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# ADDENDUM ACKNOWLEDGMENT

Each bidder is required to acknowledge receipt of an addendum issued for a specific project. This page is provided for the purpose of acknowledging an addendum.

FAILURE TO ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF AN ADDENDUM WILL RESULT IN THE BID NOT BEING READ.

In order to properly acknowledge an addendum place a mark in the box next to the respective addendum.



In addition, the bidder by affixing their signature to the signature page of the proposal is acknowledging that they have taken the addendum(s) into consideration when preparing their bid and that the information contained in the addendum will be included in the contract, if awarded by the Commission or other designees.

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# PROPOSAL TO THE TEXAS TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

#### **2014 SPECIFICATIONS**

### WORK CONSISTING OF PAVEMENT MARKINGS EL PASO COUNTY, TEXAS

The quantities in the proposal are approximate. The quantities of work and materials may be increased or decreased as considered necessary to complete the work as planned and contemplated.

This project is to be completed in 365 calendar days and will be accepted when fully completed and finished to the satisfaction of the Executive Director or designee.

Provide a proposal guaranty in the form of a Cashier's Check, Teller's Check (including an Official Check) or Bank Money Order on a State or National Bank or Savings and Loan Association, or State or Federally chartered Credit Union made payable to the Texas Transportation Commission in the following amount:

ELEVEN THOUSAND (Dollars) ( \$11,000)

A bid bond may be used as the required proposal guaranty. The bond form may be detached from the proposal for completion. The proposal may not be disassembled to remove the bond form. The bond must be in accordance with Item 2 of the specifications.

Any addenda issued amending this proposal and/or the plans that have been acknowledged by the bidder, become part of this proposal.

By signing the proposal the bidder certifies:

- 1. the only persons or parties interested in this proposal are those named and the bidder has not directly or indirectly participated in collusion, entered into an agreement or otherwise taken any action in restraint of free competitive bidding in connection with the above captioned project.
- 2. in the event of the award of a contract, the organization represented will secure bonds for the full amount of the contract.
- 3. the signatory represents and warrants that they are an authorized signatory for the organization for which the bid is submitted and they have full and complete authority to submit this bid on behalf of their firm.
- 4. that the certifications and representations contained in the proposal are true and accurate and the bidder intends the proposal to be taken as a genuine government record.
- Signed: \*\*

(1)	_(2)	_(3)
Print Name:		
(1)	_(2)	_(3)
Title: (1)	_(2)	_(3)
Company: (1)	_(2)	_(3)

• Signatures to comply with Item 2 of the specifications.

\*\*Note: Complete (1) for single venture, through (2) for joint venture and through (3) for triple venture.

\* When the calendar days field contains an asterisk (\*) refer to the Special Provisions and General Notes.

# NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

ANY CONTRACTORS INTENDING TO BID ON ANY WORK TO BE AWARDED BY THIS DEPARTMENT MUST SUBMIT A SATISFACTORY "AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENT" AND "EXPERIENCE QUESTIONNAIRE" AT LEAST TEN DAYS PRIOR TO THE LETTING DATE.

UNIT PRICES MUST BE SUBMITTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITEM 2 OF THE STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS OR SPECIAL PROVISION TO ITEM 2 FOR EACH ITEM LISTED IN THIS PROPOSAL.

