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***SECTION 5***  
***SPECIFICATIONS***

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## SECTION 011000 – SUMMARY OF WORK

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

##### A. Section Includes:

1. Project information.
2. Contract description.
3. Work sequence.
4. Work restrictions.
5. Permits.
6. Specification conventions.
7. Drawing Schedule

##### B. Related Requirements:

1. Section 012513 – Product Substitution Procedures
2. Section 013216 - Construction Progress Schedule

#### 1.2 PROJECT INFORMATION

##### A. Name: 2024 Sanitary Sewer Rehabilitation Project

1. S. Summit Street from S. Mill Street to S. David Street
2. Wilson Street between Fairlawn Avenue and S. Summit Street
3. Fairlawn Avenue north of Wilson Street
4. Eberly Drive between N. Milton Street and N. Church Street
5. Norwood Court and Park Drive between Eberly Drive and Mishler Drive
6. Mishler Drive between S. Milton Street and Park Drive

##### B. Owner: Village of Smithville, Ohio

1. Owner's Representative:  
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##### C. Engineer: CT Consultants, Inc.

1. Engineer's Representative:  
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### 1.3 CONTRACT DESCRIPTION

- A. Contract:
  - 1. Cured-in-Place-Pipe (CIPP) lining of 8-inch VCP sanitary sewer.
  - 2. Lateral reinstatement as noted on the plans.
  - 3. Replacement of wyes as noted on plans.
  - 4. Additional sanitary sewer replacement as directed by the Engineer
- B. All improvements are to paid for through pay items broken down by unit prices. Method of measurement and basis of payment for all items is described in bid document “Prices to Include”.

### 1.4 WORK SEQUENCE

- A. Construct Work in order to accommodate Owner's occupancy requirements during construction period. Coordinate construction schedule and operations with Engineer:
- B. Sequencing of Construction Plan: Contractor shall provide a detailed construction progress schedule in accordance with section 013216 – Construction Progress Schedule.

### 1.5 WORK RESTRICTIONS

- A. Comply with restrictions on construction operations.
  - 1. Comply with limitations on use of public streets, work on public streets, rights of way, and other requirements of authorities having jurisdiction (AHJ).
- B. On-Site Work Hours: Limit Work to between 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, unless otherwise indicated. Work hours may be modified to meet Project requirements if approved by Owner and AHJ.
- C. On-Site Work Day Restrictions: Do not perform Work resulting in utility shutdowns on Site during Work blackout days indicated by Owner.
- D. Existing Utility Interruptions: Do not interrupt utilities serving facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted under the following conditions, and only after arranging for temporary utility services according to requirements indicated:
  - 1. Notify Owner or Engineer not less than 48 hours in advance of proposed utility interruptions.
  - 2. Obtain Owner of the subject utility’s written permission before proceeding with utility interruptions.
- E. Noise, Vibration, Dust, and Odors: Coordinate with Owner operations that may result in high levels of noise and vibration, dust, odors, or other disruption to Owner occupancy.
  - 1. Notify Owner or Engineer not less than 48 hours in advance of proposed utility interruptions.
  - 2. Obtain Owner’s written permission before proceeding with utility interruptions.

## 1.6 PERMITS

- A. Furnish necessary permits for construction of Work, including the following:
  - 1. The Contractor shall register with the Village of Smithville Building Department.

## 1.7 SPECIFICATION CONVENTIONS

- A. In general, these Specifications describe the work to be performed by the various trades, other than work specifically excluded. It shall be the responsibility of the Contractor and Subcontractors to perform all work incidental to their trade, whether or not specific mention is made of each item, unless such incidentals are included under another Item.
- B. It is advised that the Contractor and all Subcontractors familiarize themselves with the contents of the complete Specifications, particularly for the trades preceding, following, related or adjacent to their work.
- C. Specification Content: The Specifications use certain conventions for the style of language and the intended meaning of certain terms, words, and phrases when used in particular situations. These conventions are as follows:
  - 1. Imperative mood and streamlined language are generally used in the Specifications. The words "shall," "shall be," or "shall comply with," depending on the context, are implied where a colon (:) is used within a sentence or phrase.
  - 2. Text Color: Text used in the Specifications, including units of measure, manufacturer and product names, and other text may appear in multiple colors or underlined as part of a hyperlink; no emphasis is implied by text with these characteristics.
  - 3. Hypertext: Text used in the Specifications may contain hyperlinks. Hyperlinks may allow for access to linked information that is not residing in the Specifications. Unless otherwise indicated, linked information is not part of the Contract Documents.
- D. Drawing Coordination: Requirements for materials and products identified on Drawings are described in detail in the Specifications. One or more of the following are used on Drawings to identify materials and products:
  - 1. Terminology: Materials and products are identified by the typical generic terms used in the individual Specifications Sections.
  - 2. Abbreviations: Materials and products are identified by abbreviations scheduled on Drawings.
  - 3. Keynoting: Materials and products are identified by reference keynotes referencing Specification Section numbers found in this Project Manual.

1.8 DRAWING SCHEDULE

A. The work to be done under this Contract is shown on the following Drawings:

<u>Title</u>	<u>Sheet No.</u>
Cover Sheet	1
General Notes, Index & Symbology	2
Maintenance of Traffic Detail	3
Maintenance of Traffic Notes	4
Erosion and Sediment Control Details	5
Construction Details	6
Plan & Profile	7-13
Improvements Schedule	14

END OF SECTION 011000

## SECTION 011419 – USE OF SITE

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 GENERAL

- A. The Contractor will be allowed the use of as much of the site designated for the improvements as is necessary for his operation.

#### 1.2 USE OF STREETS

- A. During the progress of the work, the Contractor shall make ample provisions for both vehicle and pedestrian traffic on any public street and shall indemnify and save harmless the Owner from any expense whatsoever due to their operations over said streets. The Contractor shall also provide free access to all the fire hydrants, water, and gas valves located along the line of his work. Gutters and waterways must be kept open or other provisions made for the removal of storm water. Street intersections may be blocked only one-half at a time, and the Contractor shall lay and maintain temporary driveways, bridges and crossings, such as in the opinion of the Engineer are necessary to reasonably accommodate the public.
- B. In the event of the Contractor's failure to comply with these provisions, the Owner may cause the same to be done, and may deduct the cost of such work from any monies due the Contractor under this Agreement, but the performance of such work by the Owner at its instance shall serve in no way to release the Contractor from his general or particular liability for the safety of the public or the work.
- C. The Contractor shall repair at no cost to the Owner, all existing roads, parking areas, grassed areas that are damaged due to the execution of his work. The Contractor shall remove daily all mud, soil and debris that may be tracked onto existing streets, drives, or walks by his equipment or that of subcontractors or suppliers.

#### 1.3 CLOSING STREETS TO TRAFFIC

The Contractor may with the approval of the Engineer, close streets, or parts of streets, to vehicular traffic. The streets are to remain closed as long as the construction work or the condition of the finished work requires or as determined by the Engineer. The Engineer shall be the judge of how many streets or parts of streets it is necessary for the Contractor to close at any time, and may refuse to permit the closing of additional streets to traffic until the majority of the work on the closed streets is completed and they are opened to traffic.

#### 1.4 RIGHTS-OF-WAY

- A. Whenever it is required to perform work within the limits of public or private property or in rights-of-way, such work shall be done in conformity with all agreements between the Owner and the owners of such. Care shall be taken to avoid injury to the premises entered, which premises shall be left in a neat and orderly condition by the removal of

rubbish and the grading of surplus materials, and the restoration of said public or private property to the same general conditions as pertained at the time of entry for work to be performed under this contract.

- B. The Contractor shall not (except after consent from the proper parties) enter or occupy with men, tools or equipment, any land outside the rights-of-way or property of the Owner.
- C. When the Contractor performs construction within 10 ft. of a right-of-way or easement line, he shall place tall stakes properly identified at points of change in width or direction of the right-of-way or easement line and at points along the line so that at least two stakes can be seen distinctly from any point on the line.

#### 1.5 EASEMENTS

- A. Where the work is to be constructed upon easements, such easements will be secured by the Owner without cost to the Contractor. The Contractor shall not enter upon or occupy any private property outside of the limits of the easements furnished.
- B. Care shall be taken to avoid injury to the premises entered, which premises shall be left in a neat and orderly condition by the removal of rubbish and the grading of surplus materials, and the restoration of said public or private property to the same general conditions as pertained at the time of entry for work to be performed under this contract.

#### 1.6 PROTECTING EXISTING BUILDINGS, STRUCTURES AND ROADWAYS

- A. The Contractor shall, at his own expense, shore up and protect any buildings, roadways, utilities or other public or private structures which may be encountered or endangered in the prosecution of the work, and that may not be otherwise provided for, and he shall repair and make good any damages caused to any such property by reason of his operations. All existing fences removed due to the prosecution of the work shall be replaced by the Contractor. No extra payment will be made for said work or material, but the cost of this work must be included in the price stipulated for the work to be done under this contract.

#### 1.7 SITE FACILITIES

- A. The Contractor shall furnish and place sufficient quantities of portable toilet facilities at locations convenient for use by the Contractor's personnel, Subcontractors, the Engineer, and the Owner.

#### 1.8 RESTORATION

- A. The contractor shall restore all areas per the plans and specifications and if not specified, at least to the condition existing prior to the start of work.

END OF SECTION 011419

## SECTION 011423 - ADDITIONAL WORK, OVERTIME

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 NIGHT, SUNDAY AND HOLIDAY WORK

- A. No work will be permitted at night, Sunday or legal holidays except as noted on the plans or in the case of emergency and then only upon written authorization of the Engineer. Where no emergency exists, but the Contractor feels it advantageous to work at night, Sunday or legal holidays, the Contractor shall notify the Engineer at least two (2) days in advance, requesting written permission. Any work performed during the absence of the Engineer will be done at the Contractor's risk and responsibility and may be subject to rejection upon later inspection.

END OF SECTION 011423



## SECTION 012513 – PRODUCT SUBSTITUTION PROCEDURES

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

- A. In the specifications and on the Engineer's drawings, are specified and shown certain pieces of equipment and materials deemed most suitable for the service anticipated. This is not done to eliminate other equipment and materials equally as good and efficient. The Contractor shall prepare his bid on the particular materials and equipment specified. Following the award of the contract, should the Contractor desire to use other equipment and materials, he shall submit to the Owner a written request for such change and state the advantage to the Owner and the savings or additional cost involved by the proposed substitution. The determination as to whether or not such change will be permitted rests with the Owner and the Engineer.
- B. Each major item of equipment shall be inspected by a manufacturer's representative during installation and upon completion of the work. The Contractor shall supply the Engineer with a certificate of such inspection.

END OF SECTION 012513

## SECTION 013119 - PROJECT MEETINGS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 PRECONSTRUCTION MEETING

- A. Prior to the Contractor beginning any work on the project, the Owner will schedule and hold a preconstruction meeting to discuss all aspects of the contract work.
- B. The Contractor shall be present and be prepared to comment in detail on all aspects of his work.
- C. The Contractor shall bring to the preconstruction meeting a proposed construction progress schedule, erosion control plan, quality control program, concrete mix designs, asphalt mix designs (JMF), etc. Approval of each by the Engineer is required prior to the start of any work.
- D. Included in the construction progress schedule shall be an implementation sequence of the proposed erosion control efforts required by the contract.

END OF SECTION 013119

## SECTION 013216 – CONSTRUCTION PROGRESS SCHEDULE

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 PROGRESS SCHEDULE

- A. Immediately after signing the Contract, the General Construction Contractor shall prepare a graphic progress schedule, indicating the work to be executed during each month and the rate of expected progress to secure completion on the agreed-upon completion date. The progress schedule shall be approved by the Engineer and Owner prior to starting work on the site. Copies of such graphic progress charts, upon which has been indicated the actual progress, shall be furnished to the Engineer with each requisition for payment.
- B. Should the rate of progress fall materially behind the scheduled rate of progress, and unless the delay is authorized by the Engineer, each offending Contractor shall furnish additional labor, work overtime, or take other necessary means required for completion of the work on the scheduled date. No additional compensation beyond the set Contract price shall be paid for action taken or overtime expense incurred in maintaining scheduled progress.

END OF SECTION 013216

## SECTION 013223.02 – SURVEY AND LAYOUT DATA

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 REFERENCE POINTS AND STAKING

- A. The Contractor shall be responsible for surveying and laying out the work and shall protect and preserve the established reference points and shall make no changes or relocations without the prior written approval of the Engineer. They shall report to the Engineer whenever any reference point is lost or destroyed or requires relocation because of necessary changes in grades or locations. The Contractor shall replace and accurately relocate all reference points so lost, destroyed or moved.

#### 1.2 LAYOUT OF WORK

- A. The Contractor shall lay out their work and be responsible for correct locations, elevations and dimensions of all work executed by him under this Contract. The Contractor must exercise proper precautions to verify the figures shown on the Drawings before laying out the work and will be held responsible for any error resulting from their failure to exercise such precaution. The Contractor shall insure the new construction aligns with any existing work.

END OF SECTION 013223.02

## SECTION 013236 – VIDEO MONITORING AND DOCUMENTATION

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SCOPE

- A. Provide all labor, materials, equipment, and services, and perform all operations necessary to furnish to the Owner a complete color audio-video record of the surface features within the proposed construction zone of influence. This record shall include a digital file on a flash drive, video logs, and indexes. The purpose of this coverage shall be to accurately document the pre-construction condition of these surface features.

#### 1.2 QUALIFICATIONS

- A. The video documentation shall be done by a responsible commercial firm known to be skilled and regularly engaged in the business of pre-construction color audio-video documentation. The firm shall furnish such information as the Owner deems necessary to determine the ability of that firm to perform the work in accordance with the Contract specifications.

#### 1.3 PRODUCTS

- A. The color audio-video recording delivered to the Owner shall be on a flash drive with digital mp4 files.

END OF SECTION 013236

## SECTION 013319 - FIELD TEST REPORTING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes, but is not limited to, services performed by an independent testing laboratory. Laboratory services covered under this section are for testing materials used for field constructed elements of the work. Performance testing of manufactured items and shop fabricated materials shall be covered under their respective specification section.
- B. All testing performed under this item shall be for the protection and benefit of the Owner and shall not be construed by the Contractor as a comprehensive quality control program intended to protect the Contractor, his subcontractors, or his suppliers. The testing frequency and types of testing shall be at the discretion of the Owner.
- C. Inspections, tests, and related actions specified in this section and elsewhere in the contract documents are not intended to limit the Contractor's own quality control procedures and testing, which facilitate overall compliance with requirements of the contract documents. Requirements for the Contractor to provide quality control services as required by the Engineer, the Owner, governing authorities, or other authorized entities are not limited by the provisions of this Section.
- D. The Contractor is required to cooperate with the (*independent*) testing laboratories performing required inspections, test, and similar services and the Engineer or his representative.
- E. Materials and installed work may require testing or retesting at any time during progress of work. Retesting of rejected materials or installed work shall be done at Contractor's expense.

#### 1.2 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specifications sections, apply to work of this section.
- B. The Contract Documents may include testing requirements furnished under other Sections. Work elements which may include other testing requirements are:
  - 1. Earthwork
  - 2. Pavement Replacement
  - 3. Sanitary sewer systems.

### 1.3 SELECTION AND PAYMENT

- A. The Contractor will employ an independent testing laboratory to perform specified testing. Payment shall be incidental to the related work bid item. The laboratory shall be mutually agreed upon by the Owner, Engineer, and Contractor.
- B. Employment of testing laboratory in no way relieves the Contractor of the obligation to perform work in accordance with requirements of the contract documents.
- C. The testing laboratory and their personnel shall be under the direction of the Engineer's on-site representative, regardless of who employs their services.

### 1.4 REFERENCES

- A. AASHTO T-19, Standard Method of Test for Unit Weight and Voids in Aggregate.
- B. AASHTO T-37, Standard Method of Test for Sieve Analysis of mineral Filler for Road and Paving Materials.
- C. AASHTO T-230, Standard Method of Test for Determining Degree of Pavement Compaction of Bituminous Aggregate Mixtures.
- D. ASTM C-29, Standard Method of Test for Unit Weight and Voids in Aggregate.
- E. ASTM C-31, Standard Practice for Making and Curing Concrete Test Specimens in the Field.
- F. ASTM C-33, Standard Specification for Concrete Aggregates.
- G. ASTM C-39, Standard Test Method for Compressive Strength of Cylindrical Concrete Specimens.
- H. ASTM C-40, Test Method for Organic Impurities in Fine Aggregates for Concrete.
- I. ASTM C-42, Standard Test Methods for Obtaining and Testing Drilled Cored and Sawed Beams of Concrete.
- J. ASTM C-88, Standard Test Method for Soundness of Aggregate by use of Sodium Sulfate or Magnesium Sulfate.
- K. ASTM C-94, Standard Specification for Ready-Mixed Concrete.
- L. ASTM C-117, Standard Test Method for Materials Finer than 75-um (No. 200) Sieve in Mineral Aggregates by Washing.
- M. ASTM C-136, Standard Method for Sieve Analysis of Fine and Course Aggregate.
- N. ASTM C-142, Test Method for Clay Lumps and Friable Particles in Aggregate.
- O. ASTM C-143, Standard Test Method for Slump of Hydraulic Cement Concrete.

- P. ASTM C-172, Standard Practice for Sampling Freshly Mixed Concrete.
- Q. ASTM C-173, Standard Test Method for Air Content of Freshly Mixed Concrete by the Volumetric Method.
- R. ASTM C-231, Standard Test Method for Air Content of Freshly Mixed Concrete by the Pressure Method.
- S. ASTM C-535, Standard Test Method for Resistance to Degradation of Large-Size Course Aggregate by Abrasion and Impact in the Los Angeles Machine.
- T. ASTM C-1064, Standard Test Method for Temperature of Freshly Mixed Portland Cement Concrete.
- U. ASTM D-698, Standard Test Methods for Moisture-Density Relations of Soils and Soil-Aggregate Mixtures Using 5.5-lb. (2.49-kg) Rammer and 12-inc. (305-mm) Drop.
- V. ASTM D-2487, Standard Test Method for Classification of Soils for engineer purposes.
- W. ASTM D-2940, Standard Specification for Graded Aggregate Material for Bases or Subbases for Highways or Airports.
- X. ASTM D-4253, Standard Test Method for Maximum Index Density and Unit Weight of Soils Using a Vibratory Table.
- Y. ASTM D-4254, Standard Test Method for Minimum Index Density and Unit Weight of Soils and Calculation of Relative Density.
- Z. ASTM D-4832, Standard Test Method for Preparation and Testing of Controlled Low Strength Material (CLSM) Test Cylinders.
- AA. ODOT Supplement 1021, Method of Test for Determination of the Percent of Fractured Pieces in Gravel.
- AB. ODOT Supplement 1029, Method of Test for Determining the Percentage of Deleterious Materials in Course Aggregate.
- AC. ODOT Supplement 1036, Method of Test for Determination of Percent Air Voids in Compacted Dense Bituminous Paving Mixtures.
- AD. ODOT Supplement 1044, Mix Design Method for Bituminous Aggregate Base.
- AE. Uni-Bell PVC Pipe Association UNI-B-6-98 for Low Pressure Air Testing of Installed Sewer Pipe.
- AF. ASTM – C969 – Standard practice for infiltration and exfiltration acceptance of installed concrete sewer pipe.



## 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Prior to the start of work, submit testing laboratory name, address, and telephone number, and names of full-time specialist and responsible officer.
- B. Submit copy of the testing laboratory's evaluation report issued by one of the evaluation authorities identified in Article 1.6 of this Section with memorandum of remedies of any deficiencies reported by the inspection.
- C. Submit the chain of custody and other QA/QC procedures for each test to be utilized by the laboratory.
- D. Submit a sample test report for review by the Engineer to demonstrate conformance with Article 3.2 herein.

## 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Except as otherwise indicated, the testing laboratory engaged shall be prequalified by the Ohio Department of Transportation for the types of services specified herein.
- B. The field personnel utilized to perform all field-testing and preparation shall be certified for those tests being performed.

## 1.7 RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Testing Laboratory Responsibilities:
  - 1. Provide qualified personnel at the site. Cooperate with the Engineer and Contractor in performance of services.
  - 2. Perform specified sampling and testing of products in accordance with the specified standards.
  - 3. Ascertain compliance of materials and mixes with requirements of the contract documents.
  - 4. Immediately notify the Engineer and Contractor of observed irregularities or nonconformance of work or products.
  - 5. Perform additional tests required by the Engineer.
  - 6. Testing personnel are to report to the Engineer or his representative upon arrival on site for instructions and requirements. Prior to leaving the site, furnish the Engineer or his representative all test results whether in a formal or informal format.
  - 7. Attend preconstruction meetings and progress meetings.
- B. Contractor Responsibilities:
  - 1. Provide access to materials proposed to be used which require testing.
  - 2. Cooperate with laboratory personnel and provide access to the work.
  - 3. Provide incidental labor and facilities:
    - a. To provide access to work to be tested.
    - b. To obtain and handle samples at the site or at the source of products to be tested.
    - c. To facilitate tests.

- d. To provide storage and curing of test samples as required by the testing laboratory.
- 4. Notify the Engineer and laboratory 24 hours prior to expected time for operations requiring testing services for scheduling purposes. Materials will not be permitted to be placed without the proper testing being performed in conformance with this Section.

## 1.8 LIMITS OF LABORATORY AUTHORITY

- A. The laboratory may not release, revoke, alter, or enlarge the requirements of the contract documents.
- B. The laboratory may not approve or accept any portion of the work.
- C. The laboratory may not assume any duties of the Contractor.
- D. The laboratory has no authority to stop the work.

## 1.9 SCHEDULE OF TESTS

Testing anticipated on this project shall include, but is not limited to:

- A. Earthwork
  - 1. Special backfill material sieve analysis per ASTM C-136, one test per source.
  - 2. On-site trench backfill analysis per ASTM D-2487, as directed by Engineer.
  - 3. Pipe bedding and cover sieve analysis per ASTM C-136, one test per source.
  - 4. Drainage fill sieve analysis per ASTM C-136, one test per source.
  - 5. Soil compaction per ASTM D-698.
    - a. Embankment testing shall be at least one (1) test/5,000 S.F. of each lift;
    - b. Trench backfill testing shall be at least one (1) test/50 L.F. of each lift;
    - c. Subgrade and/or subbase testing shall be at least one (1) test/200 L.F. of pavement or 5,000 S.F. of slabs subject to greater frequency due to soil conditions or Engineer's direction.
  - 6. Backfill compaction per ASTM D-4253 and D-4254, one test per 50 L.F. of each lift.
  - 7. Low Strength Mortar testing per ASTM D-4832.
- B. Concrete
  - 1. Concrete aggregate deleterious substances per ASTM C-40, ASTM C-117, and ASTM C-142, one test per source.
  - 2. Concrete aggregate abrasion per ASTM C-535, one test per source.
  - 3. Sodium sulfate soundness of coarse aggregate per ASTM C-88, one test per source.
  - 4. Sampling Fresh Concrete: ASTM C-172, except modified for slump to comply with ASTM C 94.
    - a. When cylinders and/or beam samples are made, the slumps and air test shall be made using concrete from the same batch.

- b. Slump: ASTM C-143; one test at point of discharge for each day's pour of each type of concrete; additional tests when concrete consistency seems to have changed.
  - c. Air Content: ASTM C-173, volumetric method of lightweight concrete; ASTM C-231 pressure method for normal weight concrete; at least one for each pour of each type of air-entrained concrete, and each time a set of compression test specimens is made.
  - d. Concrete Temperature: ASTM C-1064, test hourly when air temperature is 40° F. (4° C.) and below, and when 80° F. (27° C.) and above; and each time a set of compression test specimens is made.
  - e. Compression Test Specimen: ASTM C-31; one set of 4 standard cylinders for each compressive strength test, unless otherwise directed. Mold and store cylinders for laboratory cured test specimens except when field-cure test specimens are required.
  - f. Compressive Strength Tests: ASTM C-39; one set for each day's pour exceeding 5 cubic yards plus additional sets for each 50 cubic yards over and above the first 25 cubic yards of each concrete class placed in any one day; one specimen tested at 7 days, two specimens tested at 28 days, and one specimen retained in reserve for later testing if required. A strength test shall be the average of the strengths of two cylinders made from the same sample of concrete and tested at 28 days.
    - i. When frequency of testing will provide less than 5 strength tests for a given class of concrete, conduct testing from at least 5 randomly selected batches or from each batch if fewer than 5 are used.
    - ii. Strength level of concrete will be considered satisfactory if averages of sets of three consecutive strength test results equal or exceed specified compressive strength, and no individual strength test result falls below specified compressive strength by more than 500 psi.
  - g. Two (2) tests beams shall be made for each 250 square yards of concrete pavement and/or slabs on grade placed.
    - i. For traffic to be allowed on pavement or slab, the modulus of rupture shall be a minimum of 600 psi for Class C concrete or 400 psi for ODOT Class MS or FS.
  - h. When cylinders and/or beam samples are made, the slumps and air test shall be made using concrete from the same batch.
5. Nondestructive Testing: Penetration resistance, sonoscope, or other nondestructive devices may be permitted but shall not be used as the sole basis for acceptance or rejection.
6. Additional Tests: The testing service will make additional tests of in-place concrete when test results indicate specified concrete strengths and other characteristics have not been attained in the structure, as directed by Engineer. Testing service may conduct tests to determine adequacy of concrete by cored cylinders complying with ASTM C 42, or by other methods as directed.
- a. Contractor shall pay for such tests conducted, and any other additional testing as may be required, when unacceptable concrete is verified.

C. Pavement

1. Aggregate base sieve analysis per ASTM D-2940, one test per source.
  2. Sodium sulfate soundness of aggregate base per ASTM C-88, one test per source.
  3. Percent of fractured pieces for aggregate base per ODOT Supplement 1021, one test per source.
- D. Asphalt
1. Provide testing for mixture acceptance in accordance with Ohio Department of Transportation Procedures. The person performing the testing must have a current Level 1 Bituminous Concrete approval from ODOT.
- E. Sewers
1. Deflection Testing
    - a. All thermoplastic gravity sanitary sewer pipe shall be tested for allowable deflection.
    - b. Deflection tests shall be performed before final acceptance and no sooner than thirty (30) days after installation of final backfill
    - c. Maximum allowable pipe deflection shall be five (5) percent of the average inside diameter for the size and class of pipe specified.
    - d. Acceptance testing shall be performed with a non-adjustable “go, no-go” mandrel with a minimum of eight (8) contact points. Adjustable mandrels for acceptance testing shall be used only with permission of the Engineer.
    - e. The mandrel size shall be ninety-five (95) percent of the average inside diameter for the size and class of pipe specified.
    - f. If the "go, no-go" mandrel will not pass through a section of pipe a deflectometer or adjustable mandrel may be used to determine the extent and/or severity of the non-acceptable area. A “go, no-go” mandrel shall be re-run through the pipe section for final acceptance testing at no additional cost to the Owner.
    - g. The Contractor or subcontractor performing the test shall be experienced and qualified to perform deflection testing with the equipment and procedures utilized. The contractor shall provide all labor, materials, tools and equipment necessary to clean and test all sections of sewer pipe, locate deficient areas, repair, deficient areas, and retest all repaired areas.
    - h. All sewer runs shall be cleaned prior to testing.
    - i. The acceptance test shall be performed without mechanical pulling devices.
    - j. All pipe failing the deflection test shall be exposed, repaired or replaced and retested at no additional cost to the Owner.
  2. Leakage Testing
    - a. Drawings and general provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division-1 Specification sections, apply to work of this section.
    - b. The Contractor shall perform sufficient tests to determine that the installation of all pipe materials have been as specified and that test results are in accordance with those required for approval of the installation.
    - c. The Contractor shall furnish all pressure gauges, suitable pump or pumps, pipes, test heads, and any other apparatus and materials used for these tests. These tests are to be considered as part of the work, and no additional compensation shall be made.

- d. The tests shall be conducted under the direction of the Engineer or an appointed agent. Any testing done without direction and supervision as specified shall not be considered as a proper means of approval.
  - e. The Contractor may obtain water for testing as may be required by observing the rules and regulations enforced in the municipality in which the work is being done.
  - f. In addition to requirements of these specifications, comply with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations for work.
3. Infiltration and Exfiltration Testing
- a. All sewers shall be tested using an exfiltration test or, where specifically allowed in writing by the Engineer, an infiltration test.
  - b. All sewers shall be tested. No visible leakage in the sewers or manholes shall be permitted.
  - c. Bulkheads shall be used to isolate the test sections as required to perform the work. All service laterals, stubs and fittings shall be plugged or capped at the connection to the test section.
  - d. Each manhole run shall be tested separately.
4. Exfiltration Testing
- a. The test shall be performed first with a minimum head of water of three (3) feet above the top of the high end of the sewer or two (2) feet above the high end of the highest lateral in the section or sections to be tested, or three (3) feet above the existing groundwater elevation, whichever is higher.
  - b. The exfiltration test shall be conducted between two manholes by sealing the downstream end of the test section and all inlet sewers at the upstream manhole with pipe stoppers.
  - c. The average internal pressure in the system shall not exceed 11.6 feet of water or 5 psi and the maximum internal pipe pressure at the lowest end shall not exceed 23 feet of water or 10 psi.
  - d. Water shall be added to the pipe section at a steady rate from the upstream manhole to allow air to escape from the sewer until the water is at the specified level above the crown of the pipe. The water may stand in the pipe and manhole up to seventy-two (72) hours prior to measurement of leakage to allow for absorption by the pipe and bleeding of air. After absorption into the pipe and manhole has stabilized, the water in the upstream manhole shall be brought to test level.

- e. The leakage rate shall be determined by measurement of the drop in water elevation measured in the upstream manhole and the loss of water calculated. The test period shall be a minimum of sixty (60) minutes duration. Use the following table to determine loss of water as measured in the manhole:

Water Level Change in Test Manhole		Volume of Leakage	
		4 Ft. Dia. MH	5 Ft. Dia. MH
(Inches)	(Feet)	(Gals.)	(Gals.)
1/8	0.01	0.98	1.53
1/4	0.02	1.96	3.06
3/8	0.03	2.94	4.59
1/2	0.04	3.92	6.12
5/8	0.05	4.90	7.65
3/4	0.06	5.87	9.18
7/8	0.07	6.85	10.71
1	0.08	7.83	12.24
1-1/8	0.09	8.81	13.77
1-1/4	0.10	9.79	15.30
1-3/8	0.11	10.77	16.83
1-1/2	0.12	11.75	18.36
1-5/8	0.13	12.72	19.89
1-3/4	0.14	13.71	21.42
1-7/8	0.16	14.69	22.90
2	0.17	15.67	24.48

5. Infiltration Testing
- An infiltration test shall be conducted for all sections of sewer, only when the ground water level is two (2) feet or more above the elevation of the inside crown of pipe at the upstream limit of the section being tested.
  - The use of well point pumps or other dewatering devices shall have been discontinued for 24 hours prior to testing to permit the groundwater table to return to a static condition.
  - The leakage rate shall be measured by a weir, by determination of the time required to fill a container of known volume, or other measuring device approved by the Engineer in the lower end of the sewer section to be tested.
  - The incoming sewer or sewers in the upper end of the test section shall be securely sealed.

