bulk purchases made during each month.
- E. This adjustment will be effected only if the variance from the Base Price is 5% or more for a monthly period. The complete adjustment will be paid in all cases with no deduction of the 5% from either upward or downward adjustments.
- F. No adjustment will be paid for work done beyond the extended completion date of any contract.
- G. Any adjustment (increase or decrease) to estimated quantities made to each item at the time of final payment will have the fuel price adjustment figured at the average period price for the entire term of the project for the difference of quantity.
- H. The Contractor shall supply to the Owner a list of equipment, **on a monthly basis**, being utilized on the project that requires diesel and gasoline fuel. The Owner must approve the list prior to any fuel slips being submitted. The Contractor shall supply diesel and gas fuel slips to the Owner, on a monthly basis, for only the equipment specified on the list and approved to have been utilized on the project for that month. The slips must indicate the source (company supplying the fuel), date, project name, whether the fuel is diesel or gasoline, the equipment fueled and the volume of the fuel for that equipment.
Only slips with the aforementioned information will be considered in determining fuel adjustment prices.
- I. The Diesel Fuel Base Price for this Contract will be \$3.410.
- J. The Gasoline Fuel Base Price for this Contract will be \$2.597.

1.05 ASPHALT PRICE ADJUSTMENT

- A. This provision applies to all projects using greater than 100 tons of hot mix asphalt (HMA) mixtures containing liquid asphalt cement as stipulated in this section.
- B. The Price Adjustment will be based on the variance in price for the liquid asphalt component only from the Base Price to the Period Price. It shall not include transportation or other charges. This Price Adjustment will occur on a monthly basis.
- C. Base Price

1. The Base Price of liquid asphalt on a project as listed herein, is a fixed price determined at the time of bid by the Department (MassHighway), by using the same method as for the determination of the Period Price detailed below.

D. Period Price

1. Please note that, starting July 19, 2013, only one asphalt period price (formerly called the “New Asphalt Period Price”) will be posted each month on the MassHighway website:
<http://www.massdot.state.ma.us/highway/DoingBusinessWithUs/Construction/PriceAdjustments.aspx>

E. New Asphalt Period Price Method (Currently called “Period Price”)

1. The “New Asphalt Period Price Method” is for contracts bid after December 15, 2008 and will show the Period Price of liquid asphalt for each monthly period as determined by MassHighway using the average selling price per standard ton of PG64-28 paving grade (primary binder classification) asphalt, FOB manufacturer's terminal, as listed under the "East Coast Market - New England, Boston, Massachusetts area" section of the Poten & Partners, Inc. "Asphalt Weekly Monitor". This average selling price is listed in the issue having a publication date of the second Friday of the month and will be posted as the Period Price for that month. MassHighway will post this Period Price on this website within two (2) business days following their receipt of the relevant issue of the “Asphalt Weekly Monitor”. Poten and Partners has granted MassHighway the right to publish this specific asphalt price information sourced from the Asphalt Weekly Monitor.

F. Old Asphalt Period Price Method (Obsolete)

1. The “Old Asphalt Period Price Method” Period Price will be for contracts bid on or before December 15, 2008 and will contain liquid asphalt prices as determined by the old or previous method. These prices will continue to be posted on MassHighway’s website until all contracts using the “Old Asphalt Period Price Method” Period Price have been closed.

G. New and Old Asphalt Period Price Methods

1. The paragraphs below apply to both the New and the Old Asphalt Period Price Methods.
2. The Contract Price of the hot mix asphalt mixture will be paid under the respective item in the Contract. The price adjustment, as herein provided, upwards or downwards, will be made after the work has been performed, using the monthly period price for the month during which the work was performed.
3. The Price Adjustment applies only to the actual virgin liquid asphalt content in the mixture placed on the job in accordance with the Standard Specifications for Highways and Bridges, Division III, Section M3.11.03.

4. The Price Adjustment will be determined by multiplying the number of tons of hot mix asphalt mixtures placed during each monthly period times the liquid asphalt content percentage times the variance in price between Base Price and Period Price of liquid asphalt.
5. This Price Adjustment will be paid only if the variance from the Base Price is 5% or more for a monthly period. The complete adjustment will be paid in all cases with no deduction of the 5% from either upward or downward adjustments.
6. No Price Adjustment will be allowed beyond the Completion Date of this Contract, unless there is an approved extension of time.

K. The Asphalt Base Price for this Contract will be \$637.50.

1.06 CEMENT PRICE ADJUSTMENT

- A. This provision applies to all projects using greater than 100 Cubic Yards (76 Cubic Meters) of Portland cement concrete containing Portland cement as stipulated in this section. This Price Adjustment will occur on a monthly basis.
- B. The Price Adjustment will be based on the variance in price for the Portland cement component only from the Base Price to the Period Price. It shall not include transportation or other charges.
- C. The Base Price of Portland cement on a project is a fixed price determined at the time of bid by the Department by using the same method as for the determination of the Period Price (see below) and found herein.
- D. The Period Price of Portland cement will be determined by using the latest published price, in dollars per ton (U.S.), for Portland cement (Type I) quoted for Boston, U.S.A. in the **Construction Economics** section of *ENR Engineering News-Record* magazine or at the ENR website <http://www.enr.com/> under **Construction Economics**. The Period Price will be posted on the MassHighway website: <http://www.massdot.state.ma.us/highway/DoingBusinessWithUs/Construction/PriceAdjustments.aspx> the Wednesday immediately following the publishing of the monthly price in ENR, which is normally the first week of the month.
- E. The Contract Price of the Portland cement concrete mix will be paid under the respective item in the Contract. The price adjustment, as herein provided, upwards or downwards, will be made after the work has been performed, using the monthly period price for the month during which the work was performed.
- F. The price adjustment applies only to the actual Portland cement content in the mix placed on the job in accordance with the Contract Plans and Specifications. No adjustments will be made for any cement replacement materials such as fly ash or ground granulated blast furnace slag.
- G. The Price Adjustment will be determined by multiplying the number of cubic yards of Portland cement concrete placed during each monthly period times the Portland

cement content percentage times the variance in price between the Base Price and Period Price of Portland cement.

- H. This Price Adjustment will be paid only if the variance from the Base Price is 5% or more for a monthly period. The complete adjustment will be paid in all cases with no deduction of the 5% from either upward or downward adjustments.
- I. No Price Adjustment will be allowed beyond the Completion Date of this Contract, unless there is an approved extension of time.
- L. The Cement Base Price for this Contract will be \$181.15.

1.07 STRUCTURAL AND REINFORCING STEEL PRICE ADJUSTMENT

- A. This provision applies to projects containing a price adjustment for structural steel and reinforcing steel as stipulated in this section. It applies to all structural steel as defined below and all reinforcing steel on the project. Compliance with this provision is mandatory, i.e., there are no “opt-in” or “opt-out” clauses. Price adjustments will be handled as described below and shall only apply to unfabricated structural steel material, consisting of rolled shapes, plate steel, sheet piling, pipe piles, steel castings and steel forgings, and unfabricated reinforcing steel bars.
- B. Structural steel and reinforcing steel price adjustments **do not apply** to water and sewer projects awarded as a result of a proposal or invitation for bids under MGL Chapter 30 Section 39M.
- C. Price adjustments will be variances between Base Prices and Period Prices. Base Prices and Period Prices are defined below.
- D. Price adjustments will only be made if the variances between Base Prices and Period Prices are 5% or more. A variance can result in the Period Price being either higher or lower than the Base Price. Once the 5% threshold has been achieved, the adjustment will apply to the full variance between the Base Price and the Period Price.
- E. Price adjustments will be calculated by multiplying the number of pounds of unfabricated structural steel material or unfabricated reinforcing steel bars subject to a price adjustment by the index factor calculated as shown below under Example of a Period Price Calculation.
- F. Price adjustments will *not* include the costs of shop drawing preparation, handling, fabrication, coatings, transportation, storage, installation, profit, overhead, fuel costs, fuel surcharges, or other such charges not related to the cost of the unfabricated structural steel and unfabricated reinforcing steel.
- G. The weight of steel subject to a price adjustment shall not exceed the final shipping weight of the fabricated part by more than 10%.
- H. Base Prices and Period Prices are defined as follows:

1. Base Prices of unfabricated structural steel and unfabricated reinforcing steel on a project are fixed prices determined by the Department (MassHighway) and found herein.
2. The Base Price Date is the month and year in which the Owner opened bids for the project. This date is used to select the Base Price Index.
3. Period Prices of unfabricated structural steel and unfabricated reinforcing steel on a project are variable prices calculated based on the purchase date of the steel (Period Price Date) using an index of steel prices to adjust the Base Price.
4. The Period Price Date is the date the steel was delivered to the fabricator as evidenced by an official bill of lading submitted to the Owner containing a description of the shipped materials, weights of the shipped materials and the date of shipment. This date is used to select the Period Price Index.
5. The index used for the calculation of Period Prices is the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) Producer Price Index (PPI) Series ID WPU101702 (Not Seasonally Adjusted, Group: Metals and Metal Products, Item: Semi-finished Steel Mill Products.) As this index is subject to revision for a period of up to four (4) months after its original publication, no price adjustments will be made until the index for the period is finalized, i.e., the index is no longer suffixed with a “(P)”.

I. Period Prices are determined as follows:

1. Period Price = Base Price X Index Factor
2. Index Factor = Period Price Index / Base Price Index

J. Example of a Period Price Calculation:

1. Calculate the Period Price for December 2009 using a Base Price from March 2009 of \$0.82/Pound for 1,000 Pounds of ASTM A709 (AASHTO M270) Grade A36 Structural Steel Plate.
2. The Period Price Date is December 2009. From the PPI website*, the Period Price Index = 218.0.
3. The Base Price Date is March 2009. From the PPI website*, the Base Price Index = 229.4.
4. Index Factor = Period Price Index / Base Price Index = $218.0 / 229.4 = 0.950$
 Period Price = Base Price X Index Factor = $\$0.82/\text{Pound} \times 0.950 = \$0.78/\text{Pound}$
5. Since $\$0.82 - \$0.78 = \$0.04$ is less than 5% of \$0.82, no price adjustment is required.
6. If the \$0.04 difference shown above was greater than 5% of the Base Price, then the price adjustment would be 1,000 Pounds X \$0.04/Pound = \$40.00. Since the Period Price of \$0.78/Pound is less than the Base Price of \$0.82/Pound, indicating a drop in the price of steel between the bid and the delivery of material, a credit of \$40.00 would be owed to the Owner. When the Period Price is higher than the Base Price, the price adjustment is owed to the Contractor.

7. * To access the PPI website and obtain a Base Price Index or a Period Price Index, go to <http://www.bls.gov/PPI/>
- K. The Contractor will be paid for unfabricated structural steel and unfabricated reinforcing steel under the contract pay items or allowances for all components constructed of either structural steel or reinforced Portland cement concrete under their respective Contract Pay Items.
- L. Price adjustments, as herein provided for, will be paid separately for Structural Steel and Reinforcing Steel.
- M. No price adjustment will be made for price changes after the Contract Completion Date, unless the Owner has approved an extension of Contract Time for the Contract.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01069

HEALTH & SAFETY REQUIREMENTS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for providing a Health and Safety Plan and maintenance of health and safety while performing the Work.

1.02 PAYMENT PROCEDURES

- A. Provision for "Health & Safety Requirements" will not be paid separately, but shall be considered a subsidiary obligation of the Contractor, with costs thereof distributed among the contract unit prices for the other items of work.

1.03 REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Contractor is responsible to monitor working conditions at all times during construction and, if it is found to be necessary, to provide appropriate protective clothing, equipment and facilities for his personnel, and to establish workplace procedures to ensure their safety, and to enforce the use of these procedures, equipment and facilities in accordance with the following guidelines:
 - 1. Safety and Health Regulations Promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor OSHA, 29 CFR 1910 - Occupational Safety and Health Standards, and 29 CFR 1920 - Safety and Health Regulations for Construction.
 - 2. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Interim Standard Operating Safety Guidelines - Office of Emergency and Remedial Response - Hazardous Response Support Division, Rev. September 1982.
 - 3. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Medical Monitoring Program Guidelines.
- B. The Contractor shall implement a Health and Safety protection program. The procedures for such implementation shall be submitted to the Engineer and Owner for approval. The procedures shall include provisions for stations allowing workers to wash and to put on and remove protective clothing, and stations for vehicles to be cleaned, if necessary, before leaving the site, air monitoring, and evaluation of areas where unsafe levels of gas has accumulated.
- C. The Contractor shall comply with all Federal, State, and local safety requirements related to the presence of combustible and nausea-inducing gases.

- D. In addition to the above requirements, the Contractor shall comply with the following requirements:
1. All construction equipment on the site shall be equipped with vertical exhaust pipes or a sparkproof exhaust.
 2. Smoking shall not be permitted in any area where gases can accumulate, or in areas where geomembrane liners are being installed.
 3. Welding or open flames shall not be permitted in enclosed areas. In other areas in which a detectable concentration of methane is found, ground mats shall be used.
 4. Toxic gas indicators, a combustible gas indicator, and fire extinguishers shall be available at all times during operations. Periodic monitoring with portable monitoring devices shall be employed in areas susceptible to gas accumulation, with the Contractor furnishing daily to the Engineer, three (3) copies of a certified statement of their findings.
- E. During operations, whenever unsafe levels of landfill gases are detected, all work will cease in that area until acceptable levels are reached.

1.04 SHOP DRAWINGS

- A. Submit site specific Health and Safety Plan (HASP) that complies with all applicable OSHA requirements to the Engineer for review and acceptance within fifteen (15) working days of the Contractor's Notice to Proceed. Certified Industrial Hygienist must certify the Contractor's plan prior to submittal to and review by the Engineer. The Contractor is not to proceed with any subsurface site work without review and acceptance of the submitted Health and Safety Plan by the Engineer.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Engage an independent, qualified Health and Safety expert having experience in similar construction conditions, to monitor site conditions and recommend all necessary Health and Safety protection. This person shall be a Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH). The Contractor shall follow such recommendations and shall provide such protection to his personnel, and personnel of the Owner and Engineer, as may be affected.

1.06 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Establish workplace procedures, enforce the use of these procedures, and the associated equipment and facilities in accordance with the following guidelines:
1. Safety and Health Regulations Promulgated by the U.S. Department of Labor OSHA, 29 CFR 1910 - Occupational Safety and Health Standards, and 29 CFR 1920 - Safety and Health Regulations for Construction.

2. Occupational Safety and Health Standards, 29 CFR 1926 - Safety and Health Regulations for Construction.
3. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Medical Monitoring Program Guidelines.

1.07 SITE CONDITIONS

- A. The Contractor's attention is directed to the fact that the work includes connecting new pipelines to the existing water, sewer and drainage systems. In addition to confined space issues, hazardous gasses and oxygen depletion may be encountered in the existing sewer system where proposed work is to take place.
- B. The Contractor is also responsible for reviewing site specific investigation reports included in the Appendix of these specifications.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 PROTECTION

- A. If, at any time, the Owner or the Engineer is apprised of a safety hazard which demands immediate attention because of its high potential for harm to the public travel, persons on or about the work, or public or private property, the Owner or the Engineer shall have the right to order such safeguards to be erected and such precautions to be taken as necessary and the Contractor shall comply with such orders. If, under such circumstances, the Contractor does not or cannot immediately put the work into proper and approved condition, or if the Contractor or his representative is not upon the site so that he can be notified immediately of the insufficiency of safety precautions, then the Owner may put the work into such a condition that is shall be, in his opinion, in all respects safe, and the Contractor shall pay all expenses of such labor materials as may have been used for this purpose by him or by the Owner. The fact that the Owner or the Engineer does not observe a safety hazard or does not order the Contractor to take remedial measures shall in no way relieve the Contractor of the entire responsibility for any costs, loss or damage by any party sustained on account of the insufficiency of the safety precautions taken by him or by the Owner acting under authority of this Section.
- B. If the Contractor is alerted to the fact that conditions of high hazard are present or can be present at the site during the performance of the work. It is the responsibility of the Contractor to take appropriate safety precautions to meet whatever conditions of hazard may be present during the performance of the work, whether reasonably foreseeable or not. The safety conditions enumerated in the within Specifications are

the minimum permissible and neither the Owner nor the Engineer make any representation that the safety standards provided herein will be adequate to meet all eventualities. The Contractor is therefore alerted to the fact that it shall be its responsibility to anticipate and provide such additional safety precautions, facilities, personnel and equipment as shall be necessary to protect life and property from whatsoever conditions of hazard are present or may be present.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01090

REFERENCE STANDARDS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Reference material, abbreviations, and terms used in the Construction Documents and establishes edition dates and complete titles for standards referenced elsewhere in the Specifications.

1.02 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. For products or workmanship specified by association, trade, or Federal Standards, comply with requirements of the standard, except when more rigid requirements are specified or are required by applicable codes.
- B. Obtain copies of standards when required by Contract Documents.
- C. Maintain copy at jobsite during submittals, planning, and progress of the specific work, until Substantial Completion.
- D. Should specified reference standards conflict with Contract Documents, request clarification from Architect/Engineer before proceeding.
- E. The contractual relationship of the parties to the Contract shall not be altered from the Contract Documents by mention or inference otherwise in any reference document.

1.03 SCHEDULE OF REFERENCES

AA	Aluminum Association 818 Connecticut Ave. N.W. Washington, DC 20006
AASHTO	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials 444 North Capitol Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20001
ACI	American Concrete Institute Box 19150 Reford Station Detroit, MI 48219
AFBMA	Anti-Friction Bearing Manufacturers Association

AGC	Associated General Contractors of America 1956 E Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20006
AGM	American Gear Manufacturers Association
AI	Asphalt Institute Asphalt Institute Building College Park, MD 20740
AISC	American Institute of Steel Construction 400 North Michigan Avenue Eighth Floor Chicago, IL 60611
AISI	American Iron and Steel Institute 1000 16 th Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20036
AMCA	Air Movement and Control Association 30 West University Drive Arlington Heights, IL 60004
ANS	American National Standard
ANSI	American National Standards Institute 1430 Broadway New York, NY 10018
API	American Petroleum Institute
ARI	Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute 1501 Wilson Boulevard Arlington, VA 22209
ASCE	American Society of Civil Engineers 345 East 47 th Street New York, NY 10017
ASHRAE	American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers 1791 Tullie Circle, N.E. Atlanta, GA 30329

ASME	American Society of Mechanical Engineers 345 East 47th Street New York, NY 10017
ASPA	American Sod Producers Association 4415 West Harrison Street Hillside, IL 60162
ASTM	American Society for Testing and Materials 1916 Race Street Philadelphia, PA 19103
AWG	American or Brown and Sharpe Wire Gage
AWPA	American Wood-Preservers' Association 7735 Old Georgetown Road Bethesda, MD 20014
AWS	American Welding Society
AWWA	American Water Works Association 6666 West Quincy Avenue Denver, CO 80235
BIA	Brick Institute of America 11490 Commerce Park Drive Reston, VA 22091
CS	Commercial Standard
EJCDC	Engineers' Joint Contract Document Committee American Consulting Engineers Council 1015 15 th Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20005
FM	Factory Mutual System 1151 Boston-Providence Turnpike PO Box 688 Norwood, Massachusetts 02062
Fed Spec.	Federal Specification General Services Administration Specification and Consumer Information Distribution Section (WFSIS) Washington Navy Yard, Bldg. 197 Washington, DC 20407

IBR	Institute of Boiler and Radiator Manufacturers
ICBO	International Conference of Building Officials 5360 S. Workman Mill Road Whittier, CA 90601
IPS	Iron Pipe Size
JIC	Joint Industry Conference Standards
MIL	Military Specification Naval Publications and Forms Center 5801 Tabor Avenue Philadelphia, PA 19120
NASSCO	National Association of Sewer Service Companies 101 Wymore Road, Suite 521 Altamonte, FL 32714
NBS	National Bureau of Standards
NCMA	National Concrete Masonry Association PO Box 781 Herndon, VA 22070
NCPWB	National Certified Pipe Welding Bureau
NEMA	National Electrical Manufacturers' Association 2101 'L' Street, N.W. Washington, DC 20037
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association Battery March Park Quincy, MA 02269
NPT	National Pipe Thread
OS&Y	Outside screw and yoke
PCA	Portland Cement Association 5420 Old Orchard Road Skokie, IL 60077

SMACNA	Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors' National Assoc. 8224 Old Court House Road Vienna, VA 22180
Stl. WG	U.S. Steel Wire Washburn and Moen, American Steel and Wire or Roebling Gage
UL	Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc. 333 Pfingston Road Northbrook, IL 60062
USS Gage	United States Standard Gage
125-lb. ANS	American National Standard for Cast-Iron Pipe Flanges and Flange
250-lb. ANS	Fittings, Designation B16.1-1975, for the appropriate class

1.04 EDITION DATES

- A. Reference to publications and reference material shall be understood to mean the latest edition, unless stated otherwise.

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PART 3 EXECUTION

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SECTION 01200

PROJECT MEETINGS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

A. Administrative and procedural requirements for project meetings.

1.02 PRECONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE

A. The Engineer will schedule and administer a pre-construction conference.

B. The pre-construction conference will be scheduled and administered within fourteen (14) calendar days after the dated "Notice to Proceed". The Contractor shall be prepared to address such topics as projected construction schedules, major personnel, critical work areas, construction facilities and shop drawing submittals.

1.03 PROGRESS MEETINGS

A. The Engineer will schedule and administer progress meetings and specially called meetings throughout the duration of the Work at minimum monthly intervals.

B. The time and location of such meetings shall be designated by the Engineer and shall be convenient for all parties involved.

C. The Engineer will, prepare agenda with copies for participants, preside at meetings, record minutes, and distribute copies to participants, and those affected by decisions made.

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SECTION 01300

SUBMITTALS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for submission of schedules and shop drawings.

1.02 PROGRESS SCHEDULE

- A. Refer to Section 01310 Construction Progress Schedule for Critical Path Method (CPM) construction scheduling requirements.
- B. Special attention is directed to the requirement that the Contractor shall start the Work, as specified under this Contract, no later than thirty (30) calendar days after the execution of the Contract Documents, unless otherwise directed by the Owner. The Contractor shall comply with all pre-construction requirements as specified. The Owner reserves the right to delay the commencement of the Work or any part thereof if the specified requirements as determined by the Engineer have not been satisfied. The Owner further reserves the right to limit or, delay construction, or certain activities thereof, in certain areas of the Contract should the Owner deem it to be in the public's best interest and/or safety to do so.
- C. The Contractor shall contact the appropriate town or city authorities concerning any public or semi-public events that may occur during the construction period that may affect construction. The Contractor alone shall be responsible for arranging his construction sequence to conform to any restrictions these events may impose. No claims for extras will be allowed because of any delay, extra materials handling, extra excavation, etc. caused by the imposed restrictions. However, additional time may be granted for completion of the work to compensate for delays caused by said restrictions.

1.03 SHOP DRAWINGS

- A. Submit six (6) copies of all shop and working drawings of concrete reinforcement, structural details, piping layout, wiring, materials fabricated especially for the Contract, and materials and equipment for which such drawings are specifically requested.
- B. A maximum of two (2) submittals of each shop drawing will be reviewed by the Engineer. If more submittals are required due to the Contractor's neglect or failure to fulfill the requirements of the Contract plans and specifications, or to make

- corrections or modifications required by the Engineer in the review of the first two submittals, the Engineer will review the submittal and the Contractor will be responsible for the cost of the review, as determined by the Owner based on the Engineer's documentation of time and rates for additional services established in the Engineering Agreement between the Owner and the Engineer.
- C. If resubmittals on shop and working drawings are required, the Engineer will retain three (3) copies and three (3) copies will be returned to the Contractor. When resubmittals are returned to the Engineer, six copies of the complete submittal shall again be required.
 - D. Such drawings shall show the principal dimensions, weight, structural and operating features, space required, clearances, type and/or brand of finish or shop coat, grease fittings, etc., depending on the subject of the drawing. When the dimensions are of particular importance, or when specified, the drawings shall be certified by the manufacturer or fabricator as correct for the Contract.
 - E. When so specified or if considered by the Engineer to be acceptable, manufacturer's specifications, catalog data, descriptive matter, illustrations, etc., may be submitted in place of shop and working drawings.
 - F. The Contractor shall be responsible for the prompt and timely submittal of all shop and working drawings to eliminate delay to the Work due to the absence of such drawings. All shop and working drawings must be submitted to the Engineer within thirty (30) calendar days prior to incorporation into the Work, unless otherwise permitted by the Engineer. **Prior to the submittal of any shop drawings, the Contractor shall submit a schedule of proposed shop drawing transmittals.** The schedule shall identify the subject matter of each transmittal, the corresponding specification section number and the proposed date of submission. Prior to and during the progress of the Work the schedule shall be revised and resubmitted as requested by the Engineer.
 - G. No material or equipment shall be purchased or fabricated for the Contract until the required shop and working drawings have been submitted as hereinabove provided and reviewed for conformance to the Contract requirements. All such materials and equipment and the work involved in their installation or incorporation into the Work shall then be as shown in and represented by said drawings.
 - H. Until the necessary review has been made, the Contractor shall not proceed with any portion of the Work (such as the construction of foundations) for which review is required.
 - I. All shop and working drawings shall be submitted to the Engineer by and/or through the Contractor, who shall be responsible for obtaining shop and working drawings from his subcontractors and returning reviewed drawings to them. All shop and working drawings shall be prepared on standard size, 24 inch by 36 inch sheets,

except those which are made by changing existing standard shop and working drawings. All drawings shall be clearly marked with the names of the Owner, Contractor, and building, equipment, or structure to which the drawing applies, and shall be suitable numbered. Submitted shop drawings shall be accompanied by a letter of transmittal, completed by the Contractor as approved by the Engineer.

- J. Only drawings which have been checked and corrected by the fabricator should be submitted to the Contractor by his subcontractors and vendors. Prior to submitting drawings to the Engineer, the Contractor shall check thoroughly all such drawings to satisfy himself that the subject matter thereof conforms to the Drawings and Specifications in all respects. All drawings which are correct shall be marked with the date, checker's name, and indication of the Contractor's approval, and then shall be submitted to the Engineer; other drawings shall be returned for correction.

- K. If a shop drawing shows any deviation from the Contract requirements, the Contractor shall make specific mention of the deviations in his letter of transmittal.

- L. The review of shop and working drawings by the Engineer will be general only, and nothing contained in this Section shall relieve, diminish or alter in any respect the responsibilities of the Contractor under the Contract Documents and in particular, the specific responsibility of the Contractor for details of design and dimensions necessary for proper fitting and construction of the work as required by the Contract and for achieving the result and performance as specified. The Contractor shall be responsible for errors and omissions in shop drawings.

- M. Should the Contractor submit equipment that requires modifications to the structures, piping, electrical conduit, wires, appurtenances, or layouts etc., either existing or as detailed on the Drawings, he shall also submit details of the proposed modifications. If such equipment and modifications are accepted, the Contractor, at no additional cost to the Owner, shall do the work necessary to make such modifications.

- N. The Contractor shall furnish additional copies of shop drawings or catalog cuts when so requested.

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SECTION 01310

CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS SCHEDULE

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

1. Requirements for computer generated Critical Path Method (CPM) construction scheduling and Narrative progress report.
2. No portion of this specification shall take precedent over SECTION 00500-Contract Agreement.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

A. Submit in accordance with SECTION 01300-Submittals

1. Quality Assurance/Control Submittal
 - a. Name and version of CPM software proposed for use.
 - b. List of construction projects completed on which progress of work was controlled with CPM software.
2. Schedule
 - a. Within **14 days** following the execution of the Contract, the Contractor shall submit two color copies of a computer-generated schedule and a list of activities to the Engineer. Following review by the Engineer and Owner the Contractor shall meet with the Engineer and Owner to discuss the review. The Contractor shall incorporate the Engineer's comments into the schedule and submit eight color copies of the revised schedule within 14 days following receipt of the Engineer's comments.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 SOFTWARE

- A. Computer based scheduling software used by the Contractor shall be the product of a recognized commercial computer software producer and shall be capable of meeting the requirements specified herein.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 PREPARATION

A. General

1. The Contractor shall prepare his proposed CPM schedule based on a breakdown of work tasks that he has developed.
2. The construction schedule and updates shall be prepared by the Contractor or the Contractor's qualified consultant.

