

PROJECT NOTES

1. ALL PROPOSED WORK TO BE PERFORMED WITHIN THE EXISTING RIGHT-OF-WAY.
2. EXISTING SHOULDER MATERIAL DEEMED UNSUITABLE BY THE RESIDENT ENGINEER SHALL BE EXCAVATED TO A DEPTH OF THREE INCHES OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. EXCAVATION SHALL BE PAID UNDER ITEM 608.25 ALL PURPOSE EXCAVATOR RENTAL, TYPE I AND ITEM 608.37 TRUCK RENTAL. MATERIAL REMOVED SHALL BE REPLACED WITH ITEM 301.28 SUBBASE OF CRUSHED GRAVEL, FINE GRADED AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. EXCAVATED MATERIAL SHALL BE SPREAD ON THE ADJACENT SLOPES, OR REMOVED FROM THE PROJECT AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
3. ALL NECESSARY SURFACE PREPARATION INVOLVING PATCHING, POT HOLE REPAIR, AND CRACK SEALING SHALL BE PERFORMED FOLLOWING COLD PLANING AND PRIOR TO PAVING. THE PATCHING OF ALL CRACKS GREATER THAN ONE INCH AND POT HOLE REPAIR SHALL BE COMPLETED WITH ITEM 900.680 SPECIAL PROVISION (BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT SURFACE PREPARATION, TYPE I). AN ESTIMATED QUANTITY FOR THIS ITEM HAS BEEN INCLUDED.
4. THE CONTRACTOR SHALL USE CAUTION WHEN COLD PLANING AND PAVING OPERATIONS OCCUR ON BRIDGE DECKS. SHOULD ANY DAMAGE OCCUR TO THE DECK OR MEMBRANE AS A RESULT OF THE CONTRACTOR'S OPERATIONS THE ENGINEER SHALL CONTACT THE VAOT CONSTRUCTION STRUCTURES ENGINEER TO PROVIDE AN ASSESSMENT OF THE DAMAGE AND RECOMMEND ANY NECESSARY REPAIRS. THE CONSTRUCTION STRUCTURES ENGINEER WILL ALSO DETERMINE IF THE DAMAGE WAS AVOIDABLE. IF THE CONTRACTOR IS DETERMINED BY THE ENGINEER TO BE AT FAULT FOR THE DAMAGE, THE RECOMMENDED REPAIRS SHALL BE COMPLETED BY THE CONTRACTOR AT NO COST TO THE STATE.
5. GRASS GROWING ADJACENT TO THE PAVEMENT OR THROUGH CRACKS IN THE PAVEMENT, WHICH MAY HAMPER THE PLACEMENT OF NEW BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT, SHALL BE REMOVED BY THE CONTRACTOR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. PAYMENT FOR THIS WORK WILL NOT BE MADE DIRECTLY, BUT WILL BE CONSIDERED INCIDENTAL TO ITEM 406.27 MEDIUM DUTY BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT OR ITEM 490.30 SUPERPAVE BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT.
6. PAVEMENT WILL BE AN ALTERNATE AND PAID UNDER ITEM 406.27 MEDIUM DUTY BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT OR ITEM 490.30 SUPERPAVE BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT.
7. ALL BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT TOLERANCE = 1/4" +/- (TOTAL THICKNESS EXCLUDING LEVELING COURSE).
8. EMULSIFIED ASPHALT SHALL BE APPLIED AS A TACK COAT ON ALL EXISTING OR COLD PLANED PAVEMENT SURFACES AT THE RATE OF 0.080 GAL/SY AND BETWEEN ALL COURSES OF BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT AT THE RATE OF 0.025 TO 0.040 GAL/SY. EMULSIFIED ASPHALT WILL PAID UNDER ITEM 404.65 EMULSIFIED ASPHALT OR ITEM 900.683 SPECIAL PROVISION (EMULSIFIED ASPHALT) (RS-1H OR CRS-1H).
9. IF ITEM 406.27 MEDIUM DUTY BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT ALTERNATE IS SELECTED, THE WEARING COURSE AND LEVELING COURSE SHALL BE TYPE IV MEDIUM DUTY BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT. ALL PG GRADED ASPHALT CEMENT USED IN THE MEDIUM DUTY BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT SHALL BE AS SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION 406.03(b). IF ITEM 490.30 SUPERPAVE BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT ALTERNATE IS SELECTED, THE WEARING COURSE AND LEVELING COURSE SHALL BE TYPE IVS SUPERPAVE BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT. ALL PG GRADED ASPHALT CEMENT USED IN THE SUPERPAVE BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT SHALL BE AS SPECIFIED IN SUBSECTION 490.03(b).
10. FOR ESTIMATING PURPOSES A 1" LEVELING COURSE HAS BEEN QUANTIFIED FOR THE PROJECT. THE LEVELING COURSE DEPTH IS MEANT TO CORRECT PROFILE DEFICIENCIES PRIOR TO THE WEARING COURSE BEING PLACED. THE ENGINEER WILL WORK WITH VTRANS PAVEMENT DESIGN STAFF TO DETERMINE THE ACTUAL LEVELING COURSE DEPTH.
11. RUBBER TIRE COMPACTION ROLLERS SHALL BE USED ON THE LEVELING COURSE TO MAXIMIZE COMPACTION ON THE UNEVEN SURFACES.
12. ITEM 406.28 AIR VOIDS PAY ADJUSTMENT (N.A.B.I.) PAY ITEM WILL BE REQUIRED FOR ITEM 406.27 MEDIUM DUTY BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT OR ITEM 490.31 AIR VOIDS PAY ADJUSTMENT (N.A.B.I.) PAY ITEM WILL BE REQUIRED FOR ITEM 490.30 SUPERPAVE BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT.
13. EDGES OF PAVEMENT SHALL INCLUDE A SAFETY EDGE. SEE SAFETY EDGE DETAILS (HIGHWAY SAFETY & DESIGN DETAIL HSD-400.01).
14. ALL SIDE ROADS ARE TO BE PAVED FOUR FEET FROM THE EDGE OF MAINLINE SHOULDER UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED IN THE PLANS OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
15. ALL EDGES OF PAVEMENT SHALL BE BACKED UP TO FULL HEIGHT WITH AGGREGATE SHOULDER MATERIAL AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THIS WORK WILL BE PAID UNDER ITEM 900.680 SPECIAL PROVISION (AGGREGATE SHOULDERS, RAP WITH RAS).
16. ALL PAVED AND GRAVEL RESIDENTIAL, COMMERCIAL, FIELD AND WOOD DRIVES SHALL RECEIVE A TWO FEET PAVED APRON UNLESS OTHERWISE SHOWN ON THE PLANS OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. ANY AND ALL REQUIRED EXCAVATION AND ASSOCIATED DRIVE GRADING IN DRIVE AREAS SHALL BE AS SHOWN ON THE PLANS OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. THE NEW BITUMINOUS SURFACE SHALL BE CONSTRUCTED AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER AND WILL BE PAID FOR UNDER ITEM 900.675 SPECIAL PROVISION (HAND-PLACED BITUMINOUS CONCRETE MATERIAL, DRIVES). BITUMINOUS CONCRETE MATERIAL PLACED BY MECHANICAL METHODS AT THESE LOCATIONS IS EXCLUDED. ALL OTHER BITUMINOUS MATERIALS PLACED WITHIN THE PROJECT LIMITS, WHETHER BY HAND OR MECHANICAL METHODS, WILL BE PAID UNDER ITEM 406.27 MEDIUM DUTY BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT OR ITEM 490.30 SUPERPAVE BITUMINOUS CONCRETE PAVEMENT AS APPLICABLE.
17. ASPHALTIC PLUG-TYPE JOINT SHALL BE INSTALLED AT THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS. SEE BRIDGE JOINT ASPHALTIC PLUG (STRUCTURES DETAIL SD-516.10)