6. Allowable Leakage
  - a. The maximum allowable leakage for either infiltration or exfiltration shall be 50 gallons per inch of internal pipe diameter per mile per day.
  - b. If actual leakage measured exceeds the limits specified, the Contractor must locate and repair or remove and replace the defective pipe sections to the satisfaction of the Engineer and retest the section accordingly at no additional cost to the Owner.
  - c. All sanitary manholes shall be tested separately by using an exfiltration test (or infiltration test where groundwater conditions permit) to two (2) feet above the highest joint with no measurable leakage for a one hour test.
7. Low Pressure Air Testing
  - a. PVC sanitary sewers 54-inch diameter and less may be air tested as specified. If the groundwater level is two (2) feet or more above the top of the pipe at the upstream end or if the air pressure required for the test is greater than 5 psig, the air test method should not be used for RCP sanitary sewers.
  - b. Each manhole run shall be tested separately, unless otherwise approved by the Engineer, as the construction progresses. Backfill shall be brought to final grade before testing. Testing shall be done prior to surface restoration, and preferably with not more than four (4) manhole runs constructed ahead of testing.
  - c. Test equipment consists of valves and pressure gages to control airflow and to monitor pressure within the test section.
  - d. The sewer shall be flushed and cleaned prior to testing to clean out any debris. The pipe surface should be wet for more consistent results.
  - e. The section of pipe to be tested shall be plugged at each end and the ends of laterals, stubs and fittings to be included in the test section shall be plugged and securely braced to prevent air leakage, and possible blowouts.
  - f. Equipment used shall meet the following minimum requirements and be approved by the Engineer:
    - i. Pneumatic plugs shall have a sealing length equal to or greater than the diameter of the pipe to be inspected.
    - ii. Pneumatic plugs shall resist internal test pressures without requiring external bracing or blocking.
    - iii. All air used shall pass through a single control panel.
    - iv. Three (3) individual hoses shall be used for the following connections:
      - a). From control panel to pneumatic plugs for inflation.
      - b). From control panel to sealed line for introducing the low pressure air.
      - c). From sealed line to control panel for continually monitoring the air pressure rise in the sealed line.
  - g. All pneumatic plugs shall be seal tested before being used in the actual test installation. One length of pipe shall be laid on the ground and sealed at both ends with the pneumatic plugs to be used for the test. The sealed pipe shall be pressurized to 9 psig. The plugs must hold against this

- pressure without having to be braced. No persons shall be allowed in the alignment of the pipe during plug testing.
- h. After a manhole to manhole run of pipe has been backfilled and cleaned, and the pneumatic plugs are checked by the above procedure, the plugs shall be placed in the line at each manhole. Low pressure air shall be slowly introduced into this sealed line until the internal air pressure reaches approximately 4 psig greater than the average groundwater back pressure, but not greater than 9 psig for PVC pipe or 5 psig for RCP.
  - i. In areas where groundwater is known to exist, the Contractor must determine the average groundwater back pressure. The Contractor shall install a 1/2-inch diameter capped pipe nipple, approximately 10 inches long, through the manhole wall on top of one of the sanitary sewer lines entering the manhole. See Figure No. 1. This shall be done at the time the sanitary sewer line is installed or install an 8-inch diameter stand pipe outside of the manhole backfilled with a column of clean stone of 2-inch minimum diameter to subgrade. Immediately prior to the performance of the low pressure air test, the ground water back pressure shall be determined by removing the pipe cap, blowing air through the pipe nipple into the ground so as to clear it, and then connecting a clear plastic tube to the nipple. The plastic tube shall be vertical and a measurement of the height, in feet of water over the invert of the pipe shall be taken after the water has stopped rising in this plastic tube. This height, divided by 2.307, will equal the average groundwater back pressure.
  - j. At least two (2) minutes shall be allowed for the air to stabilize when the specified internal air pressure has been obtained. When the pressure has stabilized and is at or above 3.5 psig, the air hose from the control panel to the air supply shall be disconnected. The portion of the line being tested shall be termed "acceptable" if the time required in minutes for the pressure to decrease from 3.5 to 2.5 psig (greater than the average groundwater back pressure calculated) shall not be less than the time in the tables in Reference Table 1.
  - k. If a one (1) psi drop in pressure does not occur within the test time, the line has passed. If the pressure drop is more than one (1) psi during the test time, the line is presumed to have failed the test. If the line fails the test, segmented testing may establish the location of any leaks.
  - l. The Contractor must repair the leak or remove and replace the defective pipe section and re-test the section to the satisfaction of the Engineer at no additional cost to the Owner.
  - m. The pneumatic plugs must be installed in such a way as to prevent blowouts. Inasmuch as a force of 250 pounds is exerted on an 8-inch plug by an internal pipe pressure of 5 psi, it should be realized that sudden expulsion of a poorly installed plug or a plug, which is partially deflated before the pipe pressure is released, can be dangerous.
  - n. The Contractor should internally restrain or externally brace the plugs to the manhole wall as an added safety precaution throughout the test.
  - o. Pressurizing equipment shall include a regulator or relief valve set at no higher than 9 psig for PVC pipe or 5 psig for RCP pipe to avoid over-pressurizing and damaging an otherwise acceptable line.
  - p. No one shall be allowed in the trench or manholes during testing.



- q. Plugs shall not be removed until all pressure has been released.
  - r. All sanitary manholes shall be tested separately by using an exfiltration test (or infiltration test where groundwater conditions permit) to two (2) feet above the highest joint with no measurable leakage for a one hour test.
  - s. The air test data sheet marked Exhibit “A” at the end of this section shall be filled out for each section of piping tested in this manner.
  - t. Testing concrete pipe sewer lines by the low pressure air test method will be per ASTM C924-02 and C1103.
8. Manhole Vacuum Testing
- a. Temporarily plug all pipe entering the manhole. Each plug must be installed at a location beyond the manhole/pipe gasket (i.e. outside the manhole wall), and shall be braced to prevent the plug or pipe from being drawn into the Manhole.
  - b. The test head shall be placed inside the rim of the cast iron frame at the top of the manhole and inflated, in accordance with the manufacturer’s recommendations.
  - c. A vacuum of at least 10 inches of mercury (10” Hg) shall be drawn on the manhole. Shut the line on the vacuum line to the manhole and shut off the pump or disconnect the vacuum line from the pump.
  - d. The pressure gauge shall be liquid filled, having a 3.5” diameter face with a reading from zero to thirty inches of mercury.
  - e. The manhole shall be considered to pass the vacuum test if the vacuum reading does not drop more than 1” Hg (i.e from 10” to 9” Hg) during the Table 1 minimum test time.
  - f. If a manhole fails the vacuum test, the manhole shall be repaired with non-shrinkable grout or other material or method approved by the engineer. The manhole surfaces shall be properly prepared prior to any repairs. Once the repair material has cured according to the manufacturer’s recommendations, the vacuum test shall be repeated. This process shall continue until a satisfactory test is obtained.
  - g. All temporary plugs and braces shall be removed after each test.

## PART 2 – PRODUCTS (NOT APPLICABLE)

## PART 3 – EXECUTION

### 3.1 SEQUENCING AND SCHEDULING

- A. The Contractor shall coordinate the sequence of work activities so as to accommodate required testing and shall allow sufficient time for testing of materials by the laboratory so as to cause no delay in the work or the work of any other Contractor. In addition, the Contractor shall coordinate his work so as to avoid the necessity of removing and replacing work to accommodate inspections and tests.

### 3.2 LABORATORY TEST RESULTS

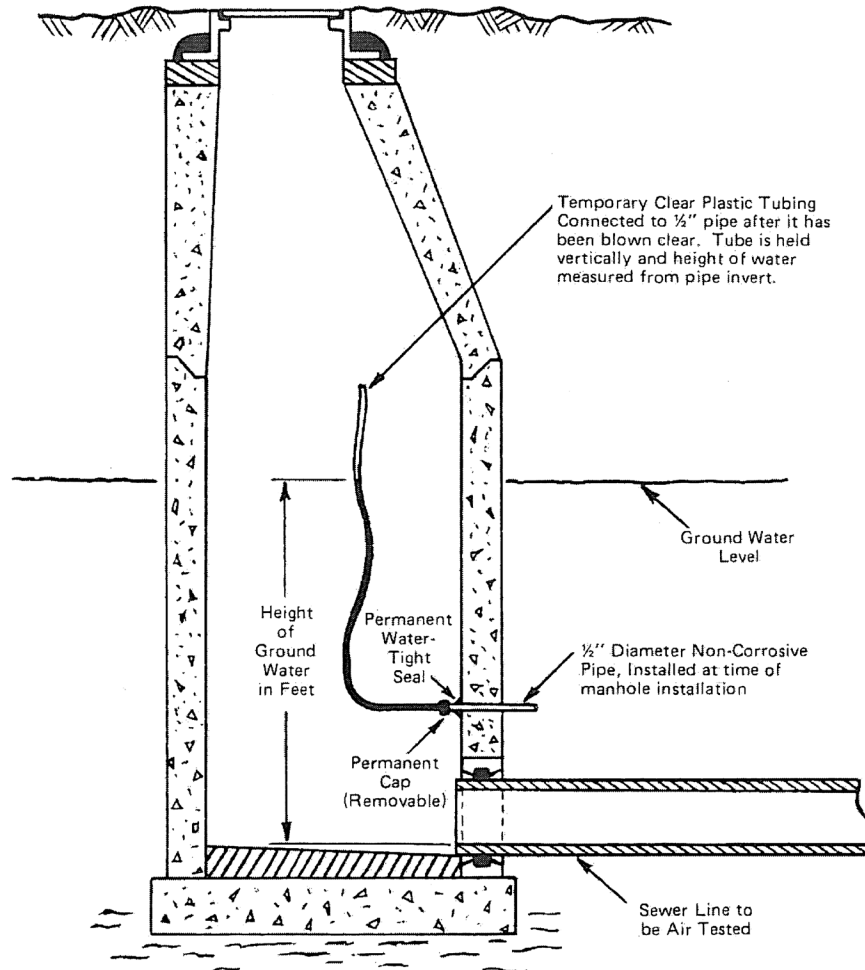
- A. The testing laboratory shall submit a certified written report of each inspection, test, or similar service concurrently to the Owner, Engineer, and Contractor.
  
- B. Written reports of each inspection, test, or similar service shall include, but not be limited to, the following:
  - 1. Name of testing laboratory.
  - 2. Project name and construction contract reference number.
  - 3. Dates and locations of samples and tests or inspections.
  - 4. Date of report.
  - 5. Names of individuals making the inspection or test.
  - 6. Designation of the work and test method.
  - 7. Test results.
  - 8. Notation of significant ambient conditions at the time of sample taking and testing.

END OF SECTION 013319

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FIGURE NO. 1

**MANHOLE CROSS-SECTIONAL VIEW  
OF THE PROPER METHOD FOR  
DETERMINING GROUND WATER HEIGHT**



**AIR TEST DATA SHEET  
PIPE TESTING FORM**

**NOTE:** Pressurize pipe to 4.5 P.S.I.F. and let stabilize for 5 minutes. Pressure should then be backed off to 4.0 P.S.I.G. and test time started.

**JOB NAME:**  SANITARY  STORM  DATE: \_\_\_\_\_  
**JOB LOCATION:** \_\_\_\_\_ TEST COMPANY: \_\_\_\_\_  
**JOB NO.** \_\_\_\_\_ PROJECT REP: \_\_\_\_\_ PIPE MATERIAL: \_\_\_\_\_  
**SPECIFIED PRESSURE DROP ( ) P.S.I.G.** BASE PRESSURE: 4.0 P.S.I.G.  
 (See Table I or Table II for Reference) (Note: No test shall exceed 9.0 P.S.I.G.)

PIPE SECTION UNDER TEST			PIPE DIAMETER	PIPE LENGTH	GROUND WATER DEPTH	BASE P.S.I.G. PLUS GROUND WATER ADJ. (+/-) 2.31=P.S.I.G.)	TEST TIME DURATION	TEST START TIME	TEST STOP TIME	TEST TIME ELAPSED	PASS FAIL P or F
UPSTREAM MH/STATION	DN-STREAM MH/STATION	GROUND WATER DEPTH									

**\*Identify any section(s) that failed:**  
**\*Leak (was) (was not) located. Method used:**  
**REMARKS:**

**TABLE I**Minimum specified time required for a 1.0 P.S.I.G. Pressure Drop

1 Pipe Diameter (Inches )	2 Minimum Time (Min:Sec)	3 Length for Minimum Time (Ft.)	4 Time for Longer Length (Sec)	Specification Time for Length (L) Shown (Min:Sec)							
				100 Ft.	150 Ft.	200 Ft.	250 Ft.	300 Ft.	350 Ft.	400 Ft.	450 Ft.
4	3:46	597	.380 L	3:46	3:46	3:46	3:46	3:46	3:46	3:46	3:46
6	5:40	398	.854 L	5:40	5:40	5:40	5:40	5:40	5:40	5:42	6:24
8	7:34	298	1.520 L	7:34	7:34	7:34	7:34	7:36	8:52	10:08	11:24
10	9:26	239	2.374 L	9:26	9:26	9:26	9:53	11:52	13:51	15:49	17:48
12	11:20	199	3.418 L	11:20	11:20	11:24	14:15	17:05	19:56	22:47	25:38
15	14:10	159	5.342 L	14:10	14:10	17:48	22:15	26:42	31:09	35:36	40:04
18	17:00	133	7.692 L	17:00	19:13	25:38	32:03	38:27	44:52	51:16	57:41
21	19:50	114	10.470 L	19:50	26:10	34:54	43:37	52:21	61:00	69:48	78:31
24	22:40	99	13.674 L	22:47	34:11	45:34	56:58	68:22	79:46	91:10	102:33
27	25:30	88	17.306 L	28:51	43:16	57:41	72:07	86:32	100:57	115:22	129:48
30	28:20	80	21.366 L	35:37	53:25	71:13	89:02	106:50	124:38	142:26	160:15
33	31:10	72	28.852 L	43:05	64:38	86:10	107:43	129:16	150:43	172:21	193:53
36	34:00	66	30.768 L	51:17	76:55	102:34	128:12	153:50	179:29	205:07	230:46
42	39:48	57	41.883 L	69:48	104:42	139:37	174:30	209:24	244:19	279:13	314:07
48	45:34	50	54.705 L	91:10	136:45	182:21	227:55	273:31	319:06	364:42	410:17
54	51:02	44	69.236 L	115:24	173:05	230:47	288:29	346:11	403:53	461:34	519:16
60	56:40	40	85.476 L	142:28	213:41	284:55	356:09	427:23	498:37	569:50	641:04

for size and length of pipe indicated for Q = 0.0015

**NOTE: If there has been no leakage, (zero P.S.I.G. drop), after one hour of testing, the test shall be accepted and the test complete. (See Section 7.5)**

**TABLE II**

Minimum specified time required for a 0.5 P.S.I.G. Pressure Drop  
for size and length of pipe indicated for Q = 0.0015

1 Pipe Diameter (Inches)	2 Minimum Time (Min:Sec)	3 Length for Minimum Time (Ft.)	4 Time for Longer Length (Sec)	Specification Time for Length (L) Shown (Min:Sec)							
				100 Ft.	100 Ft.	100 Ft.	100 Ft.	100 Ft.	100 Ft.	100 Ft.	100 Ft.
4	1:53	597	.190 L	1:53	1:53	1:53	1:53	1:53	1:53	1:53	1:53
6	2:50	398	.427 L	2:50	2:50	2:50	2:50	2:50	2:50	2:51	3:12
8	3:47	298	.760 L	3:47	3:47	3:47	3:47	3:48	4:26	5:04	5:42
10	4:43	239	1.187 L	4:43	4:43	4:43	4:57	5:56	6:55	7:54	8:54
12	5:40	199	1.709 L	5:40	5:40	5:42	7:08	8:33	9:58	11:24	12:50
15	7:05	159	2.671 L	7:05	7:05	8:54	11:08	13:21	15:35	17:48	20:02
18	8:30	133	3.846 L	8:30	9:37	12:49	16:01	19:14	22:26	25:38	28:51
21	9:55	114	5.235 L	9:55	13:05	17:27	21:49	26:11	30:32	34:54	39:16
24	11:20	99	6.837 L	11:24	17:57	22:48	28:30	34:11	39:53	45:35	51:17
27	12:45	88	8.653 L	14:25	21:38	28:51	36:04	43:16	50:30	57:42	64:54
30	14:10	80	10.683 L	17:48	26:43	35:37	44:31	53:25	62:19	71:13	80:07
33	15:35	72	12.926 L	21:33	32:19	43:56	53:52	64:38	75:24	86:10	96:57
36	17:00	66	15.384 L	25:39	38:28	51:17	64:06	76:55	89:44	102:34	115:23
42	19:54	57	20.942 L	34:54	52:21	69:49	87:15	104:42	122:10	139:37	157:04
48	22:47	50	27.352 L	45:35	68:23	91:11	113:58	136:46	159:33	182:21	205:09
54	25:31	44	34.618 L	57:42	86:33	115:24	144:15	173:05	201:56	230:47	259:38
60	28:20	40	42.738 L	71:14	106:51	142:28	178:05	213:41	249:18	284:55	320:32

**NOTE: If there has been no leakage, (zero P.S.I.G. drop), after one hour of testing, the test shall be accepted and the test complete. (See Section 7.5)**

**CT CONSULTANTS, INC.**  
**HYDROSTATIC LEAKAGE TEST**

JOB. NO. \_\_\_\_\_ PROJECT: \_\_\_\_\_

CONTRACTOR: \_\_\_\_\_ CLIENT: \_\_\_\_\_

WATERLINE TESTED AT: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Street Name) (Station of Gauge)

FROM STATION \_\_\_\_\_ TO STATION \_\_\_\_\_ ON \_\_\_\_\_

WATERLINE SIZE \_\_\_\_\_ TYPE \_\_\_\_\_

TESTED \_\_\_\_\_ AT \_\_\_\_\_ FOR \_\_\_\_\_  
 TOTAL L.F. PIPE SIZE PSI DURATION

ALLOWABLE LEAKAGE \_\_\_\_\_ PER 1,000 L.F. OR \_\_\_\_\_  
 GALS./HR. TOTAL GALS. TOTAL L.F.

1<sup>ST</sup> TEST \_\_\_\_\_ AND \_\_\_\_\_  
 PASS / FAIL PRESSURE LOST GALLONS LOST

2<sup>ND</sup> TEST \_\_\_\_\_ AND \_\_\_\_\_  
 PASS / FAIL PRESSURE LOST GALLONS LOST

APPROVED BY \_\_\_\_\_  
 (INSPECTOR)

COMMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

ALLOWABLE LEAKAGE PER 1,000 FEET OF WATERMAIN:

<u>PIPE SIZE</u> <u>INCH DIAMETER</u>	<u>ALLOWABLE LEAKAGE</u> <u>GALS. / 1,000 FEET</u>
6	1
8	1.3
10	1.6
12	1.9
16	2.5
20	3.2
24	3.8
30	4.8
36	5.7

**NOTE: IN NO CASE SHALL THE TESTED SECTION EXCEED 2,000 FEET IN LENGTH.**



**PROJECT:** \_\_\_\_\_ **SHEET NO. 1 OF** \_\_\_\_\_

**JOB NO.** \_\_\_\_\_ **STREET:** \_\_\_\_\_

**CONTRACTOR:** \_\_\_\_\_ **PROJECT REP:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MANHOLE VACUUM TEST**

M.H. NO.	M.H. Diameter (in.)	M.H. Depth (ft.) (btm.m.h. cover to shelf)	Vacuum Required (in Hg)	Vacuum Attained (in Hg)	Vacuum Drop (in Hg)	Holding Time Required (sec.)	Pass/Fail	Date Tested	Contractor Attest	Engineer Attest	Remarks

**TABLE 1 – Minimum Test Times for Various Manhole Diameter**

Depth (ft)	30	33	36	42	48	54	60	66	72
8	11	12	14	17	20	23	26	29	33
10	14	15	18	21	25	29	33	36	41
12	17	18	21	25	30	35	39	43	49
14	20	21	25	30	35	41	46	51	57
16	22	24	29	34	40	46	52	58	67
18	25	27	32	38	45	52	59	65	73
20	28	30	35	42	50	53	65	72	81
22	31	33	39	46	55	64	72	79	89
24	33	36	42	51	59	64	78	87	97
26	36	39	46	55	64	75	85	94	105
	39	42	49	59	69	81	91	101	113
	42	45	53	63	74	87	98	108	121

Note: Allowable drop equals 1 in. Hg for time shown

**PROJECT REP:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_



## SECTION 013323 - SHOP DRAWINGS, PRODUCT DATA AND SAMPLES

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 GENERAL

- A. The Contractor shall submit detailed drawings, acceptable catalog data, specifications and material certifications for all equipment and materials specified or required for the proper completion of the work.
- B. The intent of these items is to demonstrate compliance with the design concept of the work and to provide the detailed information necessary for the fabrication, assembly and installation of the work specified. It is not intended that every detail of all parts of manufactured equipment be submitted, however sufficient detail will be required to ascertain compliance with the specifications and establish the quality of the equipment proposed.

Shop Drawings shall be sufficiently clear and complete to enable the Engineer/Architect and Owner to determine that items proposed to be furnished conform to the specifications and that items delivered to the site are actually those that have been reviewed.

- C. It is emphasized that the Engineer/Architect's review of Contractor's submitted data is for general conformance to the contract drawings and specifications but subject to the detailed requirements of drawings and specifications. Although the Engineer/Architect may review submitted data in detail, such review is an effort to discover errors and omissions in Contractor's drawings. The Engineer/Architect's review shall in no way relieve the Contractor of their obligation to properly coordinate the work and to Engineer/Architect the details of the work in such manner that the purposes and intent of the contract will be achieved. Such review by the Engineer/Architect shall not be construed as placing on him or on the Owner any responsibility for the accuracy and for proper fit, functioning or performance of any phase of the work included in the contract.
- D. Shop Drawings shall be submitted in proper sequence and with due regard to the time required for checking, transmittal and review so as to cause no delay in the work. The Contractor's failure to transmit appropriate submittals to the Engineer/Architect sufficiently in advance of the work shall not be grounds for time extension.
- E. The Contractor shall submit Shop Drawings for all fabricated work and for all manufactured items required to be furnished in the Contract in accordance with the General Provisions and as specified herein. Shop Drawings shall be submitted in sufficient time to allow at least twenty-one (21) calendar days after receipt of the Shop Drawings from the Contractor for checking and processing by the Engineer/Architect.
- F. It is the responsibility of each Prime Contractor to furnish to all other Prime Contractors and especially the General Construction Contractor reviewed Shop Drawings for guidance in interfacing the various trades; i.e., sleeves, inserts, anchor bolts, terminations, and space requirements.

- G. No work shall be performed requiring Shop Drawings until same have been reviewed by Engineer/Architect.
- H. Accepted and reviewed Shop Drawings shall not be construed as approval of changes from Contract plan and specification requirements.
- I. The Engineer/Architect will review the first and second Shop Drawing item submittals at no cost to the Contractor. Review of the third submittal and any subsequent submittal will be at the Contractor's expense. Payment will be deducted from the Contract amount at a rate of 3.3 times direct labor cost plus expenses.

## 1.2 SUBMITTAL PROCEDURE

- A. All required submissions shall be made to the Engineer/Architect by the Prime Contractor(s) only. Any data prepared by subcontractors and suppliers and all correspondence originating with subcontractors, suppliers, etc., shall be submitted through the Contractor.
- B. Contractor shall review and approve all Shop Drawings prior to submission. Contractor's approval shall constitute a representation to Owner and Engineer/Architect that Contractor has either determined and verified all quantities, dimensions, field construction criteria, materials, catalog numbers, and similar data or assumes full responsibility for doing so, and that Contractor has reviewed or coordinated each Shop Drawing or sample with the requirements of the work and the Contract Documents.
- C. Submittal Preparation: Mark each submittal with a permanent label or page for identification. Provide the following information on the label for proper processing and recording of action taken:
  - 1. Location
  - 2. Project Name
  - 3. Contract
  - 4. Name and Address of Engineer/Architect
  - 5. Name and Address of Contractor
  - 6. Name and Address of Subcontractor
  - 7. Name and Address of Supplier
  - 8. Name of Manufacturer
  - 9. Number and Title of appropriate Specification Section
  - 10. Drawing Number and Detail References, as appropriate.
  - 11. Submittal Sequence or Log Reference Number.
    - a. Provide a space on the label for the Contractor's review and approval markings and a space for the Engineer/Architect's "Action Stamp".
- D. Each Shop Drawing, sample and product data submitted by the Contractor shall have affixed to it the following Certification Statement including the Contractor's Company name and signed by the Contractor:

Certification Statement: By this submittal, I hereby represent that I have determined and verified all field measurements, field construction criteria, materials, dimensions, catalog numbers and similar data and I have checked and coordinated each item with other applicable approved shop drawings and all Contract requirements.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Company

- E. Shop Drawings shall be submitted in not less than six (6) copies to the Engineer/Architect at the address specified at the Preconstruction Conference. Single mylar or sepia reproducible copies of simple Shop Drawings may be submitted with prior approval of the Engineer/Architect.
- F. At the time of each submission, Contractor shall in writing identify any deviations that the Shop Drawings or samples may have from the requirements of the Contract Documents.
- G. Drawings shall be clean, legible and shall show necessary working dimensions, arrangement, material finish, erection data, and like information needed to define what is to be furnished and to establish its suitability for the intended use. Specifications may be required for equipment or materials to establish any characteristics of performance where such are pertinent. Suitable catalog data sheets showing all options and marked with complete model numbers may, in certain instances, be sufficient to define the articles which it is proposed to furnish.
- H. For product which require submittal of samples, furnish samples so as not to delay fabrication, allowing the Engineer reasonable time for the consideration of the samples submitted. Properly label samples, indicating the material or product represented, its place of origin, the names of the vendor and Contractor and the name of the project for which it is intended. Ship samples prepaid. Accompany samples with pertinent data required to judge the quality and acceptability of the sample, such as certified test records and, where required for proper evaluation, certified chemical analyses.

1.3 REVIEW PROCEDURE

- A. Engineer/Architect will review with reasonable promptness all properly submitted Shop Drawings. Such review shall be only for conformance with the design concept of the Project and for compliance with the information given in the plans and specifications and shall not extend to means, methods, sequences, techniques or procedures of construction or to safety precautions or programs incident thereto.
- B. The review of a separate item as such will not constitute the review of the assembly in which the item functions. The Contractor shall submit entire systems as a package.
- C. All Shop Drawings submitted for review shall be stamped with the Engineer/Architect's action and associated comments.

- D. Except for submittals for record, information or similar purposes, where action and return is required or requested, the Engineer/Architect will review each submittal, mark to indicate action taken, and return accordingly. Compliance with specified characteristics is the Contractor's responsibility.

Action Stamp: The Engineer/Architect will stamp each submittal with a uniform, self-explanatory action stamp. The stamp will be appropriately marked, as follows, to indicate the action taken:

1. If Shop Drawings are found to be in general compliance, such review will be indicated by marking the first statement.
  2. If only minor notes in reasonable number are needed, the Engineer/Architect will make same on all copies and mark the second statement. Shop Drawings so marked need not be resubmitted.
  3. If the submitted Shop Drawings are incomplete or inadequate, the Engineer/Architect will mark the third statement, request such additional information as required, and explain the reasons for revision. The Contractor shall be responsible for revisions, and/or providing needed information, without undue delay, until such Shop Drawings are acceptable. Shop Drawings marked with No. 3 shall be completed resubmitted.
  4. If the submitted Shop Drawings are not in compliance with the Contract Documents, the Engineer/Architect will mark the fourth statement. The Contractor will be responsible to submit a new offering conforming to specific products specified herein and/or as directed per review citations.
- E. No submittal requiring a Change Order for either value or substitution or both, will be returned until the Change Order is approved or otherwise directed by the Owner.

# APPLICATION FOR USE OF SUBSTITUTE ITEM

TO: \_\_\_\_\_

PROJECT: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIFIED ITEM:

Page	Paragraph	Description
A.		The undersigned requests consideration of the following as a substitute item in accordance with Article 6.05 of the General Conditions.
B.		Change in Contract Price (indicate + or -) \$ _____
C.		Attached data includes product description, specifications, drawings, photographs, references, past problems and remedies, and performance and test data adequate for evaluation of the request; applicable portions of the data are clearly identified. For consideration of the attached data as SHOP DRAWINGS, submittal shall be in accordance with requirements of Section 013323.
D.		Attached data also includes a description of changes to the Contract Documents that the proposed substitution will require for its proper installation.

The undersigned certifies that the following paragraphs, unless modified by attachments are correct:

1. The proposed substitute does not affect dimensions shown on Drawings.
2. The undersigned will pay for changes to the building design, including engineering design, detailing, and construction costs caused by the requested substitution.
3. The proposed substitution will have no adverse affect on other contractors, the construction schedule, or specified warranty requirements. (If proposed substitution affects construction schedule, indicate below using + or -)

\_\_\_\_\_ CONSECUTIVE CALENDAR DAYS

4. Maintenance and service parts will be locally available for the proposed substitution.

The undersigned further states that the function, appearance, and quality of the proposed substitution are equivalent or superior to the specified item, and agrees to reimburse the OWNER for the charges of the ENGINEER for evaluating this proposed substitute item.

E. Signature: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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For use by ENGINEER:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Accepted as evidenced by affixed SHOP DRAWING REVIEW stamp.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Accepted as evidenced by included CHANGE ORDER.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Not accepted as submitted. See Remarks.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Acceptance requires completion of submittal as required for SHOP DRAWINGS.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Not accepted. Do not resubmit.

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# APPLICATION FOR USE OF "OR-EQUAL" ITEM

TO: \_\_\_\_\_

PROJECT: \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIFIED ITEM:

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A. The undersigned requests consideration of the following as an "or-equal" item in accordance with Article 6.05 of the General Conditions.

B. Change in Contract Price (indicate + or -) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

C. Attached data includes product description, specifications, drawings, photographs, references, past problems and remedies, and performance and test data adequate for evaluation of the request; applicable portions of the data are clearly identified. For consideration of the attached data as SHOP DRAWINGS, submittal shall be in accordance with requirements of Section 013323.

D. Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Firm: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Attachments: \_\_\_\_\_

For use by ENGINEER:

\_\_\_\_\_ Accepted as evidenced by affixed SHOP DRAWING REVIEW stamp.

\_\_\_\_\_ Accepted as evidenced by included CHANGE ORDER.

\_\_\_\_\_ Not accepted as submitted. See Remarks.

\_\_\_\_\_ Acceptance requires completion of submittal as required for SHOP DRAWINGS.

\_\_\_\_\_ Not accepted. Do not resubmit.

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END OF SECTION 013323



## SECTION 013326 – PRODUCT TESTING AND CERTIFYING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 QUALITY OF MATERIALS

- A. Where the specifications call for mill or shop tests, the Contractor shall furnish duplicate copies of attested manufacturer's certificates showing details of quality or performance sufficient to demonstrate conformity to contract requirements. Mill, shop or witness tests shall be subject to view by the Engineer's representative, but the Engineer's representation shall not relieve the Contractor from the necessity of furnishing certificates specified. The Engineer shall be notified by the Contractor in writing, sufficiently in advance of the time of making tests, so that proper arrangements may be made. Waiving of witness of tests by the Engineer may be in writing only by the Engineer. All costs for travel, lodging, food and transportation that are necessary for the Engineer's representative and the Owner's representative to attend witness tests shall be included in the Contractor's bid for those item(s) specifically designated as being subject to witness testing.
- B. Unless otherwise specified, all materials, equipment and articles shall be erected, installed, applied, or connected, used, cleaned and conditioned in accordance with the printed instructions and directions of the manufacturer.
- C. The installation shall be so made that its several component parts will function together as a workable system. It shall be complete with all accessories necessary for its operation and shall be left with all equipment properly adjusted and in working order.
- D. The work shall be executed in conformity with the best practice and so as to contribute to efficiency of operation, minimum maintenance, accessibility and sightliness. It shall also be executed so that the installation will conform and accommodate itself to the building structure, its equipment and usage.
- E. Whenever in the contract documents a particular brand, make of material, device or equipment is shown or specified, such brand, make of material, device or equipment is to be regarded merely as a standard and such trade name shall be followed by "or equal".

#### 1.2 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. The equipment and materials to be furnished under this Contract shall be the products of well established and reliable firms which have had ample experience for at least five (5) years in the manufacture of equipment or materials similar in design and of equal quality to that specified. If required, the manufacturer shall submit a list of installations of similar equipment which have been in successful operation for at least five (5) years.

1.3 EXPERIENCE CLAUSE REQUIREMENT AND PERFORMANCE BONDS FOR MANUFACTURER

- A. For every piece of equipment furnished under this Contract, the manufacturer will be required to have a minimum of five (5) years of experience in providing this specific type of equipment. In lieu of this experience requirement, the manufacturer will be required to provide performance bond(s) for the faithful performance of the equipment and guarantee payment in a sum of not less than one hundred and fifty percent (150%) of the total equipment price for the completed work for that item. In the absence of verifiable experience, the manufacturer will be required to provide the performance bond(s) for the same number of years that the manufacturer was found lacking in experience from the specified five (5) year period. The performance bond(s) shall be from an approved surety company, to the satisfaction of the Owner's Law Director.
- B. Agents of bonding companies which write bonds for the performance and payment of the contract shall furnish power of attorney bearing the seal of the company, evidencing such agent's authority to execute the particular type of bond to be furnished, and evidencing also the right of the surety company to do business in the State of Ohio. Copy of this proof shall be attached to each copy of the contract.
- C. The bond shall be purchased through a surety company with a local agent upon whom service of process can be made.
- D. In event of failure of surety or co-surety, the manufacturer shall immediately furnish a new bond, as required herein. The manufacturer's bond will not be released until all provisions of the contract have been fulfilled.
- E. The surety used for the bid bond and performance bond shall be listed in the latest U.S. Treasury Circular 570 and the Penal Sums shall be within the maximum specified for such company in said Circular 570.