B. Schedule

1. Each schedule shall be prefaced with the following summary data:
 - a. Contract name and number
 - b. Contractor's Name
 - c. Contract duration
 - d. The effective or starting date of the schedule
 - e. Revision date of the latest schedule.
2. The CPM schedule shall be sequenced by early start date and shall include the following minimum items:
 - a. Activity Name
 - b. Estimated duration
 - c. Activity description
 - d. Early start date (calendar date)
 - e. Early finish date (calendar date)
 - f. Latest allowable start date (calendar date)
 - g. Latest allowable finish date (calendar date)
 - h. Status (whether critical)
 - i. Estimated cost of the activity
 - j. Float (total and free)
 - k. Major milestones
3. Separate milestones shall be included for Notice-to-Proceed and Project Completion Date.
4. Activities shall include major components of the work including submittals that might impact the critical path, subcontractor work, major and critical equipment design, fabrication, testing, delivery and installation times, system/subsystem/component testing, process and facility startup, training, demobilization, project cleanup and closeout. Critical portions of process instrumentation and control system work, shall be defined in detail in a sub schedule.

5. The sum of the costs assigned to the activities shall be equal to the Contract price. Activity costs shall not be assigned to submittals or submittal reviews. Provide a table showing the anticipated monthly percentage of completion, based on the total contract price.
6. Critical activities, predecessors, free float and total float shall be clearly displayed on the schedule in graphical form. Schedules that contain activities showing negative float or that extend beyond the contract completion date will not be approved.
7. Each schedule submittal shall also include a list of activities in the order in which the activities will be performed, along with activity durations, activity predecessors, type of predecessor (finish-start, finish-finish, start-start, lead/lag), and any dependency or required date.
8. The schedule shall be based on a standard 5-day work week with allowance for holidays and adverse weather.
9. Engineer's approval of the CPM schedule is advisory only and shall not relieve the Contractor of responsibility for accomplishing the work prior to the contract completion date. Omissions and errors in the approved CPM schedule shall not excuse performance less than that required by the Contract. Approval by the Engineer in no way makes the Engineer an insurer of the CPM schedule's success or liable for time or cost overruns flowing from its shortcomings. The Owner hereby disclaims any obligation or liability by reason of approval by its agent, the Engineer, of the CPM schedule.

C. Narrative Progress Report

1. Include as a minimum:
 - a. Summary of work completed during the previous period (since submission of last narrative progress report).
 - b. Explanation for variations between actual work completed in previous period and planned work as reported in last period.
 - c. Summary of work planned during the next period.
 - d. Current and anticipated delaying factors and their estimated impacts on other activities and milestones, both critical and non-critical.
 - e. Corrective actions taken or proposed.
2. A Narrative Progress Report shall be submitted monthly to the Engineer, at least 5 working days prior to the progress meeting.
3. At the discretion of the Engineer, the Contractor may be required to submit a revised CPM schedule showing completion to date and any changes to the previous schedule.

3.02 MONITORING SCHEDULE

- A. The CPM approved construction schedule shall be used by the Contractor throughout the duration of the project for planning, organizing, and directing the Work, and for reporting progress of the Work
- B. The Contractor is solely responsible for monitoring schedule compliance. When a delay to the critical path occurs, the Contractor shall immediately notify the Engineer in writing. Within one week of the notification, the Contractor shall submit for the Engineer's approval, a description of proposed actions to return the project to schedule.

3.03 MODIFYING SCHEDULE

- A. If the Contractor desires to make changes in his method of operating which affect the approved CPM schedule, he shall notify the Engineer in writing stating what changes are proposed and the reason for the change. If the Engineer approves these changes, the Contractor shall revise and submit for approval, without additional cost to the Owner, all of the affected portions of the CPM schedule.
- B. It may be necessary for the contract schedule or completion time to be adjusted by the Owner to reflect the effects of job conditions, weather, technical difficulties, strikes, unavoidable delays on the part of the Owner or its representatives and other unforeseeable conditions which may indicate schedule adjustments or completion time extensions. Under such conditions, the Engineer will direct the Contractor to reschedule the work or contract completion time to reflect the changed conditions and the Contractor shall revise his schedule accordingly.
- C. Float time is a project resource available to both the Contractor and the Owner to meet contract milestones and completion dates. Use of float suppression techniques such as preferential sequencing or logic, special lead/lag logic restraints, and extended activity times are prohibited and use of float time disclosed or implied by use of alternate float suppression techniques shall be shared to proportionate benefit of OWNER and CONTRACTOR.
- D. If the Contractor provides an accepted schedule with an early completion date, the Owner reserves the right to reduce the Time of Completion to match the early completion date by issuing a deductive Change Order at no change in Contract Price.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01381

AUDIO VIDEO RECORDING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for color audio video recording of all existing roadway and right-of-way conditions.

1.02 REQUIREMENTS

A. Pre Construction recording

1. Furnish to the Engineer an original and one copy of a continuous color audio video recording. Take recording prior to any construction activity.
2. Recordings to be of sufficient detail to accurately and clearly show the existing, preconstruction conditions of this entire area of the Work. Each recording to include an audio description of the area being video recorded.
3. Coverage shall include, but not limited to, all existing roadways, sidewalks, curbs, driveways, buildings, structures, above ground utilities, landscaping, trees, signage and other physical features located within the zone of influence of the Work. The coverage may be expanded if directed by Engineer.
4. All recordings will be done during daylight hours. No recording shall be performed if weather is not acceptable, such as rain, fog, etc.

- B. The Engineer reserves the right to reject any recordings because of poor quality.

- C. Any recordings rejected by the Engineer shall be rerecorded at no additional cost.

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- A. Provide references of similar projects for review by the Engineer, include owner contacts and telephone numbers.

1.04 QUALITY CONTROL

- A. The recording shall be performed by a qualified, established audio video recording firm knowledgeable in construction practices and inspection procedures.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 AUDIO VIDEO MEDIA

- A. Video recording shall be provided on 16 GB USB storage device. Contractor to ensure that recording is capable of playback on Windows Media Player.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 AUDIO AND VIDEO RECORDING

- A. Each recording shall begin with the Owner's name, Contract name and number, Contractor's name, date and location information such as street name, direction of travel, viewing side, etc.
- B. Information appearing on the recording must be continuous and run simultaneously by computer generated transparent digital information. No editing or overlaying of information at a later date will be acceptable.
- C. Digital information will be as follows:
 - 1. Day, date and time
- D. Time must be accurate to within 1/10 of a second and continuously generated.
- E. Written documentation must coincide with the information on the recording so as to make easy retrieval of locations sought for a later date.
- F. The video system shall have the capability to transfer individual frames of video electronically into hard copy prints or photographic negatives or digital image files in commonly accepted image file formats (e.g. .jpg, .tif, .etc.).
- G. Audio shall be recorded at the same time as the video recording. Special commentary will be given for unusual conditions of buildings, sidewalks and curbing, foundations, trees and shrubbery, etc.
- H. All DVD's shall bare labels with the following information:
 - 1. DVD Number
 - 2. Owner's Name
 - 3. Date of Recording
 - 4. Project Name and Number
 - 5. Location and Standing Limit of recording

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01400
QUALITY CONTROL

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for Contractor's quality control of products, suppliers, manufacturers, services, site conditions, and workmanship, to produce Work of specified quality.

1.02 QUALITY ASSURANCE/CONTROL OF INSTALLATION

- A. Comply fully with manufacturers' instructions, including each step in sequence.
- B. Should manufacturers' instructions conflict with Contract Documents, request clarification from Engineer before proceeding.
- C. Comply with specified standards as a minimum quality for the Work except when more stringent tolerances, codes, or specified requirements indicate higher standards or more precise workmanship.
- D. Perform work by persons qualified to produce workmanship of specified quality.
- E. Secure Products in place with positive anchorage devices designed and sized to withstand stresses, vibration, physical distortion or disfigurement.

1.03 FIELD SAMPLES

- A. Install field samples at the site as required by individual specifications sections for review.
- B. Acceptable samples represent a quality level for the Work.
- C. Where field sample is specified to be removed, clear area only after field sample has been accepted by the Engineer.

1.04 CERTIFIED WELDERS

- A. Structural welds shall be made only by operators who have been qualified by tests, as prescribed in the "Standard Qualification Procedure" of the American Welders Society, to perform the type of work required.

- B. Pipe welds shall be made only by operators who have been qualified by the National Certified Pipe Welding Bureau and each operator's qualification record shall be submitted to the Engineer before any work is performed.
- C. Shop welding shall be in accordance with the "Code for Welding in Building Construction".

PART 2 PRODUCTS

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PART 3 EXECUTION

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END OF SECTION

SECTION 01410

TESTING LABORATORY SERVICES

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Qualification, duties and responsibilities of testing laboratories.
2. Coordination and scheduling responsibilities of the Contractor.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 01600 - Materials and Equipment

1.02 RESPONSIBILITY

- A. Contractor is responsible for hiring an Independent Laboratory to conduct sampling and analyses. The Contractor has full responsibility for the scheduling, coordination, and payment.

1.03 REFERENCES

A. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)

1. E329, Agencies Engaged in Construction Inspection and/or Testing

1.04 REQUIREMENTS

A. Work included:

1. Cooperate with the Owner's selected testing agency and all others responsible or testing and inspecting the Work.
2. Provide other testing and inspecting as specified to be furnished by the Contractor in this Section and/or elsewhere in the Contract Documents.
3. Where no testing requirements are described, but the Owner directs testing, the Contractor shall provide testing under the requirements of this Specification.

B. Work not included:

1. Selection of testing laboratory: The Owner will select a qualified independent testing laboratory.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Qualifications

1. The testing laboratory will be qualified to the Owner's approval in accordance with ASTM E329.

B. Regulatory requirements

1. Testing, when required, will be in accordance with all pertinent codes and regulations and with selected standards of the American Society for Testing and Materials.
2. Regulatory Requirements Inspections and tests required by codes or ordinances, or by a plan approved authority, and which are made by a legally constituted authority, shall be the responsibility of and shall be paid for by the Contractor, unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents.

1.06 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Comply with pertinent provisions of Section 01600 - Materials and Equipment.

- ### B. Promptly process and distribute, to the Engineer, required copies of test reports and instructions to assure necessary retesting and replacement of materials with the least possible delay in progress of the Work.

1.07 SCHEDULING

A. Establishing schedule

1. By advance discussion with the testing laboratory selected by the Owner, determine the time required for the laboratory to perform its tests and to issue each of its findings.
2. Provide all required time within the construction schedule.
3. Coordinate testing activity with the appropriate testing laboratory.

B. Revising schedule

1. When changes of construction schedule are necessary during construction, coordinate all such changes with the testing laboratory as required.

C. Adherence to schedule

1. When the testing laboratory is ready to test according to the established schedule, but is prevented from testing or taking specimens due to incompleteness of the Work, all extra charges for testing attributable to the delay may be back-charged to the Contractor and shall not be borne by the Owner.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

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PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. Site Tests

1. Representatives of the testing laboratory shall have access to the Work at all times and at all locations where the Work is in progress. Provide facilities for such access to enable the laboratory to perform its functions properly.
2. All specimens and samples for testing, unless otherwise provided in the Contract Documents, shall be taken by the testing personnel. All sampling equipment and personnel will be provided by the testing laboratory. All deliveries of specimens and samples to the testing laboratory will be performed by the testing laboratory.

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SECTION 01510

TEMPORARY UTILITIES

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for temporary utilities required during construction.

1.02 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Contractor is responsible for payment of all costs associated with the installation and operation of all temporary utilities necessary for the completion of the work. The Temporary Utilities to be paid by the Contractor include but are not limited to the following: Electricity, Water, Sanitary, Heating, Ventilation, Plumbing and other services required to complete the work.

1.03 TEMPORARY WATER

- A. Temporary pipelines and connections from the permanent service lines, necessary for the use of the General Contractor and his Subcontractors shall be installed, protected, and maintained at the expense of the General Contractor.
- B. Provide an adequate supply of drinking water from an approved source of acceptable quality, satisfactorily cooled, for his employees and those of his Subcontractors.

1.04 TEMPORARY ELECTRICITY

- A. Provide electrical energy required for temporary lighting and power.
- B. Assume all costs necessary to provide a temporary, separately metered electric service for all construction.
- C. Temporary wiring of a special nature shall be paid for by the Contractor including but not limited to special circuits required by electric welders, elevators, lifts, pumps or other special equipment requiring high-amperage and/or special voltage service and exterior lighting circuits for protection against vandalism, public warning lights and lights for advertising, etc.
- D. The General Contractor and all Subcontractors, individually, shall furnish all extension cords, sockets, motors, and accessories required for their work. They shall also pay for all temporary wiring of construction offices and buildings used by them.

- E. Temporary wiring installed by the Electrical Subcontractor shall be removed after it has served its purpose.
- F. Electrical work to be done in accordance with applicable codes.

1.05 TEMPORARY SANITARY FACILITIES

- A. Provide adequate sanitary facilities for the use of those employed on the Work. Sanitary facilities shall be made available when the first employees arrive on the site of the Work, be properly secluded from public observation, and be maintained during the progress of the Work in suitable numbers.
- B. Maintain sanitary facilities in an orderly and sanitary condition at all times and enforce their use. Rigorously prohibit the committing of nuisances on the site of the Work, on the lands of the Owner, or any adjacent property.

1.06 TEMPORARY HEATING

- A. Within 30 calendar days after the execution of this Contract, submit in writing to the Engineer for approval, three copies of method and time schedule for heating during construction which shall concur with his progress schedule submitted under Specification Section 01300.
- B. The installation and operation of heating devices shall comply with all safety regulations including provisions for adequate ventilation and fire protection. Heating devices which may cause damage to finish surfaces shall not be used.
- C. After the permanent heating system has been installed, tested, and made ready for operation, the Contractor may, at his own risk and expense, use it for providing heat for protection of the Work. He shall provide and pay for all fuel and care necessary, and, when the Work is ready for acceptance, he shall, at his own expense, put the system into first-class condition, even to the extend of replacing worn or damaged parts as directed.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

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PART 3 EXECUTION

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SECTION 01560

TEMPORARY CONTROLS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for cleaning, maintenance of the site, barriers and fences required during construction.

1.02 CLEANING DURING CONSTRUCTION

- A. Unless otherwise specified under the various trade Sections of the Specifications, the General Contractor shall perform clean-up operations during construction as herein specified.
 - 1. Control accumulation of waste materials and rubbish; periodically dispose of off-site. Bear all costs, including fees resulting from disposal.
 - 2. Clean interior areas prior to start finish work and maintain areas free of dust and other contaminants during finishing operations.
 - 3. Maintain project in accordance with all local, State and Federal Regulatory Requirements.
 - 4. Store volatile wastes in covered metal containers, and remove from premises.
 - 5. Prevent accumulation of wastes that create hazardous conditions.
 - 6. Provide adequate ventilation during use of volatile or noxious substances
- B. Conduct cleaning and disposal operations to comply with local ordinances and anti-pollution laws.
 - 1. Do not burn or bury rubbish and waste materials on site.
 - 2. Do not dispose of volatile wastes such as mineral spirits, oil, or paint thinner in storm or sanitary drains.
 - 3. Do not dispose of wastes into streams or waterways.
 - 4. Use only those materials which will not create hazards to health or property and which will not damage surfaces.
 - 5. Use only those cleaning materials and methods recommended by manufacturer of surface material to be cleaned.
 - 6. Execute cleaning to ensure that the buildings, the sites, and adjacent properties are maintained free from accumulations of waste materials and rubbish and wind blown debris, resulting from construction operations.

7. Provide on-site containers for collection of waste materials, debris, and rubbish.
8. Remove waste materials, debris, and rubbish from the site periodically and dispose of at legal disposal areas off the construction site.
9. Handle material in a controlled manner with as little handling as possible. Do not drop or throw materials from heights.
10. Schedule cleaning operations so that dust and other contaminants resulting from cleaning process will not damage surrounding surfaces.
11. During its progress, the work and the adjacent areas affected thereby shall be kept cleaned up and all rubbish, surplus materials, and unneeded construction equipment shall be removed and all damage repaired so that the public and property owners will be inconvenienced as little as possible.
12. Where material or debris has washed or flowed into or been placed in existing watercourses, ditches, gutters, drains, pipes, structures, work done under this contract, or elsewhere during the course of the Contractor's operations, such material or debris shall be entirely removed and satisfactorily disposed of during the progress of the work, and the ditches, channels, drains, pipes, structures, and work, etc. shall, upon completion of the work, be left in a clean and neat condition.

1.03 DUST CONTROL

- A. Provide adequate means for the purpose of preventing dust caused by construction operations throughout the period of the construction contract.
- B. This provision does not supersede any specific requirements for methods of construction or applicable general conditions or performance obligations of the General Contractor.

1.04 EROSION AND SEDIMENT CONTROL

- A. Plan and execute construction by methods to control surface drainage from cuts and fills, from borrow and waste disposal areas. Prevent erosion and sedimentation.
- B. Minimize amount of bare soil exposed at one time.
- C. Provide temporary measures such as berms, dikes, and drains, to prevent water flow.
- D. Construct fill and waste areas by selective placement to avoid erosive surface silts for clays.
- E. Periodically inspect earthwork to detect evidence of erosion and sedimentation; promptly apply corrective measures.

1.05 NOISE CONTROL

- A. Develop and maintain a noise-abatement program and enforce strict discipline over all personnel to keep noise to a minimum.
- B. Execute construction work by methods and by use of equipment which will reduce excess noise.
 - 1. Equip air compressors with Silencers, and power equipment with mufflers.
 - 2. Manage vehicular traffic and scheduling to reduce noise.

1.06 POLLUTION CONTROL

- A. Special care shall be taken to prevent contamination or muddying up or interfering in any way with the stream flows, if any along the line of work. No waste matter of any kind will be allowed to discharge into the stream flows or impounded water of any pools or other bodies of water.

1.07 SURFACE WATER CONTROL

- A. Take all precautions to prevent damage to the work or equipment by high waters or by storms. The Engineer with the approval of the Owner may prohibit the carrying out of any work at any time when in his judgement, high water or storm conditions are unfavorable or not suitable, or at any time, regardless of the weather, when proper precautions are not being taken to safeguard previously constructed work or work in progress.
- B. In case of damage caused by the failure of the Contractor to take adequate precautions, the Contractor shall repair or replace equipment damaged and shall make such repairs or rebuild such parts of the damaged work, as the Engineer may require, at no additional expense to the Owner.

1.08 BARRIERS AND ENCLOSURES

- A. Fences and Barricades
 - 1. Provide and maintain temporary fences, barriers, lights, guardrails, and barricades as indicated in the Contract Documents, or as necessary to secure the Work and adjacent property, and protect persons and property.
 - 2. Obtain necessary approvals and permits and provide temporary expedients as necessary to accommodate tasks requiring items mentioned herein.
- B. Protection of Trees

1. The Contractor shall take care not to harm trees along the sides of roads or with in the existing facility in which the construction work is to be done or trees on adjacent lands except as indicated on the drawings or with the written permission of the Owner and any other owner of the trees involved. Care shall be taken not to cut tree roots so as to harm the growth of trees to remain.
2. If, in the opinion of the Engineer, any trees damaged during construction can be repaired, the Contractor shall satisfactorily repair same at no further cost to the Owner.
3. If, in the opinion of the Engineer, any tree damaged during construction cannot be repaired and should be removed, the Contractor shall satisfactorily remove and replace, in kind, same at no further cost to the Owner.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01570

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS
(MASSACHUSETTS)

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for traffic control for the duration of the Contract.

1.02 REFERENCES

- A. Manual of Uniform Traffic Control devices (MUTCD) 2009 Edition including all latest revisions.

1.03 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Contractor shall have the sole responsibility for the maintenance and protection of traffic.
- B. An authorized representative of the Contractor shall be available on a 24-hour basis for the duration of the Contract for the purpose of correcting construction related impediments or hazards.

1.04 SHOP DRAWINGS

- A. In accordance with SECTION 01300 – SUBMITTALS, submit a traffic plan delineating requirements of this section, the Contract Drawings, and the **Town of Middleborough, MA**.
- B. Traffic control plans shall detail all typical work zones and detours.

1.05 SITE CONDITIONS

- A. Replace at no cost to the Owner pavement markings, legends and lane arrows removed or damaged by the construction operation.
- B. Restore temporary detours to original condition.
- C. Replace traffic signal loops damaged during construction within 72 hours.

1.06 SCHEDULING

- A. Traffic shall be maintained during the Contractor's working hours as required by the Town of Middleborough, MA, or as otherwise restricted in the Contract Documents.
- B. Keep closing of travel lanes to a minimum.
- C. Notify city departments 48 hours prior to construction operations on travel ways.
 - A. Police Department (508-947-1212)
 - B. Fire Department (508-946-2461)
 - C. Department of Public Works (508-946-2480)

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

- A. In accordance with the MUTCD.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 INSTALLATION OF TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

- A. In accordance with the MUTCD.

3.02 PROTECTION OF TRAFFIC

- A. Barricade trenches and roadway excavations at the end of each work period with temporary precast concrete barriers, properly lighted and marked to guide traffic to designated travel lane. Or other means acceptable to the Engineer and approved on the Traffic Plan.
- B. Maintain and protect traffic movements for the entire length of the project.
- C. Keep one lane of traffic open at all times except for brief stoppages dictated by the construction operation involving safety of vehicles in the travel lanes.
- D. Maintain access to business and private ways during construction operations.
- E. Furnish sufficient number of signs, temporary precast concrete barriers, warning lights, drums and traffic cones to warn traffic of construction and guide traffic through the construction area in accordance with the MUTCD.

3.03 TRAFFICMEN

- A. Provide service of uniformed trafficmen as required to complete construction as required by the Owner.

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SECTION 01600

MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Requirements for delivery, storage, handling and installation of systems, materials, manufactured units, equipment, components, and accessories used in the work.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 01300 - Submittals

1.02 DELIVERY

A. Refer to Specifications' Sections for requirements pertaining to delivery and handling of materials and equipment.

B. Transport products by methods to avoid product damage; deliver in undamaged condition in manufacturers' unopened containers or packaging, dry.

C. Provide equipment and personnel to handle products by methods to prevent soiling or damage.

D. Promptly inspect shipments to assure that products comply with requirements, that quantities are correct, and products are undamaged.

1.03 STORAGE AND PROTECTION

A. Refer to Specifications' Sections for requirements pertaining to storage and protection of materials and equipment.

B. Store products in accordance with manufacturers' instruction, with seals and labels intact and legible. Store sensitive products in weather tight enclosures; maintain within temperature and humidity ranges required by manufacturers' instructions.

C. For exterior storage of fabricated products, place on sloped supports above ground. Cover products subject to deterioration with impervious sheet covering; provide ventilation to avoid condensation.

- D. Store loose granular materials on solid surfaces in a well-drained area; prevent mixing with foreign matter.
- E. Arrange storage to provide access for inspection. Periodically inspect to assure that products are undamaged, and are maintained under required conditions.

1.04 INSTALLATION STANDARDS

- A. Comply with Specifications and referenced standards as minimum requirements.
- B. Components required to be supplied in quantity within a Specification Section shall be the same, and shall be interchangeable.
- C. Do not use materials and equipment removed from existing structures, except as specifically required, or allowed, by the Contract Documents.
- D. Perform work by persons qualified to produce workmanship of specified quality.
- E. Secure products in place with positive anchorage devices designed and sized to withstand stresses, vibration, and racking.
- F. When work is specified to comply with manufacturers' instructions, submit copies as specified in Section 01300 - Submittals, distribute copies to persons involved, and maintain one set in field office.
- G. Perform work in accordance with details of instructions and specified requirements.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01700

CONTRACT CLOSE-OUT

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for specific administrative procedures, record keeping, close-out submittals, and forms used at substantial and final completion of the Work.
- B. Contractor shall satisfy all administrative requirements within the Contract Documents and the Requirements listed in this section prior to Contract Close-out.

1.02 FINAL CLEANING

- A. On or before the completion of the work, the Contractor shall, unless otherwise especially directed or permitted in writing, tear down and remove all temporary buildings and structures built by him; shall remove all temporary works, tools, and machinery or other construction equipment furnished by him; shall remove all rubbish from any grounds which he has occupied; and shall leave the roads and all parts of the premises and adjacent property affected by his operations in a neat and satisfactory condition.
- B. The Contractor shall restore or replace, when and as directed, any public or private property damage by his work, equipment, or employees, to a condition at least equal to that existing immediately prior to the beginning of operations. To this end, the Contractor shall do as required, all necessary highway or driveway, walk and landscaping work. Suitable materials, equipment, and methods shall be used for such restoration. The restoration of existing property or structures shall be done as promptly as practicable as work progresses and shall not be left until the end of the contract period.
- C. Unless otherwise specified under the various Sections of the Specifications, the Contractor shall perform final cleaning operations as herein specified prior to final inspection.
- D. At completion of work, remove waste materials, rubbish tools, equipment, machinery and surplus materials, and clean all sight-exposed surfaces; leave project clean and ready for occupancy.
- E. Cleaning shall include all surfaces, interior and exterior in which the Contractor and all Subcontractors have had access whether existing or new.

- F. Refer to Sections of the Specifications for cleaning of specific products or work.
- G. Use only those materials which will not create hazards to health or property and which will not damage surfaces.
- H. Use only those cleaning materials and methods that are recommended by the manufacturer of surfaces material to be cleaned.
- I. Employ experienced workmen, or professional cleaners, for final cleaning operations.

1.03 PROJECT RECORD DOCUMENTS

- A. Project Record Documents also referred here as As-Built Drawings shall consist of all the contract drawings.
- B. The Contractor and all Subcontractors shall be required to maintain one set of As-Built Drawings, as the work relates to their Sections of the Specifications, at the site.
- C. As-Built Drawings shall be stored and maintained in the General Contractor's field office apart from other documents used for construction. The As-Built Drawings shall be maintained in a clean, dry, and legible condition and shall not be used for construction purposes.
- D. As-Built Drawings shall be available at all time for inspection by the Engineer. All deficiencies noted shall be promptly corrected.
- E. At the end of each month and before payment for materials installed, the Contractor, and his Subcontractors, shall review As-Built Drawings for purpose of payment. If the changes in location of all installed elements are not shown on the as-built drawings and verified in the field, then the material shall not be considered as installed and payment will be withheld.
- F. At the completion of the contract, each Subcontractor shall submit to the Contractor a complete set of his respective As-Built Drawings indicating all changes. After checking the above drawings, the Contractor shall certify in writing on the title sheet of the drawings that they are complete and correct and shall submit the As-Built Drawings to the Engineer.

1.04 FINAL INSPECTION

- A. The Contractor shall submit written certification that:
 - 1. Project has been inspected for compliance with Contract Documents.

2. Equipment and systems have been tested in the presence of the manufacturer's representative and are operational and satisfactory.
3. Project is completed, and ready for final inspection.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

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SECTION 01740

WARRANTIES

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. General administrative and procedural requirements for warranties required by the Contract Documents, including manufacturers standard warranties on products and special warranties.

1.02 SUBMITTAL

- A. Submit written warranties to the Owner prior to the date fixed by the Engineer for Substantial Completion. If the Certificate of Substantial Completion designates a commencement date for warranties other than a date of Substantial Completion for the Work, or a designed portion of the Work, submit written warranties upon request of the Owner.
- B. When a designated portion of the Work is completed and occupied or used by the Owner, by separate agreement with the Contractor during the construction period, submit properly executed warranties to the Owner prior to acceptance of this portion of the Work.
- C. Refer to individual Sections of Division 2 through 16 for specific content requirements, and particular requirements for submittal of special warranties.

1.03 WARRANTY REQUIREMENT

- A. Related Damages and Losses: When correcting warranted Work that has failed, remove and replace other Work that has been damaged as a result of such failure or that must be removed and replaced to provide access for correction of warranted Work.
- B. Reinstatement of Warranty: When Work covered by a warranty has failed and been corrected by replacement or rebuilding, reinstate the warranty by written endorsement. The reinstated warranty shall be equal to the original warranty with an equitable adjustment for depreciation.
- C. Replacement Cost: Upon determination that Work covered by a warranty has failed, replace or rebuild the Work to an acceptable condition complying with requirements of Contract Documents. The Contractor is responsible for the cost of replacing or rebuilding defective Work regardless of whether the Owner has benefited from use of the Work through a portion of its anticipated useful service life.

- D. Owner's Recourse: Written warranties made to the Owner are in addition to implied warranties, and shall not limit the duties, obligations, rights and remedies otherwise available under the law, nor shall warranty periods be interpreted as limitations on time in which the Owner can enforce such other duties, obligations, rights, or remedies.
- E. Rejection of Warranties: The Owner reserves the right to reject warranties and to limit selections to products with warranties not in conflict with requirements of the contract Documents.
- F. Disclaimers and Limitations: Manufacturer's disclaimers and limitations on product warranties do not relieve the Contractor of the warranty on the Work that incorporates the products, nor does it relieve suppliers, manufacturers, and subcontractors required to countersign special warranties with the Contractor.