BID BOND									
KNOW ALL PERSC	ONS BY THESE F	PRESENTS,							
That we, (Contractor	r Name)								
Hereinafter called the		urety Name)							
Surety, are held and f the sum of not less th thousand dollars, not displayed on the cove	irmly bound unto an two percent (2 to exceed one hun er of the proposal) ourselves, our heir	o transact surety business in the State of the Texas Department of Transportatio %) of the department's engineer's estim adred thousand dollars (\$100,000) as a , the payment of which sum will and the rs, executors, administrators, successor	n, hereinafter called the Oblig nate, rounded to the nearest of proposal guaranty (amount uly be made, the said Princip						
WHEREAS, the prin	cipal has submitte	d a bid for the following project identi	fied as:						
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	Highway County	IH0010 EL PASO							
the Contract in writin void. If in the event	g with the Obliged of failure of the Pr ne the property of	all award the Contract to the Principal e in accordance with the terms of such incipal to execute such Contract in acc the Obligee, without recourse of the F	bid, then this bond shall be nu cordance with the terms of suc						
Signed this		Day of	20						
D									
Ву:		(Contractor/Principal Name)							
<u></u>	_	d Title of Authorized Signatory for Contractor/	Principal)						
		(Surety Name)							
		(Signature of Attorney-in-Fact)	Impressed Surgety Soci						
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### **BIDDER'S CHECK RETURN**

#### **IMPORTANT**

The space provided for the return address must be completed to facilitate the return of your bidder's check. Care must be taken to provide a legible, accurate, and <u>complete</u> return address, including zip code. A copy of this sheet should be used for each different return address.

#### NOTE

#### Successful bidders will receive their guaranty checks with the executed contract.

RETURN BIDDERS CHECK TO (PLEASE PRINT):

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#### IMPORTANT

#### PLEASE RETURN THIS SHEET IN ITS ENTIRETY

Please acknowledge receipt of this check(s) at your earliest convenience by signing below in longhand, in ink, and returning this acknowledgement in the enclosed self addressed envelope.

Check Received By:	Date:
Title:	
For (Contractor's Name):	
Project	County

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# NOTICE TO THE BIDDER

In the space provided below, please enter your total bid amount for this project. Only this figure will be read publicly by the Department at the public bid opening.

It is understood and agreed by the bidder in signing this proposal that the total bid amount entered below is not binding on either the bidder or the Department. It is further agreed that **the official total bid amount for this proposal will be determined by multiplying** <u>the unit bid prices</u> **for each pay item by the respective estimated quantities** <u>shown in this proposal</u> and then totaling all of the extended amounts.

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**Total Bid Amount** 

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ALT	ITEM	DESC	SP	Bid Item Description	Unit	Quantity	Bid Price	Amount	Seq
	104	509		REMOV CONC (SDWLK)	SY	266.400	\$10.000	\$2,664.00	1
						Total Bid Amo	unt\$2,6	64.00	-
Signe	d								

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Title	
Date	

Additional Signature for Joint Venture:

Signed	
Title	
Date	

# EXAMPLE OF BID PRICES SUBMITTED BY COMPUTER PRINTOUT



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	ITEM-CODE		DE				DEPT
ALT	ITEM NO	DESC CODE	S.P. NO.	UNIT BID PRICE ONLY. WRITTEN IN WORDS	UNIT	APPROX QUANTITIES	USE ONLY
	500	6003		MOBILIZATION (CALLOUT 1)	EA	7.000	1
				DOLLAR	S		
				and CENTS			
	666	6006	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I (W)4"(DOT)(100MIL)	LF	5,000.000	2
				DOLLAR	S		
				and CENTS			
	666	6018	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I (W)6"(DOT)(100MIL)	LF	1,000.000	3
				DOLLAR	S		
				and CENTS			
	666	6030	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I (W)8"(DOT)(100MIL)	LF	1,000.000	4
				DOLLAR	S		
		6026	007	and CENTS		100.000.000	~
	666	6036	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I (W)8"(SLD)(100MIL)	LF	100,000.000	5
				and DOLLAR CENTS	5		
	(((	(0.42	007			1 (00 000	6
	666	6042	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I (W)12"(SLD)(100MIL) DOLLAR	LF S	1,600.000	6
				and CENTS	3		
	666	6045	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I (W)18"(SLD)(100MIL)	LF	500.000	7
	000	0045	007	DOLLAR		500.000	,
				and CENTS			
	666	6048	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I (W)24"(SLD)(100MIL)	LF	630.000	8
	000	0010	007	DOLLAR			0
				and CENTS			
	666	6054	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I (W)(ARROW)(100MIL	) EA	20.000	9
				DOLLAR	S		
				and CENTS			
	666	6057	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I(W)(DBL	EA	2.000	10
				ARROW)(100MIL)			
				DOLLAR	S		
				and CENTS			
	666	6063	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I(W)(UTURN	EA	1.000	11
				ARW)(100MIL)			
				DOLLAR	S		
				and CENTS			