END OF SECTION 013326

## .SECTION 013543 - ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 UNNECESSARY NOISE, DUST AND ODORS

- A. The Contractor's performance of this contract shall be conducted so as to eliminate all unnecessary noise, dust and odors.

#### 1.2 SEWAGE, SURFACE AND FLOOD FLOWS

- A. The Contractor shall take whatever action is necessary to provide all necessary tools, equipment and machinery to adequately handle all sewage, surface flows and flood flows which may be encountered during the performance of the work. The entire cost of and liability for handling such flows is the responsibility of the Contractor and shall be included in the price for the appropriate item.

#### 1.3 WORK IN FREEZING WEATHER

- A. Written permission from the Engineer shall be obtained before any work is performed which, in the judgment of the Engineer, may be affected by frost, cold, or snow. When work is performed under such conditions, the Contractor shall provide facilities for heating the materials and for protecting the finished work.

#### 1.4 POLLUTION CONTROL

- A. It shall be the responsibility of the Contractor to prevent or limit pollution of air and water resulting from his operations.
- B. The Contractor shall perform work required to prevent soil from eroding or otherwise entering onto all paved areas and into natural watercourses, ditches, and public sewer systems. This work shall conform to all local ordinances and/or regulations, if any, and if not otherwise regulated by local ordinances or regulations shall at a minimum conform to the Ohio EPA General Storm Water NPDES Permit for Construction Activities and the Ohio Department of Natural Resources Rainwater and Land Development manual. This work may consist of but not be limited to construction and continual maintenance of silt fence, bio bag filters, sedimentation traps, stilling basins, check dams, temporary seeding, temporary mulching, erosion mats and other means to clarify waters containing suspended materials from excavations, embankments, cleared and grubbed or stripped areas, stockpiles, well points, and disposal sites and shall be commensurate with the contractor's schedule, sequence of work, means and methods. If a SWPPP plan is not required for the project, the contractor shall at a minimum submit a plan of his proposed erosion control prevention methods for approval by the Owner and/or other regulatory authorities having jurisdiction prior to starting any construction activities which may cause erosion.

- C. Water containing suspended material from any part of the Contractor's operations shall be clarified before discharging into drains or streams.
- D. The Contractor shall perform work required to prevent dust attributable to his operations from entering the atmosphere. Dust on unsurfaced streets or parking areas and any remaining dust on surfaced streets shall be controlled with water and/or calcium chloride dust palliative as needed.
- E. The Contractor shall construct and maintain filers, sedimentation traps or stilling basins with overflows to clarify waters containing suspended materials from fill areas, excavations, deep wells, well points, and disposal sites before discharging to drains or streams.
  - 1. Silt barriers shall be placed around stockpiles of soil material susceptible to erosion unless temporary seeding is used instead.
- F. The pollution control work shall conform to applicable portions of ODOT Item 207 and 616.
- G. Any material removed from sanitary or storm sewers shall be disposed in accordance with all applicable regulations.

END OF SECTION 013543

## SECTION 014126 - GENERAL REGULATIONS AND PERMITS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 REGISTRATION

All Contractors and subcontractors shall be registered with the Owner.

#### 1.2 ARCHAEOLOGICAL DISCOVERIES

Contractors and subcontractors are required under O.R.C. Section 149.53, to notify the Ohio Historical Society and the Ohio Historic Site Preservation Board of Archaeological Discoveries located in the project area, and to cooperate with those entities in archaeological and historic surveys and salvage efforts if such discoveries are uncovered within the project area.

Contact:       Department Head  
                  Resource Protection and Review  
                  Ohio Historic Preservation Office  
                  800 E. 17th Avenue  
                  Columbus, Ohio 43211-2497  
                  614-298-2000

Should archaeological discoveries or other activities delay progress of the work, an adjustment in contract time will be made.

END OF SECTION 014126

## SECTION 014223 - INDUSTRY STANDARDS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 ABBREVIATIONS

- A. Abbreviations, as used, designate the following:

AASHTO	-	American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials
ACI	-	American Concrete Institute
AIEE	-	American Institute of Electrical Engineers
AISC	-	American Institute of Steel Construction
ANSI	-	American National Standards Institute
ASTM	-	American Society of Testing and Materials
AWWA	-	American Water Works Association
CMS	-	Construction and Material Specifications
NASSCO	-	National Association of Sewer Service Companies
NEMA	-	National Electrical Manufacturers Association
ODOT	-	Ohio Department of Transportation
ORC	-	Ohio Revised Code
UL	-	Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.

#### 1.2 REFERENCE TO OTHER SPECIFICATIONS

- A. Where reference is made to specifications such as ASTM, AWWA or AASHTO, the latest edition shall be used, unless otherwise noted on the plans or in the specifications.

#### 1.3 CODES AND STANDARDS

- A. All work provided for by these specifications must be installed according to the provisions of the State and local building codes, subject to inspection and acceptance by the State and local inspectors.

END OF SECTION 014223

## SECTION 014323 - QUALIFICATIONS OF TRADESMEN

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 CHARACTER OF WORKMEN AND EQUIPMENT

- A. The Contractor shall employ competent and efficient work persons for every kind of work. Any person employed on the work who shall refuse or neglect to obey directions of the Engineer or their representative, or who shall be deemed incompetent or disorderly, or who shall commit trespass upon public or private property in the vicinity of the work, shall be dismissed when the Engineer so orders, and shall not be re-employed unless express permission be given by the Engineer. The methods, equipment and appliances used on the work and the labor employed shall be such as will produce a satisfactory quality of work, and shall be adequate to complete the contract within the specified time limit.
  
- B. In hiring of employees for the performance of work under this Contract, or any Subcontract hereunder, no Contractor or Subcontractor, nor any person acting on behalf of such Contractor or Subcontractor, shall, by reason of race, sex, creed or color, discriminate against any citizen of the State of Ohio in the work to which the employment relates. No Contractor, Subcontractor, nor any person on their behalf shall, in any manner, discriminate against or intimidate any employee hired for the performance of work under this contract on account of race, creed, sex or color.

END OF SECTION 014323

## SECTION 015213 - FIRST AID

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 AID TO THE INJURED

The Contractor shall keep in their office and on the work site, all articles necessary for giving "First Aid to the Injured". They shall also have standing arrangements for the immediate removal and hospital treatment of any employee or other person who may be injured on the work site.

END OF SECTION 015213



## SECTION 015526 - TEMPORARY TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 BARRICADES, SIGNS AND LIGHTS

- A. The Contractor shall employ watchmen on the work when and as necessary. The Contractor shall erect and maintain such strong and suitable barriers and such lights as will effectively prevent the occurrence of any accident to health, limb or property. Lights shall be maintained between the hours of one-half (1/2) hour after sunset and one-half (1/2) hour before sunrise.
- B. No manhole, trench, excavation will be left open awaiting connection or removal at a later date by the Contractor's forces or others but shall be temporarily backfilled and resurfaced if applicable with a temporary pavement passable to traffic at no additional cost to the Owner.
- C. In addition to other safety requirements, a minimum of four (4) foot high fence will be incorporated around any shaft or manhole or other excavation left open at the end of a day's work.

#### 1.2 MAINTENANCE OF TRAFFIC

- A. The Contractor is required to provide maintenance of traffic in conformance with the Ohio Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices and Item 614 of the current Construction and Material Specifications of the Ohio Department of Transportation.
- B. This work shall include providing suitable and satisfactorily trained and properly attired flagmen for use at any location where existing roadway is narrowed to a width of less than 2 full lanes (18 feet).
- C. The Contractor is also responsible for maintaining local access to all residences and businesses along the route of the sewer and to provide whatever temporary materials are necessary to provide a safe, adequate drive surface.
- D. At all boring locations, Contractor shall provide suitable flashers, barricades, and traffic control devices as may be deemed necessary by the Engineer or the responsible authority in the case of the Department of Transportation, Turnpike Commission, or Conrail. This may extend to maintain facilities on a 24-hour basis until such time as the areas are completely backfilled.
- E. During the progress of the work, the Contractor shall maintain two-way traffic at all times, besides when resurfacing. Any partial or temporary road closures shall be first approved by the Owner in writing.

END OF SECTION 015526

## SECTION 016600 - PRODUCT HANDLING AND PROTECTION

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 DELIVERY AND STORAGE OF MATERIALS

- A. The Contractor shall be responsible for delivery and storage of all materials.
- B. The Contractor shall coordinate with the Engineer on the arrangement for storing construction materials and equipment. Deliveries of all construction materials and equipment should be made at suitable times.
- C. The Contractor shall store all materials required for the performance of this contract at sites designated by the Engineer.
- D. All stockpiles shall be neat, compact, completely safe, and barricaded with warning lights if necessary.
- E. Precautions shall be taken so that no shade trees, shrubs, flowers, sidewalks, driveways or other facilities will be damaged by the storage of materials. The Contractor shall be responsible for the restoration of all stockpile sites to their original condition.
- F. Materials, tools and machinery shall not be piled or placed against shade trees, unless they shall be amply protected against injury therefrom. All materials, tools, machinery, etc. stored upon public thoroughfares must be provided with red lights at night time so as to warn the traffic of such obstruction.
- G. Materials shall be so stored as to assure the preservation of their quality and fitness for the work. Stored materials, even though approved before storage, shall again be inspected prior to their use in the work. Stored materials shall be located so as to facilitate their prompt inspection. Approved portions of the construction site may be used for storage purposes and for the placing of the Contractor's plant and equipment, but any additional space required therefore must be provided by the Contractor at his expense. Private property shall not be used for storage purposes without written permission of the property owner or lessee, and copies of such written permission shall be furnished the Engineer. All storage sites shall be restored to their original condition by the Contractor at his expense.

END OF SECTION 016600

## SECTION 017800 - FINAL COMPLIANCE AND SUBMITTALS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

- 1.1 The following forms and related sign-offs shall be documented in accordance with provisions of the contract. These forms shall be completed by the Contractor and approved by the Owner before final retainer is approved for release. Forms for Items A to E will be attached to the Contractor's executed copy of the contract.
- A. Certificate of Substantial Completion (To be submitted at time of Substantial Completion).
  - B. Contractor's Certification of Completion.
  - C. Contractor's Affidavit of Prevailing Wage.
  - D. Consent of Surety Company for Final Payment.
  - E. Affidavit of Final Acceptance Date and Correction Period.
  - F. Certificate of Insurance verifying completed operations insurance coverage.

END OF SECTION 017800

## SECTION 017821 - CLEANING AND PROTECTION

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 GENERAL

- A. On or before the completion date for the work, the Contractor shall tear down and remove all temporary structures built by them, all construction plant used by them, and shall repair and replace all parts of existing embankments, fences or other structures which were removed or injured by their operations or by the employees of the Contractor. The Contractor shall thoroughly clean out all buildings, sewers, drains, pipes, manholes, inlets and miscellaneous and appurtenant structures, and shall remove all rubbish leaving the grounds in a neat and satisfactory condition.
- B. As circumstances require and when ordered by the Engineer, the Contractor shall clean the road, driveway, and/or sidewalk on which construction activity under this contract has resulted in dirt or any other foreign material being deposited with an automatic self-contained mechanical sweeper with integral water spray, vacuum and on-board or supplementary containment.
- C. Failure to comply with this requirement when ordered by the Engineer or his representative, may serve as cause for the Engineer to stop the work and to withhold any monies due to the Contractor until such order has been complied with to the satisfaction of the Engineer.
- D. As the work progresses, and as may be directed, the Contractor shall remove from the site and dispose of debris and waste material resulting from his work. Particular attention shall be given to minimizing any fire and safety hazard from form materials or from other combustibles as may be used in connection with the work, which should be removed daily.
- E. During and after installation, the Contractor shall furnish and maintain satisfactory protection to all equipment against injury by weather, flooding or breakage thereby permitting all work to be left in a new condition at the completion of the contract.

END OF SECTION 017821

## SECTION 017839 - PROJECT RECORDS, DRAWINGS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RECORD DRAWINGS

- A. The Contractor shall furnish an authentic set of marked-up drawings showing the installation insofar as the installation shall have differed from the Engineer's drawings. The drawings shall be delivered to the Engineer for making revisions to the original drawings immediately after final acceptance by the Owner.

#### 1.2 SERVICE CONNECTION RECORDS

- A. The Contractor shall record the location of all service and property connections, new or existing, made to utilities constructed under this contract. Such records shall be turned over to the Owner upon completion of the work. The cost of making such records shall be included in the various unit or lump sum prices stipulated for the various items of the work.
- B. The location of each sewer connection as measured along the sewer from the nearest downstream manhole and its description with respect to the sewer shall be recorded. The record shall include the depth of new stubs for future connections and the depth of existing connections as measured from the surface grade. Also, the use of any vertical riser pipe shall be noted.
- C. The location of each sewer lateral that as measured along the mainline sewer from the nearest upstream manhole.

END OF SECTION 017839

## SECTION 030000 - CONCRETE WORK

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division-1 Specification sections, apply to work of this section.
  - 1. Section 013319 – Field Test Reporting

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section specifies cast-in place concrete, including form work, reinforcing, mix design, placement procedures and finishes.
  - 1. Extent of concrete work is shown on drawings.
  - 2. Concrete paving and walks are specified in Division 2.
  - 3. Precast concrete is specified in other Division-3 sections.
  - 4. Mechanical finishes and concrete floor toppings are specified in other Division-3 sections.

#### 1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Submit data for proprietary materials and items, including reinforcement and forming accessories, admixtures, patching compounds, waterstops, joint systems, curing compounds, dry-shake finish materials, and others as requested by Engineer.
- B. Shop Drawings; Reinforcement: Submit original shop drawings prepared for fabrication, bending, and placement of concrete reinforcement. Comply with ACI Detailing Manual showing bar schedules, stirrup spacing, diagrams of bent bars, arrangement of concrete reinforcement. Include special reinforcement required for openings through concrete structures.
- C. Shop Drawings; Form work: Submit shop drawings prepared by a registered Professional Engineer for fabrication and erection of forms for specific finished concrete surfaces. Show form construction including jointing, special form joint or reveals, location and pattern of form tie placement, and other items which affect exposed concrete visually.
  - 1. Engineer's review is for general architectural applications and features only. Design of form work for structural stability and efficiency is Contractor's responsibility.
- D. Samples: Submit samples of materials as requested by Engineer, including names, sources, and descriptions.
- E. Laboratory Test Reports: Submit laboratory test reports for concrete materials and mix design tests.

1. The proposed mix design submittal(s) shall follow the procedures of Chapter 5, Sections 5.2 to 5.3 of ACI-318.
  2. Reference should be made to ACI-211.5R "Guide for Submittal of Concrete Proportions" for the required submittal information. Sample forms for presenting the necessary information can be found in the addendum at the end of this section. Example Form B should follow a completed Example A in the submittal when laboratory trial batches are used to document a water-cementitious materials ratio curve.
  3. Additional data summarizing the past performance records should be an integral part of the submittal if the submittal is based on past performance with the proposed materials and proportions.
- F. **Materials Certificates:** Provide materials certificates in lieu of materials laboratory test reports when permitted by Engineer. Materials certificates shall be signed by manufacturer and Contractor, certifying that each material item complies with, or exceeds, specified requirements. Provide certification from admixture manufacturers that chloride content complies with specification requirements.

#### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Codes and Standards:** Comply with provisions of following codes, specifications, and standards, latest revisions, except where more stringent requirements are shown or specified:
1. ACI 301 "Specifications for Structural Concrete for Buildings."
  2. ACI 318 "Building Code Requirements for Reinforced Concrete."
  3. Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute (CRSI), "Manual of Standard Practice."
  4. ACI 347 "Guide to Form work for Concrete."
  5. ACI 117, "Specifications for Tolerances for Concrete Construction and Materials."
- B. Materials and installed work may require testing and retesting at anytime during progress of work. Tests, including retesting of rejected materials for installed work, shall be done at Contractor's expense.
- C. Engage a testing agency acceptable to Engineer to perform initial material evaluation and certification tests for mix designs and to design concrete mixes.
- D. **Mockup:** Cast mockup of size indicated or as required to demonstrate typical joints, form tie spacing, and proposed surface finish, texture, and color. Maintain sample panel exposed to view for duration of project, after Engineer's acceptance of visual qualities.
1. Demolish mockup and remove from site when directed by Engineer.
- E. **Pre-installation Conference:** Conduct conference at project site to comply with requirements of Division 1 Section "Project Meetings" and the following:
1. At least 35 days prior to submitting design mixes, conduct a meeting to review detailed requirements for preparing concrete design mixes and to determine procedures for satisfactory concrete operations. Review requirements for submittals, status of coordinating work, and availability of materials. Establish preliminary work progress schedule and procedures for materials, inspection, testing and

certifications. Require representatives of each entity directly concerned with cast-in-place concrete to attend conference, including, but not limited to, the following:

- a. Contractor's Superintendent
- b. Agency responsible for concrete design mixes.
- c. Agency responsible for field quality control.
- d. Ready-mix concrete producer.
- e. Concrete Subcontractor
- f. Primary admixture manufactures.

## 1.5 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Protection of Footings Against Freezing: Cover completed work at footing level with sufficient temporary or permanent cover as required to protect footings and adjacent subgrade against possibility of freezing; maintain cover for time period as necessary.
- B. Protect adjacent finish materials against spatter during concrete placement.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 FORM MATERIALS

- A. Forms for Exposed Finish Concrete: Plywood, metal, metal-framed plywood faced, or other acceptable panel-type materials, to provide continuous, straight, smooth, exposed surfaces. Furnish in largest practicable sizes to minimize number of joints and to conform to joint system shown on drawings.
  1. Use plywood complying with U.S. Product Standard PS-1 "B-B (Concrete Form) Plywood," Class I, Exterior Grade or better, mill-oiled and edge-sealed, with each piece bearing legible inspection trademark.
- B. Forms for Unexposed Finish Concrete: Plywood, lumber, metal, or other acceptable material. Provide lumber dressed on at least two (2) edges and one side for tight fit.
- C. Forms for Textured Finish Concrete: Units of face design, size, arrangement, and configuration to match Engineer's control sample. Provide solid backing and form supports to ensure stability of textured form liners.
- D. Forms for Cylindrical Columns and Supports: Metal, fiberglass reinforced plastic, or paper or fiber tubes. Construct paper or fiber tubes of laminated plies using water-resistant adhesive with wax-impregnated exterior for weather and moisture protection. Provide units with sufficient wall thickness to resist loads imposed by wet concrete without deformation.
- E. Form Coatings: Provide commercial formulation form-coating compounds that will not bond with, stain, nor adversely affect concrete surfaces, and will not impair subsequent treatments of concrete surfaces.



- F. Form Ties: Factory-fabricated, adjustable-length, snapoff metal or glass fiber-reinforced plastic form ties, designed to prevent form deflection and to prevent spalling concrete upon removal. Provide units which will leave no metal closer than 1-1/2" to the exposed surface.
  - 1. Provide ties which, when removed, will leave holes not larger than 1" diameter in concrete surface.
  - 2. All form ties shall have a factor of safety of two (2) to determine the recommended safe working load.

## 2.2 REINFORCING MATERIALS

- A. Reinforcing Bars: ASTM A 615, Grade 60, deformed.
- B. Galvanized Reinforcing Bars: ASTM A 767, Class II (2.0 oz. zinc psf) hot-dip galvanized, after fabrication and bending.
- C. Epoxy-Coated Reinforcing Bars: ASTM A 775.
  - 1. Repair of damaged epoxy-coating - When required, damaged epoxy-coating shall be repaired with patching material conforming to ASTM A 775. Repair shall be done in accordance with the patching material manufacturer's recommendations.
- D. Steel Wire: ASTM A 82, plain, cold-drawn steel.
- E. Welded Wire Fabric: ASTM A 185, welded steel wire fabric. (Flat sheets only)
- F. Welded Deformed Steel Wire Fabric: ASTM A 497.
- G. Epoxy - Coated Welded Wire Fabric: ASTM A884, Class A.
- H. Supports for Reinforcement: Bolsters, chairs, spacers, and other devices for spacing, supporting, and fastening reinforcing bars and welded wire fabric in place. Use wire bar type supports complying with CRSI specifications.
  - 1. For slabs-on-grade, use supports with sand plates or horizontal runners where base material will not support chair legs.
  - 2. For exposed-to-view concrete surfaces, where legs of supports are in contact with forms, provide supports with legs which are plastic protected (CRSI, Class 1) or stainless steel protected (CRSI, Class 2).

## 2.3 CONCRETE MATERIALS

- A. Portland Cement: ASTM C 150, Type I, II or I/II and ASTM C595M, Type IP, unless otherwise specified. (See Table I, Concrete Requirements).
  - 1. Use one brand of cement throughout project, unless otherwise acceptable to Engineer.
- B. Fly Ash: ASTM C 618, Class F.

1. Limit use of fly ash to not exceed 25% of cement content by weight.
- C. Ground Granulated Blast-Furnace Slag: ASTM C989, Grade 100 or 120.
1. Limit use of granulated blast-furnace slag to not exceed 30% of cement content by weight.
- D. Normal Weight Aggregates: ASTM C 33, and as herein specified. Provide aggregates from a single source for exposed concrete, with nominal maximum aggregate size of 1 inch.
1. For exterior exposed surfaces, do not use fine or coarse aggregates containing spalling-causing deleterious substances.
  2. Local aggregates not complying with ASTM C 33 but which have shown by special test or actual service to produce concrete of adequate strength and durability may be used when acceptable to Engineer.
  3. Combined Aggregate Gradation: Well graded from coarsest to finest with not more than 18 percent and not less than 8 percent retained on an individual sieve, except that less than 8 percent may be retained on coarsest sieve and on No. 50 (0.3-mm) sieve, and less than 8 percent may be retained on sieves finer than No. 50 (0.3 mm).
- E. Lightweight Aggregates: ASTM C 330.
- Maximum nominal aggregate size of 1 inch.
- F. Water: Drinkable and complying with ASTM C94.
- G. Air-Entraining Admixture: ASTM C 260, certified by manufacturer to be compatible with other required admixtures.
1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. "Air-Mix"; Euclid Chemical Co.
    - b. "Sika Aer"; Sika Corp.
    - c. "MB-VR or MB-AE"; Master Builders.
- H. Water-Reducing Admixture: ASTM C 494, Type A, and containing not more than 0.1 percent chloride ions.
1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. "WRDA"; W.R. Grace.
    - b. "Eucon WR-75"; Euclid Chemical Co.
    - c. "Pozzolith Normal"; Master Builders.
- I. High-Range Water-Reducing Admixture (Super Plasticizer): ASTM C 494, Type F and containing not more than 0.1 percent chloride ions.
1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:

- a. "Sikament 300"; Sika Chemical Corp.
  - b. "Eucon 37"; Euclid Chemical Co.
  - c. "Rheobuild or Polyheed"; Master Builders.
  
- J. Water-Reducing, Non-Chloride Accelerator Admixture: ASTM C 494, Type E, and containing not more than 0.1 percent chloride ions.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. "Accelguard 80"; Euclid Chemical Co.
    - b. "Pozzutec 20"; Master Builders.
    - c. "Daraset"; W.R. Grace & Co.
  
- K. Water-Reducing, Retarding Admixture: ASTM C 494, Type D, and containing not more than 0.1 percent chloride ions.
  - 1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. "Pozzolith"; Master Builders.
    - b. "Eucon Retarder 75"; Euclid Chemical Co.
    - c. "Plastiment"; Sika Chemical Co.
  
- L. Corrosion-Inhibiting Admixture: Commercially formulated, anodic inhibitor or mixed cathodic and anodic inhibitor; capable of forming a protective barrier and minimizing chloride reactions with steel reinforcement in concrete.
  - 1. Available Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - 2. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Catexol 1000CL; Axim Concrete Technologies.
    - b. MCI 2000 or MCI 2005; Cortec Corporation.
    - c. DCI or DCI-S; W.R. Grace & Co., Construction Products Div.
    - d. Rheocrete 222+; Master Builders, Inc.
    - e. FerroGard-901; Sika Corporation.
  
- M. Prohibited Admixtures: Calcium chloride thiocyanates or admixtures containing more than 0.1 percent chloride ions are not permitted.
  
- N. Fiber Reinforcement:
  - 1. Synthetic fiber reinforcing shall be added to the concrete for the areas so indicated in the drawings. Only fibers designed and manufactured specifically for use in concrete shall be acceptable as secondary reinforcement, complying with ASTM C1116, not less than 3/4 inch long.
  - 2. The fibers may be added at the batch plant. The incorporation of said fibers shall be documented on the delivery ticket from the ready mix producer. Fibers shall be added to the concrete in strict accordance with manufacturer's printed instructions. The minimum dosage rate shall be 1.5 lbs/cubic yard.

3. Nylon fibers containing 100% virgin nylon monofilaments shall be utilized to impart a "non-hairy" surface to the finished concrete.
4. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the following fibrous reinforcement or approved equal:
  - a. Nycon Fiber; Nycon, Inc.
  - b. Nylo-Mono; Forta Corp.
  - c. Fibrasol N; Axim Concrete Technologies

## 2.4 RELATED MATERIALS

- A. Reglets: Where resilient or elastomeric sheet flashing or bituminous membranes are terminated in reglets, provide reglets of not less than 26 gage galvanized sheet steel. Fill reglet or cover face opening to prevent intrusion of concrete or debris.
- B. Waterstops: Provide waterstops at construction joints and other joints as indicated and specified in Section 030000.02.
- C. Granular Base: Evenly graded mixture of fine and coarse aggregates to provide, when compacted, a smooth and even surface below slabs on grade.
- D. Vapor Retarder: Provide vapor retarder cover, ASTM E1745 Class C, over prepared base material where indicated below slabs on grade. Use only materials which are resistant to deterioration when tested in accordance with ASTM E 154, as follows:
  1. Polyethylene sheet not less than 10 mils thick.
  2. Water resistant barrier paper consisting of heavy Kraft papers laminated together with glass fiber reinforcement and over-coated with black polyethylene on each side.
    - a. Product: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide Moistop Ultra 10 by Fortifiber Corporation, Stego Wrap 10-mil by Stego Industries or equal.
- E. Non-Shrink Grout: CRD-C 621 and ASTM C-1107, factory pre-mixed grout.
  1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Non-metallic
      - 1) "Set Grout"; Master Builders.
      - 2) "Euco-NS"; Euclid Chemical Co.
      - 3) "Five Star Grout"; U.S. Grout Corp.
- F. Non-slip Aggregate Finish: Provide fused aluminum oxide grits, or crushed emery, as abrasive aggregate for non-slip finish with emery aggregate containing not less than 50 percent aluminum oxide and not less than 25 percent ferric oxide. Use material that is factory-graded, packaged, rust-proof, and non-glazing, and is unaffected by freezing, moisture, and cleaning materials.
- G. Colored Wear-Resistant Finish: Packaged, dry, combination of materials, consisting of Portland cement, graded quartz aggregate, coloring pigments, and plasticizing admixture.

Use coloring pigments that are finely ground, non-fading mineral oxides, interground with cement. Color as selected by Engineer, unless otherwise indicated.

1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. "Colorcron"; Master Builders.
  - b. "Surflex"; Euclid Chemical Co.
  - c. "Lithochrome"; L.M. Scofield Co.
  
- H. Absorptive Cover: Burlap cloth made from jute or kenaf, weighing approximately 9 oz. per sq. yd., complying with AASHTO M 182, Class 2.
  
- I. Moisture-Retaining Cover: One of the following, complying with ASTM C 171.
  1. Waterproof paper.
  2. Polyethylene film.
  3. Polyethylene-coated burlap.
  
- J. Liquid Membrane-Forming Curing Compound: Liquid type membrane- forming curing compound complying with ASTM C 309, Type I, Class A. Moisture loss not more than 0.55 kg./sq. m. when applied at 200 sq ft./gal.
  1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. "Masterkure"; Master Builders.
    - b. "Ecocure"; Euclid Chemical Co.
    - c. "Horn Clear Seal"; A.C. Horn, Inc.
  
- K. Underlayment Compound: Freeflowing, self-leveling, pumpable cementitious base compound for applications from 1 inch thick to feathered edges.
  1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. "Flo-Top"; Euclid Chemical Co.
    - b. "Underlayment 110," Master Builders, Inc.
    - c. "Thoro Underlayment Self-Leveling"; Thoro System Products.
  
- L. Bonding Compound: Polyvinyl acetate or acrylic base.
  1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
    - a. Polyvinyl Acetate (Interior Only):
      - 1) "Euco Weld"; Euclid Chemical Co.
      - 2) "Weldcrete"; Larsen Products Corp.
      - 3) "Everweld"; L&M Construction Chemicals, Inc.
    - b. Acrylic or Styrene Butadiene:
      - 1) "Day-Chem AD Bond"; Dayton Superior Corp.

- 2) "Everbond"; L & M Construction Chemicals.
- 3) "SBR Latex"; Euclid Chemical Co.

M. Epoxy Adhesive: ASTM C 881, two component material suitable for use on dry or damp surfaces. Provide material "Type," "Grade," and "Class" to suit project requirements.

1. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide one of the following:
  - a. "Epoxite Binder 2390"; A.C. Horn, Inc.
  - b. "Sikadur 32 Hi-Mod"; Sika Chemical Corp.
  - c. "Euco Epoxy 452 or 620"; Euclid Chemical Co.

## 2.5 PROPORTIONING AND DESIGN OF MIXES

A. Prepare design mixes for each type and strength of concrete by either laboratory trial batch or field experience methods as specified in ACI 301 and ACI 211. If the trial batch method is used, use an independent testing facility acceptable to Engineer for preparing and reporting proposed mix designs. The testing facility shall not be the same as used for field quality control testing unless otherwise acceptable to Engineer.

1. Limit use of fly ash to not exceed 25 percent of cement content by weight.

B. Submit written reports to Engineer and Structural Engineer of each proposed mix for each class of concrete at least 15 days prior to start of work. Do not begin concrete production until mixes have been reviewed by Engineer.

C. Design mixes to provide normal weight concrete with the following properties, as indicated in Table I.:

TABLE 1

### CONCRETE REQUIREMENTS

Concrete Class	Cement Type	Min. 28-Day Compressive Strength PSI	*Max. Water-Cement Ratio	Min. Cement Content Sacks	Slump Min.	Inch Max.	Entrained Air % Air %
A	I	4000	0.45	6	-	-	6±1
B	I	2000	0.74	4-1/2	2	6	5±1-1/2
C	I	4000	0.50	6.38	1	4	6±2
D	II or IP	4000	0.45	6	-	-	6±1

\*Maximum Water - Cementitious Materials Ratio

1. All reinforced concrete shall be Class A, except as otherwise specified or shown on the drawings.
2. Concrete used for mud mats, fill and channeling in manholes and chambers shall be Class B unless otherwise noted on the drawings.