1.04 DEFINITIONS

- A. Standard Product Warranties are preprinted written warranties published by individual manufacturers for particular products and are specifically endorsed by the manufacturer to the Owner.
- B. Special Warranties are written warranties required by or incorporated in the Contract Documents, either to extend time limits provided by standard warranties or to provide greater rights for the Owner.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

NOT USED

END OF SECTION

SECTION 01800

MAINTENANCE

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Procedures for maintaining work completed under this Contract.

1.02 MAINTENANCE PERIOD

- A. The general maintenance period for all construction or materials under this Contract shall be one (1) year subsequent to the date of the acceptance of the work by the Owner, or as provided by other sections of this Specification.
- B. If the Owner puts any structure or equipment to use prior to acceptance of all work under the Contract, the maintenance period for such structures or equipment shall be calculated from the time use begins.
- C. Contractor agrees to replace the material which does not conform to the Contract requirements, and to repair any damage of material or work without cost to the Owner, to satisfaction of Engineer, in conformance with Contract Documents provided orders for replacement and/or repairs are received in writing by the Contractor within the one-year period.
- D. This Section shall in no way limit the duration of the Contractor's responsibility for the correction of any defect due to workmanship or materials provided by the Contractor which are not in compliance with the Contract Documents.

1.03 ABUSE OF WORK

- A. Contractor is not obligated to perform work of replacement or repair that he may prove is required because of abuse by parties other than the Contractor, after the date the Owner puts to continuous use the work requiring replacements or repair, or after date the Owner has approved the Certificate of Completion.

1.04 EMERGENCY REPAIRS

- A. If the Owner deems necessary, the Owner shall order replacement or repairs be undertaken within 24 hours.
- B. If the Contractor delays or fails to make the ordered replacement or repairs within the time specified, the Owner shall have the right to make such replacements or repairs

and the expense shall be deducted from moneys due the Contractor, or moneys of the Contractor retained by the Owner.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

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PART 3 EXECUTION

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DIVISION 2

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SECTION 02080

MANAGEMENT OF EXCESS SOILS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Requirements for disposal of excess materials generated from the Wareham Street Water Main Replacement Project.
2. Two Areas of Environmental Concern (AOEC) have been depicted on the Site Plans due to a release of oil/hazardous material at the former Gurney Service Station located at 4-8 Wareham Street and the former Middleborough DPW at 48 Wareham Street. All excess soil removed from within the identified AOECs shall be stockpiled and managed separately.
3. During construction excess soil identified by the Engineer as potentially containing oil and/or hazardous materials based on visual or olfactory indicators shall be stockpiled separately by the CONTRACTOR for testing.
4. Four categories of soil disposal have been identified for management of Excess Soil:
 - Natural: Any soil or fill material outside of the AOEC shall be considered Natural. Natural soils are those believed by the ENGINEER (but not yet confirmed by laboratory testing) to contain concentrations of oil or hazardous materials below reportable levels RCS-1.
 - Re-Use Facility: defined as soil or materials containing concentrations of contaminants above RCS-1 but less than the acceptance criteria at a soil Re-Use facility based on the Contractor's laboratory analytical results.
 - In-State Landfill: defined as soil or materials containing concentrations of contaminants greater than the acceptance criteria at a soil Re-Use facility and less than the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection's COMM-97 acceptance criteria based on the Contractor's laboratory analytical results.
 - Out-of-State Landfill: defined as soil or materials containing concentrations of contaminants greater than the COMM-97 acceptance criteria based on the Contractor's laboratory analytical results.
5. Requirements for identifying, handling, stockpiling, and disposal of excess soil and groundwater.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 01025 – Measurement and Payment
2. Section 01300 – Submittals
3. Section 02140 – Dewatering
4. Section 02200 – Earth Excavation, Backfill, Fill and Grading

1.02 WORK INCLUDED

- A. In general, work under this Section shall include all labor, materials, equipment, supervision and supplies necessary for the loading, handling, transportation, and off-site disposal of Excess soil as directed by the ENGINEER.
- B. Excess Soil generated from excavation activities, shall be managed as follows:
1. Securing permits and licenses, as necessary, including notification of local emergency personnel and notification/reporting requirements, with respect to unforeseen conditions;
 2. Mobilization and demobilization of personnel, equipment, materials and supplies required to perform the Work;
 3. Prior to the excavation of soil, the existing pavement shall be removed and stockpiled separately for disposal. Removed pavement shall **not** be mix or stored with excess soil. Asphalt, Brick and Concrete (ABC) generated during construction shall be disposed of offsite at an appropriate, licensed facility that will accept ABC waste.
 4. Excavation, loading and hauling Excess Soil to stockpile area off Tiger drive depicted on Sheet G-3; Management of Stockpile at soil stockpile area; Identifying and coordination with Licensed Disposal/Reuse Facility; loading and hauling stockpiled material for disposal at a facility approved by the Engineer; and all fees associated with Excess Soil disposal. Segregating boulders and other large rocks for off-site management, as directed by the ENGINEER;
 - a. Excess soil from with the AOEC shall be placed on 6-mil poly, stockpiled, covered with 6-mil poly, and sampled separate from all other soils.
 - b. Excess Natural soil shall be stockpiled and sampled to confirm that it meets the Natural soil designation.
 - c. Soil not meeting the Natural designation shall be disposed of at the Contractor's identified disposal facility at the specified Bid price.
 - d. Excess soil identified by the Engineer as potentially containing oil and/or hazardous materials based on visual or olfactory indicators during construction shall be stockpiled separately by the CONTRACTOR for testing.
 5. General site cleanup.

1.03 SAMPLING

- A. The CONTRACTOR will be responsible for **all costs** associated with sampling and analyses as may be required by the receiving disposal facility(ies) for off-site disposal of soil. **All Excess Soil must be sampled by the CONTRACTOR for management and offsite disposal.** Any such sampling services shall be completed by Contractor after stockpiling and as quickly as possible. Contractor shall schedule his/her activities to allow for sampling to be performed, analytical results to be compiled and management decisions to be made.

- B. The CONTRACTOR will provide ENGINEER with 48 hours notice of sampling activities. ENGINEER will be present during all sampling activities.
- C. Samples collected and/or tested by the CONTRACTOR without coordinating with the ENGINEER shall be for his own convenience only, and shall not be the basis for classification, determination of limits, or payment.
- D. No stockpile shall not exceed 500 cubic yards. Samples shall be collected and laboratory tested at a frequency of one set of disposal parameters per 500 cubic yards.

1.04 LICENSED SITE PROFESSIONAL (LSP) SERVICES

- A. Licensed Site Professional services to be provided by the ENGINEER, include Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP) response actions, preparing Massachusetts Contingency Plan (MCP) related filings including but not limited to Utility-related Abatement Measure (URAM) Plans, Release Abatement Measure (RAM) plans, Material Shipping Records, and Bills of Lading.
- B. The CONTRACTOR shall retain the services of an Licensed Site Professional for preparation of the soil management plan, preparation of soil disposal applications, sampling of stockpiled soil for soil management, and providing sampling data summaries. ENGINEER's Licensed Site Professional will be provided draft documents for review prior to submittal.

1.05 APPLICABLE LAWS AND REGULATIONS

- A. The CONTRACTOR is advised that Work under this Section may need to be performed under the requirements of 310 CMR 40.0000 et seq., also known as the Massachusetts Contingency Plan (MCP).
- B. Work under this Section shall be performed in strict compliance with applicable Federal, State and local laws, rules, regulations related to the handling and off-site management of contaminated wastes and regulated soil.
- C. Pertinent Federal and State Authorities having jurisdiction over this project include:
 - 1. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA)
 - 2. U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)
 - 3. Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP)
- D. The following OSHA regulations will apply:
 - 1. Occupational Safety and Health Standards, Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response - 29 CFR 1910.120.
 - 2. Safety and Health Regulations for Construction - 29 CFR 1926.

1.06 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submittals shall be made in compliance with the requirements of Section 01300 except as provided for herein.
- B. No Work will be permitted to proceed until the required submittals have been received and approved by the ENGINEER. In the event the ENGINEER requests additional information, it shall be the CONTRACTOR's responsibility to provide such additional information in a complete and timely manner, so that construction can proceed by the date stipulated in the Notice to Proceed.
- C. Impacted, and Contaminated soil may be encountered during the work. Prior to the commencement of work, the CONTRACTOR shall submit the following to the ENGINEER for approval:
 - 1. Submittal of required certifications demonstrating that personnel are properly trained and qualified to perform the Work in accordance with applicable OSHA regulations and laws governing the Work.
 - 2. Names and qualifications of proposed subcontractors, if any, identifying the tasks to be performed by each proposed Subcontractor.
 - 3. A Proposed Soil Management Plan, including a description of the proposed equipment and procedures; identification of staging areas for the loading of the Suspect soil; stockpiling setup and procedures; loading and transportation procedures for off-site disposal; and project schedule. The plan should also identify disposal facilities for the Excess Soil.
 - 4. The CONTRACTOR's Site-Specific Health & Safety Plan pursuant to OSHA 1910.120 requirements.
- D. Approval of submittals by the ENGINEER shall not impose any liability upon the ENGINEER, nor shall any such approval relieve the CONTRACTOR of his/her responsibilities to meet the requirements and comply with applicable laws, regulations and other applicable requirements under this Contract.

1.07 EXISTING ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS

- A. A release of oil or hazardous materials was identified at the following locations:
 - 1. AOEC-1 (RTN 4-0351 & RTN 4-15054): The former Gurney Service Station was located at 4-8 Wareham Street. Eleven underground storage tanks were previously removed from the site. An Activities and Use Limitation was put in place on the site which restricts excavation on the site.
 - 2. AOEC-2 (RTN 4-14418): Two USTs were removed from the former Middleborough DPW property in December of 1998. During removal of the tanks impacted soil and groundwater were removed for disposal.
- B. Failure of the CONTRACTOR to become fully acquainted with the available information will not relieve him/her of the responsibility to completely and properly

perform the work in full compliance with the Contract Documents. The ENGINEER assumes no responsibility for any conclusion or interpretation made by the CONTRACTOR on the basis of information made available by the Owner or ENGINEER.

PART 2 PRODUCTS [NOT USED]

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 GENERAL

- A. The CONTRACTOR will provide adequate barriers and demarcation of excavations and exclusion zones to warn site visitors and the public of potential hazards.
- B. The CONTRACTOR will take appropriate means to prevent a release or the spread of hazardous wastes or contaminated materials as a result of the CONTRACTOR's operations.
- C. The CONTRACTOR will notify the ENGINEER 48 hours prior to the collection of soil and/or groundwater samples for laboratory analyses. The ENGINEER or his representative shall be present during all sampling.

3.02 SITE HEALTH & SAFETY

- A. The CONTRACTOR is solely responsible for controlling Site health and safety, including the provision of a Site Health and Safety Officer. In the performance of its Work, the CONTRACTOR shall provide for the safety of CONTRACTOR personnel, other CONTRACTOR's personnel, regulatory agency personnel, and the public for the duration of the Contract.
- B. The CONTRACTOR is solely responsible for his/her construction means and methods.
- C. The ENGINEER will be responsible for the health and safety of its personnel only.
- D. The CONTRACTOR shall provide a Health and Safety Plan (HASP) which addresses identified contaminants of concern for the Work under this Contract. Such plan shall conform to the requirements of OSHA 1910.120 and other applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, ordinances, and procedures. The HASP shall be developed and implemented by the CONTRACTOR's Safety Officer experienced with the health and safety requirements of OSHA 1910.120. The HASP shall be revised, as needed, whenever new information about site hazards is obtained.
- E. Personnel performing Work in contaminated or hazardous areas shall be fully trained in accordance with the OSHA 1910.120 and the HASP and shall be thoroughly briefed on anticipated hazards, safety equipment to be employed, safety practices to be followed, and emergency procedures and communications. The CONTRACTOR

shall have a medical monitoring surveillance program in place for personnel in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

3.03 MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

- A. CONTRACTOR must have a valid EPA identification number and any other permits or licenses required by federal, state, and local laws, regulations, ordinances, and procedures for the transportation of hazardous wastes.
- B. The CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for securing necessary and applicable permits, certificates, licenses, and approvals required for the performance of this Work and shall be responsible for the payment of associated fees.
- C. The CONTRACTOR shall comply with required reporting and record keeping requirements in accordance with the provisions of this Contract and applicable federal, state, and local laws, regulations, ordinances, and procedures.
- D. The CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for notifications required by federal, state, and local laws, regulations, ordinances, and procedures. Notifications shall be coordinated with the ENGINEER.
- E. Material Shipping Records and/or Bills of Lading, as appropriate, will be provided and coordinated by the ENGINEER. The Owner will be responsible for signing all waste manifests and bills of lading. In order for CONTRACTOR's operations to proceed without interruption, complete and accurate information shall be provided by the CONTRACTOR during the Submittals process. CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for preparing applications to disposal facilities.

3.04 DUST MONITORING & CONTROL MEASURES

- A. The CONTRACTOR is responsible for monitoring the Work for evidence of airborne particulates (dusts) emanating from the Work area. It shall be the CONTRACTOR's responsibility to continuously monitor the work area for dust levels.
- B. The CONTRACTOR shall take appropriate measures to substantially eliminate the generation of dusts within the Work Area, including use of water provided by the CONTRACTOR and covering all stockpiled wastes and/or soil, except in the immediate vicinity of the excavation, where water may be required to control dust emissions.
- C. The ENGINEER will also be monitoring the site for elevated levels of dusts. In the event that visible emissions are observed, the ENGINEER may direct the contractor to take appropriate measures to mitigate the condition. Failure of the CONTRACTOR to implement measures that reduce dust levels may be cause for suspension of the Work, until otherwise directed by the ENGINEER.

3.05 EXCAVATION OF SOIL

- A. Surplus soil generated from excavation activities associated with the Warham Street Water Main Replacement project shall be considered Excess and shall be managed as specified.
- B. The CONTRACTOR shall minimize the spread and loss of Soil during excavation activities as follows:
 - 1. The CONTRACTOR shall segregate boulders, asphalt, construction debris and other deleterious materials from excavated Soil to the extent practicable and as directed by the ENGINEER. This segregation shall occur at the point of excavation, prior to the transport of soil.

3.06 TEMPORARY SOIL STOCKPILING

- A. The ENGINEER anticipates the need for temporary stockpiling of Excess Soil. However, the work areas do not allow for stockpiling at the site of generation of the soil. Therefore, Excess Soil shall be transported to and stockpiled at the Owner's property located off of Tiger Drive in Middleborough, Massachusetts (or another site designated by the Owner). The following provisions shall apply to the stockpiling off of Tiger Drive:
 - 1. As directed by the ENGINEER, the CONTRACTOR shall stockpile the Excess Soil into separate approximately 250 cubic yard stockpile areas (physically separated with "Jersey Barriers" by excavation site and labeled) to facilitate separate characterization by CONTRACTOR, and subsequent off-site management. Wattles for erosion control shall be provided as detailed for all stockpiles.
 - 2. AOEC Soil shall be stockpiled separately at the OWNER's property off of Tiger Drive on 6-mil polyethylene sheeting. Stockpiled AOEC soil shall be covered with 6-mil polyethylene sheeting at the end of every working day. Sheeting shall be properly secured such that it remains fully intact during inclement weather conditions.
 - 3. Excess Soil shall be transported from off of Tiger Drive as soon as possible. In no case shall excavated soil remain stockpiled for more than 120 days from its excavation. In no event shall the total volume of stockpiled soil exceed 1,500 cubic yards, without the specific approval of OWNER/ENGINEER.

3.07 OFF-SITE MANAGEMENT OF EXCESS SOIL

- A. Excess soil identified as "Natural" based on the CONTRACTOR'S laboratory testing shall become property of the CONTRACTOR and taken offsite at no additional cost to the OWNER.
- B. The CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for the off-site transportation and disposal of Excess Soil not meeting the "Natural" designation requirements at an approved Disposal Facility at the specified Bid price.

- C. The CONTRACTOR shall be responsible for coordination of transporter and receiving facility activities. Transporter vehicles used for the transportation of Excess Soil shall be covered, substance compatible, licensed, insured, and permitted pursuant to federal, state, and local laws, regulations, ordinances, and procedures.
- D. Vehicles departing the site shall be properly logged to show the vehicle identification, driver's name, time of departure, destination, and approximate volume and content of material carried.
- E. Excess Soil shall not leave the site or stockpile area until the designated receiving facility has agreed in writing to accept the type and quantity of waste/soil to be shipped.
- F. The CONTRACTOR shall complete required facility applications and other pertinent forms for proper transportation and disposal. The ENGINEER shall review and the City will sign the applications. Signatures from the receiving location of materials transported off-site are required. The CONTRACTOR shall be held accountable for ensuring that requirements of the transporter and receiving disposal facility(ies) and federal, state, and local laws, regulations, ordinances, and procedures are complied with and properly documented.
- G. Documentation shall be maintained indicating that applicable laws have been satisfied and that Excess Soil has been successfully transported and received at the disposal facility(ies).
- H. Actual quantities and measurements in the field shall be tabulated by the CONTRACTOR on a daily basis. The CONTRACTOR will not be reimbursed for unit rate work performed without the prior approval.

3.08 SITE CLEANUP

- A. During the course of the Work, the CONTRACTOR shall keep the Site and his operations clean and neat at all times. The CONTRACTOR shall dispose of residue resulting from the site operations; and at the conclusion for the day's Work, he shall remove and haul away surplus materials, lumber, equipment, temporary structures, and any other refuse remaining from the site operations and shall leave the site in a neat and orderly condition.

3.09 DOCUMENTATION

- A. Within 45 days after soil disposal, the CONTRACTOR shall submit to the ENGINEER one (1) original copy of all manifests, certified weigh slips (tons), bills-of-lading, and records of final waste disposition from the accepting disposal facility(ies), and other pertinent documentation.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 02100

SITE PREPARATION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for removal of vegetation and topsoil at the site.

1.02 DEFINITIONS

- A. Clearing: Removal of trash, vegetation, or organic matter alive or dead.
- B. Grubbing: Removal of vegetation including stumps, buried logs and roots.
- C. Scalping: Removal of grass turf to a depth of 3 inches.
- D. Stripping: Removal of topsoil after scalping operation is complete.

1.03 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Obtain Engineer's approval of staked work limits prior to starting the clearing, grubbing, and stripping.

1.04 PROJECT/SITE CONDITIONS

A. Environmental Requirements

- 1. Install erosion and sediment controls prior to starting the Work.

B. Existing Conditions

- 1. Temporarily remove property improvements, to the minimum extent necessary, to complete the work and restore improvements to condition which existed prior to construction.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 EXISTING PRODUCTS

- A. Chips from cleared trees and brush.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 PROTECTION

- A. Do not cut or injure any trees or other vegetation outside the limits of disturbance and/or the Town Right of Way, as indicated on the drawings.
- B. Trees, shrubbery, or planting, along the traveled highways or roads, shall not be removed except with the written approval of the Engineer.
- C. Preserve certain vegetation such as trees, shrubs, hedges and plants within the construction area, as indicated on the drawings to be protected.
- D. Easement Clearing
 - 1. The Engineer shall designate trees to be removed within easement lines.
- E. Work In Improved Property
 - 1. Protect trees, cultivated hedges, lawns, shrubs, and plants that might be damaged by the Contractor's operations.
 - 2. Temporarily replant and care for trees less than 4 inches in diameter that would be damaged by the construction operation. After the construction operations have been substantially completed, replant in their original positions and care for until growth is reestablished. If trees, cultivated hedges, lawns, shrubs, and plants are injured to such a degree as to affect their growth or diminish their beauty or usefulness, they shall be replaced at the Contractor's expense by items of kind and quality existing at the start of the work.
 - 3. Do such handwork as may be required to prevent damage to buildings and improvements.
 - 4. Protect fences and stone walls and if needed to be removed to facilitate construction or if damaged, upon completion of the work, properly restore or repair to at least as good condition as existed prior to start of the work.

3.02 CLEARING

- A. Cut or remove all trees, saplings, brush, and vines, windfalls, logs, and trees lying on the ground, dead trees and stubs more than 1 foot high above the ground surface.
- B. Except where clearing is done by uprooting with machinery or where stumps are left longer to facilitate subsequent grubbing operations, trees, stumps, and the stubs to be cleared shall be cut as close to the ground surface as practicable, but no more than 6-inches above the ground surface in the case of small trees, and 12-inches in the case of larger trees. Saplings, brush, and vines shall be cut off close to the ground.

C. Selective Trimming

1. Cut back limbs and branches of trees to be preserved only to the extent necessary for construction.
2. Trim neatly, and cleanly so that the remaining tree will not be damaged and healing will be facilitated. Where limbs and branches over 1 inch in diameter have been cut, the newly cut area of the tree shall be given a thorough application of approved tree-healing paint.

D. Salvaged Wood

1. Logs, timber and other wood removed in the course of clearing found to be acceptable, as determined solely by the Engineer, shall remain the property of the applicable private property owner or the Owner, unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.
2. Cut logs, timber and other wood in 4 foot lengths and stack, as directed by the Engineer.
3. Prior to the final completion of the contract, all unclaimed logs, timber and other wood previously cut and stacked shall be removed from the site and properly disposed of by the Contractor at no additional cost to the Owner.

E. Chips from Cleared Wood and Brush

1. Stockpile for future use on cleared easements as indicated on the Drawings.
2. Spread at locations shown on the drawings once work is substantially complete.
3. If the wood chips from the cleared wood are not of sufficient amount, the Contractor at his own expense shall furnish the required amount to provide a minimum thickness as shown on the Contract Drawings.
4. Elm wood and elm bark shall not be used as chips for ground cover.

3.03 GRUBBING

- A. Remove completely all stumps.
- B. Remove to a depth of 12-inches all roots larger than 3-inches in diameter.
- C. Remove to a depth of 6-inches all roots larger than 1/2-inches in diameter.
- D. Measure depths from the existing ground surface or the proposed finished grade, whichever is the lower.

3.04 STRIPPING

- A. Strip topsoil, loam and unsuitable earth from the ground surface in areas cleared and grubbed.

- B. Utilize topsoil and loam, where possible, for finished surfacing.
- C. All loam to remain on site.
- D. Dispose of unsuitable materials off site at authorized disposal location.

3.05 DISPOSAL OF CLEARED AND GRUBBED MATERIALS

- A. Dispose of cleared and grubbed materials off site at authorized disposal location.
- B. Such disposal shall be carried on as promptly as possible after removal of material in the clearing and grubbing operations and shall not be left until the final period of cleaning up.
- C. Elm bark whether stripped from the wood or intact with the wood shall be either buried at least 1 ft. below grade in approved dumping areas or burned in a suitable incinerator off-site with satisfactory anti pollution and fire prevention controls to prevent the spread of Dutch Elm Disease.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 02140

DEWATERING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Requirements for designing, furnishing, installing, maintaining, operating and removal of temporary dewatering systems required to lower and control water levels and hydrostatic pressures during construction.
2. Requirements for disposing of pumped water.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 01300 – Submittals
2. Section 02200 – Earth Excavation, Backfill, Fill and Grading
3. Section 02160 – Excavation Support

1.02 DEFINITIONS

- A. Dewatering: Lowering the zone of saturation and intercepting groundwater seepage which would otherwise emerge from the slopes or bottom of the excavations. The purposes of dewatering are to increase the stability of excavated slopes; prevent loss of material from beneath the slopes or bottom of the excavation; improve the excavating and hauling characteristics of on-site soil; prevent rupture or heaving of the bottom of an excavation; and dispose of pumped water. In addition, dewatering is required to place and compact structural fill.

1.03 DESIGN REQUIREMENTS

- A. The Contractor is responsible for the adequacy of the dewatering system.

B. Design dewatering systems to:

1. Effectively reduce the hydrostatic pressure and lower the groundwater levels to a minimum of 2 feet below excavation in soil;
2. Develop a substantially dry and stable subgrade for the protection of subsequent operations;
3. Result in no damage to adjacent buildings, structures, utilities and other work, included in this contract.

4. Depressurize stratified layers of sand that may be confined by silt layers so that a stable excavation bottom is maintained.
- C. Methods may include sump pumping, single or multiple stage well point or jet eductor well point systems, deep wells, or combinations thereof.
- D. Locate dewatering facilities where they will not interfere with existing utilities, facilities and/or construction work to be done under this Contract.
- E. The Contractor shall be responsible for obtaining all necessary permits from the State and local authorities regarding the operation and discharge of the dewatering system, including but not limited to the Massachusetts Water Resources Authority Construction Site Dewatering Discharge Permit, and to conduct all necessary sampling and testing that may be required by those authorities at no additional cost to the Owner.

1.04 SUBMITTALS

A. Shop Drawings

1. In accordance with Section 01300 submit the following prior to dewatering system installation:
 - a. Proposed system components.
 - b. Operational plan to include locations and depth of components.
 - c. Method of disposal of pumped water, including method of ensuring proper sediment removal should upset in dewatering system occur.

B. Quality Assurance/Control Submittals

1. In accordance with Section 01300 submit the following:
 - a. Dewatering systems to be designed under the direct supervision of a professional Civil Engineer registered in the state which the work is to be done.
 - b. Provide documentation demonstrating ability and experience of installing contractor for the type of conditions under this contract.
 - c. Names, addresses and telephone numbers of supervisory personnel actively involved in at least five successful projects requiring dewatering.

1.05 PROJECT/SITE CONDITIONS

A. Environmental Requirements

1. Dispose of all pumped water in accordance with all U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Massachusetts Department of Environmental Protection (MassDEP), and **Town of Middleborough** requirements.

B. Existing Conditions

1. Soil borings have not been advanced as part of this contract.
2. Groundwater measurements have not been taken for this contract.
3. Groundwater surface is subject to fluctuations during periods of heavy precipitation.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 SITE PREPARATION

A. Surface Drainage

1. Construct dikes, ditches, pipelines, sumps or other means to intercept and divert precipitation and surface water away from excavations.

B. Drainage of Excavated Areas

1. Construct dikes, ditches, pipelines, sumps or other means to collect surface and seepage water which may enter the excavation.
2. Discharge water through settling basins or method approved by Engineer when water is to be deposited into an existing watercourse.

3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. Advise Engineer of changes made to Operation Plan as submitted under article 1.04 of this section, made to accommodate field conditions.

3.03 MONITORING

- A. Observe and record daily the elevation of the groundwater during the length of the dewatering operation and provide data to Engineer on daily basis.

3.04 OPERATION

- A. Operate dewatering systems to lower the groundwater level in excavations allowing all subsequent work to be done on a stable dry subgrade.
- B. Modify dewatering procedures which cause, or threaten to cause, damage to new or existing facilities, to prevent further damage. Modifications made at no additional expense to the Owner.

- C. Maintain the water level a minimum of two (2) feet below subgrade or at lower elevation to eliminate hydrostatic pressure on structures.
- D. Prevent disturbance of foundation soils and loss of ground as water is removed.
- E. Notify the Engineer of disturbance to the foundation soils caused by an interruption or inadequacy of the dewatering system.
- F. Maintain on site, auxiliary equipment to operate the dewatering system continuously while excavations are opened below elevation of final grade.

3.05 TREATMENT OF WATER

- A. Provide treatment methods to meet or exceed the standards set forth in the Discharge Permit and all applicable local, state, and federal discharge standards.

3.06 DISPOSAL OF WATER

- A. Discharge water in a manner that will not cause erosion, flooding, damage to existing facilities, completed Work or adjacent property, improved or otherwise.

3.07 REMOVAL

- A. Remove all material and equipment from the site upon completion of dewatering operations.
- B. Seal all dewatering wells upon completion of the dewatering by pressure injecting a grout capable of sealing the wells and preventing leakage.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 02200

EARTH EXCAVATION, BACKFILL, FILL AND GRADING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Requirements for; excavating in earth for trenches and structures; backfilling excavations; furnishing necessary material; compaction; constructing embankments and fills; miscellaneous earth excavations and miscellaneous grading.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 01025 - Measurement and Payment
2. Section 01410 - Testing Laboratory Services
3. Section 02140 – Dewatering
4. Section 02160 – Excavation Support
5. Section 02215 - Aggregate Materials
6. Section 03300 - Cast-In-Place Concrete

1.02 REFERENCES

A. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM).

1. D1557, Standard Test Methods for Laboratory Compaction Characteristics of Soil Using Modified Effort (56,000 ft-lbf/ft³ (2,700 kN-m/m³)).

