

**LOCATION:**

THIS SIGN H-4 IS TO BE LOCATED BY THE ENGINEER OUTSIDE THE TRAVELED WAY ADJACENT TO THE CONSTRUCTION SITE PARALLEL WITH THE ROADWAY.

**MATERIALS:**

THE SIGNS SHALL BE OF METAL WOOD, PLYWOOD, HARDBOARD OR ANY OTHER MATERIAL SATISFACTORY TO THE ENGINEER. NO MATERIAL SHALL BE APPROVED THAT WILL DETERIORATE BY EXPOSURE TO THE WEATHER DURING THE REQUIRED LIFE OF THE SIGN.

**INSTALLATION:**

THE SIGNS SHALL BE IN PLACE AT THE TIME THE PROJECT OFFICIALLY COMMENCES. EACH SIGN SHALL BE ERECTED IN A NEAT AND WORKMANLIKE MANNER ON WOOD OR METAL POSTS SET SECURELY IN THE GROUND. THE BOTTOM OF A SIGN SHALL BE AT LEAST 5 FEET ABOVE ROAD LEVEL AND THE NEAREST EDGE OF A SIGN SHALL BE AT LEAST 6 FEET OUTSIDE THE SHOULDER POINT OR 2 FEET OUTSIDE THE GUARD RAIL, CURBING OR SIDEWALK. POSTS AND SIGNS SHALL BE BRACED OR REINFORCED IN BACK AS NECESSARY. THE INSTALLATION OF SIGNS AND BARRICADES SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE ENGINEER.

**MAINTENANCE:**

SIGNS SHALL BE MAINTAINED IN A CLEAN AND LEGIBLE CONDITION SATISFACTORY TO THE ENGINEER. THEY SHALL BE COMPLETELY VISIBLE TO APPROACHING TRAFFIC AT ALL TIMES. THEY SHALL BE KEPT PLUMB AND LEVEL AND ALWAYS PRESENT A NEAT APPEARANCE. DAMAGED, DEFACED OR DIRTY SIGNS SHALL BE REPAIRED, CLEANED OR REPLACED AS ORDERED BY THE ENGINEER.

**GENERAL:**

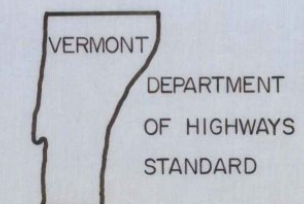
THE COST OF FURNISHING, ERECTING, MAINTAINING AND REMOVING ALL CONSTRUCTION APPROACH SIGNS SHALL BE CONSIDERED AS SUBSIDIARY WORK PERTAINING TO THE PROJECT AS A WHOLE AND SHALL BE INCLUDED IN THE CONTRACT UNIT PRICE BID FOR VARIOUS ITEMS INVOLVED IN THE CONTRACT. IN ALL PHASES OF CONSTRUCTION OF APPROACH SIGNING, THE REQUIREMENTS SET FORTH IN THE MANUAL ON UNIFORM TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES SHALL BE MET (SEE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS, SECTION 107, ARTICLE 107.09 BARRICADES, WARNING AND DETOUR SIGNS).

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