	ITEM-CODE						DEPT
ALT	ITEM NO	DESC CODE	S.P. NO.	UNIT BID PRICE ONLY. WRITTEN IN WORDS	UNIT	APPROX QUANTITIES	USE ONLY
	666	6078	007		LLARS	12.000	12
					NTS		
	666	6081	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I(W)(ENTR GORE)(100MIL)	EA	8.000	13
					LLARS NTS		
	666	6084	007	REFL PAV MRK TY I(W)(EXIT GORE)(100MIL)	EA	10.000	14
					LLARS NTS		
	666	6123	007		MIL) LF LLARS NTS	1,000.000	15
	666	6147	007		MIL) LF LLARS NTS	820.000	16
	666	6167	007		LF LLARS NTS	5,000.000	17
	666	6168	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) 4" (DOT) DO	LF LLARS NTS	5,000.000	18
	666	6170	007		LF LLARS NTS	66,000.000	19
	666	6171	007		LF LLARS NTS	5,000.000	20
	666	6172	007		LF LLARS NTS	1,000.000	21
	666	6174	007		LF LLARS NTS	5,000.000	22
	666	6176	007		LF LLARS NTS	1,000.000	23

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ALT	ITEM NO	DESC CODE	S.P. NO.	UNIT BID PRICE ONLY. WRITTEN IN WORDS	UNIT	APPROX QUANTITIES	USE ONLY
	666	6178	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) 8" (SLD)	LF	5,000.000	24
				and DOLLARS			
	666	6180	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) 12" (SLD) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	1,000.000	25
	666	6181	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) 18" (SLD) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	500.000	26
	666	6182	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) 24" (SLD) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	1,000.000	27
	666	6184	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) (ARROW) DOLLARS and CENTS	EA	2.000	28
	666	6185	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) (DBL ARROW) DOLLARS and CENTS	EA	1.000	29
	666	6187	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) (UTURN ARROW) DOLLARS and CENTS	EA	2.000	30
	666	6192	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) (WORD) DOLLARS and CENTS	EA	2.000	31
	666	6193	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) (ENTR GORE) DOLLARS and CENTS	EA	5.000	32
	666	6194	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (W) (EXIT GORE) DOLLARS and CENTS	EA	5.000	33
	666	6205	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (Y) 4" (BRK) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	25,000.000	34
	666	6206	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (Y) 4" (DOT) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	500.000	35

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ALT	ITEM NO	DESC CODE	S.P. NO.	UNIT BID PRICE ONLY. WRITTEN IN WORDS	UNIT	APPROX QUANTITIES	USE ONLY
	666	6207	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (Y) 4" (SLD)	LF	132,000.000	36
				and DOLLARS			
	666	6210	007	REFL PAV MRK TY II (Y) 6" (SLD) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	500.000	37
	666	6214	007	and     CENTS       REFL PAV MRK TY II (Y) 24" (SLD)     DOLLARS       and     CENTS	LF	500.000	38
	666	6300	007	RE PM W/RET REQ TY I (W)4"(BRK)(100MIL) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	10,000.000	39
	666	6303	007	RE PM W/RET REQ TY I (W)4"(SLD)(100MIL) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	3,000.000	40
	666	6306	007	RE PM W/RET REQ TY I (W)6"(BRK)(100MIL) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	38,000.000	41
	666	6309	007	RE PM W/RET REQ TY I (W)6"(SLD)(100MIL) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	3,500.000	42
	666	6312	007	RE PM W/RET REQ TY I (Y)4"(BRK)(100MIL) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	10,000.000	43
	666	6315	007	RE PM W/RET REQ TY I (Y)4"(SLD)(100MIL) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	400,000.000	44
	666	6318	007	RE PM W/RET REQ TY I (Y)6"(BRK)(100MIL) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	20,000.000	45
	666	6321	007	RE PM W/RET REQ TY I (Y)6"(SLD)(100MIL) DOLLARS and CENTS	LF	45,000.000	46
	672	6007		REFL PAV MRKR TY I-C DOLLARS and CENTS	EA	1,000.000	47