1.03 MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT PROCEDURES

A. Sheeting

1. As specified in SECTION 01025, Contractor paid only for certain sheeting left in place.

B. Test Pits

1. Where determination of the exact location of pipe or other underground structure is necessary for doing the work properly, the Contractor may be required to excavate test pits to determine such locations. When such test pits may be properly considered as incidental to other excavation, the Contractor shall receive no additional compensation, the work being understood to be included as part of the excavation. When the Engineer orders test pits beyond the limits of

excavation he considers a part of the work, such test pits shall be paid for as specified in SECTION 01025.

1.04 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Field Samples

1. Provide samples of materials as requested by the Engineer, to the Quality Control Engineer hired by the Owner, prior to delivery of materials on site, in order to facilitate field testing of compaction operations and material properties.

1.05 PROJECT/SITE CONDITIONS

A. Existing Conditions

1. There are pipes, drains, and other utilities in locations not indicated on drawings, no attempt has been made to show all services, and completeness or accuracy of information given is not guaranteed.

1.06 MAINTENANCE

- A. Maintain all work in accordance with SECTION 01800.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

A. Suitable Aggregate

1. The nature of materials will govern both acceptability for backfill and methods best suited for placement and compaction.
2. All material whether from excavations or from borrow pits, after being placed and properly compact, will make a dense stable fill and containing no vegetation, masses of roots, individual roots more than 18 inches long, or more than 1/2 inch in diameter, stones over 6 inches in diameter, or porous matter.
3. Organic matter to be well distributed and not to exceed minor quantities.

B. Trench and Excavation Backfill

1. In general, and unless other material is indicated on drawings or specified, material used for backfilling trenches and excavations shall be suitable material which was removed in the course of making the construction excavations. If sufficient suitable material is not available from the excavations, the backfill material shall be crushed stone, gravel borrow or select borrow as directed by the Engineer, in according to respective Specification Sections.

C. Structure Backfill

1. Unless otherwise indicated or specified, all fill and backfill under structures and pavement adjacent to structures shall be compacted gravel borrow containing not more than 10 percent material passing a 200 sieve. When coarse aggregate and fine aggregate are indicated or specified for use under structures, they shall conform to the requirements for coarse and fine aggregate specified in SECTION 03300.

D. Filling and Embankment Backfill

1. Suitable selected materials available from the excavations and not required for backfill around pipes or against structures may be used for filling and building embankments, except as otherwise specified. Material needed in addition to that available from construction operations shall be obtained from suitable gravel banks or other suitable deposits. The Contractor shall furnish, at his own expense, all borrow material needed on the work.

E. Additional materials

1. Concrete: In accordance with SECTION 03300.
2. Crushed stone: In accordance with SECTION 02215.
3. Gravel borrow: In accordance with SECTION 02215.
4. Selected borrow: In accordance with SECTION 02215.

2.02 EQUIPMENT

A. Well Points

1. Designed to drain soil and prevent saturated soil from flowing into excavation.

B. Pumping Units

1. Designed for use with the wellpoints, capable of maintaining a high vacuum and, handling large volumes of air and water at the same time.

C. Underdrain Pipe

1. HDPE pipe enclosed in crushed stone encased in filter fabric.
2. Sewer pipe of quality known as "seconds".

2.03 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Provide Engineer with access to location of off-site sources of materials.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify all existing utilities and facilities prior to excavation.

3.02 PROTECTION

A. Utilities

1. Support and protect from damage existing pipes, poles, wires, fences, curbing, property line markers, and other structures, which the Engineer decides must be preserved in place without being temporarily or permanently relocated.
2. Restore items damaged during construction without compensation, to a condition at least equal prior to construction.

B. Trees

1. Enclose the trunks of trees adjacent to work with substantial wooden boxes of height necessary to protect trees from injury from piled material, equipment, operations or otherwise.
2. Employ excavating machinery and cranes of suitable type and size and operate with care to prevent injury to trees not to be cut and particularly to overhanging branches and limbs.
3. When trimming is required, make all cuts smooth and neat without splitting or crushing.
4. Cover cut areas with an application of grafting wax or tree healing paint.
5. Branches, limbs, and roots shall not be cut except by permission of the Engineer.

C. Plantings

1. Protect by suitable means or temporarily replant and maintain cultivated hedges, shrubs, and plants which may be injured by the Contractor's operations
2. Replant in their original positions and care for until growth is re-established, once the construction operations have been substantially completed.
3. If cultivated hedges, shrubs, and plants are injured to such a degree as to affect their growth or diminish their beauty or usefulness, they shall be replaced by items of kind and quality at least equal to which existed prior to the start of the Work.

D. Paved surfaces

1. Do not use or operate tractors, bulldozers, or other power-operated equipment with treads or wheels shaped as to cut or injure paved surfaces.

2. All surfaces which have been injured by the Contractor's operations shall be restored to a condition at least equal to which existed prior to start of the Work.
3. Suitable materials and methods shall be used for such restoration.

3.03 PREPARATION

A. Pavement Removal

1. Remove only existing pavement as necessary for the prosecution of the work.
2. Engineer may require that pavement be cut with pneumatic tools or saws without extra compensation to Contractor, where in the opinion of the Engineer it is necessary to prevent damage to the remaining road surface.
3. Dispose large of pieces of broken pavement before proceeding with excavation.

B. Topsoil Removal

1. From areas which excavations are to be made, loam and topsoil shall be carefully removed and separately stored to be used again as directed; or, if the Contractor prefers not to separate surface materials, he shall furnish, as directed, loam and topsoil at least equal in quantity and quality to that excavated.

C. Subgrade

1. Remove loam and topsoil, loose vegetable matter, stumps, large roots, etc., from areas where embankments will be built or material will be placed for grading.
2. Shape as indicated on the drawings and prepare by forking, furrowing, or plowing to bond first layer of the new material placed.

3.04 RELOCATION AND REPLACEMENT OF EXISTING STRUCTURES

A. The structures to which the provisions of this article apply include pipes, wires, and other structures which meet all of the following:

1. Are not indicated on the drawings or otherwise provided for.
2. Encroach upon or are encountered near and substantially parallel to the edge of the excavation.
3. In the opinion of the Engineer will impede progress to such an extent that satisfactory construction cannot proceed until they have been changed in location, removed (to be later restored), or replaced.

B. In removing existing pipes or other structures, the Contractor should use care to avoid damage to materials, and the Engineer shall include for payment only those new materials which, in his judgment, are necessary to replace those unavoidably damaged.

C. Whenever the Contractor encounters certain existing structures as described above and is so ordered in writing, he shall do the whole or such portions of the work as he

may be directed to change the location of, remove and later restore, or replace such structures, or to assist the Owner thereof in so doing. For all such work, the Contractor shall be paid under such items of work as may be applicable, otherwise as Extra Work.

- D. When fences interfere with the Contractor's operations, he shall remove and (unless otherwise specified) later restore them to a condition which existed prior to the start of the Work, all without additional compensation. The restoration of fences shall be done as promptly as possible and not left until the end of the construction period.

3.05 SHEETING AND BRACING

- A. Furnish, put in place, and maintain such sheeting, bracing, etc., as necessary to support the sides of the excavation and to prevent any movement of earth which could in any way diminish the width of the excavation to less than that necessary for proper construction, or could otherwise injure or delay the work, or endanger adjacent structures.
- B. Whenever possible, sheeting shall be driven ahead of the excavation to avoid loss of material from behind the sheeting. If it is necessary to excavate below the sheeting, care shall be taken to avoid trimming behind the face along which the sheeting will be driven. Care shall be taken to prevent voids outside of the sheeting, but, if voids occur, they shall be filled immediately with sand and compacted.
- C. Leave in place to be embedded in the backfill, or concrete, all sheeting, bracing, etc., which is indicated on the drawings to be left in place. Leave in place any and all other sheeting, bracing, etc., which the Engineer may direct to leave in place, at any time during the progress of the work, for the purpose of preventing injury to structures or property.
- D. The Engineer may direct that sheeting and bracing to be left in place be cut off at any specified elevation.
- E. All sheeting and bracing not to be left in place shall be carefully removed in such manner as not to endanger the construction or other structures. All voids left or caused by the withdrawal of sheeting shall be backfilled immediately using suitable materials and compaction methods.

3.06 DEWATERING

- A. Ensure proper conditions at all times during construction, provide and maintain ample means and devices (including spare units kept ready for immediate use in case of breakdowns) to intercept and/or remove promptly and dispose properly all water entering trenches and other excavations. Keep excavations dry until the structures, pipes, and appurtenances to be built therein have been completed to such extent that they will not be floated or otherwise damaged.

- B. Disposed of all water pumped or drained from the work in a suitable manner without undue interference with other work, damage to pavements, other surfaces, or property. Provide suitable temporary pipes, flumes, or channels for water that may flow along or across the site of the work.
- C. Provide adequate sedimentation and/or erosion control methods at all times to ensure soil stabilization and protection of surrounding areas including any designated wetlands and/or waterways encountered.
- D. Underdrains
 - 1. Temporary underdrains, if used, shall be laid in trenches beneath the grade of the structure. Trenches shall be of suitable dimensions to provide room for the chosen size of underdrain and its surrounding gravel.
 - 2. Underdrains, if used, shall be laid at a suitable distance below the bottom of the normal excavation and with open joints wrapped in cheesecloth or filter fabric approved by the Engineer, and entirely surrounded by graded gravel, or crushed stone to prevent the admission of sand or other soil into the underdrains. The distance between the bottom of the pipe or structure and the top of the bell of the underdrain pipe shall be at least 3 in. unless otherwise permitted. The space between the underdrain and the pipe or structure shall be filled with graded gravel or crushed stone which shall be rammed if necessary and left with a surface suitable for laying the pipe or building the structure.
- E. Drainage Wellpoint System
 - 1. If necessary, dewater the excavations by means of an efficient drainage wellpoint system which will drain the soil and prevent saturated soil from flowing into the excavation.
 - 2. The installation of the wellpoints and pump shall be done under the supervision of a competent representative of the manufacturer. The Contractor shall do all special work such as surrounding the wellpoints with sand or gravel or other work which is necessary for the wellpoint system to operate for the successful dewatering of the excavations.

3.07 EXCAVATION

- A. Execute operation of dewatering, sheeting and bracing without undermining or disturbing foundations of existing structures or of work previously completed under this contract.
- B. Excavate to widths that provide suitable room for:
 - 1. Building structures or laying and jointing piping.
 - 2. Placing all sheeting, bracing, and supports.
 - 3. Cofferdamming, pumping and draining.

- C. Render bottom of excavations firm, dry and acceptable in all respects.
- D. Do not plow, scrap or dig by machinery, earth at finished subgrade which results in disturbance of material below subgrade, unless indicated or specified, and remove with pick and shovel, last of material to be excavated, just before placing pipe, masonry or other structure.
- E. Make all excavations in open, except as otherwise specified or permitted.
- F. Excavation Near Existing Facilities
 - 1. As the excavation approaches pipes, conduits, or other underground structures, digging by machinery shall be discontinued and the excavation shall be done by means of hand tools. Such manual excavation when incidental to normal excavation shall be included in the work to be done under items involving normal excavation.
- G. Unauthorized Excavation
 - 1. If the bottom of any excavation is taken out beyond the limits indicated or prescribed, the resulting void shall be backfilled at the Contractor's expense with thoroughly compacted gravel borrow, if the excavation was for a pipeline, or with Class B concrete, if the excavation was for a masonry structure.
- H. Unsuitable Material
 - 1. If material unsuitable for foundation (in the opinion of the Engineer) is found at or below the grade to which excavation would normally be carried in accordance with the drawings and/or specifications, the Contractor shall remove such material to the required width and depth and replace it with thoroughly compacted, crushed stone, gravel borrow, fine aggregate or concrete as directed.

3.08 TRENCHING

A. Trench Excavation

- 1. Where pipe is to be laid in specified bedding material or concrete cradle, the trench may be excavated by machinery to, or to just below, the designated subgrade, provided that the material remaining at the bottom of the trench is no more than slightly disturbed, as approved by the Engineer.
- 2. Where pipe is to be laid directly on the trench bottom, the lower part of trenches in earth shall not be excavated to subgrade by machinery, but, just before the pipe is to be placed, the last of the material to be excavated shall be removed by means of hand tools to form a flat or shaped bottom, true to grade, so that the pipe will have a uniform and continuous bearing and support on firm and undisturbed material between joints except for limited areas where the use of pipe slings may have disturbed the bottom.

B. Depth Of Trench

1. Excavate trench to depths permitting the pipe to be laid at the elevations, slopes, or depths of cover indicated on the drawings, and at uniform slopes between indicated elevations.

C. Width Of Trench

1. Excavate trench as narrow as practicable and do not widen by scraping or loosening materials from the sides. Every effort shall be made to keep the sides of the trenches firm and undisturbed until backfilling has been completed and consolidated.
2. Excavate trenches with approximately vertical sides between the elevation of the center of the pipe and an elevation 1 ft. above the top of the pipe.

D. Trench Excavation In Fill

1. If pipe is to be laid in embankments or other recently filled material, the material shall first be placed to the top of the fill or to a height of at least 1 ft. above the top of the pipe, whichever is the lesser. Particular care shall be taken to ensure maximum consolidation of material under the pipe location. The pipe trench shall then be excavated as though in undisturbed material.

- E. Length of trench open at any one time will be controlled by conditions, subject to any limits that may be prescribed by Engineer.

3.09 BACKFILLING

A. General

1. Frozen material shall not be placed in the backfill nor shall backfill be placed upon frozen material. Previously frozen material shall be removed or shall be otherwise treated as required, before new backfill is placed.

B. Fill And Backfill Under Structures

1. The fill and backfill materials shall be placed in layers not exceeding 6 in. in thickness. Unless otherwise indicated or specified, each layer shall be compacted to 95 percent in accordance with ASTM D1557.

C. Backfilling Around Structures

1. Do not place backfill against or on structures until they have attained sufficient strength to support the loads (including construction loads) to which they will be subjected, without distortion, cracking, or other damage. As soon as practicable after the structures are structurally adequate and other necessary work has been done, special leakage tests, if required, shall be made. Promptly after the completion of such tests, the backfilling shall be started and then shall proceed until its completion. The best of the excavated materials shall be used in

backfilling within 2 ft. of the structure. Unequal soil pressures shall be avoided by depositing the material evenly around the structure.

2. The material shall be placed and compacted to 90 percent in accordance with ASTM D1557 unless otherwise indicated or specified.

D. Backfilling Pipe Trenches

1. As soon as practicable after the pipes have been laid and the joints have acquired a suitable degree of hardness, if applicable, or the structures have been built and are structurally adequate to support the loads, including construction loads to which they will be subjected, the backfilling shall be started and thereafter it shall proceed until its completion.
2. With the exception mentioned below in this paragraph, trenches shall not be backfilled at pipe joints until after that section of the pipeline has successfully passed any specified tests required. Should the Contractor wish to minimize the maintenance of lights and barricades and the obstruction of traffic, he may, at his own risk backfill the entire trench, omitting or including backfill at joints as soon as practicable after the joints have acquired a suitable degree of hardness, if applicable, and the related structures have acquired a suitable degree of strength. He shall, however, be responsible for removing and later replacing such backfill, at his own expense, should he be ordered to do so in order to locate and repair or replace leaking or defective joints or pipe.
3. No stone or rock fragment larger than 6 in. in greatest dimension shall be placed in the backfill nor shall large masses of backfill material be dropped into the trench in such a manner as to endanger the pipeline. If necessary, a timber grillage shall be used to break the fall of material dropped from a height of more than 5 ft. Pieces of bituminous pavement shall be excluded from the backfill unless their use is expressly permitted, in which case they shall be broken up as directed.
4. Zone Around Pipe
 - a. Backfilled with the materials and to the limits indicated on the drawings.
 - b. Material shall be compacted to 90 percent by tamping.
5. Remainder of Trench
 - a. Compact by water-jetting, or tamping, in accordance with the nature of the material to 95 percent in accordance with ASTM D1557. Water-jetting may be used wherever the material does not contain so much clay or loam as to delay or prevent satisfactory drainage. However, tamping shall be used if water-jetting does not compact the material to the density required.
6. Excavated material which is acceptable to the Engineer for surfacing or pavement subbase shall be placed at the top of the backfill to such depths as may be specified elsewhere or as directed. The surface shall be brought to the required grade and stones raked out and removed.

E. Placing And Compacting Embankment Material

1. After the subgrade has been prepared as hereinbefore specified, the material shall be placed thereon and built up in successive layers until it has reached the required elevation.
2. Layers shall not exceed 12 in. in thickness before compaction. In embankments at structures, the layers shall have a slight downward slope away from the structure; in other embankments the layers shall have a slight downward slope away from the center. In general, the finer and less pervious materials shall be placed against the structures or in the center, and the coarser and more pervious materials, upon the outer parts of embankments.
3. Each layer of material shall be compacted by the use of approved rollers or other approved means so as to secure a dense, stable, and thoroughly compacted mass. At such points as cannot be reached by mobile mechanical equipment, the materials shall be thoroughly compacted by the use of suitable power-driven tampers.
4. Previously placed or new materials shall be moistened by sprinkling, if required, to ensure proper bond and compaction. No compacting shall be done when the material is too wet, from either rain or too great an application of water, to compact it properly; at such times the work shall be suspended until the previously placed and new materials have dried out sufficiently to permit proper compaction, or such other precautions shall be taken as may be necessary to obtain proper compaction.
5. The portion of embankments constructed below proposed structures shall be compacted to 95 percent in accordance with ASTM D1557. The top 2 ft. of an embankment below a pavement base shall be compacted to 95 percent. All other embankments shall be compacted to 90 percent in accordance with ASTM D1557.

3.10 METHODS OF COMPACTION

A. Water-Jetting

1. Saturate backfill material throughout its full depth and at frequent intervals across and along the trench until all slumping ceases.
2. Furnish one or more jet pipes, each of sufficient length to reach the specified depth and of sufficient diameter (not less than 1-1/4 in.) to supply an adequate flow of water to compact the material.
3. Equip jet pipe with a quick-acting valve, supply water through a fire hose from a hydrant or a pump having adequate pressure and capacity to achieve the required results.

B. Tamping and Rolling

1. Deposit backfill material and spread in uniform, parallel layers not exceeding 8 in. thick before compaction. Before the next layer is placed, each layer shall be

tamped to obtain a thoroughly compacted mass. Care shall be taken that the material close to the bank, as well as in all other portions of the trench, is thoroughly compacted. When the trench width and the depth to which backfill has been placed are sufficient to make it feasible, and it can be done effectively and without damage to the pipe, backfill may, on approval, be compacted by the use of suitable rollers, tractors, or similar power equipment instead of by tamping. For compaction by tamping (or rolling), the rate at which backfilling material is deposited in the trench shall not exceed that permitted by the facilities for its spreading, leveling, and compacting.

2. If necessary to ensure proper compaction by tamping (or rolling), the backfill material shall first be wet by sprinkling. However, no compaction by tamping (or rolling) shall be done when the material is too wet either from rain or too great an application of water to be compacted properly; at such times the work shall be suspended until the previously placed and new materials have dried out sufficiently to permit proper compacting, or such other precautions shall be taken as may be necessary to obtain proper compaction.

C. Miscellaneous Requirements.

1. Whatever method of compacting backfill is used, care shall be taken that stones and lumps shall not become nested and that all voids between stones shall be completely filled with fine material. Only suitable quantities of stones and rock fragments shall be used in the backfill; the Contractor shall, as part of the work done under the items involving earth excavation and rock excavation as appropriate, furnish and place all other necessary backfill material.
2. All voids left by the removal of sheeting shall be completely backfilled with suitable materials, and thoroughly compacted.

3.11 DISPOSAL OF SURPLUS EXCAVATED MATERIALS

- A. No excavated materials shall be removed from the site of the work or disposed of by the Contractor except as directed or permitted by the Engineer.
- B. Surplus excavated materials suitable for backfill shall be used to backfill normal excavations in rock or to replace other materials unacceptable for use as backfill; shall be neatly deposited and graded so as to make or widen fills, flatten side slopes, or fill depressions; or shall be neatly deposited for other purposes within a haul of 1 mile from the point of excavation; all as directed or permitted and without additional compensation.
- C. Surplus excavated materials not needed as specified above shall be hauled away and dumped by the Contractor, at his expense, at appropriate locations, and in accordance with arrangements made by him.

3.12 DISPOSAL OF SPECIAL WASTES

- A. The Contractor's attention is directed to the requirements set forth by the State of Massachusetts, Department of Environmental Protection, (MA DEP) regarding "Special Wastes" and the proper disposal thereof. All waste materials and debris, as designated by the Owner and/or Engineer, including but not limited to any sewers, storm drains, catchbasins, and combined system pipelines and associated structures, or any portions thereof, including but not limited to sludge, grit, sediment, dirt, sand, rock, grease, roots and other liquid, solid or semi-solid materials contained therein, shall be considered "Special Wastes." In addition, any excavated soils contaminated in any manner, as designated by the Owner and/or Engineer, shall also fall under this category and shall be handled the same. When so encountered, all such materials and debris shall be removed to the extent so ordered by the Engineer and properly disposed of in strict compliance with the requirements of the MA DEP and other regulating authorities to an approved and certified waste disposal site. It shall remain the sole responsibility of the Contractor to apply for and obtain all required permits, bonds and/or insurance relative to such disposal. The Contractor shall also pay all costs associated with the disposal, required permits, bonds and insurance with no additional expense to the Owner. All handling of such "Special Waste" shall be done in strict compliance with the MA DEP requirements and/or any other federal, state or local agency having jurisdiction or authority over the same. Under no circumstances shall sewage, solids or other "Special Wastes" removed from the sewer lines be dumped or spilled onto the streets or into ditches, catch basins or storm drains. The Contractor must use watertight and State approved vehicles in transporting any wastes as hereinbefore designated.
- B. The Contractor shall indemnify and save harmless the Owner and Engineer and all persons acting for or on behalf of the Owner and Engineer from all claims and liability of any nature or kind, and all damages, costs and expenses, including attorney's fees and penalties, arising from the improper handling, transportation or disposal of "Special Wastes" as determined by the MA DEP and/or any other federal, state or local agency having jurisdiction or authority over the same.

3.13 DUST CONTROL

- A. During the progress of the Work, maintain the area of activities, by sweeping and sprinkling of streets to minimize the creation and dispersion of dust. If the Engineer decides that it is necessary to use calcium chloride for more effective dust control, the Contractor shall furnish and spread the material, as directed.

3.14 BRIDGING TRENCHES

- A. Provide suitable and safe bridges and other crossings where required for the accommodation of travel, and to provide access to private property during construction. Remove once bridges and crossings are no longer needed.

3.15 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. Site Tests

1. In accordance with SECTION 01410

3.16 CARE AND RESTORATION OF PROPERTY

- A. Restoration of existing property or structures done as promptly as practicable and not left until the end of the construction period.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 02210

ROCK EXCAVATION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Requirements for removal and disposal of rock.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 00500-Agreement
2. Section 00800- Supplementary Conditions
3. Section 02200-Earth Excavation, Backfill, Fill and Grading

1.02 DEFINITIONS

- ###### A. Rock-as defined in SECTION 00500.

1.03 REQUIREMENTS

- ###### A. Excavate rock if encountered, to the lines and grades indicated on the drawings or as directed, dispose of the excavated material, and furnish acceptable material for backfill in place of the excavated rock.

- ###### B. Excavate rock in pipe trenches to a limit which provides 6-inches clearance minimum from the pipe after it has been laid. Before the pipe is laid, the trench shall be backfilled to the correct subgrade with thoroughly compacted, suitable material or, when so specified or indicated on the drawings, with the same material as that required for bedding the pipe, furnished and placed at the expense of the Contractor.

- ###### C. The use of explosives will not be allowed.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

NOT USED

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 EXCESS ROCK EXCAVATION

- A. If rock is excavated beyond the limits of payment indicated on the drawings, specified, or authorized in writing by the Engineer, the excess excavation, whether resulting from overbreakage or other causes, shall be backfilled, by and at the expense of the Contractor, as specified below in this section.
- B. In pipe trenches, excess excavation below the elevation of the top of the bedding, cradle, or envelope shall be filled with material of the same type, placed and compacted in the same manner, as specified for the bedding, cradle, or envelope. Excess excavation above said elevation shall be filled with earth as specified in the article titled "Backfilling Pipe Trenches" in SECTION 02200.
- C. In excavations for structures, excess excavation in the rock beneath foundations shall be filled with 3000 psi concrete. Other excess excavation shall be filled with earth as specified in the article titled "Backfilling Around Structures" in SECTION 02200.

3.02 SHATTERED ROCK

- A. If the rock below normal depth is shattered due to drilling or blasting operations of the Contractor, and the Engineer considers such shattered rock to be unfit for foundations, the shattered rock shall be removed and the excavation shall be backfilled with concrete as required, except that in pipe trenches screened gravel shall be used for backfill. All such removal and backfilling shall be done by and at the expense of the Contractor.

3.03 PREPARATION OF ROCK SURFACES

- A. Whenever so directed during the progress of the work, remove all dirt and loose rock from designated areas and shall clean the surface of the rock thoroughly, using steam to melt snow and ice, if necessary. Water in depressions shall then be removed as required so that the whole surface of the designated area can be inspected to determine whether seams or other defects exist.
- B. The surfaces of rock foundations shall be left sufficiently rough to bond well with the masonry and embankments to be built thereon, and if required, shall be cut to rough benches or steps.
- C. Before any masonry or embankment is built on or against the rock, the rock shall be scrupulously freed from all vegetation, dirt, sand, clay, boulders, scale, excessively cracked rock, loose fragments, ice, snow, and other objectionable substances. Picking, barring, wedging, streams of water under sufficient pressure, stiff brushes, hammers, steam jets, and other effective means shall be used to accomplish this cleaning. Remove free water left on the surface of the rock.

3.04 REMOVAL OF BOULDERS

- A. Remove piles of boulders and loose rock encountered within the limits of earth embankments and dispose in a suitable place.

3.05 DISPOSAL OF EXCAVATED ROCK

- A. All excavated rock shall be handled, transported and disposed of by the Contractor, at his expense, at appropriate locations, and in accordance with arrangements made by him without additional cost to the Owner.
- B. Excavated rock may be used in backfilling trenches subject to the following limitations:
 - 1. Pieces of rock larger than permitted under the article titled "Backfilling Pipe Trenches" in SECTION 02200 shall not be used for this purpose.
 - 2. The quantity of rock used as backfill in any location shall not be so great as to result in the formation of voids.
 - 3. Rock backfill shall not be placed within 36 in. of the surface of the finish grade.
- C. Surplus excavated rock shall be disposed of as specified for surplus excavated material as specified in SECTION 02200.

3.06 BACKFILLING ROCK EXCAVATIONS

- A. Where rock has been excavated and the excavation is to be backfilled, the backfilling above normal depth shall be done as specified in SECTION 02200. If material suitable for backfilling is not available in sufficient quantity from other excavations, the Contractor shall, at his own expense, furnish suitable material from outside sources.

END OF SECTION

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SECTION 02215

AGGREGATE MATERIALS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Requirements for furnishing and placing materials, which include Crushed Stone, Gravel Borrow and Selected Borrow.
2. Location of specified materials as detailed on the Drawings or as directed by the Engineer for excavation below normal depth, utility support, replacement of unsuitable material or elsewhere, as ordered.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 02200 - Earth Excavation, Backfill, Fill and Grading.
2. Section 02500 - Pavement

1.02 REFERENCES

A. American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO).

1. T11, Amount of Material Finer than 0.075 mm Sieve in Aggregate
2. T27, Sieve Analysis of Fine and Coarse Aggregates.

B. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM).

1. D1557, Standard Test Methods for Laboratory Compaction Characteristics of Soil Using Modified Effort (56,000 ft-lbf/ft³ (2,700 kN-m/m³)).

1.03 DEFINITIONS

- ###### A. The term Screened Gravel as used in the Contract Documents shall mean Crushed Stone.

1.04 SUBMITTALS

A. Shop Drawings

1. Provide sieve analysis when gradation requirements are given in the Specification.

B. Samples

1. Furnish representative sample including location of source with Shop Drawing transmittal sheet.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Field Samples

1. The attention of the Contractor is directed to the fact that under Specification SECTION 00700, 1.03 Materials and Equipment, all materials furnished by the Contractor to be incorporated into the Work shall be subject to the inspection of the Engineer. The Engineer shall be the sole judge as to the acceptability of proposed materials and said judgement shall be final, conclusive, and binding.