3. Class C concrete conforming to ODOT 499 (Class C) shall be used for all concrete pavement, curbing, driveways, and sidewalks, unless noted otherwise on the drawings.
  4. Class B concrete may be used for encasing pipelines, fill, and pipe bedding.
  5. Class B concrete shall be used as concrete fill in concrete tanks for shaping or sloping bottoms.
    - a. The following steps shall be taken for installation of the Class B concrete:
      - 1) Scrub concrete slabs and/or walls with a stiff wire brush and streams of clean water as a minimum, to remove laitance.
      - 2) Apply a bonding agent in accordance with the manufacturer's surface preparation and application recommendations.
      - 3) The Class B concrete shall then be placed and screeded to bring the surface to final grade.
  6. Class D concrete shall be used for sewerage treatment plants and sewerage pump stations, as noted on the drawings.
- D. Lightweight Concrete: Lightweight aggregate and concrete shall conform to ASTM C 330. Proportion mix to produce concrete with a minimum compressive strength of 3000 psi at 28 days and a calculated equilibrium unit weight of 110 pcf plus or minus 3 pcf as determined by ASTM C 567. Concrete slump at the point of placement shall be the minimum necessary for efficient mixing, placing, and finishing. Maximum slump shall be 6 inches for pumped concrete and 5 inches elsewhere. Air entrain concrete exposed to weather according to ACI 301 requirements.
- E. Adjustment to Concrete Mixes: Mix design adjustments may be requested by Contractor when characteristics of materials, job conditions, weather, test results, or other circumstances warrant; at no additional cost to Owner and as accepted by Engineer. Laboratory test data for revised mix design and strength results must be submitted to and accepted by Engineer before using in work.
- F. Admixtures:
1. Use high range water-reducing admixture (super plasticizer) in Classes A and D concrete unless noted otherwise.
  2. Use non-chloride accelerating admixture in concrete slabs placed at ambient temperatures below 50 deg F (10 deg C).
  3. Use air-entraining admixture in all concrete, unless otherwise indicated. Add air-entraining admixture at manufacturer's prescribed rate to result in concrete at point of placement having total air content within limits shown in Table I.
  4. Use admixtures for water-reducing and set-control in strict compliance with manufacturer's directions.
  5. Slump Limits: Proportion and design mixes to result in concrete slump at point of placement as shown in Table I:
    - a. Concrete containing HRWR admixture (super-plasticizer): Not more than 8" after addition of HRWR to site-verified 2"-3" slump concrete.

## 2.6 CONCRETE MIXING

- A. Job-Site Mixing: Mix materials for concrete in appropriate drum type batch machine mixer. For mixers of one cu. yd., or smaller capacity, continue mixing at least 1-1/2 minutes, but not more than 5 minutes after ingredients are in mixer, before any part of batch is released. For mixers of capacity larger than one cu. yd., increase minimum 1-1/2 minutes of mixing time by 15 seconds for each additional cu. yd., or fraction thereof.
  - 1. Provide batch ticket for each batch discharged and used in work, indicating project identification name and number, date, mix type, mix time, quantity, and amount of water introduced.
- B. Ready-Mix Concrete: Comply with requirements of ASTM C 94, and as herein specified.
  - 1. During hot weather, or under conditions contributing to rapid setting of concrete, a shorter mixing time than specified in ASTM C 94 may be required.
    - a. When air temperature is between 85 deg F (30 deg C) and 90 deg F (32 deg C), reduce mixing and delivery time from 1-1/2 hours to 75 minutes, and when air temperature is above 90 deg F (32 deg C), reduce mixing and delivery time to 60 minutes.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 GENERAL

- A. Coordinate the installation of joint materials and vapor retarders with placement of forms and reinforcing steel.

### 3.2 FORMS

- A. Design, erect, support, brace, and maintain form work to support vertical and lateral, static, and dynamic loads that might be applied until such loads can be supported by concrete structure. Construct form work so concrete members and structures are of correct size, shape, alignment, elevation, and position. Maintain form work construction tolerances complying with ACI 347.
- B. Design form work to be readily removable without impact, shock, or damage to cast-in-place concrete surfaces and adjacent materials.
- C. Construct forms to sizes, shapes, lines, and dimensions shown, and to obtain accurate alignment, location, grades, level and plumb work in finished structures. Provide for openings, offsets, sinkages, keyways, recesses, moldings, rustications, reglets, chamfers, blocking, screeds, bulkheads, anchorages and inserts, and other features required in work. Use selected materials to obtain required finishes. Solidly butt joints and provide back-up at joints to prevent leakage of cement paste.
- D. Fabricate forms for easy removal without hammering or prying against concrete surfaces. Provide crush plates or wrecking plates where stripping may damage cast concrete



surfaces. Provide top forms for inclined surfaces where slope is too steep to place concrete with bottom forms only. Kerf wood inserts for forming keyways, reglets, recesses, and the like, to prevent swelling and for easy removal.

- E. Provide temporary openings where interior area of form work is inaccessible for cleanout, for inspection before concrete placement, and for placement of concrete. Securely brace temporary openings and set tightly to forms to prevent loss of concrete mortar. Locate temporary openings on forms at inconspicuous locations.
- F. Chamfer exposed corners and edges as indicated, using wood, metal, PVC, or rubber chamfer strips fabricated to produce uniform smooth lines and tight edge joints.
- G. Provisions for Other Trades: Provide openings in concrete form work to accommodate work of other trades. Determine size and location of openings, recesses, and chases from trades providing such items. Accurately place and securely support items built into forms.
- H. Cleaning and Tightening: Thoroughly clean forms and adjacent surfaces to receive concrete. Remove chips, wood, sawdust, dirt, or other debris just before concrete is placed. Retightening forms and bracing after concrete placement if required to eliminate mortar leaks and maintain proper alignment.

### 3.3 VAPOR RETARDER INSTALLATION

- A. Following leveling and tamping of granular base for slabs on grade, place vapor retarder sheeting with longest dimension parallel with direction of pour.
- B. Lap joints 6" and seal with manufacturer's recommended mastic or pressure-sensitive tape.

### 3.4 PLACING REINFORCEMENT

- A. Comply with Concrete Reinforcing Steel Institute's recommended practice for "Placing Reinforcing Bars," for details and methods of reinforcement placement and supports, and as herein specified.
  - 1. Avoiding cutting or puncturing vapor retarder during reinforcement placement and concreting operations. Repair damages before placing concrete.
- B. Clean reinforcement of loose rust and mill scale, earth, ice, and other materials which reduce or destroy bond with concrete.
- C. Accurately position, support, and secure reinforcement against displacement by form work, construction, or concrete placement operations. Locate and support reinforcing by metal chairs, runners, bolsters, spacers, and hangers, as required.
- D. Place reinforcement to obtain at least minimum coverages for concrete protection. Arrange, space, and securely tie bars and bar supports to hold reinforcement in position during concrete placement operations. Set wire ties so ends are directed into concrete, not toward exposed concrete surfaces.

- E. Install welded wire fabric in longest lengths as practicable. Lap adjoining pieces at least one full mesh and lace splices with wire. Offset end laps in adjacent widths to prevent continuous laps in either direction.
- F. Epoxy - Coated Reinforcing Steel:
  - 1. Epoxy-coated reinforcing bars supported from form work shall rest on coated wire bar supports, or on bar supports made of dielectric material or other acceptable materials. Wire bar supports shall be coated with dielectric material for a minimum distance of 2 inches from the point of contact with the epoxy-coated reinforcing bars. Reinforcing bars used as support bars shall be epoxy-coated. In walls having epoxy-coated reinforcing bars, spreader bars where specified by the Engineer, shall be epoxy-coated. Proprietary combination bar clips and spreaders used in walls with epoxy-coated reinforcing bars shall be made of corrosion-resistant material.
  - 2. Epoxy-coated reinforcing bars - Equipment for handling epoxy-coated bars shall have protected contact areas. Bundles of coated bars shall be lifted at multiple pick-up points to minimize bar-to-bar abrasion from sags in the bundles. Coated bars or bundles of coated bars shall not be dropped or dragged. Coated bars shall be stored on protective cribbing. Fading of the color of the coating shall not be cause for rejection of epoxy-coated reinforcing bars. Coating damage due to handling, shipment and placing need not be repaired in cases where the damaged area is 0.1 square inches or smaller. Damaged areas larger than 0.1 square inches shall be repaired in accordance with the epoxy material manufacturer's recommendations. The maximum amount of damage including repaired and unrepaired areas shall not exceed 2 percent of the surface area in each linear foot of each bar.

### 3.5 JOINTS

- A. Construction Joints: Locate and install construction joints as indicated or, if not indicated, locate so as not to impair strength and appearance of the structure, as acceptable to Engineer.
  - 1. Provide keyways at least 1-1/2" deep in construction joints in walls, slabs, and between walls and footings; accepted bulkheads designed for this purpose may be used for slabs.
  - 2. Place construction joints perpendicular to main reinforcement. Continue reinforcement across construction joints, except as otherwise indicated.
- B. Waterstops: Provide waterstops in construction joints as indicated. Install waterstops to form continuous diaphragm in each joint. Make provisions to support and protect exposed waterstops during progress of work. Fabricate field joints in waterstops in accordance with manufacturer's printed instructions.
- C. Isolation Joints in Slabs-on-Ground: Construct isolation joints in slabs-on-ground at points of contact between slabs-on-ground and vertical surfaces, such as column pedestals, foundation walls, grade beams, and elsewhere as indicated.

1. Joint filler and sealant materials are specified in Section 030000.02 of these specifications.
- D. Contraction (Control) Joints in Slabs-on-Ground: Construct contraction joints in slabs-on-ground to form panels of patterns as shown. Use inserts 1/4 of slab depth, unless otherwise indicated.
1. Form contraction joints by inserting premolded plastic strips into fresh concrete until top surface of strip is flush with slab surface.
  2. Follow the directions of Insert Manufacturer for finishing the slab and joints.
- E. If joint pattern not shown, provide joints not exceeding 15' in either direction and located to conform to bay spacing wherever possible (at column centerlines, half bays, third-bays).
1. Joint sealant material is specified in Section 030000.02 of these specifications.

### 3.6 INSTALLATION OF EMBEDDED ITEMS

- A. General: Set and build into work anchorage devices and other embedded items required for other work that is attached to, or supported by, cast-in-place concrete. Use setting drawings, diagrams, instructions, and directions provided by suppliers of items to be attached thereto. Electrical conduit shall not be embedded in concrete.
- B. Install reglets to receive top edge of foundation sheet waterproofing, and to receive thru-wall flashings in outer face of concrete frame at exterior walls, where flashing is shown at lintels, relieving angles, and other conditions.
- C. Edge Forms and Screed Strips for Slabs: Set edge forms or bulkheads and intermediate screed strips for slabs to obtain required elevations and contours in finished slab surface. Provide and secure units to support screed strips using strike-off templates or compacting type screeds.

### 3.7 PREPARATION OF FORM SURFACES

- A. Clean re-used forms of concrete matrix residue, repair and patch as required to return forms to acceptable surface condition.
- B. Coat contact surfaces of forms with an approved, nonresidual, low-VOC, form-coating compound before placing reinforcement.
- C. Thin form-coating compounds only with thinning agent of type, amount, and under conditions of form-coating compound manufacturer's directions. Do not allow excess form-coating material to accumulate in forms or to come into contact with in-place concrete surfaces against which fresh concrete will be placed. Apply in compliance with manufacturer's instructions.
- D. Coat steel forms with a non-staining, rust-preventative form oil or otherwise protect against rusting. Rust-stained steel form work is not acceptable.

### 3.8 CONCRETE PLACEMENT

- A. **Preplacement Inspection:** Before placing concrete, inspect and complete form work installation, reinforcing steel, and items to be embedded or cast-in. Notify other crafts to permit installation of their work; cooperate with other trades in setting such work. Moisten wood forms immediately before placing concrete where form coatings are not used.
  - 1. Apply temporary protective covering to lower 2' of finished walls adjacent to poured floor slabs and similar conditions, and guard against spattering during placement.
- B. **General:** Comply with ACI 304 "Recommended Practice for Measuring, Mixing, Transporting, and Placing Concrete," and as herein specified.
  - 1. Deposit concrete continuously or in layers of such thickness that no concrete will be placed on concrete which has hardened sufficiently to cause the formation of seams or planes of weakness. If a section cannot be placed continuously, provide construction joints as herein specified. Deposit concrete as nearly as practicable to its final location to avoid segregation.
- C. **Placing Concrete in Forms:** Deposit concrete in forms in horizontal layers not deeper than 24" and in a manner to avoid inclined construction joints. Where placement consists of several layers, place each layer while preceding layer is still plastic to avoid cold joints.
  - 1. Consolidate placed concrete by mechanical vibrating equipment supplemented by hand-spading, rodding, or tamping. Use equipment and procedures for consolidation of concrete in accordance with ACI 309.
  - 2. Do not use vibrators to transport concrete inside forms. Insert and withdraw vibrators vertically at uniformly spaced locations not farther than visible effectiveness of machine. Place vibrators to rapidly penetrate placed layer and at least 6" into preceding layer. Do not insert vibrators into lower layers of concrete that have begun to set. At each insertion limit duration of vibration to time necessary to consolidate concrete and complete embedment of reinforcement and other embedded items without causing segregation of mix.
- D. **Placing Concrete Slabs:** Deposit and consolidate concrete slabs in a continuous operation, within limits of construction joints, until the placing of a panel or section is completed.
  - 1. Consolidate concrete during placing operations so that concrete is thoroughly worked around reinforcement and other embedded items and into corners.
  - 2. Bring slab surfaces to correct level with straightedge and strikeoff. Use bull floats or darbies to smooth surface, free of humps or hollows. Do not disturb slab surfaces prior to beginning finishing operations.
  - 3. Maintain reinforcing in proper position on chairs during concrete placement operations.
- E. **Cold Weather Placing:** Protect concrete work from physical damage or reduced strength which could be caused by frost, freezing actions, or low temperatures, in compliance with ACI 306 and as herein specified.

1. When air temperature has fallen to or is expected to fall below 40 deg F (4 deg C), uniformly heat water and aggregates before mixing to obtain a concrete mixture temperature of not less than 50 deg F (10 deg C), and not more than 80 deg F (27 deg C) at point of placement.
    - a. The concrete shall be maintained within this temperature range for not less than seven (7) days.
  2. Do not use frozen materials or materials containing ice or snow. Do not place concrete on frozen subgrade or on subgrade containing frozen materials or against cold reinforcing steel.
  3. Do not use calcium chloride, salt, and other materials containing antifreeze agents or chemical accelerators, unless otherwise accepted in mix designs.
- F. Hot Weather Placing: When hot weather conditions exist that would seriously impair quality and strength of concrete, place concrete in compliance with ACI 305 and as herein specified.
1. Cool ingredients before mixing to maintain concrete temperature at time of placement below 90 deg F (32 deg C). Mixing water may be chilled, or chopped ice may be used to control temperature provided water equivalent of ice is calculated to total amount of mixing water. Use of liquid nitrogen to cool concrete is Contractor's option.
  2. Cover reinforcing steel with water-soaked burlap if it becomes too hot, so that steel temperature will not exceed the ambient air temperature immediately before embedment in concrete.
  3. Fog spray forms, reinforcing steel, and subgrade just before concrete is placed.
  4. Use water-reducing retarding admixture when required by high temperatures, low humidity, or other adverse placing conditions, as acceptable to Engineers.

### 3.9 FINISH OF FORMED SURFACES

- A. Rough Form Finish: For formed concrete surfaces not exposed-to-view in the finish work or by other construction, unless otherwise indicated. This is the concrete surface having texture imparted by form facing material used, with tie holes and defective areas repaired and patched and fins and other projections exceeding 1/4" in height rubbed down or chipped off.
- B. Smooth Form Finish: For formed concrete surfaces exposed-to-view, or that are to be covered with a coating material applied directly to concrete, or a covering material applied directly to concrete, such as waterproofing, dampproofing, veneer plaster, painting, or other similar system. This is an as-cast concrete surface obtained with selected form facing material, arranged orderly and symmetrically with a minimum of seams. Repair and patch defective areas with fins or other projections completely removed and smoothed; provide smooth rubbed finish to smooth form finish. Refer to "Concrete Surface Repairs."
- C. Smooth Rubbed Finish: Provide smooth rubbed finish to scheduled concrete surfaces, which have received smooth form finish treatment.

1. Scarify or roughen entire surface by grinding or similar effective means.
  2. Combined one part Portland cement to 1-1/2 parts fine sand by volume and a 50:50 mixture of acrylic or styrene butadiene-based bonding admixture and water to form the consistency of thick paint. Blend standard Portland cement and white Portland cement, amounts determined by trial patches, so that final color of dry grout will match adjacent surfaces.
  3. Thoroughly wet concrete surfaces and apply grout to coat surfaces and fill small holes. Remove excess grout by scraping and rubbing with clean burlap. Keep damp by fog spray for at least 36 hours after rubbing.
  4. Repeat the above process if necessary to fill voids or bug holes and obtain a consistent match to adjacent surfaces, subject to acceptance of the Engineer.
- D. Grout Cleaned Finish: Provide grout cleaned finish on scheduled concrete surfaces which have received smooth form finish treatment.
1. Scarify or roughen entire surface by grinding or similar effective means.
  2. Apply Thoroseal plaster mix coating by Thoro System Products or approved equivalent with an approximate thickness of 1/8-inch to 1/4-inch.
  3. Follow the manufacturer's recommendations and guidelines regarding surface preparation, application methods and curing.
  4. Repeat the above process if necessary to fill voids or bug holes and obtain a consistent match to adjacent surfaces, subject to acceptance of the Engineer.
- E. Related Unformed Surfaces: At tops of walls, horizontal offsets, and similar unformed surfaces occurring adjacent to formed surfaces, strike-off smooth and finish with a texture matching adjacent formed surfaces. Continue final surface treatment of formed surfaces uniformly across adjacent unformed surfaces, unless otherwise indicated.

### 3.10 MONOLITHIC SLAB FINISHES

- A. Scratch Finish: Apply scratch finish to monolithic slab surfaces that are to receive concrete floor topping or mortar setting beds for tile, Portland cement terrazzo, and other bonded applied cementitious finish flooring material, and as otherwise indicated.
1. After placing slabs, plane surface to tolerances for floor flatness F(F) 15 and floor levelness F(L) 13, measured according to ASTM E 1155. Slope surfaces uniformly to drains where required. After leveling, roughen surface before final set, with stiff brushes, brooms, or rakes.
- B. Float Finish: Apply float finish to monolithic slab surfaces to receive trowel finish and other finishes as hereinafter specified, and slab surfaces which are to be covered with membrane or elastic waterproofing, membrane or elastic roofing, or sand-bed terrazzo, and as otherwise indicated.
1. After screeding, consolidating, and leveling concrete slabs, do not work surface until ready for floating. Begin floating when surface water has disappeared or when concrete has stiffened sufficiently to permit operation of power-driven floats, or both, Consolidate surface with power-driven floats, or by hand-floating if area is small or inaccessible to power units. Check and level surface plane to tolerances of F(F) 18

F(L) 15. Cut down high spots and fill low spots. Uniformly slope surfaces to drains. Immediately after leveling, refloat surface to a uniform, smooth, granular texture.

- C. Trowel Finish: Apply trowel finish to monolithic slab surfaces to be exposed-to-view, and slab surfaces to be covered with resilient flooring, carpet, ceramic or quarry tile, paint, or other thin film finish coating system.
1. After floating, begin first trowel finish operation using a power-driven trowel. Begin final troweling when surface produces a ringing sound as trowel is moved over surface. Consolidate concrete surface by final hand-troweling operation, free of trowel marks, uniform in texture and appearance, and with surface leveled to tolerances of F(F), 20 and F(L) 17, measured according to ASTM E1155. Grind smooth surface defects which would telegraph through applied floor covering system.
- D. Trowel and Fine Broom Finish: Where ceramic or quarry tile is to be installed with thin-set mortar, apply trowel finish as specified, then immediately follow with slightly scarifying surface by fine brooming.
- E. Non-Slip Broom Finish: Apply non-slip broom finish to exterior concrete platforms, steps, and ramps, and elsewhere as indicated.
1. Immediately after float finishing, slightly roughen concrete surface by brooming with fiber bristle broom perpendicular to main traffic route. Coordinate required final finish with Engineer before application.
- F. Non-slip Aggregate Finish: Apply non-slip aggregate finish to concrete stair treads, platforms, ramps, sloped walks, and elsewhere as indicated.
1. After completion of float finishing, and before starting trowel finish, uniformly spread 25 lbs. of dampened non-slip aggregate per 100 sq. ft. of surface. Tamp aggregate flush with surface using a steel trowel, but do not force below surface. After broadcasting and tamping, apply trowel finishing as herein specified.
  2. After curing, lightly work surface with a steel wire brush, or an abrasive stone, and water to expose non-slip aggregate.
- G. Colored Wear-Resistant Finish: Provide colored wear-resistant finish to monolithic slab surface indicated.
1. Apply dry shake materials for colored wear-resistant finish at rate of not less than 100 lbs. per 100 sq. ft., unless greater amount is recommended by material manufacturer.
  2. Immediately following first floating operation, uniformly distribute approximately 2/3 of required weight of dry shake material over concrete surface, and embed by means of power floating. Follow floating operation with second shake application, uniformly distributing remainder of dry shake material with overlapping applications, and embed by power floating.
  3. After completion of broadcasting and floating, apply trowel finish as herein specified. Cure slab surface with curing compound recommended by dry shake hardener manufacturer. Apply curing compound immediately after final finishing.

### 3.11 CONCRETE CURING AND PROTECTION

- A. General: Protect freshly placed concrete from premature drying and excessive cold or hot temperatures. Protect concrete from rapid moisture loss before and during finishing operations.
  - 1. The evaporation graph, Figure 1, of ACI 308 - Curing Concrete, shall be used to determine the evaporation rate during concrete placement. If the rate of evaporation equals or exceeds 0.2 lbs/sq.ft./hr., steps shall be taken to prevent excessive evaporation from the surface.
  - 2. Start initial curing as soon as free water has disappeared from concrete surface after placing and finishing.
    - a. Initial curing may be any of the methods listed herein that maintain a satisfactory moisture content and temperature.
  - 3. Begin final curing procedures, if they differ from initial curing, immediately following initial curing and before concrete has dried. Continue curing for at least seven (7) days in accordance with ACI 301 procedures. Avoid rapid drying at end of final curing period.
- B. Curing Methods: Perform curing of all structural concrete as herein specified.
  - 1. Provide moisture curing by following methods.
    - a. Keep concrete surface continuously wet by covering with water.
    - b. Continuous water-fog spray.
    - c. Cover concrete surface with specified absorptive cover, thoroughly saturating cover with water and keeping continuously wet. Place absorptive cover to provide coverage of concrete surfaces and edges, with 4" lap over adjacent absorptive covers.
  - 2. Provide moisture-cover curing as follows:
    - a. Cover concrete surfaces with moisture-retaining cover for curing concrete, placed in widest practicable width with sides and ends lapped at least 3" and sealed by waterproof tape or adhesive. Immediately repair any holes or tears during curing period using cover material and waterproof tape.
- C. Provide curing and sealing compound to pavement, walks, and curbs only, as follows:
  - 1. Apply specified curing and sealing compound to concrete slabs as soon as final finishing operations are complete (within 2 hours) and after surface water sheen has disappeared. Apply uniformly in continuous operation by power-spray or roller in accordance with manufacturer's directions. Recoat areas subjected to heavy rainfall within three (3) hours after initial application. Maintain continuity of coating and repair damage during curing period.
- D. Curing Formed Surfaces: Cure formed concrete surfaces, including undersides of beams, supported slabs, and other similar surfaces by moist curing with forms in place for full



curing period or until forms are removed. If forms are removed, continue curing by methods specified above, as applicable.

- E. Curing Unformed Surfaces: Cure unformed surfaces, such as slabs, floor topping, and other flat surfaces by moist curing methods.
  - 1. Final cure concrete surfaces to receive liquid floor hardener or finish flooring by use of moisture-retaining cover, unless otherwise directed.

### 3.12 SHORES AND SUPPORTS

- A. Comply with ACI 347 for shoring and reshoring in multistory construction, and as herein specified.
- B. Extend shoring from ground to roof for structures four (4) stories or less, unless otherwise permitted.
- C. Extend shoring at least three (3) floors under floor or roof being placed for structures over four (4) stories. Shore floor directly under floor or roof being placed, so that loads from construction above will transfer directly to these shores. Space shoring in stories below this level in such a manner that no floor or member will be excessively loaded or will induce tensile stress in concrete members where no reinforcing steel is provided. Extend shores beyond minimums to ensure proper distribution of loads throughout structure.
- D. Remove shores and reshore in a planned sequence to avoid damage to partially cured concrete. Locate and provide adequate reshoring to safely support work without excessive stress or deflection.
  - 1. Keep reshores in place a minimum of 15 days after placing upper tier, and longer if required, until concrete has attained its required 28-day strength and heavy loads due to construction operations have been removed.

### 3.13 REMOVAL OF FORMS

- A. Formwork not supporting weight of concrete, such as sides of beams, walls, columns, and similar parts of the work, may be removed after cumulatively curing at not less than 50 deg F (10 deg C) for five (5) days after placing concrete, provided concrete is sufficiently hard to not be damaged by form removal operations, and provided curing and protection operations are maintained.
- B. Formwork supporting weight of concrete, such as beam soffits, joists, slabs, and other structural elements, may not be removed in less than 14 days or until concrete has attained at least 75 percent of design minimum compressive strength at 28 days. Determine potential compressive strength of in-place concrete by testing field-cured specimens representative of concrete location or members. Lab cured cylinders will not be considered.
- C. Form facing material may be removed five (5) days after placement, only if shores and other vertical supports have been arranged to permit removal of form facing material without loosening or disturbing shores and supports.

### 3.14 RE-USE OF FORMS

- A. Clean and repair surfaces of forms to be re-used in work. Split, frayed, delaminated, or otherwise damaged form facing material will not be acceptable for exposed surfaces. Apply new form coating compound as specified for new form work.
- B. When forms are extended for successive concrete placement, thoroughly clean surfaces, remove fins and laitance, and tighten forms to close joints. Align and secure joint to avoid offsets. Do not use "patched" forms for exposed concrete surfaces, except as acceptable to Engineer.

### 3.15 MISCELLANEOUS CONCRETE ITEMS

- A. Filling-In: Fill-in holes and openings left in concrete structures for passage of work by other trades, unless otherwise shown or directed, after work of other trades is in place. Mix, place, and cure concrete as herein specified, to blend with in-place construction. Provide other miscellaneous concrete filling shown or required to complete work.
- B. Curbs: Provide monolithic finish to interior curbs by stripping forms while concrete is still green and steel-troweling surfaces to a hard, dense finish with corners, intersections, and terminations slightly rounded.
- C. Equipment Bases and Foundations: Provide machine and equipment bases and foundations, as shown on drawings. Set anchor bolts for machines and equipment with template at correct elevations, complying with certified diagrams or templates of manufacturer furnishing machines and equipment.
  - 1. Grout base plates and foundations as indicated, using specified non-shrink grout. Use non-metallic grout for exposed conditions, unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Steel Pan Stairs: Provide concrete fill for steel pan stair treads and landings and associated items. Cast-in safety inserts and accessories as shown on drawings. Screed, tamp, and finish concrete surfaces as scheduled. Cure concrete as herein specified.
- E. Reinforced Masonry: Provide concrete grout conforming to ASTM C476 for reinforced masonry lintels and bond beams where indicated on drawings and as scheduled. Maintain accurate location of reinforcing steel during concrete placement.

### 3.16 CONCRETE SURFACE REPAIRS

- A. Patching Defective Areas: Repair and patch defective areas with cement mortar immediately after removal of forms, when acceptable to Engineer.
  - 1. Saw-cut out honeycomb, rock pockets, voids over 1/4" in any dimension, down to solid concrete but, in no case to a depth of less than 1." Make edges of cuts slightly undercut to the concrete surface. Thoroughly clean, dampen with water, and brush-coat the area to be patched with specified bonding agent. Place patching mortar after bonding compound has dried.
  - 2. For exposed-to-view surfaces, blend white Portland cement and standard Portland cement so that, when dry, patching mortar will match surrounding color. Provide test

areas at inconspicuous location to verify mixture and color match before proceeding with patching. Compact mortar in place and strike-off slightly higher than surrounding surface.

- B. Repair of Formed Surfaces: Remove and replace concrete having defective surfaces if defects cannot be repaired to satisfaction of Engineer. Surface defects, as such, include color and texture irregularities, cracks, spalls, air bubbles, honeycomb, rock pockets; fins and other projections on surface; and stains and other discolorations that cannot be removed by cleaning. Flush out form tie holes, fill with Portland Cement patching mortar, or precast cement cone plugs secured in place with bonding agent. When other materials are used, apply them in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
1. Repair concealed formed surfaces, where possible, that contain defects that affect the durability of concrete. If defects cannot be repaired, remove and replace concrete.
  2. Repair of Unformed Surfaces: Test unformed surfaces, such as monolithic slabs, for smoothness and verify surface plane to tolerances specified for each surface and finish. Correct low and high areas as herein specified. Test unformed surfaces sloped to drain for trueness of slope, in addition to smoothness using a template having required slope.
  3. Repair finished unformed surfaces that contain defects which affect durability of concrete. Surface defects, as such, include crazing, cracks in excess of 0.01" wide or which penetrate to reinforcement or completely through non-reinforced sections regardless of width, spalling, pop-outs, honeycomb, rock pockets, and other objectionable conditions.
  4. Correct high areas in unformed surfaces by grinding, after concrete has cured at least 14 days.
  5. Correct low areas in unformed surfaces during or immediately after completion of surface finishing operations by cutting out low areas and replacing with fresh concrete. Finish repaired areas to blend into adjacent concrete. Proprietary patching compounds may be used when acceptable to Engineer.
  6. Repair defective areas, except random cracks and single holes not exceeding 1" diameter, by cutting out and replacing with fresh concrete. Remove defective areas to sound concrete with clean, square cuts and expose reinforcing steel with at least 3/4" clearance all around. Dampen concrete surfaces in contact with patching concrete and apply bonding compound. Mix patching concrete of same materials to provide concrete of same type or class as original concrete. Place, compact, and finish to blend with adjacent finished concrete. Cure in same manner as adjacent concrete.
  7. Repair isolated random cracks and single holes not over 1" in diameter by dry-pack method. Groove top of cracks and cut-out holes to sound concrete and clean of dust, dirt, and loose particles. Dampen cleaned concrete surfaces and apply bonding compound. Mix dry-pack, consisting of one part Portland cement to 2-1/2 parts fine aggregate passing a No. 16 mesh sieve, using only enough water as required for handling and placing. Place dry pack after bonding compound has dried. Compact dry-pack mixture in place and finish to match adjacent concrete. Keep patched area continuously moist for not less than 72 hours.
  8. Perform structural repairs with prior approval of Engineer or Structural Engineer for method and procedure, using specified epoxy adhesive and mortar.
  9. Repair methods not specified above may be used, subject to acceptance of Engineer.

10. Underlayment Application: Leveling of floors for subsequent finishes may be achieved by use of specified underlayment material.

### 3.17 THROUGH SECTION CONCRETE CRACK REPAIRS

- A. Sealing through wall or slab cracks.
  1. Seal cracks for a water-tight or structurally bonded repair with epoxy or chemical grouting procedures.
    - a. The Contractor shall make proper repairs with epoxy injection or chemical injection with a moisture reactive hydrophilic polyurethane foam grout, as directed by the Engineer.

### 3.18 MUD MATS

- A. Where called for on the plans or as directed by the Engineer, the Contractor shall construct concrete mud mats immediately after cleaning the excavation bottom, to preserve the bearing surface condition. Concrete for mud mats shall be not less than 3 in. thick. Bottom of excavation shall be free of water, mud and loose material prior to mud mat placement. See Section 310000.
  1. Mud mat concrete shall be cast against the side walls of all excavations to completely seal the bottom.

ADDENDUM  
EXAMPLE FORM A

CONCRETE SUPPLIER: \_\_\_\_\_

PROJECT: \_\_\_\_\_ CONTRACTOR: \_\_\_\_\_

MIXTURE ID: \_\_\_\_\_ SPECIFIED f'c: \_\_\_\_\_ PSI

MATERIAL MIXTURE PROPORTIONS lbs-mass/cu.yd. (pcy)

1.0 Cement Type \_\_\_\_\_ Source: \_\_\_\_\_

Sp. Gr. \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ cu. ft.

1.1 Other Cementitious Materials: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_ Source: \_\_\_\_\_

Sp. Gr. \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ cu. ft.

2.0 Aggregate (No. 1) Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Size: \_\_\_\_\_ Source: \_\_\_\_\_

SSD Sp. Gr. \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ cu. ft.

Dry Rodded Unit Wt.: \_\_\_\_\_ pcf

Alternate (No. 1) Lightweight Aggregate Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Size: \_\_\_\_\_ Source: \_\_\_\_\_

Sp. Gr. Factor \_\_\_\_\_ over dry pcy \_\_\_\_\_ cu. ft.

Loose Unit Wt. \_\_\_\_\_ pcf Estimated Wet \_\_\_\_\_ pcf

2.1 Aggregate (No. 2) Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Size: \_\_\_\_\_ Source: \_\_\_\_\_

SSD Sp. Gr. \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ cu. ft.

Dry Rodded Unit Wt.: \_\_\_\_\_ pcf (If Fine Sized - FM \_\_\_\_\_)

2.2 Aggregate (Nos. 3, 4, n) Type: \_\_\_\_\_ Size: \_\_\_\_\_ Source: \_\_\_\_\_

SSD Sp. Gr. \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ cu. ft.