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ALT	ITEM NO	DESC CODE					APPROX QUANTITIES	USE ONLY
	672	6009		REFL PAV MRKR TY II-A-A		EA	7,500.000	48
					OOLLARS			
				and C	CENTS			
	672	6010		REFL PAV MRKR TY II-C-R		EA	1,000.000	49
					DOLLARS			
					CENTS			
	677	6001		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (4")		LF	20,000.000	50
					DOLLARS			
					CENTS			
	677	6002		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (6")		LF	5,000.000	51
					DOLLARS			
					CENTS	LF		
	677	6003		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (8")			4,000.000	52
					DOLLARS			
					CENTS			
	677	6005		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (12")		LF	4,000.000	53
					DOLLARS			
		6006			CENTS		<b>7</b> 00.000	
	677	6006		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (18")		LF	500.000	54
					DOLLARS CENTS			
	(77	6007				LE	1 500 000	55
	677	6007		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (24")	) DOLLARS	LF	1,500.000	55
					CENTS			
	677	6008		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (AR		EA	5.000	56
	077	0008			DOLLARS	LA	5.000	50
					CENTS			
	677	6009		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (DB)		EA	5.000	57
	0//	0007			DOLLARS		5.000	57
					CENTS			
	677	6012		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (WC		EA	5.000	58
	011	0012			DOLLARS	<b>1</b> /1	5.000	
					CENTS			
	677	6013		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (EN		EA	2.000	59
					DOLLARS			
					CENTS			

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	677	6014		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (E	XIT GORE)	EA	2.000	60
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	677	6036		ELIM EXT PAV MRK & MRKS (U	JTURN	EA	2.000	61
				ARROW)				
				and	DOLLARS CENTS			
	678	6001		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (4")	CENTS	LF	20,000.000	62
	078	0001		FAV SURF FREF FOR MRR (4)	DOLLARS	LF	20,000.000	02
				and	CENTS			
	678	6002		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (6")		LF	4,000.000	63
	010	0002			DOLLARS		.,	
				and	CENTS			
	678	6004		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (8")		LF	4,000.000	64
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	678	6006		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (12")		LF	4,000.000	65
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	678	6007		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (18")		LF	500.000	66
				and	DOLLARS CENTS			
	678	6008		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (24")	CENTS	LF	1,250.000	67
	078	0008		FAV SURFFREFFOR MICK (24)	DOLLARS	LI	1,230.000	07
				and	CENTS			
	678	6009		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (ARR		EA	5.000	68
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	678	6010		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (DBL	ARROW)	EA	10.000	69
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	678	6012		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (UTU		EA	2.000	70
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	678	6016		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (WOI		EA	5.000	71
				and	DOLLARS CENTS			
				anu	CENTS			