1.06 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

A. Storage and Protection

1. In accordance with Specification SECTION 00700, 1.03 Materials and Equipment.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

A. Crushed Stone

1. For bedding and pipe zone material for pipe larger than 3 inches diameter. Well graded in size from 3/8 inches to 3/4 inches or such other sizes as may be approved.
2. For bedding and pipe zone material for plastic pipe 3 inches diameter and less, maximum particle size shall be 3/8 inches.
3. Clean, hard, and durable particles or fragments, free from dirt, vegetation, or other objectionable matter, and free from an excess of soft, thin elongated, laminated or disintegrated pieces.
4. Screened Stone of similar size and grading to this specification may be used instead of Crushed Stone.

B. Gravel Borrow

1. Granular material well graded from fine to coarse with a maximum size of 3 inches, obtained from approved natural deposits and unprocessed except for the removal of unacceptable material and stones larger than the maximum size permitted.
2. Gravel shall not contain vegetation, masses of roots, or individual roots more than 18 inches long or more than 1/2 inches in diameter.
3. Gravel shall be substantially free from loam and other organic matter, clay and other fine or harmful substances.
4. Gradation requirements for gravel shall be determined by AASHTO-T11 and T27 and conform to the following:

Sieve	Percent Passing
1/2 inch	60-95
No. 4	50-85
No. 50	8-28
No. 200	0-8

C. Selected Borrow

1. Use natural soils and/or rock free of roots, leaves, organics and clay, having not more than 8 percent by weight passing the No. 200 sieve and having a maximum stone size no greater than two thirds the loose lift thickness.
2. Use only material well-graded throughout entire size range, free of ice or frost and aggregations of frozen soil particles.
3. Material must meet compaction requirements indicated or as specified.

D. Gravel Base Course

1. In accordance with SECTION 02500.

2.02 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

A. Test, Inspection

1. Engineer may elect to sample material supplied at the source.
2. Assist the Engineer and/or personnel from the designated testing laboratory in obtaining samples.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 INSTALLATION

A. Crushed Stone

1. Spread in layers of uniform thickness not greater than 6 inches.
2. Compact thoroughly by means of a suitable vibrator or mechanical tamper.

B. Gravel Borrow

1. Spread in layers of uniform thickness not exceeding 12 inches before compaction and moistened or allowed to dry as directed.
2. Compact thoroughly by means of suitable power-driven tampers or other power-driven equipment.
3. Compaction shall conform to 95% of minimum dry density per ASTM D1557.
4. The percolation rate for the compacted bank-run gravel shall not exceed 5 minutes per inch.

C. Selected Borrow

1. Spread in layers of uniform thickness not exceeding 12 in. (loose lift) before compaction and moistened or allowed to dry.
2. Compact thoroughly by means of suitable power-driven tampers or other power-driven equipment unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.

3.02 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. Material and compaction testing

1. In accordance with SECTION 01410.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 02224

CONTROLLED DENSITY FILL (MASSACHUSETTS)

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Requirements for controlled density fill (CDF) to be used in place of compacted soil for general backfill of trenches and/or excavations.

1.02 REFERENCES

A. American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO)

1. AASHTO M 85 - Standard Specification for Portland Cement (Chemical and Physical)
2. AASHTO M 295, Class F - Standard Specification for Coal Fly Ash and Raw or Calcined Natural Pozzolan for Use in Concrete

B. This specification makes reference to the requirements of additional specifications as listed. The Contractor shall obtain and familiarize himself with all requirements referenced by this specification prior to preparation and installation of any materials.

1. Massachusetts Department of Transportation Highway Division (massDOT), Standard Specifications for Highways and Bridges, 1988 Edition, including all addenda, issued by the State of Massachusetts Department of Transportation, (referred to as the Standard Specification).

1.03 DEFINITIONS

A. Controlled Density Fill, also known as "Flowable Fill" is a flowable, self-consolidating, rigid setting, low density material that can substitute for compacted gravel in backfills, fills and structural fills.

B. The two main categories of CDF's are Excavatable and Non-excavatable, with sub categories of flowable and very flowable.

C. Categories of CDF's:

1. Type 1 Very Flowable, non excavatable,
2. Type 1E Very Flowable, excavatable,
3. Type 2 Flowable, non excavatable,
4. Type 2E Flowable, excavatable.

D. Excavatable mixes shall be hand tool excavatable.

- E. Very Flowable shall have very flowable characteristics for distances and small hard to reach areas.

1.04 DESIGN REQUIREMENTS

- A. Provide a mixture of Portland cement, aggregates, water and mineral admixtures with a low cement content and high slump to reduce strength development for possible removal and minimize settlement after placement.
- B. The proposed mix should maximize the flow characteristics of the material while producing the necessary strength.
- C. The mixes shall have the following design strengths:
 - 1. Non excavatable fill,
 - a. Type I (very flowable) and Type 2 (flowable),
 - b. Compressive strength at 28 days = 30 to 150 psi, 200 psi maximum at 90 days.
 - 2. Excavatable fill,
 - a. Type 1E (very flowable) and Type 2E (flowable),
 - b. Compressive strength at 28 days = 30 to 80 psi, 100 psi maximum at 90 days.
- D. Specific compressive strength(s) for structural applications are noted on the Contract Drawings.
- E. Slump
 - 1. Standard method = 10 to 12-inches.
 - 2. Modified method consisting of a six inch long by three inch inside diameter straight tube of non-porous material = 9 to 14-inches.

1.05 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Provide fill of homogeneous structure which when cured, will have the required strength, water tightness, and durability. To this end, it is essential that careful attention be given to the selection of materials, mixtures, placing and curing of the fill.

1.06 SUBMITTALS

- A. In accordance with Section 01300, submit the following,
 - 1. Mix design data not limited to, but including maximum and minimum strengths, air content, setting times, flowability and yield.
 - 2. Certification by the supplier stating compatibility with the project requirements and the Contractor's installation methods.

1.07 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Furnish the supplier with information as to the intended use of the CDF.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

- A. Portland cement,
 - 1. In accordance with AASHTO M85.
- B. Fly Ash (very flowable),
 - 1. In accordance with AASHTO M295, Type F.
- C. Sand,
 - 1. In accordance with Standard Specification M4.02.02
- D. Water,
 - 1. Clean and potable.
- E. Air entraining admixtures,
 - 1. In accordance with Standard Specification M4.02.05.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 GENERAL

- A. The Contractor shall follow the guideline set forth in ACI 229, except non-standard materials shall not be used.

3.02 PREPARATION

- A. Pipes and all other members to be encased in CDF shall be temporarily secured in place to prevent displacement during fill placement.
- B. To reduce hydrostatic pressure and limit displacement potential, Contractor may use a high air generator in the fill mixture to lower unit weights.
- C. Pre-job test all pump applications prior to day of placement with actual equipment.
- D. Secure site during the placement for the CDF. Cautions include but are not limited to barricades, fences, lights and steel plates.

E. Work shall be sequenced so as to keep traffic flowing within the project area.

3.03 INSTALLATION

A. CDF shall be batched at concrete plants and hauled to job sites in ready-mix trucks with continuous agitating drums and be discharged with slumps as indicated.

B. During waiting period prior to discharge, truck drums shall agitate mixture.

C. CDF shall be installed in accordance with supplier's recommendations, be flowable and require no vibration.

3.04 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

A. All CDF to be used in the work shall be subject to testing to determine whether it conforms to the requirements of the specifications. The methods of testing shall be in accordance with the Standard Specification, and as approved by the Engineer.

B. The place, time, frequency, and method of sampling will be determined by the Engineer in accordance with the particular conditions of this project.

3.05 PROTECTION

A. Open excavations containing uncured CDF shall not be left uncovered overnight.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 02272

GEOTEXTILE MATERIALS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Requirements for installation of geotextile filter fabric in trenches and under riprap.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 02100 - Site Preparation
2. Section 02200 – Earthwork
3. Section 02215 – Aggregate Materials

1.02 REFERENCES

A. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)

1. D3786, Test Method for Hydraulic Bursting Strength of Knitted Goods and Nonwoven Fabrics: Diaphragm Bursting Strength Tester Method
2. D4355, Test Method for Deterioration of Geotextiles From Exposure to Ultraviolet Light and Water (Xenon-Arc Type Apparatus)
3. D4491, Test Method for Water Permeability of Geotextiles by Permittivity
4. D4533, Test Method for Trapezoid Tearing Strength of Geotextiles
5. D4632, Test Method for Grab Breaking Load and Elongation of Geotextiles
6. D4751, Test Method for Determining Apparent Opening Size of a Geotextile
7. D4833, Test Method for Index Puncture Resistance of Geotextiles, Geomembranes and Related Products
8. D5261, Measuring Mass Per Unit Area of Geotextiles.
9. D6241, Standard Test Method for the Static Puncture Strength of Geotextiles and Geotextile-Related Products Using a 50-mm Probe

1.03 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. General

1. Producer of fabric to maintain competent laboratory at point of manufacture to insure quality control in accordance with ASTM testing procedures.

2. Laboratory to maintain records of quality control results.

1.04 SUBMITTALS

A. Shop Drawings

1. Submit in accordance with SECTION 01300
2. Include manufacturer's recommended method of joining of adjacent fabric panels.

B. Certificate of Conformance

1. Upon each shipment/delivery of product to the work site, furnish mill certificate(s) from the company manufacturing the fabric attesting that the fabric meets the chemical, physical, manufacturing and performance requirements specified. Fabric will be rejected if it is found to have defects, rips, flaws, deterioration or other damage.

1.05 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Provide fabric in rolls wrapped with a heavy-duty protective covering to protect fabric from, mud, dirt, dust, debris and other deleterious sources until it is installed. Label each roll of fabric with number or symbol to identify production run.
- B. Do not expose fabric to ultraviolet radiation (sunlight) for more than 20 days total in period of time following manufacture until fabric is installed and covered.
- C. If Engineer determines material is damaged in any way or has excessive sunlight exposure, the Contractor shall immediately make all repairs and replacements as directed by the Engineer, at no additional cost to the Owner.

1.06 SCHEDULING

- A. Schedule Work so that the covering of the fabric with a layer of the cover material is accomplished immediately after inspection and approval of the placed fabric by the Engineer. Failure to comply with this requirement shall require replacement of the fabric.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURER/MATERIAL

- A. The geotextile fabric shall be nonwoven polypropylene designated as MIRAFI 140N as manufactured by Nicolon Corporation/Mirafi Group, Norcross, Georgia; or acceptable equivalent and shall meet the following minimum requirements:

<u>Minimum Property (Unit)</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Test Method</u>	<u>Requirements</u>
Weight	oz/sy	ASTM D5261	4.3
Grab Tensile Strength	lbs	ASTM D4632	120
Grab Tensile Elongation	%	ASTM D4632	50
Mullen Burst Strength	psi	ASTM D3786	240
Puncture Strength	lbs	ASTM D6241	310
Trapezoid Tear Strength	lbs	ASTM D4533	50
Apparent Opening Size (AOS)	US Std. Sieve (mm)	ASTM D4751	70 (0.21)
Permittivity	sec ⁻¹	ASTM D4491	1.5
Permeability	cm/sec	ASTM D4491	0.22
Flow Rate	gal/min/sf	ASTM D4491	120
Ultraviolet Resistance (strength retained at 500 hrs)	%	ASTM D4355	70

- B. To keep the number of overlay joints to a minimum, fabric shall be provided in sections not less than fifteen (15) feet in width unless otherwise approved by the Engineer prior to delivery to the site.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 SUBGRADE PREPARATION

A. For Riprap

1. Prepared areas to receive geotextile in accordance with SECTION 02100 and SECTION 02200
2. Clear subgrade of all sharp objects, large stones, roots, debris, or any other foreign materials that may contribute to puncturing, shearing, rupturing or tearing of the geotextile.
3. Grade area as smooth as possible and compact in accordance with SECTION 02200, with a vibratory roller or other method approved by the Engineer.
4. Inspect subgrade and repair all unstable areas or soft spots with the installation of gravel and recompact prior to the placement of geotextile.

3.02 FABRIC INSTALLATION

A. For Riprap

1. Place at the locations shown on the Contract Drawings.
2. Unroll directly onto the prepared slope in a continuous manner. Join adjacent sections by overlapping the fabric a minimum of 12-inches. Join end sections by

overlapping the fabric a minimum of 2-feet with field-sewn joints or as recommended by the manufacturer.

3. Place fabric on slopes creating a “shingled” effect in the direction of anticipated water flow.
4. Lay fabric smooth, maximizing surface contact with the prepared subbase, free of tension, stress, folds, wrinkles, or creases.
5. Securely anchor fabric sections at the top of the slope as recommended by the manufacturer. Use anchoring pins, nails, staples or other such means to secure fabric to the subbase surface to prevent fabric movement caused by wind uplift, and/or placement of cover material.
6. Maintain sufficient amount of cover material (minimum depth of 6-inches) to protect fabric during placement of riprap. Dozer buckets or blades, or other heavy or damaging equipment shall not be in direct contact with the fabric.
7. Minimize the height from which cover material is dumped and/or dropped directly onto the fabric material in order to avoid fabric damage or movement. Equipment used for spreading and compacting the cover material shall be of the type and size to avoid damage or movement to the underlying geotextile fabric.
8. Spread cover material in the direction of fabric overlap and in a manner that avoids creating undue tension, stress, sagging, buckling and/or other movement of the underlying fabric.

B. Fabric Installation in Trenches

1. In accordance with manufacturers recommendations
2. Place fabric in trench prior to placing crushed stone pipe bedding.
3. Overlap fabric 18-inches minimum for unsewn lap joints.
4. Do not permit equipment to travel directly on fabric.
5. Place fabric in smooth condition to prevent tearing or puncture.
6. Lay fabric loosely, without wrinkles or creases.
7. Leave slack in fabric to allow for adjustment.

3.03 PROTECTION

- A. Protect the work before, during and after installation, and protect the installed work covered by other Sections.

3.04 REPAIR

- A. Geotextile fabric damaged during installation shall be repaired by a piece of geotextile material cut, placed and adequately anchored over the damaged area, subject to a 3-foot minimum overlap requirement or as directed by the Engineer.

- B. If detrimental movement of the geotextile fabric occurs during any step of the installation, as determined solely by the Engineer, the Contractor shall remove the cover material and/or sections of fabric to the limits deemed necessary and reinstall the fabric.
- C. Any fabric damage during its installation or during placement of cover materials shall be replaced by the Contractor at no additional cost to the Owner.

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SECTION 02277

STRAW WATTLES

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements to furnish and install straw wattles, as indicated on the Drawings and as herein specified.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. In accordance with SECTION 01300 submit product details, manufacturers installation instructions and certifications.

1.03 STORAGE

- A. Store wattles off the ground and covered to protect from site construction damage, precipitation, sunlight (ultraviolet light), chemicals, open flames, sparks or other conditions which may damage the rolls.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

A. Straw Wattles

1. Machine produced.
2. Straw filled tubes of compacted straw of rice, wheat or barley.
3. Straw wattles to be certified as weed free.
4. Netting for tubes to be seamless, high density polyethylene with ultra violet inhibitors.
5. Roll length to be 10.0 feet to 25.0 feet.
6. Weight per linear foot,
 - a. 12-inch: 2.5 lbs. minimum
 - b. 9-inch: 1.5 lbs. minimum
7. Stakes shall be wooden, 1 1/8-inch x 1 1/8-inch x 2.5 feet long, with lower ends tapered to facilitate driving into compacted soil. Rebar may be substituted for wooden stakes.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 INSTALLATION

A. Straw Wattles

1. Install at locations indicated on the Drawings or as directed by the Engineer.
2. Remove all rocks, vegetation or other obstructions at straw wattle location.
3. Excavate a trench approximately 2 to 3-inches deep to accept the straw wattle and place straw wattle in trench.
4. Anchor straw wattle with stakes placed a maximum of 4-feet apart.
5. The end stakes shall be placed 6-inches from the end of straw wattle and angled toward previously laid straw wattle to force straw wattles together.
6. Refer to detail on Drawings for additional installation requirements.

3.02 MAINTENANCE

1. Maintain straw wattles throughout the duration of the project.
 - a. Damaged or displaced straw wattles shall be replaced by the Contractor at no additional cost to the Owner.
2. Remove sediments when depths accumulate to 50% of the depth of the straw wattle height, or as necessary.

3.03 REMOVAL AT PROJECT COMPLETION

- A. Remove all sediment collected by the straw wattle, remove the straw wattle, and restore the area to pre-construction condition to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

END OF SECTION

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

A. Asphalt Tack

1. Tack coat shall consist of emulsified asphalt, grade RS-1 or cutback asphalt, conforming to the requirements of the MassDOT Standard Specification Section M3.03.0.

B. Bituminous Base Course Trench Width (Permanent Pavement)

1. Bituminous Base Course shall conform to the requirements of the MassDOT Standard Specification Section 460 SUPERPAVE Base Course 37.5 (SBC-37.5) and M3.06.0 Hot Mix Asphalt.

C. Bituminous Surface Course, Trench Width (Permanent Pavement)

1. Bituminous Surface Course shall conform to the requirements of the MassDOT Standard Specification Section 460 SUPERPAVE Surface Course 12.5 (SSC-12.5) and M3.06.0 Hot Mix Asphalt.

D. Bituminous Base Course Trench Width (Temporary Pavement)

1. Temporary Pavement shall be Binder Course conforming to the requirements of the MassDOT Standard Specification Section 460 SUPERPAVE Base Course 37.5 and M3.06.0 Hot Mix Asphalt.

E. Dense-Graded Crushed Stone Base Course (Temporary and Permanent)

1. The dense graded crushed stone base course shall consist of coarse aggregates of crushed stone or gravel and fine aggregates of natural sand or stone screenings. Uniformly pre-mixed with a predetermined quantity of water and placed on the sub-base in close conformity with the lines and grades shown on the Contract Documents or established by the Engineer.
2. Dense graded crushed stone base course shall conform to the requirements of the MassDOT Standard Specification Section 402 Dense Grade Crushed Stone for Sub-base and M2.01.7 Dense Graded Crushed Stone for Sub-base.
3. Coarse aggregate shall consist of hard, durable particles of fragments of stone. Materials that break up when alternately frozen and thawed or wetted and dried shall not be used.
4. Coarse aggregate shall have a percentage of wear, by the Los Angeles Abrasion Test (AASHTO-T-96) of not more than 45.
5. Fine aggregate shall consist of natural or processed sand.

6. The composite material shall be free from clay, loam or other cohesive soil, and shall conform to the following grading requirements:

Sieve Designation Mesh Sieves	Percentage by Weight Passing Square
2 in.	100
1-1/2 in.	70-100
3/4 in.	50-85
No. 4	30-55
No. 50	8-24
No. 200	3-10

7. Sampling and testing shall be in accordance with the following standard AASHTO methods:

Sieve Analysis	T27
Passing No. 200 Sieve	T11

8. The dense-graded crushed stone base course shall be spread and compacted in layers not to exceed 4 inches in compacted depth, to the same tolerances specified below for the gravel sub-base.
9. The dense-graded crushed stone base course material shall meet the same requirements as specified in MassDOT Specification M2.01.7 except as noted above.

F. Gravel Sub-Base Course

1. The gravel sub-base course shall consist of Gravel Borrow Type C, as specified in MassDOT Standard Specification Section M1.03.0
2. The gravel sub-base shall be spread and compacted in one layer, 8 inches in depth compacted measurement, to not less than 95 percent of the maximum dry density of the material, as determined by the Standard AASHTO Test Designation T99 compaction test Method C within 5% of optimum moisture content as determined by the Engineer. If the material retained on the #4 sieve is 50% or more of the total sample, this test shall not apply and the material shall be compacted to the satisfaction of the Engineer. The specific density of the Gravel Sub-base shall be maintained by determining the number of passes of a roller required to produce a constant and uniform density, after conducting a series of tests either using the sand/volume or the nuclear density-testing device.
3. Any stone with a dimension greater than 2 inches shall be removed from the sub-base before the gravel is compacted. Compaction shall continue until the surface is even and true to the proposed lines and grades within a tolerance of 1/2-inch above or below the required cross sectional elevations and to a maximum irregularity not exceeding 1/2 inch under a 10 foot line longitudinally. Any specific area a gravel sub-base which, after being rolled, does not form a satisfactory,

solid, stable foundation shall be removed, replaced and recompactd by the Contractor without additional compensation.

2.02 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. The paving plant used by the Contractor for preparation of bituminous paving materials shall be acceptable to the Engineer who shall have the right to inspect the plant and the making of the material as specified in MassDOT Specification M2.01.7 except as noted above.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 PREPARATION

- A. Prior to placing pavement, all backfill shall have been properly compacted as specified under Section 02200 to eliminate settling of backfill. No pavement shall be placed over poorly compacted backfill. Backfill and gravel base course shall be compacted, brought to the proper elevation, and dressed so that new pavement construction shall be at the required grade. The Contractor shall maintain the surfaces of all excavated and disturbed areas until the pavement is placed. If there is a time lapse of more than 24 hours between completion of preparation of subgrade or placing of gravel base course and placing of paving, or if subgrade or gravel base course has been eroded or disturbed by traffic, the subgrade or gravel base course shall be restored before placing pavement.
- B. When installing permanent pavement on bituminous concrete roadway the edges of existing pavement shall be cut back 12-inches, or more as required, from the trench excavation wall or damaged area to sound undamaged material, straightened, cleaned, and painted with an accepted asphalt emulsion to ensure a satisfactory bond between it and the newly placed surface courses. Existing surface courses shall be stripped from the bituminous concrete base course for at least a 6-inch width and trimmed square and straight so that new permanent surfacing shall be placed on undisturbed bituminous concrete base course. Existing pavement shall be swept clean prior to placing any asphalt emulsion over it. Existing pavement that will be under new pavement shall be painted with asphalt emulsion to ensure a satisfactory bond.
- C. Before permanent pavement is installed, the base shall be brought to the proper grade, and temporary pavement and excess gravel base shall be removed.
- D. All manhole covers, catch basin grates, valve and meter boxes, curbs, walks, walls and fences shall be adequately protected and left in a clean condition. Where required, the grades of manhole covers, catch basin grates, valve boxes, and other similar items shall be adjusted to conform to the finished pavement grade.
- E. The Contractor shall remove and acceptably dispose of all surplus and unsuitable material.

3.02 INSTALLATION

A. General

1. Unless indicated otherwise, all permanent bituminous pavement shall be installed in two courses or more. Bituminous base courses shall be carefully spread and raked to a uniform surface and thoroughly rolled before application of the top course.
2. All top courses of permanent paving shall be applied with acceptable mechanical spreaders in widths of at least 9 feet.
3. The rolling for all bituminous and gravel base courses shall conform to the standards listed in the appropriate Subsection of the Standard Specification.
4. Pavement shall be placed so that the entire roadway or paved area shall have a true and uniform surface, and the pavement shall conform to the proper grade and cross section with a smooth transition to existing pavement.
5. Total tonnage slips must be submitted from the production plant.

B. Dense Graded Crushed Stone Base Course

1. The base course shall be placed to such depth that the furnished compacted base course is the depth as indicated on the Contract Drawings and specified herein.
2. The top of the base course shall be below the furnish grade a distance required to accommodate the compacted pavement material as indicated on the Contract Drawings and specified herein.
3. The base course as herein specified shall be 12-inches thick for flexible pavement and 6-inches thick for rigid pavement.

C. Temporary Pavement

1. Temporary pavement shall be placed over all trenches in paved areas where directed by the Engineer.
2. The Contractor, upon completing the backfilling and compaction of the trenches in the streets and the placing of the gravel base courses, shall be required to construct temporary pavement unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.
3. Temporary Pavement in Town or City roads shall be placed in one course and shall consist of 2-inch compacted thickness of hot bituminous mix, on a 12-inch compacted thickness (14-inches on Beacon Street) dense graded crushed stone base as directed by the Engineer.
4. The Contractor shall maintain temporary pavement in good repair and flush with the existing pavement at all times until the permanent pavement is placed.
5. The temporary pavement shall not be removed until 60 days after installation or until such time that the Engineer authorizes the placement of permanent pavement at an earlier time.

D. Bituminous Base:

1. Bituminous Base shall be used in town streets and parking areas as listed in Article 1.03 of this specification.
2. Bituminous Base shall be placed to the thickness as indicated in Article 1.03 of this Specification and installed in accordance with the requirements of the MassDOT Standard Specification and as detailed in the Contract Drawings.
3. Prior to placing bituminous base, all temporary pavement and sufficient gravel base course shall be removed, to proper depths as detailed in the Contract Drawings.

E. Reinforced Concrete Base:

1. Reinforced Concrete Base shall be used in the streets as listed in Article 1.03 of this specification.
2. Reinforced Concrete Base shall be 8-inch thick and installed in accordance with the requirements of the MassDOT Standard Specification.
3. Prior to placing reinforced concrete base, all temporary pavement and sufficient gravel base course shall be removed, to proper depths as detailed in the Contract Drawings.

F. Bituminous Binder

1. Bituminous Binder shall be used in the streets as listed in Article 1.03 of this specification.
2. Bituminous Binder shall be placed to the thickness as indicated in Article 1.03 of this Specification and installed in accordance with the requirements of the MassDOT Standard Specification and as detailed in the Contract Drawings.

G. Bituminous Surface

1. Bituminous Surface shall be used in the streets as listed in Article 1.03 of this specification.
2. Bituminous Surface shall be placed to the thickness as indicated in Article 1.03 of this Specification and installed in accordance with the requirements of the MassDOT Standard Specification and as detailed in the Contract Drawings.

H. Sidewalks, Driveways, Parking Lots and Curbing

1. Sidewalks, driveways, parking lots and curbing that are removed or damaged by the Contractor's operations shall be restored to a condition at least equal to that in which they are found immediately prior to the start of operations. Materials and methods used for such restoration shall be in conformance with the requirements of the MassDOT Standard Specification.
2. Where the trench location is in a sidewalk, the entire width of the sidewalk shall be replaced with new material. Side forms shall be set so as to obtain and preserve a straight edge along both sides of the walk.

3. Where trench is in a driveway, the driveway shall be repaved across its entire width with even edges.
4. Parking lots shall be repaved in accordance with Article 3.01 of this section.
5. Gravel base course under sidewalks and driveways shall not be less than 12" inch thick.

I. Surface Maintenance

1. During the guarantee, period, the Contractor shall maintain the bituminous surface and shall promptly make good all defects such as cracks, depressions, and holes that may occur. At all times, the surfacing shall be kept in a safe and satisfactory condition for traffic. If defects occur in surfacing constructed by the Contractor, the Contractor shall remove all bituminous concrete and base course as is necessary to properly correct the defect. After removing bituminous concrete and base course, the Contractor shall correct the cause of the defect and replace the base course and bituminous concrete in accordance with these specifications.

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SECTION 02618

DUCTILE-IRON PIPE AND FITTINGS FOR BURIED SERVICE

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements to furnish, lay, joint, and test ductile-iron pressure pipe, fittings (including special castings), and appurtenant materials and equipment indicated on the Drawings and specified in this Section.

1.02 REFERENCES

- A. American Water Works Association (AWWA)/American National Standards Institute (ANSI)
 - 1. C104/A21.4, Cement-Mortar Lining for Ductile-Iron Pipe and Fittings for Water.
 - 2. C105/A21.5, Polyethylene Encasement for Ductile Iron Pipe Systems
 - 3. C110/A21.10, Ductile-Iron and Gray-Iron Fittings, 3-inch. through 48-inch., for Water and Other Liquids.
 - 4. C111/A21.11, Rubber-Gasket Joints for Ductile-Iron and Pressure Pipe and Fittings.
 - 5. C115/A21.15, Flanged Ductile Iron Pipe with Ductile-Iron or Gray-Iron Threaded Flanges.
 - 6. C150/A21.50, Thickness Design of Ductile-Iron Pipe.
 - 7. C151/A21.51, Ductile-Iron Pipe, Centrifugally Cast for Water.
 - 8. C153/A21.53, Ductile-Iron Compact Fittings, 3 inches through 24 inches, and 54 inches through 64 inches for Water Service
 - 9. C600, Installation of Ductile-Iron Water Mains and Their Appurtenances
 - 10. C651, Disinfecting Water Mains
- B. American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM)
 - 1. A536, Standard Specification for Ductile Iron Castings

1.03 REQUIREMENTS

- A. Ductile iron pipe used for water mains shall be cement lined thickness Class 52 push-on joint, size as indicated on the drawings.
- B. For sewer pipeline use class as indicated.
- C. Location of restrained joints shall be based on Thrust Restraint Design for Ductile Iron Pipe (Second Edition), published by Ductile Iron Pipe Research Association.