Dry Rodded Unit Wt.: \_\_\_\_\_ pcf

3.0 Water: \_\_\_\_\_ gal. \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ cu. ft.

EXAMPLE FORM A (CONTINUED)

4.0 Admixtures expressed as fluid ounces/cubic yard, and estimated range

Source: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_ oz

Source: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_ oz

Source: \_\_\_\_\_ Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_ oz

Total Admixture Liquid Vol. \_\_\_\_\_ cu. ft.

(\*) Note: Show volume in 4.0 if not included in cubic feet of air or water.

5.0 Other Materials - fibers, color pigment or other additions

Sp. Gr. \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ cu. ft.

Total Mixture Mass and Volume: \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ cu. ft.

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Coarse & Fine Aggregate Gradation

		Percent Passing					
		Sieve Size	Aggregate No.				
			1	2	3	4	Combined
Slump _____ +/- _____ in.		2 in.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Unit Weight _____ pcf		1-1/2 in.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Air Content _____ +/- _____ %		1 in.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
		3/4 in.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
		1/2 in.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
If Trail Batch Data -		3/8 in.	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Identify Batch No. _____		No. 4	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Batch Date _____		No. 8	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Concrete Temp. _____ °F	No. 16	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Comp. Strength-Average _____ °F	No. 30	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

EXAMPLE FORM A (CONTINUED)

7 day avg. _____ psi	No. 50	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
28 day avg. _____ psi	No. 100	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
	No. 200	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

EXAMPLE FORM B

CONCRETE SUPPLIER: \_\_\_\_\_

MATERIAL                      TRAIL BATCH NUMBER - proportions per cubic yard

1                      2                      3                      4

1.0 Cement Source: \_\_\_\_\_

Type \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb

1.1 Other Cementitious Material Sources: \_\_\_\_\_

Type \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb

2.0 Aggregate No. 1 Size \_\_\_\_\_ Source: \_\_\_\_\_

SSD \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb

Alternate No. 1 Lightweight Aggregates Type \_\_\_\_\_ Source: \_\_\_\_\_

Sp. Gr. Factor \_\_\_\_\_

Oven Dry \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb

Wet \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb

2.1 Aggregate No. 2 Size \_\_\_\_\_ Source: \_\_\_\_\_

SSD \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb

2.2 Aggregate Nos. 3, 4, n) Size \_\_\_\_\_ Source: \_\_\_\_\_

SSD \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb

3.0 Water \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb                      \_\_\_\_\_ lb

4.0 Admixtures Source: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_ oz                      \_\_\_\_\_ oz                      \_\_\_\_\_ oz                      \_\_\_\_\_ oz

\_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_ oz                      \_\_\_\_\_ oz                      \_\_\_\_\_ oz                      \_\_\_\_\_ oz

\_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_ oz                      \_\_\_\_\_ oz                      \_\_\_\_\_ oz                      \_\_\_\_\_ oz



EXAMPLE FORM B (CONTINUED)

5.0 Other Materials

\_\_\_\_\_ Type \_\_\_\_\_ lb \_\_\_\_\_ lb \_\_\_\_\_ lb \_\_\_\_\_ lb

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Total Mass: \_\_\_\_\_ lb \_\_\_\_\_ lb \_\_\_\_\_ lb \_\_\_\_\_ lb

Total Mass/cy: \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ pcy \_\_\_\_\_ pcy

Relative Cubic Yard Volume: \_\_\_\_\_ cy \_\_\_\_\_ cy \_\_\_\_\_ cy \_\_\_\_\_ cy

Water-Cementitious Material Ratio:

Fresh Concrete Properties

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TRAIL BATCH NUMBER

	<u>## -1</u>	<u>## -2</u>	<u>## -3</u>	<u>## -4</u>
Slump-inches	_____	_____	_____	_____
Air-Content %	_____	_____	_____	_____
Unit Wt. pcf	_____	_____	_____	_____
Concrete Temp. °F	_____	_____	_____	_____
Compressive Strength Results (ASTM C192, C39) or Other Specified Test Requirements				
7 days	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
Average (7 day)	_____	_____	_____	_____

EXAMPLE FORM B (CONTINUED)

28 days	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____	_____
Average (28 day)	_____	_____	_____	_____
Water-Cementitious Material Ratio:	_____	_____	_____	_____

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

END OF SECTION 030000

## SECTION 310000 - EARTHWORK

### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. The Work covered by this Section shall include all excavation, trenching and related work for the construction of the designated structures and pipelines, backfill and other incidental work.
- B. The Work covered by this Section consists of:
  - 1. making all necessary excavations for the construction of all Work;
  - 2. preparing subgrade for slabs, walks, and pavements;
  - 3. doing all pumping, fluming, and dewatering necessary to keep the trenches and other excavation free from water;
  - 4. providing for uninterrupted flow of existing drains and sewers, and the disposal of water from any sources during the progress of the Work;
  - 5. supporting and protecting all trench walls, structures, pipes, conduits, culverts, posts, poles, wires, fences, buildings and other public and private property adjacent to the Work;
  - 6. removing and replacing existing sewers, culverts, pipelines and bulkheads where necessary;
  - 7. removing after completion of the Work all sheeting and shoring or other soil support materials not necessary to support the sides of trenches;
  - 8. removing and disposing all surplus excavated material;
  - 9. doing all backfilling and grading, of compacting backfill to limits specified or ordered by the Engineer;
  - 10. restoring all property damaged as a result of the Work involved in this Contract.
- C. The Work includes transporting surplus excavated materials not needed for backfill at the location where the excavation is made, to other parts of the Work where filling is required, and disposal of all types of surplus material off the site.

### 1.2 RELATED DOCUMENTS AND SECTIONS

- A. Section 013319 – Field Test Reporting
- B. Section 030000 – Concrete Work
- C. Section 333100 – Sanitary Sewer System

### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Backfill: Soil or granular materials used to fill an excavation.
  - 1. Initial Backfill: Backfill placed beside and over pipe in a trench, not including haunches to support sides of pipe.
  - 2. Final Backfill: Backfill placed over initial backfill to fill a trench.
- B. Bedding: Layer placed over the excavated subgrade in a trench before laying pipe.

- C. Borrow: Satisfactory soil imported for use as fill or backfill.
- D. Excavation: Removal and disposal of material encountered above subgrade or foundation elevations.
  - 1. Additional Excavation: Excavation below subgrade or foundation elevations as directed by Engineer.
  - 2. Trench: Narrow linear excavation
  - 3. Unauthorized Excavation: Excavation below subgrade or foundation elevations or beyond indicated dimensions without direction by Engineer. Unauthorized excavation, as well as remedial work directed by Engineer, shall be without additional compensation.
  - 4. Unclassified Excavation: Excavation to subgrade elevations regardless of the character of surface or subsurface conditions encountered, including rock, soil materials and obstructions.
- E. Embankment: A structure consisting of soil, granular material, shale, rock, or other approved material, constructed in layers to a predetermined elevation and cross-section.
- F. Granular materials: Natural aggregate, such as broken or crushed rock, gravel, or sand that can be readily incorporated into an 8-inch layer, and in which at least 65% by weight of the grains or particles are retained in a No. 200 sieve.
- G. Laboratory Dry Weight: The maximum laboratory dry weight shall be the weight provided by the laboratory when the sample is tested in accordance with ASTM D-698 Method A, C, or D.
- H. Optimum Moisture: The water content at which the maximum density is produced in a soil by a given compaction effort (ASTM D-698).
- I. Pavement Prism: Also referred to as the zone of influence. The area below a line drawn 45 degrees to the horizontal from the surface at the edge of pavement, sidewalk or curb.
- J. Pipe Embedment: The material placed in a trench surrounding a pipe or conduit consisting of the foundation, bedding, haunching, and initial backfill.
- K. Rock: Rock material in beds, ledges, unstratified masses, and conglomerate deposits and boulders of rock material one (1) cu. yd. or more in volume that when tested by an independent geotechnical testing agency, according to ASTM D 1586, exceeds a standard penetration resistance of 100 blows/2 inches.
- L. Shale: Laminated material, formed by the consolidation in nature of soil, having a finely stratified structure. For the purpose of these specifications, the following bedrock types shall also be considered shale: mudstone, claystone, siltstone and hard clay.
- M. Soil: All earth materials, organic or inorganic, which have resulted from natural processes such as weathering, decay, and chemical reaction.

- N. Structures: Buildings, footings, foundations, retaining walls, slabs, tanks, curbs, pavement, mechanical and electrical appurtenances, or other man-made stationary features constructed above or below the ground surface.
- O. Subgrade: Surface or elevation remaining after completing excavation, or top surface of a fill or backfill immediately below subbase, drainage course, or topsoil materials.
- P. Utilities: On-site underground pipes, conduits, ducts, and cables, as well as underground services within buildings.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Comply with all provisions of Section 013323, Shop Drawings, Project Data, and Samples.
- B. Product Data: For the following:
  - 1. Source-locations of all materials shall be identified to the Engineer.
  - 2. Source quality laboratory test of all fill materials as required to show compliance with material specifications.
- C. Shop Drawings: Submit information for the following items:
  - 1. Sheeting and bracing (prepared and stamped by a professional engineer, registered in the State of Ohio).
  - 2. Dewatering system and standby equipment (prepared and stamped by a professional engineer, registered in the State of Ohio).
  - 3. Cofferdams (prepared and stamped by a professional engineer, registered in the State of Ohio).
  - 4. Protection methods anticipated (prepared and stamped by a professional engineer, registered in the State of Ohio).
  - 5. Underpinning (prepared and stamped by a professional engineer, registered in the State of Ohio).
  - 6. Excavation procedures (prepared and stamped by a professional engineer, registered in the State of Ohio).

#### 1.5 REFERENCES

- A. AASHTO M 43 Standard Specification for Size of Aggregate for Road and Bridge Construction
- B. ASTM C-150 Standard Specification for Portland Cement
- C. ASTM C-618 Standard Specification for Fly Ash and Raw or Calcined Natural Pozzolan for Use as a Mineral Admixture in Portland Cement Concrete
- D. ASTM D-698 Standard Test Methods for Moisture-Density Relations of Soils and Soil-Aggregate Mixtures Using 5.5-lb (2.49-kg) Rammer and 12-in. (305-mm) Drop
- E. ASTM D-1586 Standard Method for Penetration Test and Split-Barrel Sampling of Soils

- F. ASTM D-2487 Standard Test Method for Classification of Soils for Engineering Purposes
- G. ASTM D-2940 Standard Specification for Graded Aggregate Material for Bases or Subbases for Highways or Airports
- H. ASTM D-4253 Standard Test Method for Maximum Index Density and Unit Weight of Soils Using a Vibratory Table
- I. ASTM D-4254 Standard Test Method for Minimum Index Density and Unit Weight of Soils and Calculation of Relative Density
- J. State of Ohio - Department of Transportation - Construction and Material Specifications, Item 304, Aggregate Base.
- K. State of Ohio - Department of Transportation - Construction and Material Specifications, Material Detail 703.16, Suitable Materials for Embankment Construction.
- L. State of Ohio - Department of Transportation - Construction and Material Specifications, Material Detail 703.02.A.2, Fine Aggregate for Portland Cement Concrete

#### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Qualifications – Work shall be performed by personal meeting requirements identified in section 014323 – Qualifications of Tradesmen.
- B. Certifications – The Contractor shall provide certification that all materials meet requirements identified in plans, specifications, and bid/contract documents.
- C. Field Samples – All testing of native soils, bedding and backfill materials, and pavement base materials shall be in accordance with requirements identified in section 013319 – Field Test Reporting.
- D. Pre-Construction Meeting – The Contractor, Engineer, and Owner shall meet at a minimum ten (10) business days prior to the mobilization of equipment and materials to the project site. No work shall commence until a pre-construction meeting is held and the work plan by the Contractor is approved by the Engineer.

#### 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental Requirements
  - 1. All excavation work shall be performed in accordance with erosion control and stormwater pollution prevention measures detailed in section 015713 – Temporary Erosion Control.

B. Existing Conditions

1. Existing ground elevations of the site are shown by figures and/or by contours on the Drawings. The contours and elevations of the present ground are believed to be reasonably correct, but do not purport to be absolutely so, and, together with any schedule of quantities, are presented only as an approximation. The Contractor shall satisfy himself, however, by actual examination on the site of the Work, as to the existing elevations and contours, and the amount of work required.

C. Existing Utilities

1. Do not interrupt utilities serving facilities occupied by Owner or others unless permitted in writing by Engineer and then only after arranging to provide temporary utility services according to requirements indicated.
2. Notify Engineer not less than two days in advance of proposed utility interruptions.
3. Do not proceed with utility interruptions without Engineer's written permission.
4. Contact utility-locator service for area where Project is located before excavating.

1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver products to the site, store and protect under provisions of Section 016600-Product Handling and Protection.
- B. Comply with all provisions of Section 013543- Environmental Protection.

1.9 SEQUENCING AND SCHEDULING

- A. Refer to 013319 - Field Test Reporting for testing laboratory service scheduling.

1.10 PROHIBITION OF EXPLOSIVES

- A. The use of explosives is not permitted.

1.11 FIELD MEASUREMENTS

- A. The Contract Drawings may indicate locations where certain utilities, structures or facilities might possibly interfere with the installation of new improvements. The Contractor shall dig such exploratory test pits as may be necessary to determine the exact location and elevation of the indicated subsurface structure and shall make acceptable provision for their protection, support and maintenance in operation. The Engineer shall be provided advance notification when and where excavation for test pits will take place. The Contractor shall provide the Engineer a record of field locations of all listed utilities, structures or facilities a minimum of five (5) days prior to initiating construction of the project. Locations and elevations are to be provided by a Surveyor registered in the State of Ohio.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 GRANULAR PIPE EMBEDMENT

- A. Crushed gravel or crushed limestone meeting AASHTO M 43 gradation shall be used for bedding, haunching, and initial backfill as shown on the Drawings.

### 2.2 ONSITE BACKFILL

- A. Excavated soil material, capable of meeting specified compaction, and approved by the Engineer for use as backfill in designated locations.
- B. Based on the subsurface investigation, the Owner does not guarantee the onsite soils in its present state consists of the proper moisture content to achieve the specified compaction without drying or adding water.
- C. Unsuitable Backfill Material
  - 1. Onsite materials that are unsuitable for backfill, unless otherwise specifically shown in the Drawings, include rock or other materials greater than six (6) inches in their largest dimension, pavement, rubbish, debris, wood, metal, plastic, frozen earth, and the following soils classified per ASTM D-2487:

Symbol	Description
OL	Organic silts and organic silty clays of low plasticity
MH	Inorganic silts, micaceous or diatomaceous fine sands or silts, elastic silts
CH	Inorganic clays of high plasticity, fat clays
OH	Organic clays of medium to high plasticity
PT	Peat, muck, and other highly organic soils

### 2.3 SPECIAL BACKFILL MATERIAL (ODOT Item 304)

- A. Special backfill material shall meet the gradation requirements of ODOT Item 304 and shall consist of crushed gravel or crushed limestone in combination with natural sand or stone. The aggregate shall meet the following gradation requirements:

<u>Sieve</u>	<u>Total Percent Passing</u>
2 inch	100
1 inch	70-100
¾ inch	50-90
No. 4	30-60
No. 30	9-33
No. 200	0-15



## 2.4 LOW STRENGTH MORTAR BACKFILL

- A. Low Strength Mortar shall comply with ODOT Item 613.
- B. Submit test data that demonstrates that the proposed mix has a strength of 50 to 100 PSI at 28 days.
- C. Each load shall be tested with 3 cylinders for strength test broken at 3, 7, and 28 days until the Engineer is assured that the mix will be between 50 to 100 PSI at 28 days. Thereafter, one set of strength tests shall be taken every 50 CY.

It is intended that the sand be fine enough to stay in suspension in the mixture to the extent required for proper flow. The Engineer reserves the right to reject the sand if a flowable mixture cannot be produced.

- D. Mortar Mix Proportioning
  - 1. The initial trial mixture shall be as follows:

### Quantity of Dry Materials per Cubic Yard

Cement	100 lbs.
Fly Ash	250 lbs.
Sand (SSD)*	2700 lbs.
Water	500 lbs.

\* saturated-surface dry

- 2. These quantities of materials are expected to yield approximately 1 cubic yard of mortar of the proper consistency. Adjustments of the proportions may be made providing the total absolute volume of the materials is maintained.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 PROTECTION

- A. Excavation; Temporary Sheeting, Shoring, and Bracing
  - 1. All excavation shall be in accordance with the Occupation Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) regulations.
  - 2. The Contractor shall furnish and install adequate sheeting, shoring, and bracing to maintain safe working conditions, and to protect newly built work and all adjacent neighboring structures from damage by settlement.
  - 3. Bracing shall be arranged so as not to place a strain on portions of completed work until construction has proceeded enough to provide ample strength. Sheeting and bracing may be withdrawn and removed at the time of backfilling, but the Contractor shall be responsible for all damage to newly built work and adjacent and neighboring structures.
  - 4. All sheeting shall be removed unless specifically authorized in writing by the Engineer to be left in place.

B. Construction Sheeting Left in Place

1. The Contractor shall furnish, install, and leave in place construction sheeting and bracing when specified or when indicated or shown on the Drawings.
2. Any construction sheeting and bracing which the Contractor has placed to facilitate his work may be ordered in writing by the Engineer to be left in place. The right of the Engineer to order sheeting and bracing left in place shall not be construed as creating an obligation on his part to issue such orders. Failure of the Engineer to order sheeting and bracing left in place shall not relieve the Contractor of his responsibility under this Contract.

3.2 REPLACING, MOVING AND REPAIRING OF EXISTING UTILITIES

A. The Contractor shall:

1. Replace, move, repair and maintain all utilities and all other structures encountered in the work
2. Coordinate and communicate with applicable utility companies
3. Repair all damage done to any of the said structures and appurtenances through his acts or neglect and shall keep them in repair during the life of this contract. The Contractor shall in all cases leave them in as good condition as they were previous to the commencement of the work and to the satisfaction of the Engineer.

3.3 DEWATERING

A. Drainage and Removal of Water

1. The Contractor shall dispose of water from the Work in a suitable manner without damage to adjacent property or structures.
2. The Contractor shall, when ordered by the Engineer, construct tight bulkheads across trench and provide pumps suitable for the removal of any water which may be encountered or which may accumulate in the trenches. Unless otherwise provided for in the Contract Documents, drainage water will not be permitted to flow through the conduit.
3. The trench shall be kept free from sewage and storm, surface, and subsurface water to at least 2 feet below the bottom of the excavation.
4. Where open water courses, ditches, or drain pipes are encountered during the progress of the Work, the Contractor shall provide protection and securing of the continuous flow in such courses or drains and shall repair any damage that may be done to them.

3.4 EXCAVATION CLASSIFICATION

- A. All excavated materials are unclassified as defined in Article 1.3.

3.5 GENERAL EXCAVATION

- A. All necessary excavation for buildings, structures, pavements, and site improvements shall be performed to accommodate the completion of all related Contract Work.

- B. The Drawings show the horizontal and the lower limits of structures. The methods and equipment used by the Contractor when approaching the bottom limits of excavation shall be selected to provide a smooth surface and to prevent disturbing the soil below the bottom limits of excavation. All soil loosened during excavation shall be removed from the bottom of the excavation.
- C. Conform to elevations and dimensions shown within a tolerance of plus or minus 0.10 feet, and extending a sufficient distance from footings and foundations to permit placing and removal of concrete formwork, installation of services, other construction, and for inspection.
- D. Excavation which is carried below the bottom limits of structures shall be classified as Unauthorized Excavation, unless said excavation below bottom limits of structures has been authorized by the Engineer prior to each occurrence.
- E. Unauthorized Excavation shall be filled with Class B concrete to the bottom limits of structures. Under circumstances where structural integrity is not a factor, the Engineer may authorize the filling of Unauthorized Excavation with Low Strength Mortar Backfill or Special Backfill material compacted to 100% density as specified under the compaction requirements in this Section. Such work shall be at the cost of the Contractor.

### 3.6 TRENCH EXCAVATION

- A. Excavation for trenches in which pipelines, sewers, and conduits are to be installed shall provide adequate space for workmen to space and joint pipe properly, but in every case the trench shall be kept to a minimum width. The width of trench shall not exceed the limits shown on the Drawings.
- B. Excavation shall be to the depth necessary for placing of granular bedding material under the pipe as shown on the Drawings. If over-excavation occurs, the trench bottom shall be filled to grade with compacted granular bedding material.
- C. Trenching operations shall not be performed beyond the distance that will be backfilled and compacted the same day.
- D. In general, backfilling shall begin as soon as the conduit is in approved condition to receive it and shall be carried to completion as rapidly as possible. New trenching shall not be started when earlier trenches need backfilling or the surfaces of streets or other areas need to be restored to a safe and proper condition.

### 3.7 EXCAVATION OF UNSUITABLE MATERIALS

- A. Unsuitable materials existing below the Contract bottom limits for excavation shall be removed as directed by the Engineer. Such excavation shall not exceed the vertical and lateral limits as prescribed by the Engineer.

- B. In utility trenches, the voids left by removal of unsuitable excavated material shall be filled with AASHTO M 43 No. 1 and No. 2 aggregate conforming to the material requirements of Article 2.1 of this Section.
- C. In excavations other than utility trenches, the voids left by removal of unsuitable excavated material shall be filled with material consisting or either: (1) Special Backfill Material; (2) Class B concrete; or (3) Low Strength Mortar Backfill, whichever is ordered by the Engineer.
- D. Removal of unsuitable excavated material and its replacement as directed will be paid on basis of Contract Conditions relative to Changes in Work unless specific unit prices have been established for excavation of unsuitable material.

### 3.8 DISPOSAL OF UNSUITABLE AND SURPLUS MATERIAL

- A. It shall be the responsibility of the Contractor to dispose of all surplus material that cannot be used in backfill or embankments at his expense outside the limits of the project. Unsuitable excavated material, including rock or large boulders, shall be disposed of outside the limits of the project.
- B. Surplus material may be wasted adjacent to or incorporated in the regular construction only when ordered in writing by the Engineer.

### 3.9 BACKFILL

- A. Pipelines, Sewers and Conduits
  1. All pipe shall have bedding extending the width of the trench with depth in conformance with the Drawings. The bedding material shall be thoroughly compacted by tamping until no further densification is possible.
  2. Pipe cover material shall be used for filling above the pipe bedding along the sides of the pipe and to a height of twelve (12) inches over the top of the pipe. The pipe cover material shall be brought up evenly on both sides of the pipe to eliminate the possibility of lateral displacement of the pipe and shall be thoroughly compacted by tamping until no further densification is possible. Care shall be taken to spade the aggregate under the pipe haunch below the spring line.
  3. All trenches and excavations shall be backfilled immediately after pipe is laid therein, unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.
  4. After the pipe cover has been placed and compacted around the pipe as specified above, the remainder of the trench may be backfilled by machine. The backfill material shall be deposited in eight (8) inch horizontal layers, and each layer shall be thoroughly compacted to the specified density by approved methods before a succeeding layer is placed. In no case will backfilling material from a bucket be allowed to fall directly on a pipe and in all cases the bucket must be lowered so that the shock of the falling earth will not cause damage.
- B. Structures
  1. Backfilling shall not commence before concrete has attained specified strength. Do not use equipment for backfilling and compaction operations against structures that will overload the structure.

2. Backfilling around and over structures shall be carefully placed and tamped with tools of suitable weight to a point one (1) foot above the top of same. Additional backfill may be required to protect the structure from damage from heavy equipment. Backfill shall be placed in uniform layers not exceeding eight (8) inches in depth. Each layer shall be placed, then carefully and uniformly compacted to the specified density so as to eliminate the possibility of displacement of the structure.
  3. After the backfill has been placed and compacted around the structure to the height specified above, the remainder may be backfilled by machine. The backfill material shall be deposited in eight (8) inch horizontal layers, and each layer shall be thoroughly compacted to the specified density by approved methods before a succeeding layer is placed. In no case will backfilling material from a bucket be allowed to fall directly on a structure, and in all cases the bucket must be lowered so that the shock of the falling earth will not cause damage.
- C. Where any new, proposed, or future pavement, driveway, parking lot, curb, curb and gutter, or walk is to be placed over a backfilled area, Special Backfill material shall be used for any portion of the trench falling within the pavement prism.
  - D. Where it is necessary to undercut or replace existing utility conduits and/or service lines, the excavation beneath such lines shall be backfilled the entire length with approved Granular Pipe Embedment Material compacted in place in eight (8) inch layers to the required density. The approved Granular Pipe Embedment Material shall extend outward from the spring line of the conduit a distance of two (2) feet on either side and thence downward at its natural slope.

### 3.10 LOW STRENGTH MORTAR BACKFILL

- A. Low strength mortar backfill shall be discharged from the mixer as recommended by the supplier and approved by the Engineer.
- B. Low strength mortar backfill may be placed in the trench in as few lifts as may be practical.
- C. Secure conduit or pipelines before placing low strength mortar backfill to prevent conduits and pipelines from floating during backfilling.
- D. For low strength mortar backfill placed against existing structures of unknown strength, backfill material shall be brought up uniformly in maximum 12 inch lifts and allowed to cure for a minimum of 24 hours or until it can carry a person's weight without leaving imprints before the next lift is placed.
- E. Low strength mortar backfill shall be brought up to subgrade elevation or the pavement prism, whichever may be applicable.

### 3.11 SUBGRADE

- A. All soil subgrade shall be prepared in accordance with this subsection.
- B. Drainage
  1. The surface of the subgrade shall be maintained in a smooth condition to prevent ponding of water after rains to insure the thorough drainage of the subgrade surface at all times.
- C. Unsuitable Subgrade
  1. Where unsuitable subgrade or subgrade not meeting the required bearing capacity is encountered in cuts, due to no fault or neglect of the Contractor, in which satisfactory stability cannot be obtained by moisture control and compaction, the unstable material shall be excavated to the depth required by the Engineer.
  2. Suitable material required for the embankment to replace the undercut will be paid on basis of Contract Conditions relative to changes in Work.
  3. Where soft subgrade in cuts is due to the failure of the Contractor to maintain adequate surface drainage as required in this article, or is due to any other fault or neglect of the Contractor, the unstable condition shall be corrected as outlined above at no expense to the Owner.

### 3.12 CONSTRUCTION WITH MOISTURE AND DENSITY CONTROL

- A. All backfill shall be constructed using moisture and density control. All subgrade, except rock and shale in cut sections, shall be constructed using moisture and density control.
- B. Backfill and subgrade material which does not contain sufficient moisture to be compacted in accordance with the requirements of Article 3.17 of this Section shall be sprinkled with water as directed by the Engineer to bring the moisture content to within the range of optimum plus or minus three (3) percent. Water shall be thoroughly incorporated into the material by means of discs or other approved equipment.
- C. Backfill and subgrade material containing excess moisture shall be dried, prior to installation, to a moisture content not greater than three (3) percentage points above optimum, except that for material within the moisture content range specified herein that displays pronounced elasticity or deformation under the action of loaded construction equipment, the moisture content shall be reduced to optimum or below if necessary to secure stability. For subgrade material, these requirements for maximum moisture shall apply at the time of compaction of the subgrade and also at the time of placing pavement or subbase. Drying of wet soil shall be expedited by the use of plows, discs, or by other approved methods when so ordered by the Engineer.

### 3.13 COMPACTION REQUIREMENTS

- A. The bottom of excavations upon which concrete foundations or structures are to be placed shall be compacted so as to obtain 100% of maximum dry density per ASTM D-698 in the top twelve (12) inches.

- B. The top twelve (12) inches of stripped original subgrade and final subgrade shall be compacted to not less than 100% of maximum dry density per ASTM D-698.
  - 1. Subgrade under new, proposed, or future pavement shall be compacted 18 inches beyond the edge of pavement, paved shoulders or paved medians.
- C. Compaction of subgrade for sidewalks (regardless of paving material) shall be 100% of maximum dry density per ASTM D-698 in the top six (6) inches.
- D. Compaction of non-paved areas shall be 90% of maximum dry density per ASTM D-698.
- E. Aggregate pipe embedment and aggregate backfill around structures shall be compacted to not less than 100% of maximum dry density per ASTM D-4253 and ASTM D-4254.
- F. Final backfill shall be compacted to not less than 100% of maximum dry density per ASTM D-698.
- G. Fill placed within the interior of structures shall be compacted to not less than 100% of maximum dry density per ASTM D-698.
- H. Embankment shall be placed and compacted in layers until the density is not less than the percentage of maximum dry density indicated in the following table determined by ASTM D-698.

**EMBANKMENT SOIL COMPACTION REQUIREMENTS**

Maximum Laboratory Dry Weight <u>Pounds/Cubic Foot</u>	Minimum Compaction Requirements Percent Laboratory <u>Maximum</u>
90-104.9	102
105-119.9	100
120 and more	98

- I. Test Sections
  - 1. If it is determined by the Engineer that the composition of the material is such that it cannot be tested for density using a nuclear densometer or other methods; or where, in the opinion of the Engineer, in-place compaction testing is not feasible; and if approved by the Engineer, the Contractor may construct a test section to demonstrate acceptable compactive effort in lieu of in-place compaction testing. Test sections shall be constructed at no additional cost to the Owner.
  - 2. The test section shall be completed by repeatedly compacting the material until no further density is achieved. This value shall be the Minimum Test Section Density (MTSD). The compaction equipment used to complete the test section shall be of suitable size to compact the material and shall be the same equipment used to compact the in-place material.
  - 3. The test section shall be constructed with moisture density control as specified in this Section.

4. The material shall be compacted to at least 98% of the MTSD.
5. Each lift of in-place fill or backfill shall be densified using a compactive effort equal to or greater than the effort applied to achieve the MTSD; i.e., if six passes were required to achieve MTSD, then each lift of material shall be compacted using six or more passes.
6. Construct a new test section when, in the opinion of the Engineer, the fill or backfill material has changed character or when the supporting material has changed character.

### 3.14 GRADING

- A. Uniformly grade areas to a smooth surface, free of irregular surface changes. Comply with compaction requirements and grade to cross sections, lines, and elevations indicated.
  1. Provide a smooth transition between adjacent existing grades and new grades.
  2. Cut out soft spots, fill low spots, and trim high spots to comply with required surface tolerances.
- B. Site Grading
  1. Slope grades to direct water away from buildings and to prevent ponding. Finish subgrades to required elevations within the following tolerances:
    - a. Lawn or unpaved areas shall be graded to plus or minus 1-inch.
    - b. Walks shall be graded to plus or minus 1-inch.
- C. Grading inside Building Lines
  1. Finish subgrade to a tolerance of 1/2 inch when tested with a 10-foot straightedge.

END OF SECTION 310000



## SECTION 321000- PAVEMENT REPLACEMENT

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division-1 Specification sections, apply to work of this section.

#### 1.2 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. The Contractor shall furnish all of the equipment, labor and materials necessary to install, replace, and/or restore existing pavement structures together with their respective appurtenances as shown on the plans and as specified herein. This work shall include all of the subgrade preparation, subbase, base, intermediate pavement course(s), and finish pavement courses together with curbing, guttering, tack and/or prime coating, sealing and other pertinent work as necessary to meet the conditions of this contract.

#### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. In addition to requirements of these specifications, comply with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations for work.

#### 1.4 REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT WORK

- A. For the repair and/or replacement of all existing pavement structures and their respective appurtenances that are removed and destroyed or otherwise damaged by the Contractor in the course of his performance of the work required under this contract, the Contractor shall furnish all equipment, labor, and materials as necessary to properly restore to a condition equal to that at his entry, and to the satisfaction of the Engineer, the Ohio Department of Transportation, the County Engineer, City Engineer, all cinder, slag, gravel, water-bound macadam, bituminous macadam, asphalt and brick or concrete driveways, curbs, sidewalks and roadways in strict accordance with the drawings and as specified herein.
- B. In general, this item will include concrete, steel reinforcement, brick, stone, slag, cinders, gravel, asphalt and other bituminous materials and curbs, gutters, driveway culverts, road and curb drains and the demolition, excavation and removal of existing driveways, sidewalks and roadways.