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ALT	ITEM NO	DESC CODE	S.P. NO.	UNIT BID PRICE ONLY. WRITTEN IN WORDS		UNIT	APPROX QUANTITIES	USE ONLY
	678	6017		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (EN	TR GORE)	EA	2.000	72
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	678	6018		PAV SURF PREP FOR MRK (EX	·	EA	2.000	73
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	6001	6001		PORTABLE CHANGEABLE ME		DAY	2.000	74
				and	DOLLARS CENTS			
	(150	<u> </u>		and TMSP RADAR SPEED CONTRO		E A	1.000	75
	6158	6001		IMSP RADAR SPEED CONTRO	DOLLARS	EA	1.000	75
				and	CENTS			
	6185	6003	002	TMA (MOBILE OPERATION)	CLIVIS	HR	300.000	76
	0105	0005	002		DOLLARS	IIIX	500.000	70
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6001		1 LN CLOSURE 2 LN RD NO SH	IOULDERS	HR	2.000	77
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6002		1 LN CLOSURE 2 LN RD PAVEI	O SHOULDERS	HR	40.000	78
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6003		1 LN CLOSURE 4 LN RD		HR	2.000	79
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6004		2 LN CLOSURE 4 LN RD		HR	10.000	80
					DOLLARS			
	=1.40	<00 <b>7</b>		and	CENTS		2 000	01
	7148	6005		FREEWAY 1 LANE CLOSURE		HR	2.000	81
				and	DOLLARS CENTS			
	7148	6006		FREEWAY 2 LANE CLOSURE	CENTS	HR	2.000	82
	/ 140	0000		TREEWAT 2 LAINE CLUSUKE	DOLLARS		2.000	02
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6009		EXIT OR ENTRANCE RAMP CL		HR	10.000	83
	9				DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			

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ALT	ITEM NO	DESC CODE	S.P. NO.	UNIT BID PRICE ON WRITTEN IN WOR		UNIT	APPROX QUANTITIES	USE ONLY
	7148	6012		ONE LANE FRONTAGE ROAD	ONE LANE FRONTAGE ROAD CLOSURE			
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6013		TWO LANE FRONTAGE ROAD	CLOSURE	HR	2.000	85
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6014		ONE LANE CONNECTING RAM	E LANE CONNECTING RAMP CLOSURE		2.000	86
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6015	5 TWO LANE CONNECTING RAMP CLOSURE		AP CLOSURE	HR	2.000	87
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6016		WORK AREA ON SHOULDER		HR	2.000	88
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6017		TURN AROUND CLOSURE		HR	10.000	89
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6018		MOBILE OPERATIONS		HR	30.000	90
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			
	7148	6021		FURNISH ADDITIONAL ARRO	W BOARD	HR	2.000	91
					DOLLARS			
				and	CENTS			

# CERTIFICATION OF INTEREST IN OTHER BID PROPOSALS FOR THIS WORK

By signing this proposal, the bidding firm and the signer certify that the following information, as indicated by checking "Yes" or "No" below, is true, accurate, and complete.

- A. Quotation(s) have been issued in this firm's name to other firm(s) interested in this work for consideration for performing a portion of this work.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ YES
- B. If this proposal is the low bid, the bidder agrees to provide the following information prior to award of the contract.
  - 1. Identify firms which bid as a prime contractor and from which the bidder received quotations for work on this project.
  - 2. Identify all the firms which bid as a prime contractor to which the bidder <u>gave quotations</u> for work on this project.

# **ENGINEER SEAL**

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The enclosed Texas Department of Transportation Specifications, Special Specifications, Special Provisions, General Notes and Specification Data in this document have been selected by me, or under my responsible supervision as being applicable to this project. Alteration of a sealed document without proper notification to the responsible engineer is an offense under the Texas Engineering Practice Act.



The seal appearing on this document was authorized by Jose Madrid, Jr., P.E. APRIL 24, 2024

HIGHWAY: VARIOUS

**General Project Description** – This routine maintenance contract is for striping in the El Paso District which will include El Paso, Hudspeth, Culberson, Presidio, Brewster, and Jeff Davis Counties.