1.04 SUBMITTALS

- A. In accordance with SECTION 01300 submit the following:
- B. Shop Drawings
 - 1. Piping layouts in full detail.
 - 2. Location and type of backup block or device to prevent separation.
 - 3. Schedules of all pipe, fittings, special castings, couplings, expansion joints, restrained joints and other appurtenances.
- C. Certificates
 - 1. Sworn certificates of shop tests showing compliance with specified standard.
- D. Manufacturer's Literature
 - 1. Catalog cuts of joints, couplings, harnesses, expansion joints, restrained joints gaskets, fasteners and other accessories.
 - 2. Brochures and technical data of coatings and lining's and proposed method of application.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Pipe and fittings shall be inspected and tested at the foundry as required by the corresponding standards listed in Article 1.02 of this specification.
- B. Owner reserves right to inspect and/or test by independent service at manufacturer's plant or elsewhere at his own expense.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 PIPE

- A. Ductile-Iron Pipe
 - 1. Designed in accordance with AWWA/ANSI C150/ A21.50.
 - 2. Manufactured in accordance with AWWA/ANSI C151/A21.51.
 - 3. Unless otherwise indicated or specified, ductile-iron pipe shall be at least thickness Class 52.
 - 4. Pipe shall be manufactured by U.S. Pipe and Foundry Company, Griffin Pipe Company, or approved equal.
- B. Pipe For Use With Couplings
 - 1. As specified above except that the ends shall be plain (without bells or beads) cast or machined at right angles to the axis.

2.02 FITTINGS

- A. General

1. Push-on or mechanical-joint fittings shall be all-bell fittings unless otherwise indicated or specified.
2. Compact fittings in accordance with AWWA/ANSI C153/A21.53 and shall have a working pressure rating of 350 psi.
3. All nuts and bolts shall be of a type equal to ductile iron or KOR-10 steel T-bolts and nuts.

B. Nonstandard Fittings

1. Fittings having nonstandard dimensions and cast especially for this project shall be of acceptable design.
2. Manufactured to meet the requirements of these specifications and shall have the same diameter and thickness as standard fittings, but their laying lengths and types of ends shall be determined by their positions in the pipelines and by the particular piping to which they connect.

2.03 ADAPTERS

- A. Where it is necessary to joint pipes of different type, furnish and install the necessary adapters unless solid sleeves are indicated on the drawings or permitted. Adapters shall have ends, conforming to the above specifications for the appropriate type of joint, to receive the adjoining pipe. Adapters joining two classes of pipe may be of the lighter class provided that the annular space in bell-and-spigot type joints will be sufficient for proper jointing.

2.04 JOINTS

A. Push-On and Mechanical

1. In accordance with AWWA/ANSI C111/A21.11.
2. The plain end of push
3. -on pipe shall be factory machined to a true circle and chamfered to facilitate fitting the gasket.
4. Push-on and mechanical-joint pipe and fittings shall be provided with sufficient quantities of accessories conforming to AWWA/ANSI C111/A21.11.

B. Restrained

1. Restraining glands will be required on all fittings.
2. Pipe, fittings and appurtenances for restrained joints shall be in accordance with AWWA/ANSI C153/A21.53 for compact fittings. Only restraining glands which impart multiple wedging action against the pipe increasing its pressure as the pipe pressure increases will be allowed. Flexibility of the joint shall be maintained after burial. Glands shall be manufactured of ductile iron conforming to ASTM A536. Twist off nuts shall be used to insure proper actuating of the restraining device.
3. Mechanical joint restraint shall have a working pressure rating of at least 250 psi.
4. The restrained joint devices shall be UL listed.
5. Manufactured by EBAA Iron, Inc., Eastland, Texas, or equal.

C. Gaskets

1. Gaskets shall be of a composition suitable for exposure to the product which the pipe is intended.

2.05 COUPLINGS

A. Flexible Connections

1. Where flexible connections in the piping are specified or indicated on the drawings, they shall be obtained by the use of sleeve-type couplings, split couplings, or mechanical-joint pipe and/or fittings as herein specified.

B. Sleeve Type Couplings

1. Pressure rating at least equal to that of the pipeline in which they are to be installed.
2. Provide cast style 441 by Smith Blair, Inc., Texarkana, Texas.; Dresser style 153, 360; Romac Style 501; or be acceptable equivalent products.
3. Provided with galvanized-steel bolts and nuts, unless noted otherwise.
4. Provided with gaskets of a composition suitable for exposure to the liquid within the pipe.
5. Provided gaskets with metallic tips for electrical continuity through joints.

C. Solid Sleeve Couplings

1. Solid sleeve couplings and accessories shall be of a pressure rating at least equal to that of the pipeline in which they are to be installed.
2. Couplings shall be ductile iron with gaskets of a composition suitable for exposure to the liquid within the pipe.

2.06 ACCESSORIES

A. Tapped Connections

1. Tapped connections shall be rated for 300 psi.
2. Tapped connections in pipe and fittings shall be made in such manner as to provide a watertight joint and adequate strength against pullout. The maximum size of taps in pipe or fittings without bosses shall not exceed the listed size in the appropriate table of the Appendix to the above-mentioned ANS A21.51 based on 3 full threads for cast iron and 2 full threads for ductile iron.
3. Where the size of the connections exceeds that given above for the pipe in question, a boss shall be provided on the pipe barrel, the tap shall be made in the flat part of the intersection of the run and branch of a tee or cross, or the connection shall be made by means of a tapped tee, branch fitting and tapped plug or reducing flange, or tapping tee and tapping valve, all as indicated or permitted by the Engineer.
4. All drilling and tapping of cast-iron pipe shall be done normal to the longitudinal axis of the pipe; fitting shall be drilled and tapped similarly, as appropriate. Drilling and tapping shall be done only by skilled mechanics. Tools shall be adapted to the work and in good condition so as to produce good, clean-cut threads of the correct size, pitch, and taper.

2.07 FINISHES

A. Lining

1. Inside of pipe and fittings shall be coated with double thickness cement lining and bituminous seal coat conforming to AWWA/ANSI C104/A21.4.

B. Coating

1. Outside of pipe and fittings shall be coated with the standard bituminous coating conforming to AWWA/ANSI C151/A21.51
2. Outside surfaces of castings to be encased in concrete shall not be coated.
3. Machined surfaces shall be cleaned and coated with a suitable rust-preventative coating at the shop immediately after being machined.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 HANDLING

A. Pipe and Fittings

1. Every care shall be taken in handling and laying pipe and fittings to avoid damaging the pipe, scratching or marring machined surfaces, and abrasion of the pipe coatings.
2. Any fitting showing a crack and any pipe or fitting which has received a severe blow that may have caused an incipient fracture, even though no such fracture can be seen, shall be marked as rejected and removed at once from the Work.
3. In any pipe showing a distinct crack and in which it is believed there is no incipient fracture beyond the limits of the visible crack, the cracked portions, if so approved, may be cut off by and at the expense of the Contractor before the pipe is laid so that the pipe used is perfectly sound. The cut shall be made in the sound barrel at a point at least 12-inches from the visible limits of the crack.

3.02 CUTTING

A. Pipe

1. Except as otherwise approved, all cutting shall be done with a machine having rolling wheel cutters, knives, or saws adapted to the purpose. Hammer and chisel or so-called wheel span cutters shall not be used to cut pipe. All cut ends shall be examined for possible cracks caused by cutting.
2. Cut ends to be used with push-on joints shall be carefully chamfered to prevent cutting the gasket when the pipe is laid or installed.

3.03 INSTALLATION

A. Pipe and Fittings

1. No defective pipe or fittings shall be laid or placed in the piping, and any piece discovered to be defective after having been laid or placed shall be removed and replaced by a sound and satisfactory piece.

2. Each pipe and fitting shall be cleared of all debris, dirt, etc., before being laid and shall be kept clean until accepted in the complete work.
3. Pipe and fittings shall be laid accurately to the lines and grades indicated on the drawings or required. Care shall be taken to ensure a good alignment both horizontally and vertically.
4. Pipe shall have a firm bearing along its entire length.
5. The deflection of alignment at a joint shall not exceed the appropriate permissible deflection as specified in the tabulation titled PIPE DEFLECTION ALLOWANCES.

PIPE DEFLECTION ALLOWANCES

Maximum permissible deflection, in.*

<u>Size of pipe, in.</u>	<u>push-on joint</u>	<u>Mechanical joint</u>
4	17	28
6	17	24
8	17	18
10	17	18
12	17	18
14	10	12
16	10	12

*Maximum permissible deflection for 18-ft. lengths; maximum permissible deflections for other lengths shall be in proportion of such lengths to 18 ft.

6. When mechanical joint, push-on joint or similar pipe is laid, the bell of the pipe shall be cleaned of excess tar or other obstructions and wiped out before the cleaned and prepared spigot of the next pipe is inserted into it. The new pipe shall be shoved firmly into place until properly seated and held securely until the joint has been completed.

B. Castings

1. Castings to be encased in masonry shall be accurately set with the bolt holes, if any, carefully aligned.
2. Immediately prior to being set, castings shall be thoroughly cleaned of all rust, scale and other foreign material.

C. Temporary Plugs

1. At all times when pipe laying is not actually in progress, the open ends of pipe shall be closed by temporary watertight plugs or by other approved means. If water is in the trench when work is resumed, the plug shall not be removed until all danger of water entering the pipe has passed.

D. Appurtenances

1. Valves, fittings and appurtenances shall be set and jointed as indicated on the drawings.

3.04 ASSEMBLING

A. Push-On Joints

1. Make up by inserting the gasket into the groove of the bell and applying a thin film of special nontoxic gasket lubricant uniformly over the inner surface of the gasket which will be in contact with the spigot end of the pipe.
2. The chamfered end of the plain pipe shall be inserted into the gasket and then forced past it until it seats against the bottom of the socket.

B. Bolted Joints

1. Before the pieces are assembled, rust-preventive coatings shall be removed from machined surfaces.
2. Pipe ends, sockets, sleeves, housings, and gaskets shall be thoroughly cleaned and all burrs and other defects shall be carefully smoothed.

C. Mechanical Joints

1. Surfaces against which the gasket will come in contact shall be thoroughly brushed with a wire brush prior to assembly of the joint. The gasket shall be cleaned. The gasket, bell, and spigot shall be lubricated by being washed with soapy water.
2. The gland and gasket, in that order, shall be slipped over the spigot, and the spigot shall be inserted into the bell until it is correctly seated.
3. The gasket shall then be seated evenly in the bell at all points, centering the spigot, and the gland shall be pressed firmly against the gasket.
4. After all bolts have been inserted and the nuts have been made up finger tight, diametrically opposite nuts shall be progressively and uniformly tightened all around the joint to the proper tension, preferably by means of a torque wrench.
5. The correct range of torque as indicated by a torque wrench and the length wrench (if not a torque wrench) used by an average man to produce such range of torque, shall not exceed the values specified in the tabulation titled TORQUE RANGE VALUES.

TORQUE RANGE VALUES

Nominal pipe size, <u>in.in.</u>	Bolt diameter, <u>ft.-lb.</u>	Range of torque, <u>in.</u>	Length of wrench,
3	5/8	40-60	8
4 thru 24	3/4	60-90	10
30, 36	1	70-100	12
42, 48	1-1/4	90-120	14

If the effective sealing of the joint is not attained at the maximum torque indicated above, the joint shall be disassembled and thoroughly cleaned, then reassembled. Bolts shall not be over stressed to tighten a leaking joint.

D. Restrained Joints

1. Install in accordance with manufacturers written instructions.

2. Do not exceed manufacturer's permissible pipe deflection allowance.

E. Sleeve-Type Couplings

1. Prior to the installation of sleeve-type couplings, the pipe ends shall be cleaned thoroughly for a distance of 8-inches
2. Soapy water may be used as a gasket lubricant.
3. A follower and gasket, in that order, shall be slipped over each pipe to a distance of about 6-inches from the end, and the middle ring shall be placed on the already laid pipe end until it is properly centered over the joint.
4. The other pipe end shall be inserted into the middle ring and brought to proper position in relation to the pipe already laid.
5. The gaskets and followers shall then be pressed evenly and firmly into the middle ring flares.
6. After the bolts have been inserted and all nuts have been made up finger tight, diametrically opposite nuts shall be progressively and uniformly tightened all around the joint, preferably by use of a torque wrench of the appropriate size and torque for the bolts. The correct torque as indicated by a torque wrench shall not exceed the manufacturers recommended values
7. After assembly and inspection and before being backfilled, all exterior surfaces of buried sleeve-type couplings, including the middle and follower rings, bolts, and nuts, shall be thoroughly coated with an approved heavy-bodied bituminous mastic. Care shall be taken and appropriate devices used to ensure that the undersides, as well as the more readily accessible parts, are well coated.

3.05 PIPING SUPPORT

- A. Where necessary, bends, tees, and other fittings in pipelines buried in the ground may be backed up with Class B concrete placed against undisturbed earth where firm support can be obtained. If the soil does not provide firm support, then restraining devices shall be provided.

3.06 CLEANING

- A. Prior to the pressure and leakage tests, thoroughly clean piping of all dirt, dust, oil, grease and other foreign material. This work shall be done with care to avoid damage to linings and coatings.

3.07 TESTING

- A. Except as otherwise directed, pipelines shall be given combined pressure and leakage tests in sections of approved length.
- B. Furnish and install suitable temporary testing plugs or caps; all necessary pressure pumps, pipe connections, meters, gages, relief valves, other necessary equipment; and all labor required.
- C. Subject to approval and provided that the tests are made within a reasonable time considering the progress of the project as a whole, and the need to put the section into service, the Contractor may make the tests when he desires.

- D. However, pipelines to be embedded in concrete shall be tested prior to placing of the concrete and exposed piping shall be tested prior to field painting.
- E. Unless it has already been done, the section of pipe to be tested shall be filled with water of approved quality, and all air shall be expelled from the pipe. If hydrants or blow offs are not available at high points for releasing air the Contractor shall make the necessary excavations and do the necessary backfilling and make the necessary taps. After completion of the tests, if directed by the Engineer, remove corporations and plug said holes.
- F. The section under test shall be maintained full of water for a period of 24 hours prior to the combined pressure and leakage test being applied.
- G. The pressure and leakage test shall consist of first raising the water pressure (based on the elevation of the lowest point of the section under test and corrected to the gage location) to a pressure of 200 psi. Do not apply this pressure to items of equipment known to be incapable of withstanding such pressure.
- H. If the Contractor cannot achieve the specified pressure and maintain it for a period of two hours with no additional pumping, the section shall be considered as having failed to pass the test.
- I. If the section fails to pass the pressure and leakage test, the Contractor shall do everything necessary to locate, uncover, and repair or replace the defective pipe, fitting, or joint, all at his own expense and without extension of time for completion of the work. Additional tests and repairs shall be made until the section passes the specified test and is considered acceptable by the Engineer.
- J. If, in the judgment of the Engineer, it is impracticable to follow the foregoing procedure exactly for any reason, modifications in the procedure may be made as required and approved by the Engineer, but in any event the Contractor shall be fully responsible for the ultimate tightness of the line within the above leakage and pressure requirements.
- K. All testing to be witnessed by the Owner.

3.08 DISINFECTING AND FLUSHING

- A. The Contractor shall hire an independent third party firm to disinfect the lines carrying potable water.
- B. The Contractor shall furnish all equipment and materials necessary to do the work of disinfecting, and shall perform the work in accordance with the procedure outlined in the AWWA Standard C651 and C651a except as otherwise specified herein. The method used shall be that described in Section 5.2 of the AWWA Standard.
- C. During the disinfection period, care shall be exercised to prevent contamination of water in existing mains.

- D. The initial dosage shall be such as to produce a chlorine concentration of 25 PPM (mg/L) at the time the water main is filled. The dosage shall be such as to produce a chlorine concentration of not less than 10 PPM (mg/l) after a contact time of not less than 24 hours.
- E. Connection at cut-ins shall be swabbed with 50-PPM solution of chlorine at locations when other methods are not applicable.
- F. Chlorine shall not be placed in mains during installation.
- G. Chlorine shall not be left in mains for more than 48 hours.
- H. After treatment, the main shall be flushed with clean water until the residual chlorine content does not exceed the existing system.
- I. Before disposing of the water used in disinfecting and flushing water mains thoroughly neutralize it through the application of a reducing agent, as referenced in AWWA C651.
- J. Dispose of the water used in disinfecting and flushing in an approved manner.

3.09 SAMPLING

- A. Bacteriological sampling and testing shall be done in accordance with AWWA C651 for each main and each branch. Sampling shall be accomplished with sterile bottles treated with sodium thiosulfate, as required by Standard Methods. No hose or fire hydrants shall be used in collection of samples. A corporation stop installed on the main, with a removable copper tube gooseneck assembly, is the recommended method.
- B. If dirt or debris has entered the new main during construction, bacteriological sample sets shall be collected at 200-foot intervals as directed by the Engineer.
- C. After final flushing of the new water main and before the new main is connected to the distribution system, two consecutive sets of samples shall be taken in accordance with AWWA C651 at convenient locations every 1,000 of main and at every point of entry to the existing system.
- D. Bacteriological sampling and testing shall be done in accordance with AWWA C651 for each main and each branch. Sampling shall be accomplished with sterile bottles treated with sodium thiosulfate, as required by Standard Methods. A corporation stop installed on the main, with a removable copper tube gooseneck assembly, is the recommended method. The approved laboratory must receive samples, properly preserved, no more than 24 hours after they are taken from the main.
- E. Test results shall demonstrate that all samples have a total coliform count of zero, a heterotrophic plate count (HPC) of less than 100 per ml above the HPC of the existing system, and chlorine residual concentration less than or equal to system

residual chlorine of the existing system. In no case shall the total HPC exceed 500 per ml.

- F. Testing shall be done by a certified DEP laboratory approved by the Engineer, in accordance with Standard Methods, and shall show the absence of coliform organisms.
- G. The cost for all work associated with flushing, disinfecting, dechlorination, sampling and laboratory analysis shall be paid for by the Contractor
- H. When tests indicate Work does not meet specified requirements, perform remedial work as directed by the Engineer and retest at the Contractor's expense.

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SECTION 02629

UNDERGROUND UTILITY MARKING TAPE

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for furnishing and installing metallic (detectable) and non-metallic (non-detectable) marking tape over buried pipelines and conduits.

1.02 REFERENCES

- A. A.P.W.A. - American Public Works Association

1.03 SUBMITTALS

A. Shop Drawings

1. Submit in accordance with SECTION 01300 - SUBMITTALS

B. Samples

1. Provide samples of submitted products.

1.04 DESCRIPTION

A. General

1. Marking tape to be installed over all pipelines and conduits installed under this Contract.
2. Marking tape for non-ferrous pipe or conduits to be Detectable, magnetic type.
3. Marking tape for ferrous pipe or conduits to be Non-detectable, non-magnetic type.
4. Tape to be 6-inches wide.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MANUFACTURERS

A. Underground utility marking tape to be:

1. Detectable: Magnatec by THOR Enterprises, Inc., Sun Prairie, WI.
2. Non-detectable: Shieldtec by THOR Enterprises, Inc., Sun Prairie, WI.

3. Or product deemed equal by the Engineer.

2.02 MATERIALS

A. Detectable Underground Utility Marking Tape

1. Minimum overall thickness: 5.0 mil (0.005”).
2. Aluminum foil core: 35 gauge (0.00035”) minimum.
3. Foil visible from both sides of tape.
4. Protective plastic jacket applied to both sides of foil.
5. Jacket adhesive applied directly to the film and foil.
6. No printing to extend to the edges of the tape.
7. No Dilutants, pigments or contaminants in the adhesive.
8. Adhesive formulated to resist degradation by elements normally found in soil.

B. Non-detectable Underground Utility marking Tape

1. Minimum overall thickness: 4.0 mil (0.004”).
2. Polyethylene plastic film: 100% virgin, low density acid and alkali-resistant.
3. Printing: Permanent, black, environmentally safe.
4. Coloring: color-fast, lead free, organic pigments suitable for direct burial and prolonged exposure to the elements normally found in soil.

C. Marking

1. Tape to printed with “BURIED *UTILITY* LINE BELOW”, replacing the word “*UTILITY*” with the word “WATER”, “SEWER”, “DRAIN”, “ELECTRIC”, “GAS”, or otherwise appropriate, repeating continuously every 30-inches max.

D. Color Code in accordance with A.P.W.A. Standards as follows:

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|----------------------------------|--|
| 1. Safety Red | Electric power and high voltage lines |
| 2. High Visibility Safety Yellow | Gas and oil distribution/Transmission
Dangerous materials/Steam |
| 3. Safety Alert Orange | Fiber optic/telephone/CATV |
| 4. Safety Precaution Blue | Water and irrigation lines |
| 5. Safety Green | Sewer/storm/sanitary systems, non-potable
water |
| 6. Safety Brown | Force mains and effluent lines |
| 7. Alert Purple | Reclaimed and effluent re-use lines |

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 INSTALLATION

- A. Install marking tape directly above the pipeline or conduit tape is to identify, approximately 24-inches below the proposed finished grade.
- B. Install marking tape in accordance with manufacturers recommendations.
- C. Install marking tape over existing utilities disturbed by the Contractors operation.

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SECTION 02640

VALVES, HYDRANTS AND APPURTENANCES FOR WATER WORK

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Requirements for furnishing and installing valves, hydrants and miscellaneous piping appurtenances, as indicated on the drawings and as herein specified.
2. The drawings and specifications direct attention to certain features of the equipment, but do not purport to cover all the details of their design. The equipment furnished shall be designed and constructed equal to the high-quality equipment manufactured by such firms as are mentioned hereinafter, or as permitted by the Engineer. The Contractor shall furnish and install the equipment complete in all details and ready for operation.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 02642 – Water Service Connections

1.02 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- ###### A. Contractor is responsible for verifying outside diameter of pipe to be tapped.

1.03 REFERENCES

A. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)

1. A48, Standard Specification for Gray Iron Castings
2. A536, Standard Specification for Ductile Iron Castings

B. American Water Works Association (AWWA)

1. AWWA C500, Standard for Metal-Seated Gate Valves for Water Supply Service.
2. AWWA C502, Standard for Dry-Barrel Fire Hydrants.
3. AWWA C504, Rubber-Sealed Butterfly Valves
4. AWWA C509, Resilient-Seated Gate Valves for Water-Supply Service
5. AWWA C515, Reduced-Wall, Resilient-Seated Gate Valves for Water-Supply Service
6. AWWA C550, Protective Epoxy Interior Coatings for Valves and Hydrants

C. National Standards Institute (ANSI)

1. ANSI C111/C21.11, Standard for Rubber-Gasket Joints for Ductile-Iron and Pressure Pipe and Fittings

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- ###### A. Submit in accordance with Section 01300 – Submittals

1. Manufacturer's specifications, catalog data, descriptive matter, illustrations, diagrams etc.
2. Operating instructions and parts list.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.01 RESILIENT WEDGE GATE VALVE

A. Manufactured by Mueller Co., Decatur, IL.; or acceptable equivalent.

B. General

1. Gates shall conform to all applicable sections of AWWA C515.
2. Valve bodies shall be manufactured of ductile iron.
3. Gate valves shall be open **RIGHT** (clockwise).
4. All valves shall allow replacement of upper "O" rings while the valve is under pressure in a fully-opened position.
5. Valves shall have a two-inch operating nut or hand-wheel as required for the particular application and as shown on the Drawings.
6. Exterior surfaces of all valves shall be coated with epoxy coated solution, on a rust-free casting, prior to shipment. Valve interiors shall have a two-part thermostat epoxy-protective coating system and meet all requirements of AWWA C550. The epoxy coating shall not impart taste or odors to the water. The coating shall comply to the NSF/ANSI Standard 61 for use in potable water and shall be so listed in the most current NSF summary of approved products. The coating shall be applied and cured in strict conformance with the coating manufacturer's cautions and instructions. The coating shall be applied by the valve manufacturer under controlled factory conditions, and field application is strictly prohibited.

C. Valves shall be designed for working water pressures as follows:

<u>Valve Size (Diameter)</u>	<u>Pressure</u>
3 to 12 inches	250 psi
14 to 24 inches	250 psi

2.02 DOUBLE DISC GATE VALVE

A. Manufactured by Mueller Co., Decatur, Ill.; U.S. Pipe and Foundry Co., Birmingham, Ala.; or acceptable equivalent.

B. General

1. Gates shall conform to AWWA C500.
2. Bronze gate-rings shall be fitted into grooves of dovetail or similar shape. For other shapes, rings shall be attached with bronze rivets. Operating nuts shall open right (clockwise) and an arrow shall indicate the open direction. Provide steel bolts and bronze nuts for stuffing box follower. O-ring stuffing boxes will be acceptable.
3. Valves shall be capable of being repacked under line pressure.

C. Valves shall be designed for working water pressures as follows:

<u>Valve Size (Diameter)</u>	<u>Pressure</u>
3 to 12 inches	150 psi
14 to 36 inches	150 psi

2.03 BUTTERFLY VALVES

A. Manufactured by B.I.F., Providence, RI; H. Pratt Co., Aurora, Ill., Allis-Chalmers, Inc., York, PA; or acceptable equivalent.

B. Valve Provisions:

1. Valves shall conform to the requirements as specified in the AWWA C504, except as modified or supplemented herein.
2. The valve design shall utilize a continuous rubber lining on the internal body surfaces and extending over the flanges. A disk which seats at an angle to the axis of the pipe will not be acceptable.
3. Mechanical-joint-end type valves shall be utilized, and shall be constructed of ASTM A536, grade 65-45-12 ductile iron.
4. Valves shall be designed for 200 psi working pressure.

C. The valve shall utilize body mechanical joint ends in accordance with ANSI A21.11.

D. Seat Provisions:

1. The valve shall utilize a molded natural rubber or synthetic rubber seat on the disk or in the body, and be mechanically fastened, not penetrated by the shaft. Type 316 stainless steel shall be utilized in the mating-seat. The seat shall be replaceable on 12-in. through 24-in. without removing the disk. It shall be mounted securely for complete immobility under operating conditions.
2. If the seat is on the disk, use a Class 40 cast iron disk conforming to ASTM A48, or a Grade 60-40-18 ductile iron conforming to ASTM A536.
3. If the seat is on the body, use a Class 40 cast iron disk conforming to ASTM A48, or a Grade 60-40-18 ductile iron conforming to ASTM A536, with a Type 316 stainless-steel seating edge, or all Type 316 stainless steel. The stainless-steel edge on cast iron or ductile iron disks shall be either mechanically secured or heat shrunk to the edge of the disk or welded overlay.

E. Disk Provisions: The disk shall rotate 90 degrees from full open to full close position.

F. Shaft Provisions: The shaft shall be manufactured from either Type 304 or Type 316 stainless steel. It must be a one-piece unit extended completely through the valve disk.

G. Miscellaneous Provisions: Type 304 stainless steel, taper pins, lock washers and nuts shall be utilized. The packing gland shaft seal shall be a one-piece cast-iron gland follower with bronze nuts. It shall be self-adjusting, split V-type, packing. The valve shall have a position indicator with pointer and scale plate.

- H. Valve Operator Provisions: Buried valves shall be provided with gate boxes and operating wrenches as hereinafter specified. Where necessary, valves shall be furnished with steel extension stems or universal joint operating rods with 2-in. square operating nuts at the upper end and a suitable coupling to connect to the valve stem. Operating nuts for buried valves shall be turned right (clockwise) to open.
- I. Buried or Submerged Service Provisions: Valves shall have permanent chevron "V" type packing requiring no adjustment, with self-compensating and self-adjusting seals, under pressure, for buried and submerged service.

2.04. BURIED VALVES

- A. Buried valves shall be of the inside-screw type with mechanical-joint ends. An operating nut and extension stem shall be in lieu of hand wheel.
- B. The Contractor shall provide gate boxes, steel extension stems or universal-joint operating rods with 2-in. square operating nut at the upper end with coupling connected to the valve stem as required.

2.05 TAPPING SLEEVES AND VALVES

- A. Tapping sleeves and tapping type gate valves shall be manufactured by Mueller Co., Decatur, Ill., U.S. Pipe and Factory Co., Birmingham, Ala.; or an acceptable equivalent.
- B. Provisions: Tapping sleeves and valves shall consist of a split cast-iron sleeve tee with mechanical joint ends on the main, a flange end on the branch, and a tapping type gate valve with one flange end and one mechanical joint end. The valve shall conform to the requirements herein before specified for gate valves and shall be furnished with a 2-in. square operating nut.