#### 1.5 REFERENCE TO OTHER PARTS

- A. Other sections of these specifications shall apply, as and where applicable to this section and such sections will be the same as though they were included in this section.
- B. For all old work where pavement is being repaired and/or replaced as a result of damages occurring thereto during the course of the work of this contract, all clearing and grubbing, removal and storage of topsoil, excavation and/or placing of compacted fill and granular backfill, shall be done as required under other parts of these specifications.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MATERIALS

- A. Generally, for all repair and replacement work, all new materials shall match the existing and adjoining work in both composition and quality unless otherwise ordered, specified herein, and/or shown on the drawings. In any stone driveway or roadway, the material used for stone fill shall conform to the existing material.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 CONSTRUCTION

- A. All pavement work shall be done in strict accordance with the specifications of the governmental body concerned and the latest ODOT specifications as applicable or at the direction of the Engineer.
- B. All pavements disturbed by the Contractor's operations shall be relaid to the thickness of the adjoining pavement and, in all cases, the restoring of pavements, shall apply both to foundation courses and to the wearing surface.
- C. Should cracks or settlements appear in adjoining pavements, the paving shall be removed to the extent necessary to secure firm and undisturbed bearing and shall be replaced in a satisfactory manner.
- D. No permanent pavement shall be installed, repaired, and/or restored unless, or until, in the opinion of the Engineer, the condition of the backfill is such as to properly support the pavement.
- E. Where new or replacement concrete pavement or base is placed adjacent to existing concrete pavement or base, contraction joints shall be provided in the new or replacement pavement so as to form a continuous joint with that in the existing pavement.

### 3.2 ROADWAY SUBGRADE

- A. The entire area to be occupied by the roadways and parking areas shall be cleared, topsoil removed and stored, and the excavation or compacted fill made as required and brought to the proper cross-sections. Pipe trenches and other excavations shall be backfilled as required, and thoroughly compacted within the limits of the roadways or parking areas.
- B. After the surface of the subgrade has been properly shaped and before any stone or slag is placed, the entire subgrade shall be thoroughly rolled and compacted to a depth of 12 inches under this section. Rolling shall be done with an approved type of self-propelled roller, weighing not less than ten (10) tons. All hollows and depressions which develop during the rolling shall be filled with acceptable materials, and the subgrade rerolled. The process of filling and rolling shall be repeated until no depressions develop, and the entire subgrade has been brought to a uniform condition of stability.

- C. All places which, in the opinion of the Engineer cannot be properly rolled, shall be tamped with handheld mechanically or pneumatically powered tampers.
- D. In making the compacted fill and in doing the final subgrade rolling, the Contractor shall see that the material to be compacted and/or rolled has the proper moisture content to secure maximum compaction. When, in the opinion of the Engineer, the material is too wet, the compacting shall be delayed until the material has dried sufficiently. When, in the opinion of the Engineer, the material is too dry, the material shall be sprinkled with water in an amount to secure the proper moisture content.

END OF SECTION 321000

## SECTION 321613.13 - CONCRETE CURBS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division-1 Specification sections, apply to work of this section.

#### 1.2 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. Under this section the Contractor shall furnish and construct curbing of various, designated types as shown or scheduled on the Drawings.
- B. This section includes preparation of the base and/or subgrade construction of curbs, other work and materials incidental to the construction of curbing.

#### 1.3 OWNER'S STANDARDS AND SPECIFICATIONS

- A. Items preceded by ODOT shall refer to the latest edition of the State of Ohio, Department of Transportation, Construction and Material Specifications.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 CONCRETE

- A. All concrete used shall be Class C as specified in Section 030000.

#### 2.2 CURBING

- A. Other materials for curbing shall meet the applicable requirements of ODOT Item 609.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. All soil subgrade under curbs shall be compacted in accordance with Section 310000.
- B. All construction for curbing shall be in accordance with ODOT Item 609 for the type called for on the Drawings.

END OF SECTION 321613.13

## SECTION 329200.19 – SEEDING AND MULCHING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- . Installation of seeded areas shall be to the extent shown on Contract Drawings and shall include supplying all seed, topsoil, soil conditioning materials, mulching materials and watering, and the incorporation of these materials into the work as specified.
- A. The Contractor shall place topsoil at the depths specified in those areas requiring seeding. Topsoil shall be furnished by the Contractor.

#### 1.2 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For the following:
  1. Provide copies of soils tests for both new topsoil (provided) and onsite topsoil for review and approval. This applies to all areas that require seeding, including reconditioned areas.
  2. Provide location of properties from which topsoil is to be obtained, names and addresses of owners, depth to be stripped, and crops grown in the past 2 years.
  3. Provide the name of the seed supplier, name and phone number, list of the seed, including varieties of seed, labels, and an analysis of the seed for review, 4 weeks prior to the start of seeding.
  4. Provide soil amendments information based on soils test requirements.
  5. Hydroseed mixture, mulch and application rates prior to performing the work.

#### 1.1 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Any subcontracted restoration work shall be performed by a qualified firm specializing in landscape work.
- B. The Contractor shall have a soils test done at his expense and analyzed by a state approved testing agency. Soil tests shall be done on both the topsoil stockpiled from the site and new topsoil brought to the site. A minimum of two (2) tests shall be done. The tests shall include percent organic matter, pH, Buffer pH, Phosphorus, Exchangeable Potassium, Calcium, Magnesium, Cation Exchange Capacity and Percent Base Saturation with recommendations for nitrogen, phosphate, potash, magnesium and lime based on plant type and use.

- B. Seed: All seed specified shall meet O.D.O.T. specifications as to the percentage purity, weed seed, and germination. All seed shall be approved by the State of Ohio, Department of Agriculture, Division of Plant Industry, and shall meet the requirements of these specifications.
- D. Packaged Materials: Deliver packaged materials in containers showing weight, analysis, and name of manufacturer. Protect materials from deterioration during delivery, and while stored at site.

#### 1.4 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- B. Utilities: Determine location of underground utilities and perform work in a manner which will avoid possible damage. Hand excavate, as required. Maintain grade stakes set by others until removal is mutually agreed upon by parties concerned.
- C. Excavation: When conditions detrimental to plant growth are encountered, such as rubble fill, adverse drainage conditions, or obstructions, such conditions shall be rectified by the Contractor before planting, with approval from the Owner's Representative.
- D. Soil Stabilization: The Contractor shall provide permanent or temporary soil stabilization to denuded areas within fifteen (15) days after final grade is reached on any portion of the site. Any such area which will not be regraded for longer than fifteen (15) days shall also be stabilized. Soil stabilization includes any measures which protect the soil from the erosive forces of raindrop impact and flowing water. Applications include seeding and/or mulching, or the use of other erosion control measures as directed by the Owner's Representative. If necessary, the Contractor shall coordinate soil stabilization practices with the local Soil and Water Conservation District.
- D. Spring-sown work shall be installed between April 1st and May 30th and Fall-sown work shall be installed between September 1st and October 15th. No permanent seeding shall take place between May 30th and September 1st and between October 15th and April 1st. The dates for seeding may be changed at the discretion of the Owner's Representative.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 TOPSOIL

- A. Topsoil shall be furnished by the Contractor. Stockpiled material, if any, shall be utilized prior to obtaining additional topsoil.
- B. All topsoil shall conform to the U.S. Department of Agriculture soil texturing triangle and shall contain between 3% to 8% organic matter. Topsoil shall be loamy and not consist of more than 38% clay. New topsoil shall be screened to remove clay lumps, brush, weeds, litter, roots, stumps, stones larger than ½" in any dimension and any other extraneous or toxic matter harmful to plant growth.

New topsoil shall be obtained only from naturally well drained sites where topsoil occurs in a depth of not less than 4". Do not obtain from bogs or marshes.

- C. Soil amendments shall be added according to the soils test requirements. Amendments can include, but are not limited to fertilizer, lime, compost, sand, and organic matter. Organic matter shall consist of composted leaves or other approved material.

2.2 SEED

- A. Seed shall be vendor mixed, delivered in original bags and shall be proportioned as follows:

<u>Common Name</u>	<u>Proportion by Weight</u>
Kentucky Blue Grass	50%
Perennial Rye	50%

2.3 MULCH

- A. Mulch shall be clean straw free of seed and weed seed.
  - 1. Anchoring for mulch shall be an ODOT specified SS-1 at 60 gal./ton non-toxic tackifier such as Hydro-stik, or equal, or by securing with a photo degradable netting.
- B. If hydroseeding is used, wood fiber mulching material shall be used and shall consist of virgin wood fibers manufactured expressly from whole wood chips and shall conform to the following specifications.

- Moisture content	10.0% ± 3.0%
- Organic content	99.2% ± 0.8% O.D. Basis
- pH	4.8 ± 0.5
- Water holding capacity, minimum (grams of water per 100 grams of fiber)	1,000

Wood fiber mulching material shall be processed in such a manner as to contain no growth or germination inhibiting factors, and must contain a biodegradable green dye to aid in visual metering during application.

PART 3 - EXECUTION

3.1 PREPARATION - GENERAL

- A. Rough grading to a depth necessary to accept the specified thickness of topsoil must be approved prior to placing topsoil.
- B. Loosen subgrade, remove any stones greater than 1/2" in any dimension. Remove sticks, roots, rubbish, and other extraneous matter.
- C. Spread topsoil to a minimum depth of 4 inches, to meet lines, grades, and elevations shown on plan, after light rolling and natural settlement. Remove sticks, roots, rubbish, stones greater than 1/2" in any dimension, and other extraneous matter. Topsoil shall be tilled thoroughly by plowing, disking, harrowing, or other approved methods. Add specified soil amendments and mix thoroughly into the topsoil.

- D. Preparation of Unchanged Grades: Where seed is to be planted in areas that have not been altered or disturbed by excavating, grading, or stripping operations, prepare soil for planting as follows: Till to a depth of not less than 6 inches. Apply soil amendments and initial fertilizers as specified. Remove high areas and fill in depressions. Till soil to a homogenous mixture of fine texture, free of lumps, clods, stones, roots and other extraneous matter. Soils test requirements apply here as well.
1. Prior to preparation of unchanged areas, remove existing grass, vegetation and turf. Dispose of such material outside of project limits. Do not turn existing vegetation over into soil being prepared for seed.  
  
If necessary, supply and install topsoil in areas where there is no topsoil left after vegetation has been removed.
  2. Apply specified soil amendments at rates specified in the soils test and thoroughly mix into upper 2 inches of topsoil. Add topsoil if existing grade has less than 4" of topsoil. Delay application of amendments if planting will not follow within two (2) days.
- E. Fine grade areas to smooth, even surface with loose, uniformly fine texture. Roll, rake, and drag lawn areas, remove ridges and fill depressions, as required to meet finish grades. Remove sticks, roots, rubbish, stones greater than 1/2" in any dimension, and other extraneous matter. Limit fine grading to areas which can be planted immediately after grading.
- F. Moisten prepared areas before planting if soil is dry. Water thoroughly and allow surface moisture to dry before planting lawns. Do not create a muddy soil condition.
- G. Restore areas to specified condition, if eroded or otherwise disturbed, after fine grading and prior to planting.

### 3.2 SEEDING

- A. Do not use wet seed or seed that is moldy or otherwise damaged in transit or storage. Seed shall not be sown when the ground is frozen, muddy, or when weather conditions prevent proper soil preparation, interference with sowing and/or proper incorporation of seed into the soil.
- B. Sow seed using a spreader or hydroseeder. Do not seed when wind velocity exceeds 5 miles per hour. Distribute seed evenly over entire area by sowing 3 lbs. per 1000 S.F. at right angles to each other. Total amount to equal a minimum of 6 lbs. per 1000 S.F.
- C. For seed sown with a spreader, mulch shall be spread uniformly to form a continuous blanket at a rate of 100 lbs. per 1,000 S.F. Mulch shall be 1 1/2" loose measurement over seeded areas and shall be anchored.
- D. Contractor has the option to hydroseed large lawn areas, using equipment specifically designed for such application. The rate of application of wood fiber mulching materials is 40 lbs./1,000 S.F. Contractor shall not hydroseed within close proximity to buildings and structures, or when unfavorable wind conditions may blow the hydroseed material onto the structure. Contractor shall clean all areas not to be seeded of overspray.



- E. The seeded area shall be watered, as soon as the seed is applied, at the rate of 120 gallons per 1000 square feet. The water shall be applied by means of a hydroseeder or a water tank under pressure with a nozzle that will produce a spray that will not dislodge the mulching material. Cost of this watering shall be included in the cost of seeding and mulching.

### 3.3 DORMANT SEEDING METHOD

- A. Seeding shall not take place from October 15 through November 20. During this period prepare the seed bed, add the required amounts of lime and fertilizer, and other amendments, then mulch and anchor.
- B. From November 20 through April 1, when soil conditions permit, prepare the seed bed, lime and fertilize, apply the selected seed mixture, mulch, and anchor. Increase the seeding rate by 50 percent.

### 3.4 RECONDITIONING EXISTING LAWNS

- A. A soils test shall be required for existing lawns prior to any reconditioning.
- B. Recondition all existing lawn areas damaged by Contractor's operations including storage of materials and equipment and movement of vehicles. Also recondition existing lawn areas where minor regrading is required.
- C. Provide soil amendments as called for in the soils test.
- D. Provide new topsoil, as required, to fill low spots and meet new finish grades.
- E. Cultivate bare and compacted areas according to the topsoil specifications.
- F. Remove diseased and unsatisfactory lawn areas; do not bury into soil. Remove topsoil containing foreign materials resulting from the Contractor's operations, including oil drippings, stone, gravel, and other loose building materials.
- G. All work shall be the same as for new seeding.
- H. Water newly planted seed areas. Maintenance of reconditioned lawns shall be the same as maintenance of new lawns.

### 3.5 ESTABLISHMENT

- A. Maintain work areas as long as necessary to establish a uniformly close stand of grass over the entire lawn area. A uniformly close stand of grass is defined as the seeded areas having 90%+ coverage of grass at 60 days after seeding. 90%+ coverage is defined as very little or no dirt showing when seeded area is viewed from directly overhead.

- B. Maintain lawns by watering, fertilizing, weeding, mowing, trimming, and other operations such as rolling, regrading and replanting as required to establish a smooth acceptable lawn.
  - 1. Mowing
    - a. Mow lawn areas during the period of maintenance to a height of 2 inches whenever the height of the grass becomes 3 inches. A minimum of 3 mowings is required during the period of maintenance.
  - 2. Refertilizing
    - a. Distribute fertilizer on the seeded area between August 15 and October 15, during the period when grass is dry, and in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations. The fertilizer shall be as specified in the soils test.
  - 3. Reseeding
    - a. Reseed with the seed specified for the original seeding, at the rate of 4 lbs. per 1,000 S.F. in a manner which will cause minimum disturbance to the existing stand of grass and at an angle of not less than 15 degrees from the direction of rows of prior seeding.
  - 4. Watering
    - a. The Contractor shall keep all work areas watered daily to achieve satisfactory growth. Water shall be applied at a rate of 120 gallons per 1,000 square feet. If water is listed as a pay item, it shall be separately paid for based on the actual amount of water used, measured in thousands of gallons.
  - 5. Any mulching which has been displaced shall be repaired immediately. Any seed work which has been disturbed or damaged from the displacement of mulch shall be repaired prior to remulching.

### 3.6 INSPECTION AND ACCEPTANCE

- A. When seeding work is complete and an acceptable stand of growth is attained, the Contractor shall request the Owner's Representative to make an inspection to determine final acceptance.
- B. Acceptance shall be based upon achieving a vigorous uniformly stand of the specified grasses. If some areas are satisfactory and some are not, acceptance may be made in blocks, provided they are definable or bounded by readily identified permanent surfaces, structures, or other reference means. Partial acceptance decisions may be made by the Owner's Representative. Excessive fragmentation into accepted and unaccepted areas shall not be allowed. Unaccepted areas shall be maintained by the Contractor until acceptable.
- C. No payment shall be made until areas are accepted.
- D. All seeded areas shall be guaranteed for one full growing season to commence upon final acceptance of the areas.

END OF SECTION 329200.19

## SECTION 330130.01- SEWER COLLECTION SYSTEM REHABILITATION DEFINITIONS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1. RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division-1 Specifications, apply to work of this section.

#### 1.2 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. The work covered by this project shall include the furnishing of all labor, equipment, materials, and supervision; and performing all work necessary to investigate, rehabilitate, and/or replace the designated sewer lines, manholes, etc., all in accordance with the specifications. The work shall consist of, but not necessarily be limited to, performing the following work tasks where specified:

1. Sewer Line Cleaning
2. Sewer Flow Control
3. Television Inspection
4. Sewer Pipe Joint Testing
5. Sewer Pipe Joint Sealing
6. Sewer Manhole Rehabilitation
7. Sewer Manhole Replacement
8. Sewer Manhole Separation
9. Sliplining of Sewers
10. Cured-in-Place Pipe Installation
11. Fold-and-Formed Pipe Installation
12. Sewer Point Repairs
13. Service Lateral Sealing and Televising

- B. The area of work and the type of repair/rehabilitation to be performed shall be at those locations shown on the tables or drawings in the Specific Project Requirements section of these specifications.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Wherever used in these specifications, the following words and terms shall have the meanings indicated:
  1. AREAWAY: A paved surface, serving as an entry area to a basement or subsurface portion of a building, which is provided with some form of drainage device that may be connected to a sewer line.
  2. AVAILABLE WATER: Water necessary for the performance of work, which may be taken only from fire hydrant(s) approved by the Owner, given conditions of traffic and terrain which are compatible with the use of the hydrant for performance of work.

3. **BUILDING SEWER:** The conduit which connects building wastewater sources to the public or street sewer (referred to also as "house sewer," "building connection," "lateral," or "service connection"), including lines serving homes, public buildings, commercial establishments, and industry structures. In this specification, the building sewer is referred to in two sections:
  - a. The section between the building and the property line, right-of-way line, or to a point specified and supervised by the Owner's designated representative.
  - b. The remaining section to the collector sewer, including the connection thereto.
4. **BYPASS:** An arrangement of pipes, conduits, gates, and valves whereby the flow may be passed around a hydraulic structure or appurtenance. Also, a temporary setup to route flow around a specified part of a sewer system.
5. **BYPASS PUMPING:** The transportation of sewage flows around a specific sewer pipe line section or sections via any conduit for the purpose of controlling sewage flows in the specified section or sections without flowing or spilling onto public or private property.
6. **CELLAR DRAIN:** A pipe or series of pipes which collect wastewater which leak, seep, or flow into subgrade parts of structures and discharge them into a building sewer, or by other means dispose of such wastewater into sanitary, combined or storm sewers.
  - a. Referred to also as a "basement drain."
7. **CHANGE ORDER:** A written order to the Contractor authorizing an addition, deletion, or revision in the work within the general scope of work of the agreement, or authorizing an adjustment in the agreement price or agreement time.
8. **COLLECTOR SEWER:** A sewer located in the public way which collects the wastewater discharged through building sewers and conducts such flows into larger interceptor sewers and pumping and treatment works.
  - a. Referred to also as "street sewer."
9. **COMBINED SEWER:** A sewer intended to serve as both a sanitary sewer and a storm sewer, or as both an industrial sewer and a storm sewer.
10. **COMPRESSION GASKET:** A device which can be made of several materials in a variety of cross sections and which serves to secure a tight seal between two pipe sections (e.g., "O"-rings).
11. **CORBEL OR CONE:** That portion of a manhole structure which slopes upward and inward from the barrel of the manhole to the manhole cover frame.
12. **CREW:** The number of persons required for the performance of work at a site as determined by the Contractor in response to task difficulty and safety considerations at the time or location of the work
13. **DEBRIS:** Soil, rocks, sand, grease, roots, etc., in a sewer line excluding items mechanically attached to the line such as protruding service connections, protruding pipe, joint materials, and the like.
14. **EASEMENT:** A liberty, privilege, or advantage without profit which the owner of one parcel of land may have in the land of another. In this agreement, all land, other than public streets, in which the Owner has sewer system lines or installations and right of access to such lines or installations.

15. EASEMENT ACCESS: Areas within an easement to which access is required for performance of work.
16. ENGINEER: The engineer (a person, joint venture, firm, or corporation) who works for or under a contract or subagreement with the Owner and is designated by the Owner as the Engineer of Record under the prime contract.
17. EXFILTRATION: The leakage or discharge of flows being carried by sewers out into the ground through leaks in pipes, joints, manholes, or other sewer system structures; the reverse of "infiltration".
18. EXISTING LINEAR FEET: The total length of existing sewer pipe in place within designated sewer systems as measured from center of manhole to center of manhole from maps or in the field.
19. FLOW CONTROL: A method whereby normal sewer flows or a portion of normal sewer flows are blocked, retarded, or diverted (bypassed) within certain areas of the sewer collection system.
20. FOUNDATION DRAIN: A pipe or series of pipes which collect groundwater from the foundation or footing of structures and discharge it into sanitary, storm, or combined sewers, or to other points of disposal for the purpose of draining unwanted waters away from such structures.
21. GROUTING: The joining together of loose particles of soil in such a manner that the soil so grouped becomes a solid mass which is impervious to water (see also SEWER PIPE JOINT SEALING).
22. HYDRAULIC CLEANING: Techniques and methods used to clean sewer lines with water, e.g.; water pumped in the form of a high-velocity spray and water flowing by gravity or head pressure. Devices include high-velocity jet cleaners, collapsible dams, etc.
23. INFILTRATION: The water entering a sewer system, including building sewers, from the ground, through such means as, but not limited to, defective pipes, pipe joints, connections, or manhole walls. Infiltration does not include, and is distinguished from, inflow.
24. INFILTRATION/INFLOW: A combination of infiltration and inflow wastewater volumes in sewer lines, with no way to distinguish either of the basic sources, and with the same effect of usurping the capacities of sewer systems and other sewer system facilities.
25. INFLOW: The water discharged into a sewer system, including service connections, from such sources as, but not limited to, roof leaders; cellar, yard, and area drains; foundation drains; cooling water discharges; drains from springs and swampy areas; manhole covers; cross connections from storm sewers, combined sewers, catch basins; storm waters; surface runoff; street wash water; or drainage. Inflow does not include, and is distinguished from, infiltration.
26. INSPECTOR: The Owner's on-site representative responsible for observation and recording of quantities of work performed as set forth in these specifications.
27. INTERCEPTOR SEWER: A sewer which receives the flow from collector sewers and conveys the wastewater to treatment facilities.
28. INTERNAL PIPE INSPECTION: The television inspection of a preselected sewer line section. A television camera is moved through the line at a slow, uniform rate and a continuous picture is transmitted to an aboveground monitor.
29. INVERT: The floor, bottom or lowest point of a conduit.

30. **INVERT LEVEL (ELEVATION):** The level (elevation) of the lowest portion of a liquid - carrying conduit, such as a sewer, which determines in part the hydraulic gradient available for moving the contained liquid
31. **JOINTS:** The means of connecting sectional lengths of sewer pipe into a continuous sewer line using various types of jointing materials. The number of joints depends on the lengths of the pipe sections used in the specific sewer construction work.
32. **LINEAR FOOT:** Being one foot as measured along the centerline of a sewer line.
33. **LONG-TERM MODULUS OF ELASTICITY:** The modulus of elasticity of the material after 50 years of service. This value may be extrapolated from a 10,000 hour test of the material.
34. **MAJOR BLOCKAGE:** A structural defect, collapse, or blockage which prohibits manhole-to-manhole cleaning with commercially available hydraulic or mechanical cleaning equipment.
35. **MANHOLE SECTION:** The length of sewer pipe connecting two manholes.
36. **MECHANICAL CLEANING:** Techniques and methods used to clean sewer lines of debris mechanically with devices such as power rodding machines, winch-pulled brushes, bucket machines, etc.
37. **OVERFLOW:**
  - a. The excess water that overflows the ordinary limits such as the stream banks, the spillway crest, or the ordinary level of a container.
  - b. To cover or inundate with water or other fluid.
38. **PHYSICAL PIPE INSPECTION:** The crawling or walking through manually accessible pipe lines. The logs for this inspection technique record the information of the kind detailed under Internal Pipe Inspection. This inspection technique is only undertaken when field conditions offer minimal hazard or jeopardy to personnel.
39. **PIPE JOINT SEALING:** A method of correcting leaking or defective pipe joints which permit infiltration of extraneous water into the sewers by means of applying chemical materials into and/or through the joint area from within the pipe.
40. **REGULATOR:** A device or apparatus for controlling the quantity of admixtures of sewage and storm water admitted from a combined sewer collector line into an interceptor sewer, or pumping or treatment facilities, thereby determining the amount and quality of the flows discharged through an overflow device to receiving waters or other points of disposal.
41. **ROOF LEADER:** A drain or pipe that conducts storm water from the roof of a structure downward and thence into a sewer for removal from the property, or onto the ground for runoff or seepage disposal.
42. **SANITARY SEWER:** A sewer intended to carry only sanitary or sanitary and industrial wastewater from residences, commercial buildings, industrial parks, and institutions.
43. **SERVICE CONNECTION:** see Building Sewer.
44. **SEWER CLEANING:** The utilization of hydraulic or mechanical techniques and/or devices to dislodge, transport, and remove debris from sewer lines.

45. SEWER PIPE: A length of conduit, manufactured from various materials and in various lengths, that when joined together can be used to transport wastewater from point of origin to a treatment works. Materials include, but are not limited to: Acrylonitrile-butadiene-styrene (ABS); Asbestos-Cement (AC); Brick Pipe (BP); Concrete Pipe (CP); Cast Iron Pipe (CIP); Ductile Iron Pipe (DIP); Polyethylene (PE); Polyvinylchloride (PVC); Reinforced Concrete Pipe (RCP); Reinforced Plastic Mortar (RPM); Steel Pipe (SP); Vitriified Clay Pipe (VCP).
46. SITE: Any location where work has been or will be done.
47. SITE ACCESS: An adequately clear area of a size sufficient to accommodate personnel and equipment required at the location where work is to be performed, including roadway or surface sufficiently unobstructed to permit conveyance of vehicles from the nearest paved roadway to the work location.
48. SPRING LINE: The horizontal midpoint of a sewer pipe.
49. STORM SEWER: A sewer intended to carry only storm waters, surface runoffs, street wash water, and drainage.
50. STREET ACCESS: Areas normally used for public vehicular traffic (including roads, streets, or areas within existing rights-of-way or easements) to which safe access is required for performance of work.
51. SUBCONTRACTOR: An individual, firm, or corporation having a direct contract with the Contractor for performance of part of the work.
52. SURCHARGE: When the sewer flow exceeds the hydraulic carrying capacity of the sewer line.
53. SURCHARGE CONDITION: When the sewer flow depth equals or exceeds the diameter of the discharging sewer line or lines.
54. SWALE (DIP, SAG): A significant deviation in pipe grade such as to cause entrapment of solids, semisolids, and liquids, thereby impeding the accuracy and/or effectiveness of flow measurements, cleaning, and internal inspection.

END OF SECTION 330130.01

## SECTION 330130.02 - SEWER LINE CLEANING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division-1 Specifications, apply to work of this section.

#### 1.2 RELATED DOCUMENTS AND SECTIONS

- A. Section 33130.03 – Sewer Flow Control
- B. Section 330130.17 – Television Inspection
- C. Section 330130.72 – Cured in Place Pipe Lining

#### 1.3 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. The intent of sewer line cleaning is to remove foreign materials from the lines and restore the sewer to a minimum of 95% of the original carrying capacity or as required for proper lining of the pipe or seating of internal pipe joint sealing packers. Since the success of the other phases of work depends a great deal on the cleanliness of the lines, the importance of this phase of the operation is emphasized. It is recognized that there are some conditions such as broken pipe and major blockages that prevent cleaning from being accomplished or where additional damage would result if cleaning were attempted or continued. If in the course of normal cleaning operations, damage does result from pre-existing and unforeseen conditions such as broken pipe, the Contractor will not be held responsible.

#### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. In addition to requirements of these specifications, comply with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations for work.

#### 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Equipment Data: Submit a listing of equipment to be used on the project. Provide equipment operating instructions if requested by the Owner.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 GENERAL

- A. All equipment and material shall be of a type that has been in general use for a period of five (5) years. Work performed with experimental equipment or material will not be permitted without prior written consent of the Owner.



## 2.2 CLEANING EQUIPMENT

- A. **Hydraulically Propelled Equipment:** The equipment used shall be of a movable dam type and be constructed in such a way that a portion of the dam may be collapsed at any time during the cleaning operation to protect against flooding of the sewer. The movable dam shall be equal in diameter to the pipe being cleaned and shall provide a flexible scraper around the outer periphery to insure removal of grease. If sewer cleaning balls or other equipment which cannot be collapsed is used, special precautions to prevent flooding of the sewers and public or private property shall be taken.
- B. **High-Velocity Jet (Hydrocleaning) Equipment:** All high-velocity sewer cleaning equipment shall be constructed for ease and safety of operation. The equipment shall have a selection of two or more high-velocity nozzles. The nozzles shall be capable of producing a scouring action from 15 to 45 degrees in all size lines designated to be cleaned. Equipment shall also include a high-velocity gun for washing and scouring manhole walls and floor. The gun shall be capable of producing flows from a fine spray to a solid stream. The equipment shall carry its own water tank, auxiliary engines, pumps and hydraulically driven hose reel.
- C. **Mechanically Powered Equipment:** Bucket machines shall be in pairs with sufficient power to perform the work in an efficient manner. Machines shall be belt operated or have an overload device. Machines with direct drive that could cause damage to the pipe will not be allowed. A power rodding machine shall be either a sectional or continuous rod type capable of holding a minimum of 750 feet of rod. The rod shall be specifically heat-treated steel. To insure safe operation, the machine shall be fully enclosed and have an automatic safety clutch or relief valve.

## 2.3 LIGHT SEWER CLEANING

- A. Light sewer cleaning shall be performed as a part of the pre-lining process to remove all roots, sediment, deposits, and encrustations to establish conditions within the pipe as described in Paragraph 1.2.
- B. Requirements for light cleaning shall be as defined in the “Sewer Pipe Cleaning Specification Guideline” by NASSCO dated November 2014.

## 2.4 DEPOSIT CUT

- A. Deposit Cuts shall be for the physical removal and disposal of deposits attached encrustations (DAE) and Deposits Attached Grease (DAGS) that require a cutter or other mechanisms, including personal entering the sewer, to physically detach the foreign materials from the pipe or manhole surfaces.
- B. Under this bid item, the Contractor shall remove all obstructions in the sewer. All debris must be removed from the sewer, including any debris that may have been washed up into any service connections (does not include known pre-existing conditions in service connections), drop connections or the bench wall of the manholes. This includes all deposits, grease, debris, sticks, etc. that will reduce the hydraulic capacity of the sewer and limit future maintenance access of remote equipment. This work will include an adequate number of passes using high velocity hydro-cleaning equipment required to produce a clean pipe in accordance with these specifications. A mechanical/hydraulic root, chain cutter, personal entering and chipping/removing deposits by hand when feasible, etc. may be used where necessary at no additional cost to the Owner; however, the Contractor shall be responsible for any damage to the sewer or any service connections.

- C. Compliance with this section requires substantial effort towards cleaning, chipping, cutting, grinding, etc. to remove hardened deposits, grease, etc. The Contractor shall use remote CCTV equipment to monitor the progress of the work and ensure that the sewer is not damaged.
- D. The Contractor shall immediately notify the Owner if they believe that activity performed under this paragraph will cause damage due to the existing deterioration of the host pipe. The Owner's determination whether to continue or stop work is final.
- E. The Contractor shall maintain detailed documentation of cleaning efforts made to remove these items in accordance with NASSCO PACP.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 CLEANING PRECAUTIONS

- A. During sewer cleaning operations, satisfactory precautions shall be taken in the use of cleaning equipment. When hydraulically propelled cleaning tools (which depend upon water pressure to provide their cleaning force) or tools which retard the flow in the sewer line are used, precautions shall be taken to ensure that the water pressure created does not damage or cause flooding of public or private property being served by the sewer.
- B. When possible, the flow of sewage in the sewer shall be utilized to provide the necessary pressure for hydraulic cleaning devices. When additional water from fire hydrants is necessary to avoid delay in normal work procedures, the water shall be conserved and not used unnecessarily.
- C. No fire hydrant shall be obstructed in case of a fire in the area served by the hydrant.