BRAINTREE BRIDGE #47 - B 46+47 (MM 0.880) 31' ASPHALTIC JOINT
18. AN ESTIMATED QUANTITY OF ITEM 604.412 REHAB DROP INLETS, CATCH BASINS OR MANHOLES HAS BEEN INCLUDED AND SHALL BE PERFORMED AT LOCATIONS SHOWN ON THE PLAN SHEETS OR AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER. ALL DI'S SHALL BE RAISED OR REHABILITATED SUCH THAT THE NEW GRATE ELEVATION MATCHES WITH THE SURROUNDING TERRAIN.
19. ESTIMATED QUANTITIES OF ITEM 608.15 POWER GRADER RENTAL, ITEM 608.25 ALL PURPOSE EXCAVATOR RENTAL, TYPE I, AND ITEM 608.37 TRUCK RENTAL HAVE BEEN INCLUDED FOR REMOVING BUILT UP SAND, SOD ETC. ADJACENT TO THE SHOULDER, IN NON-GUARDRAIL AREAS, TO ALLOW FREE DRAINAGE OFF THE SHOULDER AS DIRECTED BY THE ENGINEER.
20. AN ESTIMATED QUANTITY OF ITEM 203.40 SHOULDER BERM REMOVAL HAS BEEN INCLUDED FOR THE REMOVAL OF BUILT UP SAND, SOD ETC. ADJACENT TO THE SHOULDER, IN RETAINED GUARDRAIL AREAS, TO ALLOW FREE DRAINAGE OFF THE SHOULDER.
21. A 3'-7" OF BACKING IS REQUIRED BEHIND THE FACE OF GUARDRAIL WITH SIX FEET POSTS. PAYMENT WILL BE MADE UNDER ITEM 621.20 STEEL BEAM GUARDRAIL, GALVANIZED.

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