2.06 HYDRANTS

- A. Hydrants shall be **American-Darling Model B-62-B, Mueller Super Centurion 250**, or approved equal.
- B. Provisions:
 - 1. Hydrant design shall be in accordance with AWWA C502, be suitable for buried depth as indicated and be of positive automatic drain type to prevent freezing.
 - 2. The hydrant shall have a 5-1/4-in. valve, one 4-1/2-in. pumper and two 2-1/2-in. hose connections. The hose and pumper connections shall have National Standard Thread. The operating nuts shall be pentagonal in shape, 1-1/2-in. from point to opposite flat and shall **open LEFT (counterclockwise)**. The hydrant shall be the hub or mechanical-joint type having a 6-in. pipe connection.

2.07 VALVE BOXES

- A. Provisions:

1. Valve boxes shall be adjustable, telescoping, heavy-pattern type with the lower part manufactured of cast iron and the upper part of steel or cast iron. The valve box shall be designed and constructed to prevent direct transmission of traffic loads to the pipe or valve. Boxes shall be adjustable through at least 6 in. vertically without reduction of lap between sections to less than 4 in. inside diameter of boxes for valves at least 4-1/2 in. and at least 3-in. for stops, and lengths as necessary for depths of the valves or stops with which the boxes are to be used. The top of the cover shall be flush with the top of the box rim. A cast arrow and the word open shall be on the cover to indicate direction of turning to open the valve in top of valve covers.

2.08 T-HANDLE OPERATING WRENCHES

- A. Provisions: A T-handle operating wrenches shall be provided in the number and lengths required, but not exceeding 8-ft., to permit operation of all valves and stops by operators of average height working in normal positions.

2.09 WATER SERVICES

- A. In accordance with Specification SECTION 02642.

2.10 INSERTION VALVES

- A. Ductile iron insertion valves shall be resilient gate valve wedge designed for use in potable water systems. The design will allow the valve to be installed into an existing pressurized pipeline, in the range of 4"-16" diameters, while maintaining constant pressure and service. The insertion valve shall be manufactured by Advance Valve Technologies, or approved equal.
- B. The insertion valves provided and installed by the Contractor shall be capable of providing a water-tight shutdown to facilitate the work.
- C. Insertion valves shall be produced in a plant of recognized reputation that is regularly engaged in the production of insertion type water valves conforming to the specified standards.
- D. Insertion valves shall have an epoxy protective coating system and conform to all applicable sections of AWWA C515, AWWA C550 standards and NSF 61 for use in potable water systems.
- E. Insertion valves shall have a ductile iron wedge fully encapsulated with EPDM molded rubber..
- F. Insertion valves shall be rated to 250 psi working water pressure.

- G. Insertion valves shall be constructed of ductile iron and feature a standard 2" square operating nut. Valves shall open **RIGHT (clockwise)**.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.01 VALVES

- A. Erect and support valves in respective positions free from distortion and strain on appurtenances during handling and installation. Inspect the material for defects in workmanship and material. Clean out debris and foreign material from valve openings and seats, test-operating mechanisms to check proper functioning, and check nuts and bolts for tightness. Repair, at no additional compensation, valves and other equipment that do not operate easily or are otherwise defective.
- B. Valves installed with stems below the horizontal, will not be allowed.
- C. Set plumb and support valves adequately in conformance with instructions of manufacturer.
- D. Provide valves with extension stems where required for convenience of operation. Provide extension stems for valves installed underground and elsewhere so that the operating wrench does not exceed 8 ft. in length.

3.02 HYDRANTS

- A. Set hydrants plumb, and center buried valve and valve box. Tamp earth fill carefully around the valve box to a distance of 4 ft. on all sides of the box, or to undisturbed trench face, if less than 4 ft. Install at least the same depth of cover on hydrant and connecting pipe as on the distributing main. Set the hydrant upon a slab of stone or concrete not less than 4-in. thick and 14-in. square. Firmly wedge side of hydrant opposite pipe connections against vertical face of trench with concrete thrust block. Place not less than 7 cu. ft. of crushed stone around the base of the hydrant at the location of drain holes. Backfill around hydrants as specified under Section 02200. Clean hydrant and valve interiors of all foreign matter before installation and inspect in opened and closed positions. Hydrants shall be painted in accordance with Owner's color scheme.

3.03 VALVE BOXES

- A. Provide a valve box for each buried stop and valve.

3.04 PAINTING

- A. Touch-up abraded areas of shop coat with paint of the same type as shop coat, even to the extent of applying entire coat if necessary, and clean deteriorated surfaces before applying touch-up coat.

- B. Shop coat exposed ferrous surfaces, not painted, with grease or other suitable protective coating. Uncoated surfaces in contact with potable water shall not be coated.

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SECTION 02642

WATER SERVICE CONNECTIONS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for furnishing and installing potable water service connections.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

A. Shop Drawings

- 1. In accordance with Section 01300, submit manufacturer's specifications, catalog data, descriptive literature, illustrations, diagrams, etc.

1.03 REFERENCES

A. American Water Works Association (ANSI/AWWA)

- 1. ANSI/AWWA C800, Underground Service Line Valves and Fittings.

B. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)

- 1. ASTM B88 – Standard Specification for Seamless Copper Water Tube.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

- A. Fittings and accessories shall conform to the requirements of ANSI/AWWA C800. A service connection shall consist of a corporation stop (with service saddle where specified), curb stop without drain, curb box, and copper tubing.

B. Manufacturers

1. Corporation Stops

- a. Mueller H-15008, CC thread by Mueller 110, 1-inch compression connection manufactured by Mueller Co., Ducator, IL, or;
- b. Ford Meter Box Co., Wabash, IN Model F1000.

2. Curb Stops

- a. Mueller H-15219, Mueller Mark II Oriseal Model H15219, or;
- b. Ford Meter Box Co., Wabash, IN Model B44-444.

- C. The corporation stop shall be all bronze construction with a lapped, ground key. The inlet thread shall be of the steep taper type. Outlet connections shall be suitable for

copper tubing service. Corporations larger than one inch shall be installed with saddles.

D. The curb stop shall be all bronze suitable for copper tubing service connections. The curb stop should be provided without a drain.

E. Curb Boxes

1. Curb boxes shall be Buffalo style, American manufactured, of telescope type with a length of four (4) to six (6) feet. The cover shall be made of extra grade grey iron. The cover shall be marked "WATER". The arch shall accommodate up to a one (1) inch curb stop. The upper section shall be a telescopic pipe made of steel. The cover shall be counter sunk with a brass pentagonal plug that features a course "rope" thread to enable quick and easy removal. The inside diameter is to be a minimum of two and a half (2½) inches. Repair lids shall be iron and marked with the word "WATER".

F. Service Piping

1. 4-inch and larger to be Cement Lined Ductile Iron, Class 52.

2. 2-inch and less to be Polyethylene tubing

a. In accordance with AWWA C901.

b. Designed for a hydrostatic test pressure not less than 200 PSI.

3. Service Saddle

a. Model 313, manufactured by Smith Blair, Inc., Texarkana, TX.

b. Service saddle bodies shall be ductile iron, ASTM-A 108, with epoxy finish. Bales shall be carbon steel or stainless steel.

PART 3 EXECUTION

A. Water service and fire service connections shall be replaced from the water main corporation stop to the new curb stop and connected to the existing service. Remove and replace existing curb stop, remove service pipe from old main, tap new main, install new corporation stop, install copper water service and fire service connection between new main and new installed curb stop.

B. Service shall be maintained as continuously as possible, coordinate shut down with property owner.

C. Services shall be flushed before activating to avoid meter clogging.

D. Service connections shall be free from leaks and may be pressure tested through the water main as directed by the Engineer.

- E. The Engineer must inspect all service connections under normal water main pressure prior to backfilling of the service trench to inspect for leakage.

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SECTION 02650

RELOCATION OF EXISTING UTILITIES

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

A. Requirements to relocate existing utilities which conflict with the proposed Work.

1. Relocations by Contractor

a. The Contractor shall coordinate with the respective utility company to the extent necessary to relocate the conflicting utility with the Contractor's forces, comply with the Utility Company's requirements and not cause delays in this Contract.

2. Relocation by the Utility Company

a. The Contractor shall coordinate with the respective utility company in order to schedule the work with the Utilities forces and not cause delays in this Contract.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

A. In accordance with Section 01300 submit utility relocation plans indicating limits and details of the relocation work.

1.03 PROJECT/SITE CONDITIONS

A. Existing conditions

1. The presence of utilities within the streets, roads and right of ways customarily indicate service lines connecting the buildings and structures along the route. Safeguard all utilities and their respective service connections from damage during the performance of the Work.

2. The presence of utility poles indicates overhead wires for electric, telephone and cable TV also exist. Protect all overhead wires, including service lines, from damage caused by equipment used to perform the Work.

3. Existing utilities, as indicated on the Drawings are from the best available information. The accuracy of such is not guaranteed.

B. Relocation of Utilities

1. Relocation of existing utilities will be required when;

a. Realignment of the proposed Work will have detrimental effects on the proposed Work or existing utility.

C. Support of Utilities

1. Support of existing utilities will be allowed when;
 - a. The location of the existing utility does not interfere with the proposed excavation, excavation support, installation of piping structures, and appurtenances.
 - b. Support in place will not be detrimental to the utility itself.
 - c. Support of utility is in accordance with the requirements of the utility in question.

1.04 SCHEDULING

A. Coordination

1. Coordinate all existing utility relocation work with the appropriate utility company.
2. Notify underground utility locating service (Dig Safe, Call Before You Dig, etc.) in accordance with State requirements.
3. Conduct test pits to identify utility locations needed to perform the Work only after coordination with the utility company and in time to prevent delay of the Work.
4. Coordinate with local water authority to operate water valves as required.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

- A. As required by the utility company, or as specified, or as approved by the Engineer.
- B. To be new.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. After test pit excavations are performed, submit as built information to utility company and the Engineer.

3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. In strict accordance with the requirements of the Utility Company responsible for the Work.

3.03 TESTING

- A. Perform pressure and leakage testing on water lines relocated and infiltration or exfiltration testing on storm drains and sewers relocated in accordance with local agencies responsible for the utility.

3.04 INSPECTION

- A. Allow access to the relocation work for inspections and recording as-built information.

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SECTION 02668

TEMPORARY WATER BYPASS

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes

1. Requirements to furnish, install, disinfect, maintain and remove temporary potable water bypass pipe, connections, laterals and services required to adequately serve water customers.
2. The work includes excavation and backfilling, constructing ramps and/or burying piping at driveways and other access ways, replacement of temporary and permanent pavement, restoration of public and private property.

B. Related Sections

1. Section 01570 - Traffic Regulations
2. Section 02200 - Earth Excavation, Backfill, Fill and Grading
3. Section 02500 - Pavement
4. Section 02618 - Ductile-Iron Pipe and Fittings
5. Section 02640 - Valves, Hydrants, and Appurtenances

1.02 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

A. Design Requirements

1. The Contractor shall review the Town of Middleborough's water plans, available at the Department of Public Works to determine the extent of the by-pass, especially where dead ends and division gates may require bypass piping. No additional payment shall be considered for the extension of bypass to feed services fed from dead ended pipe or pipe where flow is interrupted by a division gate. This may or may not be noted on the plan. In either case the Contractor is responsible for determining the locations of all dead ends and all locations which require bypass piping.
2. The number of temporary hydrants to be installed within the bypass piping system shall be equal to or exceed the number of hydrants existing within that system.
3. The Contractor shall provide temporary services for the customers whose permanent service line is:
 - a. Out of service due to the main pipe to which it is connected to is being replaced.

- b. Out of service due to the main pipe to which it is connected to is being served only by the main being rehabilitated or replaced, including dead end pipes and pipes ending at division gates.
 - c. Out of service for any other reason in connection with work under this contract.
4. The bypass shall not be less than the sizes indicated in these specifications and in any case not less than 2-in. diameter. All temporary hydrants must be feed by either an in service hydrant or a direct connection to an underground water main with 6-in. temporary bypass piping.
 5. Water for the temporary connection shall be from Owner's nearest available hydrants remaining in service.

B. Performance Requirements

1. The pipe and appurtenances utilized for temporary connections shall be suitable for potable water transmission and distribution and be capable of withstanding a service pressure of 150 psi.
2. The Contractor shall have readily available sufficient additional quantity of bypass pipe, connections, lateral and service material of suitable sizes to replace or supplement the temporary facilities in the event these prove inadequate in any way.

1.03 SUBMITTALS

A. Submit in accordance with Section 01300 – Submittals,

1. Proposed layout plan and operations schedule for installing and removing temporary bypass, connections, services, valves and temporary hydrant locations.
2. Details of the installation, operation, maintenance, testing, disinfection and removal of temporary facilities including bypass, connections, laterals, customer services and customer connections and temporary fire hydrants.
3. List of materials with sizes for temporary bypass, connections and services.
4. The Contractor shall submit and obtain approval from the Engineer, for the temporary by-pass system prior to start of construction.

1.04 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. The Engineer's permission will be required for bypass pipelines, connections, services, and laterals to be laid across streets.
- B. The Engineer's permission will be required to remove permanent customer services, laterals and water mains from normal services and to return these to normal service.
- C. Safety

1. The proposed temporary connections shall be capable of preventing contamination of contiguous potable water distribution system and services.
2. The Contractor shall coordinate and cooperate with the Owner's water utility and fire department to maintain water distribution and fire protection capability.
3. The Contractor shall be responsible to ensure that all precautions have been taken for public safety considerations.
4. The Contractor's attention is directed to requirements within the Specifications regarding water supply for Contractor's operations.
5. The Contractor's attention is directed to requirements of Section 01570 regarding traffic control.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

- A. All pipes, fittings, hoses, connections, and valves suitable for potable water services shall be capable of supplying a service pressure of a minimum of 150 psi and have prior approval of the Engineer.
 1. All materials must be NSF approved.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. The Contract Drawings provide the size and location of most known fire pipes on the main streets impacted by the construction. The Contractor shall become familiar with the existing water systems and be responsible for the adequate temporary feed of all fire service lines.

3.02 PREPARATION

- A. The Contractor shall obtain all street opening permits required by the Town and/or State if applicable.
- B. The Contractor shall notify the Owner, the Owner's water utility and the fire department 48 hours in advance of the time of connecting and disconnecting temporary and permanent facilities so that representatives of the Owner's water utility and fire department may be present at installation or removal of permanent and temporary connections and to permit the Owner to inform customers and users as the Owner deems necessary.

3.03 INSTALLATION

- A. The Contractor shall furnish, install, maintain and later remove devices necessary to ensure public safety as required and as approved.
- B. Excavation and backfill in accordance with Section 02200.
- C. The Contractor shall not operate the Owner's valves, stops and hydrants without the Owner's prior approval.
- D. Temporary bypass, connections, laterals, and customer services shall not be installed across streets except as permitted and approved by the Engineer.
- E. Water main laterals that are to remain in service shall be connected to the temporary bypass.
- F. Work on existing water mains to be in accordance with Section 02618.
- G. Bypass piping shall be looped at all times from 2 separate sources with adequate supply.
- H. The bypass shall be laid out of the traveled way in a manner as to protect the bypass piping from damage. Whenever possible the temporary bypass shall be laid in the gutter unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.
- I. Where bypass has received prior approval to cross streets and street intersections, it must be valved on both sides and should be laid in a trench with temporary pavement placed over it except as permitted otherwise, in writing by the Engineer.
- J. Where the bypass crosses driveways and similar access ways to properties, suitable ramp shall be constructed of cold patch to allow driving and passing over the pipe except where the Engineer requires bypass to be laid in a trench with temporary pavement placed over it. All 6-inch bypass crossing driveways, handicap ramps and similar access ways shall be buried to a minimum depth of 3" or as directed by the Engineer.
- K. The bypass shall have shut off valves approximately every 400 feet.
- L. During freezing, stormy and inclement weather, no work shall be done except work incidental to temporary connections or as directed by the Engineer.
- M. Backflow device shall be installed on all feed hydrants.

3.04 HYDRANTS

- A. The Contractor shall make attachments and connections to fire hydrants and fire protection systems in a manner in which attachments are easily and quickly removed to permit use of fire hydrants and fire protection systems for fire fighting purposes.
- B. The Contractor shall keep existing fire hydrants in service and make appropriate connections to the bypass or install and maintain temporary fire hydrants adjacent to each existing fire hydrant affected by work until the existing fire hydrants are restored to services. All hydrants temporarily out of service shall be bagged.
- C. At locations where hydrants are out of service due to work under this contract, the Contractor shall provide temporary hydrants. A hydrant being used to feed temporary hydrants must be fed by a 6-inch bypass pipe including whip connections.
- D. The Contractor shall provide each temporary fire hydrant with individual valve control.
- E. The temporary fire hydrants which the bypass is connected to for the temporary water supply shall be flushed satisfactorily prior to making connections to prevent stagnant or discolored water from entering the bypass.
- F. The existing hydrants which the bypass is connected to for the temporary water supply shall be flushed satisfactorily prior to making connections to prevent stagnant or discolored water from entering bypass. A separate valved connection from the steamer/pumper nozzle (4") must be supplied for fire service.

3.05 TEMPORARY SERVICE CONNECTIONS

- A. The Contractor shall furnish, install, maintain and later remove the temporary service connections from the bypass to each building and service required to be supplied by the water main to be removed from service.
- B. Temporary connections shall be laid out of the traveled and access ways where possible.
- C. Temporary service connections shall be ramped or installed in a trench where directed and approved by Engineer.
- D. Temporary service connections shall be of equal or larger size than the permanent service connections.
- E. The Contractor shall install and maintain pressure regulators for temporary services where necessary.

- F. The installation and removal of temporary service connections and back cleaning of permanent services shall take place only at times when the work can be observed by the Engineer and other representatives of the Owner.
- G. The Contractor shall coordinate and cooperate with the service user and the Owner's water utility and fire department to assure the minimum disturbance to the user's fire protection system and other special and automated use.
- H. The temporary service connections shall be made to the user's service line at the sill cock or other convenient and reasonable point or where acceptable to Engineer.
- I. Temporary "wye" fittings must be supplied at the sill cock to accommodate use of garden hoses, etc.

3.06 TESTING

- A. The temporary connections shall be tested to be shown to be of sufficient pressure and without leaks as demonstrated to the Engineer.
- B. If the bypass proves inadequate for the temporary service, the Contractor shall replace or supplement the bypass as appropriate to provide adequate temporary service, including replacement with a larger diameter bypass, and as approved by the Engineer.
- C. Disinfect temporary facilities prior to use to Engineers satisfaction in accordance with article titled Disinfection and Flushing under Section 02618.
- D. Contractor shall demonstrate that all valves are operational prior to activation and there is an adequate supply of on site replacement material.

3.07 RESTORATION

- A. After water mains are returned to service, the Contractor shall remove all temporary facilities not required for remaining work, and restore and clean up affected areas.
- B. Pavement restoration to be in accordance with Section 02500.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 02930

LOAMING AND SEEDING

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for loaming, fertilizing, seeding, and related work in areas disturbed in the process of performing the Work under this contract.

1.02 SUBMITTALS

- A. In accordance with SECTION 01300 submit the following:

- 1. Submit with seed, certificates confirming seed mixture, purity, germinating value, and crop year identification.
- 2. Submit test samples of loam.

1.03 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Fertilizer:

- 1. Delivered mixed as specified in standard size, unopened containers showing weight, analysis, and name of manufacturer.
- 2. Store in weatherproof place.

- B. Seed:

- 1. Delivered in original unopened containers with mixture listed.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 LOAM

- A. Fertile, natural topsoil, typical of locality, without admixture of subsoil, refuse or other foreign materials, and obtained from well-drained arable site. Mixture of sand, silt and clay particles in approximately equal proportions. Free of stumps, roots, heavy or stiff clay, stones large than 1 inch in diameter, lumps, coarse sand, noxious weeds, sticks, brush or other deleterious matter.
- B. Not less than 4 percent nor more than 20 percent organic matter as determined by loss on ignition of oven-dried samples.
- C. Loam test samples dried to constant weight at temperature of 230 degrees. F., plus or minus nine degrees.

- D. Use loam, having prior vegetative growth that did not contain toxic amounts of either acid or alkaline elements.

2.02 LIME, FERTILIZER AND SEED

- A. Ground agricultural limestone containing not less than 85 percent of total carbonates.
- B. Complete fertilizer, at least 50 percent of nitrogen derived from natural organic sources of ureaform and containing following percentages by weight:

Nitrogen 10% Phosphorus 10% Potash 10%

- C. Turf grass seed, clean, high in germinating value and latest year's crop mixture as follows:

Name	Minimum Proportion by Weight	Percent Purity	Percent Germination
Kentucky bluegrass	20%	87%	85%
Merion Kentucky bluegrass	20%	87%	85%
Red Chewings fescue	45%	98%	85%
Italian rye	15%	98%	90%

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 GENERAL

- A. Supply suitable quantities of water, hose and appurtenances.

3.02 LOAM

- A. Spread loam on areas to 6-inch depth after compaction, fine grade and compact.

3.03 LIME, FERTILIZER AND SEEDING

- A. Apply lime by mechanical means at rate of 3000 pounds per acre.
- B. Apply fertilizer at rate of 1200 pounds per acre.
- C. Remove weeds or replace loam and reestablish finish grades, if any delays in seeding lawn areas and weeds grow on surface or loam is washed out prior to sowing seed and

without additional compensation. Sow seed at rate of 175 pounds per acre on calm day, by mechanical means. "Hydro-Seeding" not permitted unless otherwise permitted or required by Engineer. Sow one-half of seed in one direction, and other half at right angles to original direction. Rake seed lightly into loam, to depth of not more than 1/4 inch and compact by means of an acceptable lawn roller weighing 100 to 150 pounds per linear foot of width.

- D. Water lawn areas adequately at time of sowing and daily thereafter with fine spray, and continue throughout maintenance and protection period.
- E. Seed during approximate time periods of April 1 to May 15 and August 15 to October 1, and only when weather and soil conditions are suitable for such work, unless otherwise permitted.

3.04 MAINTENANCE OF SEEDED AREAS

- A. Maintain lawn areas and other seed areas at maximum height of 2-1/2 inches by mowing at least three times. Weed thoroughly once and maintained until time of final acceptance. Reseed and refertilize with original mixtures, watering or whatever is necessary to establish over entire area of lawn and other seeded areas a close stand of grasses specified, and reasonably free of weeds and undesirable coarse native grasses.
- B. Begin maintenance immediately after each portion of lawn is seeded and continue for minimum of 45 days.
- C. Repair or replace all seeded areas which, in judgment of Engineer, have not survived and grown in satisfactory manner, for a period of one year after acceptance.
- D. Seeding replacement, same seed mixture as specified and furnished and installed as specified.

3.05 TEMPORARY COVER CROP

- A. Sow a temporary cover crop of buckwheat, domestic rye grass or other acceptable seed if there is insufficient time in the planting season to complete seeding, fertilizing, and permanent seeding at the option of Contractor or order of Engineer. Cut and water cover crop as necessary until the beginning of the following planting season, at which time it shall be plowed or harrowed into soil, the areas shall be fertilized and permanent seed crop sown as specified.

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SECTION 03300

CAST-IN-PLACE CONCRETE

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Requirements for furnishing and installing forms, reinforcing steel, concrete, and expansion and/or construction joints.

1.02 REFERENCES

- A. American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)

1. A185, Specification for Steel Welded Wire Fabric, Plain, for Concrete Reinforcement.
2. A615, Specification for deformed and Plain Billet-Steel Bars for Concrete Reinforcement.
3. C31, Practice for Making and Curing Concrete Test Cylinders in the Field.
4. C33, Specification for Concrete Aggregates.
5. C39, Test Method for Compressive Strength of Cylindrical Concrete Specimens.
6. C42, Test Method for Obtaining and Testing Drilled Cores and Sawed Beams of Concrete.
7. C94, Specification for ready Mixed Concrete.
8. C143, Test Method for Slump of Hydraulic Cement Concrete.
9. C150, Specification for Portland Cement.
10. C172, Practice for Sampling Freshly Mixed Concrete.
11. C231, Test Method for Air Content of Freshly Mixed Concrete by the Pressure Method.
12. C260, Test Method for Air-Entraining Admixtures for Concrete.
13. C494, Specification for Chemical Admixtures for Concrete.
14. C920, Specification for Elastomeric Joint sealants.
15. D994, Specification for Preformed Expansion Joint Filler for Concrete (Bituminous Type)
16. D1056, Specification for Flexible Cellular Materials-Sponge or Expanded Rubber.
17. D1751, Specification for Preformed Expansion Joint Filler for Concrete Paving and Structural Construction (Nonextruding and Resilient Bituminous Types).

- B. American Concrete Institute (ACI):

1. ACI 301, Specification for Structural Concrete for Buildings.
 2. ACI 304, Recommended Practice for Measuring, Mixing, Transporting, and Placing Concrete.
 3. ACI 305, Recommended Practice for Hot Weather Concreting.
 4. ACI 306, Recommended Practice for Cold Weather Concreting.
 5. ACI 315, Building Code Requirements for Reinforced Concrete.
 6. ACI 347, Guide to Formwork for Concrete.
- C. Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute (CRSI):
1. Manual of Standard Practice.

1.03 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit Shop Drawings in accordance with SECTION 01300 for the following:
1. Reinforcing Steel
 - a. Furnish in detail and completeness that all fabrication and placement at the site can be accomplished without the use of contract drawings for reference.
 - b. Include number of pieces, sizes, and grade of reinforcing steel, accessories, and any other information required for fabrication and placement.
 - c. Show joint layout and design
 - d. Check structural and site drawings for anchor bolts, anchors, inserts, conduits, sleeves, and any other items which are required to be embedded in concrete, and make necessary provisions as required so that reinforcing steel will not interfere with the placement of such embedded items.
 2. Concrete mix designs.
 3. Grout manufacturer/design mix (if included in this section)
 4. Manufacturer's data for ancillary materials such as joint fillers and sealants, epoxy bonding compound.

1.04 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Selection of testing laboratory in accordance with SECTION 01410.
- B. Sample and Test Concrete as follows:
1. Test Specimens: Make, cure and have tested, a minimum of one set of four test specimens from the concrete of each day's pour and for each fifty cubic yards of concrete cast in accordance with ASTM C172, C31 and C39. One cylinder shall be broken after seven days and three cylinders after twenty-eight day.
 2. Slump: A slump test shall be made for each truckload of concrete in accordance with ASTM C143. Slumps greater than design mix limit will be grounds for rejection of the concrete.

3. Air Content: An air content test shall be made from each day's pour of concrete by the pressure method in accordance with ASTM C231. Air contents above or below the limits specified will be grounds for rejection of the concrete.
4. In the event the compressive strength of the cylinders, when tested, is below the specified minimum, the Engineer may require test cores of the hardened structure to be taken by the Testing Laboratory in accordance with ASTM C42. If such test indicates that the core specimen is below the required strength, the concrete in question shall be removed and replaced without cost to the Owner. Any other work damaged as a result of this concrete removal shall be replaced with new materials to the satisfaction of the Engineer at no additional cost to the Owner. The cost of coring will be deducted from the contract amount. Where the Testing Laboratory has taken core cylinders and the concrete proves to be satisfactory, core holes shall be filled in a manner satisfactory to the Engineer at no additional cost to the Owner.
5. The Contractor shall coordinate the date and location of tests with the Engineer before any concrete work is started.

1.05 PRODUCT DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

A. Reinforcing steel.

1. Transport to the site, store, and cover in a manner which will ensure that no damage shall occur to it from moisture, dirt, grease, or any other cause that might impair bond to concrete or chip protective epoxy coating.
2. Store on the site at all times, a supply of approved reinforcing steel to ensure that there will be no delay of the work.
3. Identification of steel shall be maintained after bundles are broken.

PART 2 PRODUCTS

2.01 MATERIALS

A. Portland Cement.

1. In accordance with ASTM C150, Type II of U.S. manufacture.
2. Only one brand of cement shall be used on the project.

B. Aggregates.

1. Fine aggregate, in accordance with ASTM C33, clean and graded from 1/4 inch to fines.
2. Coarse aggregate, in accordance with ASTM C33, clean and graded from 1/4 inch to maximum sizes hereinafter specified.