### 3.2 SEWER CLEANING

- A. The designated sewer manhole sections shall be cleaned using hydraulically propelled, high-velocity jet, or mechanically powered equipment. Selection of the equipment used shall be based on the conditions of lines at the time the work commences. The equipment and methods selected shall be satisfactory to the Engineer. The equipment shall be capable of removing dirt, grease, rocks, sand, and other materials and obstructions from the sewer lines and manholes.
- B. If cleaning of an entire section cannot be successfully performed from one manhole, the equipment shall be set up on the other manhole and cleaning again attempted. If, again, successful cleaning cannot be performed or the equipment fails to traverse the entire manhole section, it will be assumed that a major blockage may exist, the cleaning effort shall be suspended, and the Engineer shall be notified.

### 3.3 ROOT REMOVAL

- A. Roots shall be removed in the manhole sections where root intrusion occurs. Special attention should be used during the cleaning operation to assure complete removal of roots from the joints. Any roots which could prevent proper lining of the pipe, prevent the seating of a pipe joint packer, or prevent the proper application of chemical sealants shall be removed.

- B. Mechanical procedures may include the use of equipment such as rodding machines, bucket machines and winches using root cutters and porcupines, and equipment such as high-velocity jet cleaners.
- C. All roots must be removed prior to grouting or lining. If roots are detected during either of grouting or lining, the Contractor shall remove their equipment and reclean the line to ensure root removal. This work shall be performed at no additional cost to the Owner if the manhole section was previously cleaned as a pay item.

### 3.4 MATERIAL REMOVED

- A. All sludge, dirt, sand, rocks, grease, and other solid or semisolid material resulting from the cleaning operation shall be removed at the downstream manhole of the section being cleaned.
- B. Passing material from manhole section to manhole section, which could cause line stoppages, accumulations of sand in wet wells, or damage pumping equipment, shall not be permitted.
- C. When necessary or when directed by the Engineer, an approved dam or weir shall be constructed in the downstream manhole in such a manner that solids and debris will be trapped and retained. The cost of such a dam or weir shall be included in the cost of cleaning.

### 3.5 DISPOSAL OF MATERIALS

- A. All solids or semisolids resulting from the cleaning operations shall be removed from the site and disposed of at a location approved by the Owner.
- B. Trucks hauling solids or semisolids from the site shall be watertight so that no leakage or spillage will occur.
- C. All materials shall be removed from the site no less often than at the end of each workday.
- D. Under no circumstances will the Contractor be allowed to accumulate debris, etc., on the site of work beyond the stated time, except in totally enclosed containers and as approved by the Owner.

### 3.6 FINAL ACCEPTANCE

- A. Acceptance of sewer line cleaning shall be made upon the successful completion of the television inspection and shall be to the satisfaction of the Owner.
- B. If TV inspection shows the cleaning to be unsatisfactory, the Contractor shall be required to reclean and reinspect the sewer line at no additional expense to the City.
- C. In areas where television inspection is not performed, the Engineer may require the Contractor to pull a double squeegee (with each squeegee the same diameter as the sewer) through each manhole section as evidence of adequate cleaning.

END OF SECTION 330130.02

## SECTION 330130.03 - SEWER FLOW CONTROL

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division-1 Specifications, apply to work of this Section.
- B. Other Sections Referenced:
  - 1. Section 330130.01 - Sewer Collection System Rehabilitation Definitions

#### 1.2 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. The intent of this work is to control the flow in the sewer to enable the successful inspection, rehabilitation or replacement of the pipe.
- B. Depth of flow shall not exceed that shown below for the respective pipe sizes when performing television inspection, joint testing and/or sealing.

##### Pipe Diameter Maximum Depth of Flow

1.	6" - 10" Pipe	-	25% of pipe diameter
2.	12" - 24" Pipe	-	33% of pipe diameter
3.	27" & up Pipe	-	40% of pipe diameter

- C. Flow shall be controlled or bypassed from sewer sections being lined or replaced. The methods used shall be in accordance with the work being performed.

#### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. When flow in a sewer line is plugged, blocked, or bypassed; sufficient precautions must be taken to protect the sewer lines from damage that might result from sewer surcharging. Further, precautions must be taken to insure that sewer flow control operations do not cause flooding or damage to public or private property being served by the sewers involved.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. The Contractor shall submit a written request for Sewer Flow Control, specify the method and equipment to be used, and receive approval from the Owner prior to performing the work.
- B. For bypass pumping, submit shop drawings in accordance with the General Requirements showing pumps, piping layout plan and dimensions, schedule of pipe fittings and specials, materials and class for each size and type of pipe, joint details, and any special provisions required for assembly. Provide a wet weather operation plan which describes what procedures will be followed when flow exceeds pumping capacity.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 EQUIPMENT

- A. Sewer plugs shall be so designed that all or any portion of the sewage can be quickly released.
- B. Pumping and bypassing:
  - 1. Pumps bypass pipe, fittings, and joining methods shall be suitable and of a type normally used for raw sanitary sewage.
  - 2. The bypass system shall be of sufficient capacity to handle existing peak dry weather flow plus additional flow that may occur during a rainstorm unless otherwise provided for by an approved wet weather operation plan.
  - 3. If pumping is required on a 24-hour basis, engines shall be equipped in a manner to keep noise to a minimum.
  - 4. Bypass piping to be furnished and installed shall include, but not limited to all pipe, fittings, specials, bends, beveled pipe, adapters, bulkheads, stoppers, plugs, joint restraints, joints and jointing materials, and pipe supports. Bypass piping shall be rated to twice the system operating pressure.
- C. Hydrocleaning equipment shall be equipped with high-velocity nozzles capable of pulling flow away from the pipe section being televised. The equipment shall carry its own water tank, auxiliary engines, pumps and hydraulically driven hose reel.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. The Contractor shall continuously supervise the level of water in the upstream and downstream sewers to ensure that harmful surcharging does not occur. The Contractor shall be responsible for any damage to the system and/or to public or private property resulting from improper execution of flow control measures.

### 3.2 PLUGGING OR BLOCKING

- A. A sewer line plug shall be inserted into the line upstream of the section being worked. During TV inspection, testing and sealing operations, flow shall be reduced to within the limits specified above. After the work has been completed, flow shall be restored to normal.

### 3.3 PUMPING AND BYPASSING

- A. When pumping and bypassing is required, the Contractor shall supply and install the pumps, conduits, and other equipment to divert the flow around the section in which work is to be performed. Under no circumstances will the discharge of raw sewage to other than sanitary sewers be allowed.

- B. The Contractor shall be responsible for furnishing the necessary labor and supervision to set up and operate the pumping and bypassing system.
- C. The proposed bypassing system shall be set up to allow traffic flow to local residents and businesses.
- D. Locate facilities where they will serve the Project adequately and result in minimum interference with performance of the Work. Relocate and modify facilities as required.
- E. Make connections to all existing force mains being bypassed.
- F. Install temporary bypass piping with restrained joints at horizontal and vertical changes in direction.
- G. Provide granular material for bedding and encasement of temporary piping when buried below pavement.
- H. Field test bypass piping and obtain approval from the Engineer prior to placing bypass system in service.
- I. Do not remove pumping and bypass system until it is no longer needed and can be replaced by authorized use of completed permanent facilities.

#### 3.4 HYDRAULIC FLOW CONTROL

- A. This method shall be used for sewer televising only. The Contractor shall position the high-velocity nozzle no less than five (5) feet ahead of the television camera. Pressures shall be just sufficient to reduce the flow level in front of the camera to the specified depth. The jet nozzle shall be reeled in at the same rate as the forward movement of the television camera to maintain the separation distance.

END OF SECTION 330130.03

## SECTION 330130.17 - TELEVISION INSPECTION

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division-1 Specifications, apply to work of this section.
- B. Other Sections Referenced:
  - 1. Section 330130.01 - Sewer Collection System Rehabilitation Definitions
  - 2. Section 330130.02 - Sewer Line Cleaning
  - 3. Section 330130.03 - Sewer Flow Control
  - 4. Section 330130.72 – Cured in Place Pipe Lining

#### 1.2 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. After cleaning or when otherwise specified, the manhole sections shall be visually inspected by means of closed-circuit television (CCTV). The inspection will be done one manhole section at a time and the flow in the section being inspected will be suitably controlled.

#### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. In addition to requirements of these specifications, comply with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations for work. CCTV shall be performed by NASSCO PACP certified personnel.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Equipment Data: Submit equipment manufacturer's technical data and operation instructions for the televising and recording equipment to be used.
- B. Product Data: Submit brand name and specifications of video tape to be used for the recording of the televising data.
- C. Report: Submit sample televising log report for review and approval of content and format.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 GENERAL

- A. The camera, television monitor, and other components of the video system shall be capable of producing picture quality to the satisfaction of the Owner's Representative, and if unsatisfactory, equipment shall be removed and no payment will be made for an unsatisfactory inspection.

## 2.2 MATERIAL

- A. Video recording shall be submitted on an USB flash drive.

## 2.3 EQUIPMENT

- A. The television camera used for the inspection shall be one specifically designed and constructed for such closed-circuit sewer pipe inspection. Lighting for the camera shall be suitable to allow a clear picture of the entire periphery of the pipe. The camera shall be operative in 100% humidity conditions. The camera shall televise and transmit the image in color and shall have pan and tilt capabilities.
- B. The propulsion system shall be either a tractor, skid and winch arrangement, or with special approval from the Owner, a float.
- C. The recording system shall be digital with capability for annotating and narrating the video image, and for producing digital photographs of the television picture.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 PROCEDURE

- A. Normally, the camera will be set up in the upstream manhole. Where the setup causes the camera lens to be positioned a distance upstream or downstream of the manhole wall, the operator shall make a visual observation of that portion of the sewer pipe not captured on the video tape and record the observations by voice over on the video tape.
- B. The height of the camera shall be adjusted so that the lens is at the center of the pipe.
- C. The camera will be moved through the line in either direction at a moderate rate, stopping when necessary to permit proper documentation of the sewer's condition. In no case will the television camera be pulled at a speed greater than 30 feet per minute. Manual winches, power winches, TV cable, and powered rewinds or other devices that do not obstruct the camera view or interfere with proper documentation of the sewer conditions shall be used to move the camera through the sewer line.
- D. The camera will be moved to the far manhole and the recording shall show the condition of the manhole trough. The operator shall make a visual observation of the far manhole. Connecting pipes and manhole defects not captured on the video shall be recorded by voice over on the video tape and written in the television inspection log.
- E. Connections to the sewer shall be televised using the pan and tilt capabilities of the camera. The camera shall be positioned in the sewer at a location which maximizes the sight distance up the connecting pipe. The acceptable length of televising shall be a distance of 6 feet, or to the end of the pipe (if capped), or to the first bend (if a wye).



- F. If, during the inspection operation, the television camera will not pass through the entire manhole section, the Contractor shall perform a reverse setup (set up their equipment so that the inspection can be performed from the opposite manhole). If, again, the camera fails to pass through the entire manhole section, the manhole section will be referred to the Engineer for evaluation.
- G. When manually operated winches are used to pull the television camera through the line, telephones or other suitable means of communication shall be set up between the two manholes of the section being inspected to insure good communications between members of the crew.
- H. The importance of accurate distance measurements is emphasized. Measurement for location of defects and connections shall be by means of a footage counter with the value displayed on the video tape. The footage counter shall be set such that zero is the center of the beginning manhole. Marking on the cable, or the like, which would require interpolation for depth of manhole, will not be allowed. Accuracy of the footage counter shall be checked above ground by use of a walking meter, roll-a-tape, or other suitable device. The footage counter shall be calibrated to an accuracy that is satisfactory to the Engineer.
- I. Documentation of the television results shall be as follows:
  - 1. Television Inspection Logs: Printed location records shall be kept by the Contractor and will clearly show the location in relation to an adjacent manhole of each infiltration point observed during inspection. In addition, other points of significance such as locations of building sewers, unusual conditions, roots, storm sewer connections, broken pipe, presence of scale and corrosion, and other discernible features will be recorded and a copy of such records will be supplied to the Owner. Each feature called out on the inspection log shall be identified as to its location on the videotape by means of a footage counter. When more than one manhole section is recorded on a video tape, the television inspection log shall record the elapsed tape time from the beginning of the tape to the beginning of the manhole section.
  - 2. Photographs: Digital photographs of the television picture of problems shall be taken by the Contractor upon request of the Engineer, as long as such photographing does not interfere with the Contractor's operations.
  - 3. Videotape Recordings: The purpose of tape recording shall be to supply a visual and audio record of problem areas of the lines that may be replayed. Videotape recording playback shall be at the same speed that it was recorded. Slow motion or stop-motion playback features may be supplied at the option of the Contractor. Title to the tape shall be given to the Owner upon completion of the project. The Contractor shall have all videotapes and necessary playback equipment readily accessible for review by the Owner during the project.

END OF SECTION 330130.17

## SECTION 330130.19 - SERVICE CONNECTION TELEVISIONING AND REHABILITATION

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification sections, apply to work of this section.
- B. Other Sections Referenced:
  - 1. Section 330130.01 – Sewer Collection System Rehabilitation Definitions
  - 2. Section 330130.02 – Sewer Line Cleaning
  - 3. Section 330130.03 – Sewer Flow Control
  - 4. Section 330130.04 – Sewer Point Repairs
  - 5. Section 330130.17 – Television Inspection
  - 6. Section 330130.74 – Cured in Place Lateral Lining

#### 1.2 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. Work includes televising and sealing service connections within the rehabilitation work limits. The pipe shall be sealed by either an internal pipe joint sealing process or lining with cured-in-place pipe. When structurally failed and/or when authorized by the Engineer, service connections shall be replaced under the Sewer Point Repairs section of these specifications.
- B. The service connection may be entered either through the mainline sewer or from a test tee outside the mainline sewer. If a test tee does not exist on the service connection, one will be constructed if authorized by the Engineer.
- C. The remainder of the service connection to and through the house to its terminus may be televised and video recorded, if authorized by the Engineer.
- D. When directed, work shall also include attaching a transmitter to the camera and tracking the location of the service connection on the ground surface.

#### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. In addition to requirements of these specifications, comply with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations for work.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit televising and rehabilitation equipment and product data in accordance with the respective sections of these specifications.

## 1.5 SERVICE CONNECTION REHABILITATION LIMIT

- A. Length of service connections to be rehabilitated shall be from the mainline sewer to the test tee, right-of-way line, or as authorized by the Engineer.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 GENERAL

- A. The equipment and products used in Service Connection Televising and Rehabilitation shall be similar to the equipment and products used for the respective work in main line sewers. A 1 inch variance in size (i.e. 5 inch to 6 inch) is allowable.
- B. Cameras for televising the service connection from the mainline sewer shall be Cues Lateral Inspection System, or an approved equal.
- C. The pipe locating system shall use a transmitter and receiver capable of accurately location the service connection from above ground.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 GENERAL

- A. The execution of work in Service Connection Televising and Rehabilitation shall be similar to the respective work in main line sewers. Additional requirements are listed as follows.

### 3.2 HOMEOWNER NOTIFICATION

- A. The Contractor shall notify the homeowner at least 48 hours prior to commencement of any work on the service connection.
- B. The notification shall explain to the homeowner what work is to be done to the service connection, when the work is scheduled to be performed, and what precautions the homeowner must take to prevent backup of sewage into the house.

### 3.3 SERVICE CONNECTION TELEVISIONING

- A. The service connection televising shall be performed by closed circuit television equipment in accordance with Sewer Line Televising.
- B. The storm service connection also will only be televised to the main sewer if it is uncovered during the excavation for the test tee installation. This work shall be performed at no extra cost to the Owner.

- C. When televising from the test tee, the service connection shall be cleaned and roots removed in accordance with Sewer Line Cleaning. The cost of this work shall be included in the cost of Service Connection Television Inspection.
- D. When directed to locate the service connection, the pipe locating system shall be used and the location of the service connection at the right-of-way line shall be marked on the surface of the ground and recorded with reference measurements approved by the Engineer.
- E. During service connection televising work, the following information shall be recorded on the video tape. The reference point from which distances are measured shall be approved by the Engineer.
  - 1. Address of the house served by the service connection.
  - 2. Type service connection, whether storm or sanitary.
  - 3. Location of cracked pipe, broken pipe, root intrusion and any other defects in the service connection.
  - 4. Location where the service connection changes size and or material.
  - 5. Location of any branch pipes.
  - 6. Location of any other significant feature observable in the service connection.

### 3.4 JOINT SEALING

- A. The Contractor shall locate and expose the homeowner's test tee. Where authorized by the Engineer, new test tees will be constructed over the existing service connection.
- B. Sealing via grouting by the pump full methods:
  - 1. Plug the service connection at the test tee and fill it with grout (root inhibitor added) from the mainline sewer.
    - a. Sealing pressure shall be 1/2 PSI per foot of depth plus 2 PSI (Maximum of 10 PSI).
    - b. The gel time shall be adjusted to enable filling the service connection prior to setting.
  - 2. Clean the pipe of all grout material that has set up in the barrel by auguring and jetting with service connection cleaning equipment.
  - 3. Air test service connection connections after the sealing operation. If the service connection fails the air test, it shall be regouted.
  - 4. Post televise the service connection and remove any residual grout.
  - 5. Clean main sewer line after the service connection sealing operation to remove any excess grout sealing material.
- C. Grouting by the joint packer method:
  - 1. Insert the packer and television camera and seal each joint from the mainline sewer to the test tee in accordance with Sewer Pipe Joint Sealing.
  - 2. Air test the joint after sealing in accordance with Sewer Pipe Joint Testing.
  - 3. Post televise the service connection and remove any residual grout.  
Clean the main line sewer after the service connection sealing operation to remove any excess grout sealing material.

### 3.5 CURED-IN-PLACE PIPE

- A. Any branch pipes on the service connection shall be brought to the attention of the Engineer. An investigation will be made and disposition determined for the branch prior to lining the service connection.
- B. After lining, seal the ends of the CIPP to the host pipe to prevent movement of groundwater along the periphery of the pipe.
- C. Where the liner does not cover the wye or tee joint, the service connection shall be grouted from the main line sewer to the end of the CIPP. This work shall be performed at no extra cost to the Owner.

### 3.6 RECORDS

- A. During the service connection televising and rehabilitation work, records shall be kept which will include:
  - 1. Identification of the sewer section containing the service connections.
  - 2. Location (footage) of each service connection as measured from the upstream manhole.
  - 3. Address of the building connected to the service connection.
  - 4. Details of the work performed on the service connection.

### 3.7 FINAL ACCEPTANCE

- A. After rehabilitation work is completed, the Contractor shall provide the Owner with a videotape showing both the before and after conditions.
- B. Any defects resulting from rehabilitation work which will affect, the intended use, integrity or strength of the service connection shall be repaired, at the Contractor's expense, in a manner mutually agreed by the Owner and the Contractor.
- C. Where CIPP is used for rehabilitation, sufficient portions of the trimmings of each end of the CIPP section shall be marked as to location and given to the Engineer for measurements of thickness and testing of structural properties.
- D. After the installation work has been completed and all testing acceptable, the Contractor shall clean up the entire project area. All excess material and debris not incorporated into the permanent installation shall be disposed of by the Contractor.

END OF SECTION 330130.19

## SECTION 330130.72 - CURED-IN-PLACE PIPE LINING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division-1 Specification sections, apply to work of this section.
- B. Other Sections Referenced:
  - 1. Section 330130.01 - Sewer Collection System Rehabilitation Definitions
  - 2. Section 330130.02 - Sewer Line Cleaning
  - 3. Section 330130.03 - Sewer Flow Control
  - 4. Section 330130.17 - Television Inspection
- C. Other documents which shall be considered part of and included in these specifications
  - 1. ASTM - F1216 Standard Practice for Rehabilitation of Existing Pipelines and Conduits by the Inversion and Curing of a Resin-Impregnated Tube
  - 2. ASTM - F1743 Standard Practice for Rehabilitation of Existing Pipelines and Conduits by the Pull in and Inflate and Curing of a Resin-Impregnated Tube
  - 3. ASTM - D543 Standard and Practice for Evaluating the Resistance of Plastics to Chemical Reagents
  - 4. ASTM - D638 Standard Test Method for Tensile Properties of Plastics
  - 5. ASTM - D790 Standard Test Methods for Flexural Properties of Unreinforced and Reinforced Plastics and Electrical Insulating Materials
  - 6. ASTM - D792 Standard Test Methods for Density and Specific Gravity of Plastics by Displacement.
  - 7. ASTM - F2019 Standard Practice for Rehabilitation of Existing Pipelines and Conduits by the Pulled in Place Installation of Glass Reinforced Plastic (GRP) Cured-in-Place Thermosetting Resin Pipe (CIPP)
  - 8. ASTM - D2122 Standard Test Method for Determining Dimensions of Thermoplastic Pipe and Fittings
  - 9. ASTM F2561 Standard Practice for Rehabilitation of a Sewer Service Lateral and Its Connection to the Main Using a One Piece Main and Lateral Cured-in-Place Liner
  - 10. ASTM - D2990 Standard Test Methods for Tensile, Compressive, and Flexural Creep and Creep-Rupture of Plastics
  - 11. ASTM - D3567 Standard Practice for Determining Dimensions of Fiberglass (Glass-Fiber-Reinforced Thermosetting Resin) Pipe and Fittings
  - 12. ASTM - D3681 Standard Test Method for Chemical Resistance of "Fiberglass (Glass Fiber Reinforced Thermosetting Resin) Pipe in a Deflected Condition
  - 13. ASTM - D5813 Standard Specification for Cured-in Place Thermosetting Resin Sewer Pipe
  - 14. ASTM E 132 Test Method for Poisson's Ratio at Room Temperature

- D. Neither the CIPP product, system, nor its installation, shall cause adverse effects to any of the Owner's processes or facilities. The installation pressure for the product shall not damage the system in any way, and the use of the product shall not result in the formation or production of any detrimental compounds or by-products at the wastewater treatment plant or to local receiving waters. The Contractor shall notify the Owner and identify any by-products produced as a result of the installation operations, test and monitor the levels, and comply with any and all local waste discharge requirements. The Contractor shall cleanup, restore existing surface conditions and structures, and repair any of the CIPP system determined to be defective. The Contractor shall conduct installation operations and schedule cleanup in a manner to cause the least possible obstruction and inconvenience to traffic, pedestrians, businesses and property owners or tenants.
- E. The prices submitted by the Contractor, shall include all costs of permits, labor, equipment and materials for the various bid items necessary for furnishing and installing, complete in place, CIPP in accordance with these specifications. All items of work not specifically mentioned herein which are required, by the contractor, to make the product perform as intended and deliver the final product as specified herein shall be included in the respective lump sum and unit prices bid.

## 1.2 DESCRIPTION OF WORK

- A. The Contractor shall provide all materials, labor, equipment, and services necessary for traffic control, bypass pumping and/or diversion of flows (unless specifically included as a bid item), cleaning and television inspection of sewers to be rehabilitated, liner installation, reconnection of service connections, all quality controls, provide samples for performance of required material tests, final television inspection, testing of the rehabilitated pipe system, warranty work and other work, all as specified herein.
- B. The CIPP shall be continuous and jointless from manhole to manhole or access point to access point and shall be free of all defects that will affect the long-term life and operation of the pipe.
- C. The CIPP shall fit sufficiently tight within the existing pipe so as to not leak at the manholes, at the service connections, or through the wall of the installed pipe. If leakage occurs at the manholes or the service connections, the Contractor shall seal these areas to stop all leakage using a material compatible with the CIPP. If leakage occurs through the wall of the pipe, the CIPP shall be repaired, or removed and replaced, as recommended by the CIPP manufacturer. Final approval of the CIPP will be based on a leak tight pipe.
- D. The CIPP shall be designed for a life of 50 years or greater and an equal service life unless specifically specified otherwise by the Owner.
- E. The installed CIPP shall withstand all applicable surcharge loads (soil overburden, live loads, etc.) and external hydrostatic (groundwater) pressure, if present, for each specific installation location.

- F. The installed CIPP shall have a long term (50 year or greater) corrosion resistance to the typical chemicals found in domestic sewage and defined in the referenced and applicable ASTM standards.
- G. The intent of cured-in-place pipe (CIPP) is to rehabilitate sewer lines by installing a flexible polyester felt tube saturated with a thermosetting resin into the existing pipe. When cured and complete, the installed pipe should extend the full length of the pipe section being rehabilitated and shall provide a structurally sound, continuous, jointless, tight-fitting, watertight pipe within a pipe. The Contractor is responsible for proper, accurate and complete installation of the CIPP using the system selected by the Contractor meeting the Owners requirements. Deficiencies which will be corrected by the finished product include:
  - 1. Cracked and broken pipe caused by poor construction, unstable soil, earth movement, infiltration, roots, destructive loadings, cleaning tool damage, etc.
  - 2. Corrosion of pipe caused by acid attack above the flow line.
  - 3. Erosion of pipe caused by abrasion below the flow level.
  - 4. Degradation of brick pipe caused by loss of masonry.
  - 5. Infiltration of groundwater and soil through leaking pipe joints and structural defects.
  - 6. Exfiltration of transported fluid through leaking pipe joints and structural defects.
  - 7. Inflow of surface water and infiltration of groundwater through unused or illegal connections.

### 1.3 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. In addition to requirements of these specifications, comply with manufacturer's instructions and recommendations for work.
- B. Installer's Qualifications: Firms with at least 5 successfully completed projects having installed an aggregate total of 10,000 linear feet of the submitted manufacturer's cured-in-place liner.

### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Submit the latest edition and any revisions thereto of the manufacturer's technical data and installation instructions including fabric tube, flexible membrane (coating material), raw resin data, shipping/ storage/ handling instructions, tube wet-out & cure methods, and CIPP manufacturer's repair/replacement procedures.
- B. Submit Material Safety Data Sheet(s) for the resins, any other chemical additives, and any other chemicals used in the CIPP system.
- C. Submit certified copies of all test reports on the properties of the proposed resin materials prior to their use. Tests shall be performed by an approved independent testing laboratory or other approved source.
- D. If not submitting the specified CIPP thickness, submit approvable design calculations for the CIPP material thickness for each section of the pipe to be rehabilitated.



## 1.5 SAFETY

- A. The Contractor shall conform to all work safety requirements of pertinent regulatory agencies, and shall secure the site for the working conditions in compliance with the same. The Contractor shall erect such signs and other devices as are necessary for the safety of the work site.
- B. The Contractor shall perform all of the work in accordance with applicable OSHA standards. Emphasis shall be placed upon the requirements for entering confined spaces and with the equipment being utilized for pipe renewal.
- C. The Contractor shall submit a proposed Safety Plan to the Owner, prior to beginning any work, identifying all competent persons. The plan shall include a description of a daily safety program for the job site and all emergency procedures to be implemented in the event of a safety incident. All work shall be conducted in accordance with the Contractor's submitted Safety Plan.
  - 1. Safety plan shall include a notification of work flyer that will be distributed to all properties connected to the sewer that will be worked on. Notification shall include details of work, dates for expected installation of CIPP, and best measures for preventing fumes from CIPP curing from entering through connected laterals.
- D. Compensation for all work required for the submittal of the Safety Plan shall be included in the various pipelining items contained in the Proposal.

## 1.6 AS-BUILT DRAWINGS/RECORDS

- A. As-Built drawings/records, pre & post inspection videotapes, CDs or other electronic media shall be submitted to the Owner, by the Contractor, within 2 weeks of final acceptance of said work or as specified by the Owner. As-Built drawings/records will include the identification of the work completed by the Contractor and shall be prepared on one set of Contract Drawings/Records provided to the Contractor at the onset of the project.

## 1.7 WARRANTY

- A. The materials used for the project shall be certified by the manufacturer for the specified purpose. The Contractor shall warrant the CIPP material and installation for a period of one (1) year. During the Contractor warranty period, any defect which may materially affect the integrity, strength, function and/or operation of the pipe, shall be repaired at the Contractor's expense in accordance with procedures as recommended by the manufacturer.
- B. After a pipe section has been rehabilitated and for a period of time up to one (1) year following completion of the project, the Owner may inspect all or portions of the rehabilitated system. The specific locations will be selected at random by the Owner's inspector and should include all sizes of CIPP from this project. If it is found that any of the CIPP has developed abnormalities since the time of "Post Construction Television Inspection," the abnormalities shall be repaired and/or replaced in accordance with plans, specifications, and Owner standards.

- C. On any work completed by the contractor that is defective and/or has been repaired, the contractor shall warrant this work for (1) year in addition to the warranty required by the contract.

## 1.8 GENERAL

- A. All equipment and material shall be of a type that has been generally been in use for a period of five (5) years. Work performed with experimental equipment or material will not be permitted without prior written consent of the Owner.

## 1.9 MATERIALS

- A. All materials used in the installation of CIPP shall be equal to or exceed the manufacturer's standards.
  - 1. Resin:
    - a. The resin shall be a corrosion resistant polyester or vinyl ester resin and catalyst system or epoxy and hardener system that, when properly cured within the tube composite, meets the requirements of ASTM F1216, ASTM F1743 or F2019 and ASTM D5813, the physical properties herein, and those which are to be utilized in the design of the CIPP for this project. The resin, specified for the specific application defined in the contract documents, shall produce CIPP which will comply with or exceed the structural and chemical resistance requirements of this specification.
    - b. The resin to tube ratio, by volume, shall be furnished as recommended by the manufacturer.
  - 2. Fabric Tube
    - a. The fabric tube shall consist of one or more layers of absorbent non-woven felt fabric, felt/fiberglass, felt/carbon fiber, carbon fiber or fiberglass and meet the requirements of ASTM F 1216, ASTM F 1743, or ASTM F2019 and ASTM D5813. The fabric tube shall be capable of absorbing and carrying resins, constructed to withstand installation pressures and curing temperatures and have sufficient strength to bridge missing pipe segments and stretch to fit irregular pipe sections. The contractor shall submit certified information from the felt manufacturer on the nominal void volume in the felt fabric that will be filled with resin.
    - b. The wet-out fabric tube shall have a uniform thickness and excess resin distribution that when compressed at installation pressures will meet or exceed the design thickness after cure.
    - c. The fabric tube shall be manufactured to a size and length that when installed will tightly fit the internal circumference, meeting applicable ASTM standards or better, of the original pipe. Allowance shall be made for circumferential stretching during installation. The tube shall be properly sized to the diameter of the existing pipe and the length to be rehabilitated and be able to stretch to fit irregular pipe sections and negotiate bends. The Contractor shall determine the minimum tube length necessary to effectively span the designated run between manholes.

- d. The Contractor shall verify the lengths in the field prior to ordering and prior to impregnation of the tube with resin to ensure that the tube will have sufficient length to extend the entire length of the run. The Contractor shall also measure the inside diameter of the existing pipelines in the field prior to ordering liner so that the liner can be installed in a tight-fitted condition.
  - e. The outside and/or inside layer of the fabric tube (before inversion/pull-in, as applicable) shall be coated with an impermeable, flexible membrane that will contain the resin and facilitate, if applicable, vacuum impregnation and monitoring of the resin saturation during the resin impregnation (wet-out) procedure.
  - f. No material shall be included in the fabric tube that may cause delamination in the cured CIPP. No dry or unsaturated layers shall be acceptable upon visual inspection as evident by color contrast between the tube fabric and the activated resin containing a colorant.
  - g. The wall color of the interior pipe surface of CIPP after installation shall be a light reflective color so that a clear detailed examination with closed circuit television inspection equipment may be made. The hue of the color shall be dark enough to distinguish a contrast between the fully resin saturated felt fabric and dry or resin lean areas. Seams in the fabric tube, if applicable, shall meet the requirements of ASTM D5813.
  - h. The outside of the fabric tube shall be marked a maximum of every 5 feet with the name of the manufacturer or CIPP system, manufacturing lot and production footage.
  - i. The minimum length of the fabric tube shall be that deemed necessary by the installer to effectively span the distance from the starting manhole to the terminating manhole or access point, plus that amount required to run-in and run-out for the installation process.
  - j. The nominal fabric tube wall thickness shall be constructed, as a minimum, to the nearest 0.5 mm increment, rounded up from the design thickness for that section of installed CIPP. Wall thickness transitions, in 0.5 mm increments or greater as appropriate, may be fabricated into the fabric tube between installation entrance and exit access points. The quantity of resin used in the impregnation shall be sufficient to fill all of the felt voids for the nominal felt thickness.
3. The uncured tubing shall be designed to withstand the insertion stresses, and to be able to negotiate pipe joint offsets, gaps, and angular changes up to and including forty-five degrees (45°).
  4. The nominal specified thickness for each pipe section shall be as shown on the plans. The cured material thickness tolerance shall be plus or minus twenty-five percent ( $\pm 25\%$ ) of the specified thickness. The thickness of any inner and/or outer membrane shall not be included.
  5. Pre-Liner
    - a. The pre-liner material shall be a three-ply laminate composed of polyethylene that shall act as a retarder against styrene vapors from exiting into lateral connections, through joints, or through other openings in the host pipe during the CIPP resin curing process.