C. Air Entraining Agent.

1. In accordance with ASTM C260.

D. Water Reducing Agent.

1. In accordance with ASTM C494 Type A.
- E. Microsilica Admixture.
 1. Packaged in easily dispersing form.
- F. Water.
 1. Clean and potable,
 2. Free of impurities detrimental to concrete.
- G. Reinforcing Bars.
 1. New, deformed billet steel bars, in accordance with ASTM A615, Grade 60.
- H. Welded Wire Fabric
 1. In accordance with ASTM A185.
- I. Accessories.
 1. Reinforcement accessories, consisting of spacers, chairs, ties, and similar items shall be provided as required for spacing, assembling, and supporting reinforcement in place.
 2. All accessories shall be dielectric coated steel or approved plastic accessories, conforming to the applicable requirements of the CRSI Standards.
- J. Tie wire.
 1. 16 gauge or heavier black annealed wire.
- K. Form Ties and Spreaders.
 1. Standard metal form clamp assemble and plastic cone, of type acting as spreaders and leaving no metal within 1 inch of concrete face.
 2. Provide form tie with water stop for all walls to be in contact with earth or liquid.
 3. Inner tie rod shall be left in concrete when forms are removed.
 4. No wire ties or wood spreaders will be permitted. Use ½" x 1" C.T. plastic cones for sinkages.
- L. Form Coatings.
 1. Non-grain raising and non-staining type that will not leave residual matter on surface of concrete or adversely affect proper bonding of subsequent application of other material applied to concrete surface.
 2. "Nox-Crete Form Coating" as manufactured by Nox-Crete Company, or approved equal.
 3. Coatings containing mineral oils or the non-drying ingredients will not be permitted.
- M. Grout.
 1. High-strength, non-shrink grout with saltwater resistance.
 2. Five Star Special Grout 120 or equivalent.

2.02 CONCRETE STRENGTHS AND PROPORTIONS

- A. Cast-in-place concrete shall have the minimum compressive strength at 28 days as indicated on the Drawings.
- B. The exact proportions for the mix, including amounts admixture (if any), and water, shall be determined by the concrete supplier.
- C. The proportions of aggregate to cement for any concrete shall be such as to produce a mixture which will work readily into the corners and angles of the forms and around reinforcement with the method of placing employed not he work, but without permitting the materials to segregate or excess free water to collect on the surface.
- D. Air-Entrainment: The air content in all concrete shall be maintained at 5 to 7 percent.

2.03 PREMOLDED JOINT FILLER

- A. Bituminous Type.
 - 1. In accordance with ASTM D994 or D1751.
- B. Sponge Rubber Type.
 - 1. Neoprene, closed-cell, expanded in accordance with ASTM D1056, Type 2C5, with a compression deflection, 25 percent deflection (limits), 17 to 24 psi (119 to 168 kPa) minimum.

2.04 POURABLE JOINT FILLERS

- A. Filler for Nonpotable Water Structures
 - 1. Specific Gravity: Greater than 1.0 for cured, in-place filler.
 - 2. Vertical and Sloped Joints: Furnish gun grade material that will remain as placed in joints and will not run down slope.
 - 3. Suitable for continuous immersion and exposure to liquid being contained in the structure.

2.05 JOINT SEALANTS

- A. In slabs.
 - 1. In accordance with ASTM C920 for poured 2-component polyurethane sealant.
 - 2. Sikaflex-2c, as manufactured by Sika Corporation or approved equivalent.
- B. In walls.
 - 1. Type II, Class A, compound conforming to Interim Federal Specification TT-S-00227E (3) (COM-NBS) for Sealing Compound; Elastomeric Type, Multi-Component (for Caulking, Sealing, and Glazing in Buildings and Other Structures).
 - 2. Sikaflex-1a, as manufactured by Sika Corporation or approved equivalent.

2.06 EPOXY BONDING COMPOUND

- A. The epoxy bonding compound shall be a three-component, solvent-free, moisture-tolerant, epoxy modified, cementitious product specifically formulated as a bonding agent and anti-corrosion coating. The product shall have suitable contact time, fluidity, and application temperature for this type of application.

PART 3 EXECUTION

3.01 FORMWORK

A. Falsework for Forms

1. Build and maintain necessary false work for the forms.

B. Construction of Forms

1. General

- a. Construct in accordance with ACI 347.
- b. Construct of sound material, to the correct shape and dimensions, mortar tight, of sufficient strength, and so braced and tied together that the movement of men, equipment, materials, or placing and vibrating the concrete will not throw them out of line or position.

2. Embedded Items

- a. Make provisions for pipes, sleeves, anchors, inserts, reglets, anchor slots, nailers, water stops, and other features.
- b. Do not embed wood, other than necessary nailing blocks, in concrete.
- c. Extended complete cooperation to suppliers of embedded items in their installation.
- d. Secure information for embedded items from other trades as required.
- e. Securely anchored embedded items in correct location and alignment prior to placing concrete.

3. Openings for Items Passing Through Concrete

- a. Establish exact locations, sizes, and other conditions required for openings and attachment of work specified under other sections.
- b. Coordination work of this nature in order that there will be no unnecessary cutting and patching of concrete.
- c. Cutting and repairing of concrete as a result of failure to provide for such openings shall be paid for by the Contractor at no additional expense to the Owner.

C. Removing Forms and False work

1. Forms shall not be removed for at least 72 hours after concrete has been placed.
2. Forms shall not be removed until the concrete has attained sufficient strength to insure stability.

3.02 REINFORCING STEEL

A. General

1. Place reinforcing steel in accordance with the drawings and approved shop drawings and the applicable requirements of the CRSI, Manual of Practice.
2. Install reinforcement accurately and secure against movement, particularly under the weight of workmen and the placement of concrete.

B. Reinforcing Steel Supports

1. Support bars on approved plastic or dielectric-coated metal chairs or spacers, accurately placed and securely fastened to forms or steel reinforcement in place.
2. Supply additional bars, whether specifically shown on the drawings or not, where necessary to securely fasten reinforcement in place.
3. Support legs of accessories in forms without embedding in form surface.
4. Spacing of chairs and accessories shall conform to CRSI, Manual of Standard Practice. Accurately space hoops and stirrups and wire to the reinforcement.
5. Permit no loose wood inside forms.
6. Lifting of welded wire fabric into proper position while concrete is being poured rather than supporting fabric on chairs will not be permitted.

C. Placing and Tying

1. Set in place, space, and rigidly and securely tie or wire with tie wire at all splices and at all crossing points and intersections in the positions shown, or as directed.
2. Rebending of bars on the job to accommodate existing conditions will not be permitted without the written approval of the Engineer.
3. Point ends of wire ties away from forms.

D. Spacing

1. Minimum center to center distance between parallel bars shall be in accordance with the details on the drawings, or, where not shown, the clear spacing shall be 2 times the bar diameter but in no case less than 1½ inches or less than 1½ times the maximum size aggregate.

E. Splices

1. Maximum 50% of steel spliced occurring within lap length.
2. Top bars shall be 1.3 times values given in 3.01.D.5.c.
3. Splice lengths.
 - a. #6 bars and smaller: 50-bar diameter
 - b. #7 bars and larger: 60-bar diameter

F. Concrete Covering

1. In accordance with ACI 315, except where shown otherwise on drawings.

3.03 CONCRETE

A. Mixing of Concrete

1. All concrete shall be ready-mixed concrete, and shall be mixed and delivered in accordance with ASTM C 94. The batch plant of the concrete producer shall be certified for compliance with the standards established by the National Ready-Mixed Concrete Association.
2. In the event concrete is mixed at a central batching plant, the delivery shall be arranged so that intervals between batches are kept to a minimum, and in any event not more than thirty (30) minutes. Trucks shall be in first class condition and kept in constant rotation during delivery.
3. Concrete shall be placed within 90 minutes after cement has been mixed with aggregate or 45 minutes after addition of water and admixtures.
4. No admixtures, except those mentioned in paragraph 2.01 shall be used. Calcium chloride will not be permitted.
5. Truck delivery slips of all concrete delivered to the job shall indicate the quantity and quality of concrete, additives, date and time of batching and delivery, and the location of placement. Delivery slips shall be forwarded to the Engineer at the end of each pour.

B. Cold Weather Concreting.

1. In accordance with ACI 306.
2. Concrete shall not be mixed or placed when the temperature is below 40 degrees F, or when conditions indicate that the temperature will fall below 40 degrees F within 72 hours unless precautions are taken to protect the concrete.
3. Concrete temperature shall be maintained, when deposited, at not less than 60 degrees F. Reinforcement, forms, and ground which concrete will contact must be completely free of frost.
4. Concrete and formwork must be kept at a temperature of not less than 50 degrees F. for not less than 96 hours after placing.
5. Calcium chloride shall not be used.

C. Hot Weather Concreting.

1. In accordance with ACI 305.
2. The maximum temperature of the concrete, when deposited, shall be 85 degrees F. If the weather causes the placing temperature to exceed 85 degrees F., the mix shall be cooled by methods approved by the Engineer.
3. No concrete shall be deposited when the air temperature is greater than 90 degrees F.

D. Conveying and Placing Concrete.

1. In accordance with ACI 304.

2. Notification: Before placing concrete, forms shall be thoroughly inspected. All chips, dirt, etc., shall be removed, all temporary bracing and cleats taken out, all openings for pipes, etc., properly boxed, all forms properly secured in their correct position and made tight, all reinforcement, anchors, and embedded items secured in their proper places. Concrete which may be on the forms or reinforcement, and which is set and dry, shall be cleaned off, and the forms and steel washed off before proceeding. Remove all foreign matter from forms and excavations.
3. Water shall be removed from place of deposit before concrete is placed unless otherwise permitted by the Engineer. Any flow of water into an excavation shall be diverted through proper side drains into a sump, or shall be removed by other approved methods which will avoid washing away the freshly deposited concrete.
4. Soil on which concrete will be poured shall be thoroughly wetted (except in freezing weather).
5. Anchors and Embedded Items: Anchors, bolts, sleeves, inserts, wood blocking, and any other items to be embedded in concrete shall be accurately secured in position before the concrete is placed. Aluminum shall not be embedded in concrete.
6. Handling and Depositing
 - a. Before any concrete is placed, notify all whose work is in any way connected with or influenced by the concrete work, and give them reasonable time to complete all portions of their work that must be completed before concrete is deposited.
 - b. Immediately before concrete is placed, inspect all forms to insure that they are in proper position, sufficiently rigid, thoroughly clean, properly oiled and free from foreign materials, and that all reinforcement is in proper position.
 - c. Concreting, once started, shall be carried on as a continuous operation until the section of approved size and shape is completed.
 - d. Concrete shall be conveyed as rapidly as practicable from the mixer to the place of final deposit by methods that prevent the separation or loss of ingredients. It shall be deposited, as nearly as practicable, in its final position to avoid rehandling or flowing.
 - e. Concrete shall not be dropped freely where reinforcement will cause segregation, nor shall it be dropped freely more than six (6) feet. Concrete shall be deposited to maintain a plastic surface approximately horizontal.
 - f. Concrete that has partially hardened shall not be deposited in the work.
7. Pumping
 - a. Concrete may be placed by pumping if first approved in writing by the Engineer for the location proposed.
 - b. Equipment for pumping shall be of such size and design as to ensure a practically continuous flow of concrete at the delivery end without separation of materials.

- c. The concrete mix shall be designed to the same requirements as herein before specified, and may be richer in lubricating components in order to allow proper pumping.
 - d. Concrete shall not be pumped through aluminum pipes.
8. Vibrating and Compacting
- a. All concrete shall be thoroughly consolidated and compacted by suitable means during the operation of placing, and shall be thoroughly worked around reinforcement, embedded items, and into the corners of the forms. All concrete against forms shall be thoroughly spaded. Internal vibrators shall be used under experienced supervision, and shall be kept out of contact with reinforcement and wood forms. Vibrators shall not be used in a manner that forces mortar between individual form members.
 - b. Vibrators shall be flexible electric type or approved compressed air type, adequately powered and capable of transmitting to the concrete not less than seven thousand (7,000) impulses per minute. Vibration shall be sufficiently intense to cause the concrete to flow or settle readily into place without separation of the ingredients. A sufficient number of vibrators shall be employed so that complete compaction is secured throughout the entire volume of each layer of concrete. At least one (1) vibrator shall be kept in readiness as a spare for emergency use. Vibrators shall be such that the concrete becomes uniformly plastic with their use.
 - c. Vibration shall be close to the forms but shall not be continued at one spot to the extent that large areas of grout are formed or the heavier aggregates are caused to settle. Care shall be taken to not disturb concrete that has its initial set.
 - d. Where conditions make compacting difficult, or where the reinforcement is congested, batches of mortar containing the same proportions of cement to sand as used in the concrete shall first be deposited in the forms, to a depth of at least on inch.
 - e. The responsibility for providing fully filled out, smooth, clean, and properly aligned surfaces free from objectionable pockets shall rest entirely with the Contractor.

3.04 CONSTRUCTION JOINTS

- A. Construction joints shall be located a maximum of 40 feet apart. If, for any reason, the contractor feels a change is necessary, he shall prepare a placing plan and submit it to the Engineer for approval.
- B. Where a joint is to be made, the surface of the concrete shall be sandblasted or thoroughly picked, thoroughly cleaned, and all laitance removed. In addition to the foregoing, joints shall be thoroughly wetted, but not saturated, and slushed with a coat of grout immediately before the placing of new concrete.
- C. Approved keys shall be used at all joints, unless detailed otherwise.

- D. Forms shall be retightened before placing of concrete is continued. There shall be an interval of at least 48 hours between adjacent pours.
- E. Bonding Concrete at Construction Joints
1. To new concrete construction joints:
 - a. Thoroughly clean and saturate joint with water.
 - b. Cover horizontal wall surfaces as specified in this Section, and immediately place concrete.
 - c. Limit concrete lift placed immediately on top of bonding compound to 12 inches thick.
 - d. Thoroughly vibrate to mix and consolidate bonding compound and concrete together.
- F. Bonding new concrete to old concrete:
1. Mechanically roughen existing concrete surfaces to a clean, rough surface using appropriate mechanical means to remove the existing concrete surface, and provide a minimum roughness profile of ¼-inch.
 2. Saturate surface with water for 24 hours, cover with epoxy bonding compound and place concrete as specified for new concrete.
- G. Expansion Joints
1. Expansion joints shall be located as shown on contract drawings.
 2. The joint shall include a joint filler, a bond breaker and joint sealant and installed as indicated on contract drawings.
- H. Joint Sealants.
1. Prepare surface in accordance with manufacturers directions.
 2. Apply primer as recommended by sealant manufacturer.
 3. Install sealant with the proper tools and methods as directed by the sealant manufacturer.
- I. Patching
1. Immediately after stripping forms, patch minor defects, form-tie holes, honeycombed areas, etc., before concrete is thoroughly dry.
 2. Repair gravel pockets by cutting out to solid surface, form key, and thoroughly wet before placing patching mortar consisting of 1 part cement to 2 parts fine sand; compact into place and neatly finish. Honeycombed areas or gravel pockets which, in the Engineer's opinion are too large and unsatisfactory for mortar patching as described above, shall be cut out to solid surface, keyed, and packed solids with matching concrete to produce firm bond and surface.
 3. The Contractor shall do all the cutting as required by himself or other trades. All such work shall be of the minimum size required. No excessive cutting will be permitted, or shall any structural members or reinforcement be cut.

4. The Contractor shall do all patching after work by other trades has been installed, where required, using Portland Cement Mortar 1:2 mix.

J. Protection and Curing

1. Protect concrete from injurious action of the elements and defacement of any nature during construction operations.
2. Keep concrete in a thoroughly moist condition from the time it is placed until it has cured, for at least (7) days.
3. Carefully protect exposed concrete corners from damage.
4. Allow no slabs to become dry at any time until curing operations are complete. In general, slabs shall be cured with non-staining curing paper, hosing or fog spray; vertical surfaces shall be curing with Burlene or fog spray or an approved curing compound.
5. Protect fresh concrete from drying winds, rain, damage, or spoiling. Curing paper shall be lapped 4 inches minimum at joints and sealed with waterproof tape.

K. Concrete Finishes

1. Unexposed Surfaces: All unexposed surfaces shall have any form finish, at the Contractor's option.
2. Wearing Surface Finish: Float the surface by hand using a wooden or magnesium float. Finish with a flexible bristle broom. Permit surface to harden sufficiently to retain the scoring or ridges. Broom transverse to traffic or at right angles to the slope of the slab.
3. Addition of Material: The addition of cement, sand, water, or mortar to slab surfaces while finishing concrete is strictly prohibited.

L. Defective Work

1. The following concrete work shall be considered defective and may be ordered by the Engineer to be removed and replaced at Contractor's expense:
 - a. Incorrectly formed.
 - b. Not plumb or level.
 - c. Not specified strength.
 - d. Containing rock pockets, voids, honeycomb, or cold joints.
 - e. Containing wood or foreign matter.
 - f. Otherwise not in accordance with the intent of the Drawings and Specifications.

END OF SECTION

APPENDIX A
LETTER OF AUTHORIZATION FOR
PRIVATE PROPERTY ACCESS

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TOWN OF MIDDLEBOROUGH
DEPARTMENT OF
PUBLIC WORKS
MIDDLEBOROUGH, MA 02346

Letter of Authorization

Property Address (Street, City, State, Zip): _____ Date: _____

I, the undersigned owner of the property, or authorized agent representing the property owner hereby consent to entry upon said property by personnel and equipment of _____ hereinafter called "CONTRACTOR", as it is necessary to carry out removal of the existing water service box.

I understand that the replacement of the lead water service connection is to be performed by CONTRACTOR., and the CONTRACTOR. is solely responsible for the work that is performed under contract Wareham Street Water Main Replacement Project.

I request and authorize the CONTRACTOR. to enter the aforementioned property as required to perform this work.

I hereby release the TOWN OF MIDDLEBOROUGH. its officers, agents and employees from any claims, demands, causes of action or obligation whatsoever arising out of or relating to entry; on my property; any incidental damage to shrubs or plants; the replacement of the lead water service connection hereinabove referred to; and/or appearances of said improvements otherwise.

Name of Property Owner:

Telephone Number Property Owner:

Signature:

Owner or Authorized Agent

Name of Agent for CONTRACTOR.:

Telephone Number CONTRACTOR:

Signature - CONTRACTOR.

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APPENDIX B
MIDDLEBOUROUGH TRENCH
OPENING PERMIT

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Town of Middleborough

Dept of Public Works
65 Sachem Street
Middleborough, Massachusetts 02346
Phone (508) 946-2480
FAX (508) 946-2484

Permit Number _____

Date Issued _____

Expiration Date _____

TRENCH PERMIT

Pursuant to G.L. c. 82A §1 and 520 CMR 7.00 et seq.(as amended)

THIS PERMIT MUST BE FULLY COMPLETED PRIOR TO CONSIDERATION

Name of Applicant			Phone	Cell
Street Address				
City/Town	MA	ZIP		
Name of Excavator (if different from applicant)			Phone	Cell
Street Address				
City/Town	MA	ZIP		
Name of Owner(s) of Property			Phone	Cell
Street Address				
City/Town	MA	ZIP		
Other Contact			Permit Fee Received	No () Yes () N/A
Description, location and purpose of proposed trench: Please describe the exact location of the proposed trench and its purpose (include a description of what is (or is intended) to be laid in proposed trench (eg; pipes/cable lines etc..) Please use reverse side if additional space is needed.				
Insurance Certificate #:				
Name and Contact Information of Insurer:				
Policy Expiration Date:				
Dig Safe #:				
Name of Competent Person (as defined by 520 CMR 7.02):				

Massachusetts Hoisting License #

License Grade:

Expiration Date:

BY SIGNING THIS FORM, THE APPLICANT, OWNER, AND EXCAVATOR ALL ACKNOWLEDGE AND CERTIFY THAT THEY ARE FAMILIAR WITH, OR, BEFORE COMMENCEMENT OF THE WORK, WILL BECOME FAMILIAR WITH, ALL LAWS AND REGULATIONS APPLICABLE TO WORK PROPOSED, INCLUDING OSHA REGULATIONS, G.L. c. 82A, 520 CMR 7.00 et seq., AND ANY APPLICABLE MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES, BY-LAWS AND REGULATIONS AND THEY COVENANT AND AGREE THAT ALL WORK DONE UNDER THE PERMIT ISSUED FOR SUCH WORK WILL COMPLY THEREWITH IN ALL RESPECTS AND WITH THE CONDITIONS SET FORTH BELOW.

THE UNDERSIGNED OWNER AUTHORIZES THE APPLICANT TO APPLY FOR THE PERMIT AND THE EXCAVATOR TO UNDERTAKE SUCH WORK ON THE PROPERTY OF THE OWNER, AND ALSO, FOR THE DURATION OF CONSTRUCTION, AUTHORIZES PERSONS DULY APPOINTED BY THE MUNICIPALITY TO ENTER UPON THE PROPERTY TO MONITOR AND INSPECT THE WORK FOR CONFORMITY WITH THE CONDITIONS ATTACHED HERETO AND THE LAWS AND REGULATIONS GOVERING SUCH WORK.

THE UNDERSIGNED APPLICANT, OWNER AND EXCAVATOR AGREE JOINTLY AND SEVERALLY TO REIMBURSE THE MUNICIPALITY FOR ANY AND ALL COSTS AND EXPENSES INCURRED BY THE MUNICIPALITY IN CONNECTION WITH THIS PERMIT AND THE WORK CONDUCTED THEREUNDER, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO ENFORCING THE REQUIREMENTS OF STATE LAW AND CONDITIONS OF THIS PERMIT, INSPECTIONS MADE TO ASSURE COMPLIANCE THEREWITH, AND MEASURES TAKEN BY THE MUNICIPALITY TO PROTECT THE PUBLIC WHERE THE APPLICANT OWNER OR EXCAVATOR HAS FAILED TO COMPLY THEREWITH INCLUDING POLICE DETAILS AND OTHER REMEDIAL MEASURES DEEMED NECESSARY BY THE MUNICIPALITY.

THE UNDERSIGNED APPLICANT, OWNER AND EXCAVATOR AGREE JOINTLY AND SEVERALLY TO DEFEND, INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD HARMLESS THE MUNICIPALITY AND ALL OF ITS AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITY, CAUSES OR ACTION, COSTS, AND EXPENSES RESULTING FROM OR ARISING OUT OF ANY INJURY, DEATH, LOSS, OR DAMAGE TO ANY PERSON OR PROPERTY DURING THE WORK CONDUCTED UNDER THIS PERMIT.

APPLICANT SIGNATURE

DATE

EXCAVATOR SIGNATURE (IF DIFFERENT)

DATE

OWNER'S SIGNATURE (IF DIFFERENT)

DATE:

For City/Town use -- Do not write in this section

PERMIT APPROVED BY

PERMITTING AUTHORITY

CONDITIONS OF APPROVAL

Date

\$ Application Fee

Summary of 1926 CFR Subpart P -OSHA Excavation Standard

This is a worker protection standard, and is designed to protect employees who are working inside a trench. This summary was prepared by the Massachusetts Division of Occupational Safety and not OSHA for informational purposes only and does not constitute an official interpretation by OSHA of their regulations, and may not include all aspects of the standard. For further information or a full copy of the standard go to www.osha.gov.

- **Trench Definition per the OSHA standard:**
 - An excavation made below the surface of the ground, narrow in relation to its length.
 - In general, the depth is greater than the width, but the width of the trench is not greater than fifteen feet.
- **Protective Systems** to prevent soil wall collapse are always required in trenches deeper than 5', and are also required in trenches less than 5' deep when the competent person determines that a hazard exists. Protection options include:
 - Shoring. Shoring must be used in accordance with the OSHA Excavation standard appendices, the equipment manufacturer's tabulated data, or designed by a registered professional engineer.
 - Shielding (Trench Boxes). Trench boxes must be used in accordance with the equipment manufacturer's tabulated data, or a registered professional engineer.
 - Sloping or Benching. In Type C soils (what is most typically encountered) the excavation must extend horizontally 1 ½ feet for every foot of trench depth on both sides, 1 foot for Type B soils, and ¾ foot for Type A soils.
 - A registered professional engineer must design protective systems for all excavations greater than 20' in depth.
- **Ladders** must be used in trenches deeper than 4'.
 - Ladders must be inside the trench with workers at all times, and located within 25' of unobstructed lateral travel for every worker in the trench.
 - Ladders must extend 3' above the top of the trench so workers can safely get onto and off of the ladder.
- **Inspections** of every trench worksite are required:
 - Prior to the start of each shift, and again when there is a change in conditions such as a rainstorm.
 - Inspections must be conducted by the competent person (see below).
- **Competent Person(s) is:**
 - Capable (i.e., trained and knowledgeable) in identifying existing and predictable hazards in the trench, and other working conditions which may pose a hazard to workers, and
 - Authorized by management to take necessary corrective action to eliminate the hazards. Employees must be removed from hazardous areas until the hazard has been corrected.
- **Underground Utilities** must be:
 - Identified prior to opening the excavation (e.g., contact Digsafe).
 - Located by safe and acceptable means while excavating.
 - Protected, supported, or removed once exposed.
- **Spoils** must be kept back a minimum of 2' from the edge of the trench.
- **Surface Encumbrances** creating a hazard must be removed or supported to safeguard employees. Keep heavy equipment and heavy material as far back from the edge of the trench as possible.
- **Stability of Adjacent Structures:**
 - Where the stability of adjacent structures is endangered by creation of the trench, they must be underpinned, braced, or otherwise supported.
 - Sidewalks, pavements, etc. shall not be undermined unless a support system or other method of protection is provided.
- **Protection from water accumulation hazards:**
 - It is not allowable for employees to work in trenches with accumulated water. If water control such as pumping is used to prevent water accumulation, this must be monitored by the competent person.
 - If the trench interrupts natural drainage of surface water, ditches, dikes or other means must be used to prevent this water from entering the excavation.
- **Additional Requirements:**
 - For mobile equipment operated near the edge of the trench, a warning system such as barricades or stop logs must be used.
 - Employees are not permitted to work underneath loads. Operators may not remain in vehicles being loaded unless vehicles are equipped with adequate protection as per 1926.601(b)(6).
 - Employees must wear high-visibility clothing in traffic work zones.
 - Air monitoring must be conducted in trenches deeper than 4' if the potential for a hazardous atmosphere exists. If a hazardous atmosphere is found to exist (e.g., O₂ <19.5% or >23.5%, 20% LEL, specific chemical hazard), adequate protections shall be taken such as ventilation of the space.
 - Walkways are required where employees must cross over the trench. Walkways with guardrails must be provided for crossing over trenches > 6' deep.
 - Employees must be protected from loose rock or soil through protections such as scaling or protective barricades.

CONDITIONS AND REQUIREMENTS PURSUANT TO G.L.C.82A AND 520 CMR 7.00 et seq. (as amended)

By signing the application, the applicant understands and agrees to comply with the following:

- i. No trench may be excavated unless the requirements of sections 40 through 40D of chapter 82, and any accompanying regulations, have been met and this permit is invalid unless and until said requirements have been complied with by the excavator applying for the permit including, but not limited to, the establishment of a valid excavation number with the underground plant damage prevention system as said system is defined in section 76D of chapter 164 (DIG SAFE);
- ii. Trenches may pose a significant health and safety hazard. Pursuant to Section 1 of Chapter 82 of the General Laws, an excavator shall not leave any open trench unattended without first making every reasonable effort to eliminate any recognized safety hazard that may exist as a result of leaving said open trench unattended. Excavators should consult regulations promulgated by the Department of Public Safety in order to familiarize themselves with the recognized safety hazards associated with excavations and open trenches and the procedures required or recommended by said department in order to make every reasonable effort to eliminate said safety hazards which may include covering, barricading or otherwise protecting open trenches from accidental entry.
- iii. Persons engaging in any in any trenching operation shall familiarize themselves with the federal safety standards promulgated by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration on excavations: 29 CFR 1926.650 et.seq., entitled Subpart P "Excavations".
- iv. Excavators engaging in any trenching operation who utilize hoisting or other mechanical equipment subject to chapter 146 shall only employ individuals licensed to operate said equipment by the Department of Public Safety pursuant to said chapter and this permit must be presented to said licensed operator before any excavation is commenced;
- v. By applying for, accepting and signing this permit, the applicant hereby attests to the following: (1) that they have read and understands the regulations promulgated by the Department of Public Safety with regard to construction related excavations and trench safety; (2) that he has read and understands the federal safety standards promulgated by the Occupational Safety and Health Administration on excavations: 29 CMR 1926.650 et.seq., entitled Subpart P "Excavations" as well as any other excavation requirements established by this municipality; and (3) that he is aware of and has, with regard to the proposed trench excavation on private property or proposed excavation of a city or town public way that forms the basis of the permit application, complied with the requirements of sections 40-40D of chapter 82A.
- vi. This permit shall be posted in plain view on the site of the trench.

For additional information please visit the Department of Public Safety's website at www.mass.gov/dps