- b. All pre-liners shall be compatible with approved fabric tubing and resins used for CIPP and shall not reduce any of the cured physical or structural properties specified herein nor shall it have any adverse affect to the CIPP adhesion to host pipe.
  - c. Pre-liners shall be installed per manufacturer’s specifications and instructions
  - d. Approved materials: Griffolyn TX-1200 or approved equivalent.
6. Minimum Physical Properties
- a. Where specific thicknesses are not provided the following values shall be used to calculate a minimum value.
    - 1) All pipe shall be considered fully deteriorated.
    - 2) All pipe shall be subjected to soil loads of 120 pounds per cubic foot.
    - 3) All pipe shall be subject to AASHTO HS-20 highway loading.
    - 4) The water table shall be assumed to be five (5) feet below the ground surface.
    - 5) All pipe shall be assumed to have five percent (5%) ovality.
    - 6) Creep Retention Factor 50%.
    - 7) Constrained Soil Modulus per AASHTO LRFD Section 12 and AWWA Manual M45.
    - 8) Minimum Service Life 50 years.
    - 9) Design Safety Factor of 2.0 (1.5 for pipes 36” or larger)
7. Structural Requirements
- a. The cured pipe material shall conform to the minimum structural standards as listed below. Evidence shall be presented to demonstrate that the long-term modulus of elasticity of the cured product is no less than fifty percent (50%) of the herein specified Modulus of Elasticity (Short-term).

<u>Cured Pipe Material Test</u>	<u>Test Method</u>	<u>Minimum Value</u>
Chemical Resistance	ASTM D 543	< allowed loss
Tensile Strength	ASTM D 638	3,000 psi
Flexural Strength	ASTM D 790	4,500 psi
Flexural Modulus of Elasticity	ASTM D 790	250,000 psi
Poisson's Ratio	ASTM E 132	0.3

- b. The CIPP shall be designed as per ASTM F1216 Appendixes. The CIPP design shall assume no bonding to the original pipe wall.
- c. Any material failing to meet any of the structural standards of this specification may be rejected or may be cause for changing the material thickness if approved by the Engineer.

**PART 2 - EXECUTION**

**2.1 PREPARATORY PROCEDURES**

- A. The Contractor shall notify all homeowners on the manhole section to be lined forty-eight (48) hours in advance of the work to be done. The Contractor shall inform the homeowner of precautions necessary to prevent backup of sewage into the house. Notification shall include language that the work may extend beyond normal permitted working hours, if necessary to reinstate service laterals.

- B. The following preparatory procedures shall be adhered to unless otherwise approved by the Engineer:
1. **Cleaning of Sewer Line:** Before ordering liner materials for the project, the Contractor shall remove all internal debris from the pipe line that will interfere with the installation and the final product delivery of the CIPP, as required in these specifications, and accurately measure and document the exact size of the existing pipeline to be rehabilitated. Solid debris and deposits shall be removed from the system and disposed of properly by the Contractor. Moving material from manhole section to manhole section shall not be allowed. As applicable, the contractor shall either plug or install a flow bypass pumping system to properly clean the pipe lines. Precaution shall be taken by the Contractor in the use of cleaning equipment to avoid damage to the existing pipe. The repair of any damage, caused by the cleaning equipment, shall be the responsibility of the Contractor. The Owner will designate a site for the disposal of all debris removed from the Owner's sewer system as a direct result of the cleaning operation. Unless otherwise specified by the Owner, the Contractor shall dispose of all debris at no charge. Should any dumping fees apply, the Contractor shall be compensated at the respective unit price bid in the Proposal for cleaning.
  2. **Inspection of Sewer Line:** In accordance with the Television Inspection requirements, the Contractor shall televise the pipe with PACP certified personnel specially trained in locating breaks, obstacles, and service connections. The interior of the sewer line shall be carefully inspected to determine the location and extent of any structural failures. The location of any conditions which may prevent proper installation of the CIPP shall be noted so that such conditions can be corrected. The Contractor shall provide the Owner a copy of the pre-cleaning and post-cleaning video and suitable log, and/or in digital format, for review prior to installation of the CIPP and for later reference by the Owner.
  3. **Connections:** While televising the mainline sewer, the Contractor shall accurately measure and record the locations and positions of service connections using a fiberglass or other tape approved by the Engineer. Additionally, the Contractor shall utilize the pan and tilt capabilities of the televising equipment to determine which connections are live (active) and which are not in use. If required by the Contract documents, each connection will be dye tested to determine whether or not the connection is live or abandoned.
  4. **Bypassing Sewage:** The Contractor shall provide for the flow of existing mainline and service connection effluent around the section or sections of pipe designated for CIPP installation. With most small diameter pipelines, particularly on terminal sewers, plugging will be adequate but must be monitored on a regular basis to prevent backup of sewage into adjacent homes. Service connection effluent may be plugged only after proper notification to the affected residence and may not remain plugged overnight. Installation of the liner shall not begin until the Contractor has installed the required plugs or a sewage bypass system and all pumping facilities have been installed and tested under full operating conditions including the bypass of

mainline and side sewer flows. Once the installation has begun, existing flows shall be maintained, until the resin/tube composite is fully cured, cooled down, full televised and the CIPP ends finished. The Contractor shall coordinate sewer bypass and flow interruptions with the Owner at least 14 days in advance and with the property owners and businesses at least 1 business day in advance. The pump and bypass lines shall be of adequate capacity and size to handle peak flows. The Contractor shall submit a detail of the bypass plan and design to the Owner before proceeding with any CIPP installation. Compensation for bypass pumping and all associated plans and approvals shall be at the price bid in the Proposal. All bypassing of flow shall be performed as specified under 330130.03 - SEWER FLOW CONTROL.

5. Line Obstructions: It shall be the responsibility of the Contractor to clear the line of obstructions such as solids, dropped joints, protruding service connections, or collapsed pipe that will prevent installation. If the obstruction(s) could have been removed by bucket machines or by using conventional cleaning methods, no compensation will be granted.
  - a. Internal repairs are protruding service connections, dropped portions of pipe which can be removed or pushed back in place, and other obstructions which cannot be cleared using conventional cleaning methods, but which can be cleared from within the pipe. Such internal repairs shall be approved in writing by the Engineer prior to the commencement of the work and shall be considered as a pay item.
  - b. Point repairs are obstructions that cannot be removed by either conventional sewer cleaning equipment or by internal equipment. The Contractor shall make an excavation to expose and remove or repair the obstruction. Such excavation shall be approved in writing by the Engineer prior to the commencement of the work, shall be performed as specified under 8-inch sanitary sewer or wye/tee connection and shall be considered as a pay item.
6. Pre-Insertion Television Inspection: The Contractor shall televise and record the sewer pipe immediately before installing CIPP. This televising is to assure that the pipe is clean and existing pipe conditions are acceptable for lining. Should additional cleaning be required, it shall be provided at no additional cost to the Owner. The cost of this televising shall be included in the cost of CIPP.

## 2.2 INSTALLATION PROCEDURES

- A. General: The Contractor shall designate a location where the uncured resin in original containers and the fiber felt tube will be impregnated prior to installation. The Contractor shall provide for the Owner's inspection of the materials and impregnation procedure. A resin/catalyst system compatible with the requirements of this method shall be used. The quantities of the liquid thermosetting material shall be sufficient to provide the thickness specified herein. When a proprietary lining technique is used and the licensor's procedures for proper installation differ from these specifications, the licensor's procedures shall govern.

- B. Handling: The Contractor shall exercise care during transportation, storage and handling of the liner system to ensure that it will not be torn, cut, or otherwise damaged. The tube shall be impregnated with resin not more than twenty-four (24) hours before the proposed time of installation. Prior to insertion, the tube shall be stored and transported to the site in a refrigerated truck. The insertion shall take place no later than thirty (30) minutes after the catalyst is placed into the resin mix.
- C. Insertion: The impregnated fiber felt tube shall be inserted through an existing manhole, through the pipe to be rehabilitated, to the designated rehabilitation location. The tube shall be inserted in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- D. Temperature: Prior to installation and as recommended by the manufacturer, remote temperature gauges or sensors shall be placed inside the host pipe to monitor the temperatures during the cure cycle. Liner temperature shall be monitored and logged during curing of the liner.
- E. Inflation: The inflation/expansion pressure shall be sufficient to hold it tight to the pipe wall, to produce dimples at side connections and flared ends at manhole walls. Care shall be taken not to over stress the felt tube at the elevated curing temperatures, which may cause damage or failure prior to cure.
- F. Curing: After insertion and inflation/expansion is completed, the Contractor shall supply a suitable heat source. The equipment shall be capable of delivering heat throughout the section to raise the curing medium temperature above the recommended minimum value. This minimum temperature shall be determined by the resin/catalyst system employed. The temperature shall be maintained within the manufacturer's recommended limits for the duration of the cure period. The cure period shall be of a duration recommended by the resin manufacturer, as modified for the installation process.
- G. Cool down: The Contractor shall cool the hardened pipe to a temperature meeting the manufacturer's recommendations. Care shall be taken in the release of the pressure so that a vacuum will not be developed that could damage the newly installed pipe. Temperatures and curing data shall be monitored and recorded, by the Contractor, throughout the installation process to ensure that each phase of the process is achieved as approved in accordance with the CIPP System manufacturer's recommendations.
- H. Finish: The installed CIPP shall be continuous over the entire length of a sewer line section and be free from visual defects such as foreign inclusions, dry spots, pinholes, major wrinkles and delamination. The CIPP shall be impervious and free of any leakage through the CIPP wall.

Any defect which will or could affect the structural integrity or strength of the CIPP shall be repaired at the Contractor's expense.
- I. The Contractor shall seal both ends of the CIPP in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations for the field conditions. If, due to broken or misaligned sewer pipe at manhole walls, the installed pipe fails to make a tight seal, the Contractor shall apply a sealant at that point. The sealant shall be of a resin mixture compatible with that used in the CIPP process. The end shall be sealed for a distance of at least (1) pipe diameter inside the host pipe.

If any of the service connections leak water between the host pipe and the installed CIPP, the connection mainline interface shall be sealed to provide a water tight connection.

- J. Void Areas: Where required by the owner, where necessary in order to assure a structurally sound pipe, or where necessary for the successful CIPP Lining installation, the contractor shall backfill voids that remain after installation of CIPP. The material shall be of the flowable fill type and shall be injected into the void while removing all trapped air from the void. The contractor shall submit the proposed method of placing the flowable fill, including pressures that will not collapse the CIPP and air release method to be employed, to the owner for review before any material is installed. The cost of this work shall be at the unit price bid for flowable fill complete and include all material, equipment and labor to complete the filling of the void.
- K. Testing: After the installation procedures have been performed and curing is complete, but before any service are reinstated, the Contractor shall conduct a leakage test on the sewer line to determine if it is watertight.
1. For water cured liners, the test shall be conducted by using the existing hydrostatic head provided by the standpipe. The test time shall be fifteen (15) minutes, during which time no makeup water shall be added to the standpipe. If at the end of the test period, no significant water loss is observed in the standpipe, the watertightness of the cured-in-place pipe will be considered satisfactory.
  2. For air or steam cured liners, the test shall be conducted by removing the bladder and plugging both ends of the cured pipe. The pipe shall then be pressurized with air to a test pressure of one-half (1/2) psi per vertical foot of pipe depth (not exceeding a test pressure of ten (10) psi). The air flow shall be stopped. If the required pressure can be developed and if the pressure decays by less than one (1) psi within four (4) minutes, the watertightness of the liner pipe will be considered satisfactory.
- L. Service Connection Reinstatement: After testing, the Contractor shall reinstate the existing live service connections. This shall generally be done without excavation, from the interior of the pipe by means of a television camera and a remotely controlled cutting device. The work shall be performed by experienced operators so that no blind holes are made in the CIPP. The openings of the existing live service connections shall be cut to not less than ninety percent (90%) of their original size. The opening shall not be more than 100% of the service connection opening. All cuts shall be free of burrs, frayed edges, or any restriction preventing free flow of the sewage. Excessive cuts, wrong holes, or trial cuts shall not be made and must be repaired at no cost to the Owner to the full satisfaction of the Engineer. In all cases, the invert of the lateral connection shall be cut flush with the invert entering the mainline to eliminate debris build-up.

A seal, consisting of a resin mixture or hydrophilic seal compatible with the installed CIPP, shall be applied at manhole/wall interface in accordance with the CIPP System manufacturer's recommendations.

Reconnections of existing services shall be made after the CIPP has been installed, fully cured, and cooled down. It is the Contractor's responsibility to make sure that all active service connections are reconnected.



External reconnections are to be made with a tee fitting in accordance with CIPP System manufacturer's recommendations. Saddle connections shall be seated and sealed to the new CIPP using grout or resin compatible with the CIPP.

Coupons of pipe material resulting from service tap cutting shall be collected at the next manhole downstream of the pipe rehabilitation operation prior to leaving the site. Coupons may not be allowed to pass through the system.

## 2.3 FINAL ACCEPTANCE

- A. Finish: The finished pipe shall be continuous over the entire length of sewer run between two manholes and be free from significant defects.
  - 1. Any defects which will affect, the intended use, integrity or strength of the pipe shall be repaired, at the Contractor's expense, in a manner mutually agreed by the Owner and the Contractor.
- B. Inspection: After the work is completed, the Contractor shall provide the Owner with a videotape showing both the before and after conditions, including the reinstated service connections.
- C. Cleanup: After the installation work has been completed and all testing acceptable, the Contractor shall clean up the entire project area. All excess material and debris not incorporated into the permanent installation shall be disposed of by the Contractor.

END OF SECTION 330130.72

## SECTION 333100 - SANITARY SEWER SYSTEM

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 SUMMARY

- A. Furnishing all labor, materials, tools, equipment, and services for all sanitary sewers as shown on the Drawings.
- B. Although such is not specifically indicated, furnish and install all supplementary or miscellaneous items, appurtenances, and devices incidental to or necessary for a functional and complete installation.

#### 1.2 RELATED DOCUMENTS AND SECTIONS

- A. Section 013319 – Field Testing Requirements
- B. Section 310000 – Earthwork

#### 1.3 PRODUCTS INSTALLED BUT NOT FURNISHED UNDER THIS SECTION

- A. Granular pipe bedding and cover material specified in Section 310000 - Earthwork
- B. Special backfill material specified in Section 310000 - Earthwork

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data
  - 1. PVC pipe, each type specified
  - 2. Ductile iron pipe
  - 3. Polypropylene dual wall pipe
  - 4. Manhole castings
  - 5. Precast concrete manholes
  - 6. Manhole steps
- B. Shop Drawings
  - 1. Precast concrete manholes showing:
    - a. Orientation plan for each manhole or inlet indicating where all pipes connect.
    - b. The size and elevation of connecting pipes.
    - c. Details of drop connections.
    - d. Invert concrete channeling details.
    - e. Pipe to manhole connection details.
    - f. Casting and step orientation.

- C. Quality Control Submittals
  - 1. Design Data
  - 2. Test Reports
  - 3. Certificates
    - a. Evidence of current membership in specified manufacturer's associations.
    - b. Evidence of ODOT precertification for the manufacturing RCP pipe.
    - c. Evidence of National Precast Concrete Association (NPCA) certification for the manufacture of precast concrete manholes.
  - 4. Manufacturers' Instructions
- D. Contract Closeout Submittals
  - 1. Project Record Documents
  - 2. Operation and Maintenance

## 1.5 REFERENCES

- A. ASTM A-48 Standard Specification for Gray Iron Castings.
- B. ASTM C-12 Standard Practice for Installing Vitrified Clay Pipe Lines.
- C. ASTM C-76 Standard Specification for Reinforced Concrete Culvert, Storm Drain, and Sewer Pipe.
- D. ASTM C-150 Standard Specification for Portland Cement.
- E. ASTM C-270 Standard Specification for Mortar for Unit Masonry.
- F. ASTM C-425 Standard Specification for Compression Joints for Vitrified Clay Pipe and Fittings.
- G. ASTM C-443 Standard Specifications for Joints for Concrete Pipe and Manholes, Using Rubber Gaskets.
- H. ASTM C-478 Standard Specifications for Precast Reinforced Concrete Manhole Sections.
- I. ASTM C-700 Standard Specification for Vitrified Clay Pipe, Extra Strength, Standard Strength, and Perforated.
- J. ASTM C-990 Standard Specification for Joints for Concrete Pipe, Manholes, and Precast Box Sections Using Preformed Flexible Joint Sealants.
- K. ASTM C-1173 Standard Specification for Flexible Transition Couplings for Underground Piping Systems.
- L. ASTM D-2321 Standard Practice for Underground Installation of Flexible Thermoplastic Sewer Pipe.

- M. ASTM D-3034 Standard Specification for Type PSM Poly(Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Sewer Pipe and Fittings.
- N. ASTM D-3212 Standard Specification for Joints for Drain and Sewer Plastic Pipes Using Flexible Elastomeric Seals.
- O. ASTM F-477 Standard Specification for Elastomeric Seals (Gaskets) for Joining Plastic Pipe.
- P. ASTM F-679 Standard Specification for Poly(Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Large Diameter Plastic Gravity Sewer Pipe and Fittings.
- Q. ANSI/AWWA C111/A21.11 American National Standard for Rubber-Gasket Joints for Ductile-Iron and Gray-Iron Pressure Pipe and Fittings.
- R. ANSI/AWWA C151/A21.51 American National Standard for Ductile-Iron Pipe, Centrifugally Cast in Metal Molds or Sand-Lined Molds, for Water and Other Liquids.
- S. AWWA C900 Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Pressure Pipe, 4 in. Through 12 in., for Water Distribution.

#### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Qualifications - Work shall be performed by personal meeting requirements identified in section 014323 – Qualifications of Tradesmen.
- B. Certifications – The Contractor shall provide certification that all materials meet requirements identified in plans, specifications, and bid/contract documents.
- C. Field Testing – All pipe and manhole testing shall be in accordance with testing requirements detailed within this section, section – Field Testing Requirements, and Cuyahoga County Department of Public Works “Uniform Standards for Sewage Improvements.
- D. Pre-Construction Meeting – The Contractor, Engineer, and Owner shall meet at a minimum ten (10) business days prior to the mobilization of equipment and materials to the project site. No work shall commence until a pre-construction meeting is held and the work plan by the Contractor is approved by the Engineer.

#### 1.7 PROJECT CONDITIONS

- A. Environmental Requirements
  - 1. All work shall be performed in accordance with erosion control and stormwater pollution prevention measures detailed in the plans.
- B. Existing Conditions
  - 1. Verify locations of underground utilities.
  - 2. Protect existing structures and utilities from damage. Repair if damaged by this work.
  - 3. Do not change pipe sizes without securing written approval of Engineer.

C. Field Measurements

1. If it becomes necessary to change location of sanitary sewer lines due to underground utility interference, secure approval of Engineer.
2. If Contractor initiated, make changes approved by the Engineer without added cost to Owner.

1.8 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Deliver products to the site, store and protect under provisions of Section 016600 - Product Handling and Protection.
- B. Acceptance at Site
  1. All material and all equipment shall be subject to visual inspection and acceptance or rejection after delivery to the site of the work. All rejected material shall immediately be removed from the site.

1.9 SEQUENCING AND SCHEDULING

- A. Perform no pipe work in fill areas until embankment or fill has been completed to at least two (2) feet above proposed top of pipe and fill has been properly compacted.

PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 PIPE

- A. Polyvinyl Chloride Pipe (PVC) 4" - 15" Diameter
  1. All polyvinyl chloride pipe in this size range shall conform to ASTM F-949, SDR 26, shall be integral bell and spigot type, with joints conforming to ASTM D-3212 and elastomeric seals conforming to ASTM F-477.
  2. All pipe and fittings shall be marked or stenciled in conformance with ASTM D-3034. All gaskets shall be marked or stenciled with the ASTM specification designation, name or trademark of the manufacturer, and pipe size.
  3. Acceptable manufacturers shall be current members of the Uni-Bell Plastic Pipe Association.

2.2 PRECAST CONCRETE MANHOLES

- A. All precast manhole units shall be manufactured in accordance with the provisions of ASTM C-478.
- B. Joints between manhole units shall be gasketed and shall comply with the requirements of ASTM C-443. All gaskets shall be marked or stenciled with the ASTM specification designation, name or trademark of the manufacturer, and pipe size.
- C. The standard length of riser units shall be 48 inches. Lengths of 32 inches or 16 inches shall be used to meet required dimensions.

- D. Openings for connecting pipes in riser units, bottom riser units, integral base units, and for access in flat slabs shall be preformed or cored by the manufacturer. Cut-out openings shall be made immediately after the pipe is removed from the casting form.
- E. Connectors between new precast concrete manholes and pipes shall be made by casting the connector integrally with the manhole wall. The connectors shall be composed of EPDM with stainless steel take down bands for compressing the connector against the outside diameter of the pipe. The connectors shall comply with the requirements of ASTM C-923, and shall be "Z-Lok" Type as manufactured by A-Lok Products; or an approved equivalent.
- F. All openings in existing manholes shall be field cored and shall have mechanical connectors complying with the requirements of ASTM C-923 and shall be equal to Kor-N-Seal as manufactured by NPC, Inc., Milford, NH.
- G. Annular spaces at pipe entrances shall be field sealed with a one component, hydraulic cement based, fast setting repair mortar equal to Thoro Products Waterplug as manufactured by ChemRex Inc., Shakopee, MN.
- H. The top four (4) inches to twelve (12) inches of the manhole shall provide for adjustment of casting to grade. Adjustment shall be through the use of a maximum of two (2) precast concrete adjusting collars.
- I. Where pressure tight manhole frames and covers are specified, threaded inserts shall be cast in eccentric cones or flat slab tops, and holes formed or cored in adjusting rings to match bolt size and spacing specified for manhole casting.
- J. Where required by the drawings, manhole coatings shall be an acrylic modified cementitious, high-build, waterproof coating equal to Thoroseal Foundation Coating as manufactured by ChemRex Inc., Shakopee, MN.
- K. Precast concrete shall be manufactured by an NPCA certified plant.

### 2.3 MANHOLE STEPS

- A. All steps shall be minimum of twelve (12) inches in width with safety side lugs to prevent slipping and shall conform to the latest OSHA requirements. Manhole steps shall be of polypropylene plastic reinforced with a 3/8", No. 60 grade epoxy coated reinforcing rod.
- B. Manhole steps shall conform to the requirements of ASTM C-478.
- C. Acceptable manufacturers are:
  - 1. American Step Company, Inc.
  - 2. Lane International, Inc.
  - 3. M. A. Industries, Inc.

## 2.4 CASTINGS

- A. All castings shall be true to pattern and free from cracks, gas holes, flaws and excessive shrinkage. Surfaces shall be free from burnt-on sand and shall be reasonably smooth. Runners, fins, risers and other cast-on pieces shall be removed. Castings for manhole frames and covers and for any other purpose under these specifications shall conform to all the requirements for Class No. 30B for Gray Iron Castings of the ASTM A-48/A-48M. All castings shall be commercially machineable and, in the case of manholes, the frame and cover shall be so machined that it will be impossible to rock the cover after it has been seated in the proper position in the frame.
  - 1. Manhole frames and covers shall be as detailed on the Drawings.
  - 2. Frame and cover shall be painted with one coat of the manufacturer's standard asphaltum paint.

## 2.5 MASONRY MORTAR

- A. Mortar shall conform to ASTM C-270, Type M, but shall not contain masonry cement.
- B. Mortar shall be UltraMortar Type M as manufactured by UltraKote Products, Inc. or Lafarge Mortar Cement, Type M as manufactured by Lafarge Corporation, or approved equal.
- C. Only sufficient mortar shall be prepared for immediate use, and any mortar that has set shall not be retempered or used in the work.
- D. Setting accelerators or anti-freeze compounds shall not be used.

## 2.6 MANHOLE ENCAPSULATION MATERIALS

- A. Manhole encapsulation material shall be irradiated and cross-linked polyethylene impermeable backing, coated with protective heat-activated adhesive. Material width shall be sufficient to extend 4-inches below the cone unit-grade ring joint and 4-inches above the grade ring-frame joint.
- B. The manhole encapsulation material shall be as manufactured by Canusa, Division of Shaw Resources Inc., The Woodlands, TX or equal.
- C. Primer shall be as recommended by the manufacturer.

## 2.7 PREFORMED BUTYL MASTIC SEALANT

- A. Preformed butyl mastic sealant material shall be furnished in 1-inch wide strips conforming to the requirement of ASTM C-990.
- B. The butyl mastic sealant shall be Bidco C-56 as manufactured by Bidco Sealants, Inc., Park Hills, MO or equal.

## 2.8 COUPLINGS

- A. Couplings for connecting dissimilar pipe materials or pipe sizes shall be a rubber type coupling with a sealing "O" ring under each of two sealing clamp bands and a Type 316 stainless steel shear ring. Coupling shall be manufactured with natural and synthetic rubbers conforming to ASTM C 425 and ASTM C 1173.
- B. Coupling shall be Flex-Seal Adjustable Repair Coupling as manufactured by the Mission Rubber Company, Corona, CA, or approved equal.

## PART 3 - INSTALLATION

### 3.1 ALIGNMENT AND GRADE

- A. Horizontal and Vertical Control
  - 1. All horizontal and vertical control required for the complete layout and performance of the Work under this contract shall be done by a registered surveyor at the Contractor's expense, and any observations by the Engineer of the Contractor's methods will not relieve the Contractor of his responsibility.
  - 2. The Contractor shall be solely responsible for the accuracy of all horizontal and vertical control.
- B. Alignment and grade shall be established by means of a laser beam.
- C. The Contractor shall furnish all material and labor to establish line and grade of the generated laser beam from the benchmarks and control points indicated on the Drawings. The laser shall be securely anchored and checked periodically by the Contractor. The laser calibration shall be demonstrated when requested by the Engineer. Strict adherence to the manufacturer's operation procedure shall be observed. Only qualified and trained employees may be assigned to install, adjust, or operate laser equipment, and proof of qualifications of the equipment operator must be available at all times. Areas in which lasers are used must be posted with standard laser warning placards, and the laser beam shall be turned off when not needed. During rain, snow, dust, excessive heat, or fog the operation of laser systems shall be prohibited where practicable because of beam scatter.

### 3.2 PIPE INSTALLATION

- A. All pipe installation shall conform to the trench and bedding details shown on the Drawings.
- B. PVC and Polypropylene Dual Wall pipe shall be installed in full compliance with ASTM D-2321.
- C. Only one type and strength of pipe shall be used between any two consecutive manholes, unless otherwise shown on the Drawings.



- D. After the trench has been excavated and the pipe bedded , the pipe shall be laid to the line and grade as shown on the Drawings. All joints shall be made as hereinafter specified. In no case shall any material except bedding material be placed under the bell of the pipe to secure proper grade.
- E. Prior to being lowered into the trench, each pipe shall be carefully inspected and those which are damaged or not meeting the specified requirements shall be rejected and clearly marked as rejected and removed from the Work. Satisfactory means shall be used to hold the pipe in line until embedment of pipe is complete. Precautions shall be taken to insure that the spigot end of the pipe being laid is pushed the proper depth into the bell of the preceding pipe.
- F. All conduit shall be laid starting at the outlet end and laid with the bell end upstream.
- G. In no case shall more than thirty (30) feet of trench be opened in advance of the pipe laying operations.
- H. Conduit shall not be laid in water, mud, or any otherwise unsuitable trench. No drainage shall run through the newly laid pipe. All sewers shall be temporarily capped with a watertight seal at the open ends at the completion of each day's work and no drainage water shall be permitted to flow through the sewer.
- I. All trenches and excavations shall be backfilled as specified as soon as possible after the pipe is laid and jointed. Where concrete encasement or cradle is used, pipe shall not be backfilled for at least twenty four (24) hours after placing concrete except that pipe may be covered to a depth of not to exceed sixteen (16) inches over the top of the pipe.

### 3.3 JOINTING

- A. Polyvinyl Chloride (PVC) Pipe and Polypropylene Dual Wall Pipe
  1. Dust, dirt and foreign matter shall be removed from joint surfaces. When jointing pipe using the required compression type joint, a lubricant recommended by the gasket manufacturer shall be used. The gasket shall be lubricated by drawing it through lubricant held in the hand of the worker, thus coating the entire surface of the gasket.
  2. When laying the pipe in concrete bedding, care shall be exercised to prevent the joint materials from coming in contact with the fresh concrete until after the joint has been completed.

### 3.4 PERMISSIBLE DEFLECTION AT JOINTS

- A. No pipe deflections or springing of joints, to effect a change in direction will be allowed, except by permission or direction of the Engineer, or as shown on the Drawings. Any permitted or directed deflection shall be a maximum of 80 percent of the allowable deflection value established by the pipe manufacturer.

### 3.5 MANHOLES

- A. Build each manhole to dimensions shown on Drawings and at such elevation that pipe sections built into wall of manhole will be true extensions of line of pipe.
- B. Set frames for manholes, within areas to be paved, to final grade. In asphalt pavement, surround frames set to grade with a ring of compacted asphalt concrete base material immediately after backfilling operations are complete. Place asphalt concrete mixture up to one (1) inch below top of frame, slope to grade, and compact with hand tamp.
- C. Precast bases shall be placed on a bed of crushed gravel or crushed limestone, meeting AASHTO M 43 gradation, having a minimum thickness of three (3) inches. The bedding shall be compacted and provide uniform support for the entire area of the base.
- D. Provision shall be made for a minimum of four (4) inches and a maximum of twelve (12) inches of precast concrete grade rings between the uppermost precast section and the bottom of the cast iron manhole frame in order to set manhole cover to grade.
- E. No more than two lifting holes or other lifting devices shall be utilized for handling the precast sections. All lifting holes shall be acceptably sealed with a hydraulic cement based, fast setting repair mortar, meeting the requirements of Article 2.2 of this Section, prior to backfilling around the manhole.
- F. Inverts shall be formed to the equivalent of half-pipes in concrete and as follows:
  - 1. Carry concrete out to the manhole wall with a slope of  $\frac{1}{2}$  in./ft. from the top of the half-pipe.
  - 2. The bottoms of all manholes shall be channeled to conduct flow in the planned direction. Channels shall be the true shape of the lower half of the sewer pipe and shall match inverts of connecting pipe at the manhole wall.

### 3.6 DROP MANHOLES

- A. Where shown on the plans, drop manholes shall be built in accordance with the Drawings.

### 3.7 MAINTAINING SEWAGE FLOW

- A. The Contractor shall be required to maintain the flow in all existing live sewers during construction and the method employed shall be approved by the Engineer.

### 3.8 REPLACING, MOVING AND REPAIRING OF EXISTING UTILITIES

- A. The Contractor shall replace, move, support, or repair and maintain all pipes for water, steam, air or gas, and all wire conduit(s), and all other structures encountered in the work and repair all damage done to any of the said structures and appurtenances through his acts or neglect and shall keep them in repair during the life of the Contract. The Contractor shall in all cases leave them in as good condition as they were previous to the commencement of the work and to the full satisfaction of the Owner.

### 3.9 CONNECTION TO EXISTING SEWER SYSTEM

- A. The Contractor shall make connections to the existing sewer system as shown on the Drawings. The connections shall be made by the Contractor at such hours that will cause the least disturbance to the flow in the existing sewer system. The Contractor, however, shall notify the Engineer at least five working days in advance of the time he desires to make the connections and no such connections shall be made until the permission of the Engineer is obtained.

### 3.10 CLEAN-UP

- A. Before final acceptance for the Work, the Contractor shall clear the sewers of any mortar, dirt or other refuse that may have been left or accumulated in the sewers. All manholes and other structures shall be cleared of all forms, scaffolding, bulkheads, centering, surplus mortar, rubbish or dirt and left in a clean and proper condition.

### 3.11 DEFECTS TO BE MADE GOOD

- A. If, at any time before the completion of the contract, any broken pipes, or any defects, are found in the sanitary sewers or in any of their appurtenances, the Contractor shall cause the same to be removed and replaced by proper material and workmanship, without extra compensation for the labor and material required. All materials shall be carefully examined by the Contractor for defects before placing and any found defective shall not be placed in the line.

END OF SECTION 333100