The Contract will be managed by the **District Traffic Office** with participating Area Engineer (AE) and Maintenance Section Supervisor (MSS) listed below:

#### Eduardo Perales, P.E. Director of Transportation Operations 13301 Gateway Blvd. West El Paso. Texas 79928

Rene Romero, P.E., East AE 1430 Joe Battle Blvd. El Paso, Texas 79936 (915) 757-5910

(915) 790-4488

**Armando Ramirez, P.E., Alpine AE** 2400 N. SH 118 Alpine, Texas 79830 (915) 217-5257

Jonathan Concha, P.E., West AE 4201 Hondo Pass Drive El Paso, Texas 79904 (915) 757-5901

Chad Chairez, West MSS 4201 Hondo Pass Drive El Paso, Texas 79904 (915) 757-5921

Manuel Molina, East MSS

1430 Joe Battle Blvd. El Paso, Texas 79936 (915) 849-5554 Rudy Valdez, Van Horn/Sierra Blanca MSS US 90, 1.5 Miles S of IH 10 Van Horn, Texas 79855 (432) 283-2501

Javier Castillo, Dell City/Pine Springs MSS 600 South Main Dell City, Texas 79837 (915) 964-2345

Anthony Marquez, Alpine/Marathon MSS 2400 N. SH 118 Alpine, Texas 79830 (432) 294-0696

Carlos Mendoza, Presidio/Terlingua MSS 200 East FM 170 Presidio, Texas 79845 (432) 371-2280

Robert Gray, Marfa/Ft. Davis MSS 809 W San Antonio St. Marfa, Texas 79843 (432) 426-3991

Each Contract awarded by the Department stands on its own and as such, is separate from other contracts. A Contractor awarded multiple contracts, must be capable and sufficiently staffed to concurrently process all contracts at the same time.

#### **General Requirements**

Where nighttime work is approved, provide adequate lighting for the entire work site as directed. This will be subsidiary to the various bid items.

Obtain Engineer approval for all equipment and vehicles prior to use.

Maintain the entire project area in a neat and orderly manner throughout the duration of the work. This work will be subsidiary to the various bid items.

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#### HIGHWAY: VARIOUS

Provide vehicular and pedestrian access at all times, including Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays. This access includes, but is not limited to, driveways, streets, parking areas, and walkways. This will be considered subsidiary to the various bid items.

Clear and remove surplus and waste materials from all work sites and leave the site in a neat and aesthetically pleasing condition.

Schedule and perform all work to assure proper drainage during construction operations. All labor, tools, equipment and supervision required, to ensure drainage, removal, and handling of water shall be considered incidental work.

Repair any existing pavement, utilities, structures, etc. damaged by the Contractor's operations, at no additional cost to the Department.

#### Item 2 – Instructions to Bidders

This Contract includes plan sheets that are not part of the bid proposal.

View plans on-line or download from the web at:

https://www.txdot.gov/business/letting-bids/plans-online.html

Order plans from any of the plan reproduction companies shown on the web at:

http://www.dot.state.tx.us/business/contractors\_consultants/repro\_companies.htm

Questions may be submitted via the Letting Pre-Bid Q&A web page. This webpage can be accessed from the Notice to Contractors dashboard located at the following Address:

https://tableau.txdot.gov/views/ProjectInformationDashboard/NoticetoContractors

All contractor questions will be reviewed by the Engineer. All questions and any corresponding responses that are generated will be posted through the same Letting Pre-Bid Q&A web page.

The Letting Pre-Bid Q&A web page for each project can be accessed by using the dashboard to navigate to the project you are interested in by scrolling or filtering the dashboard using the controls on the left. Hover over the blue hyperlink for the project you want to view the Q&A for and click on the link in the window that pops up.

Request a proposal electronically from the Department's website:

http://www.txdot.gov/business-cq/pr.htm

Or use the electronic bidding site:

http://www.txdot.gov/business/letting-bids/ebs.html

A bid summation will be available on-line at:

http://www.txdot.gov/business/bt.html

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#### Item 3 – Award and Execution of Contract

This Contract includes non-site-specific work and as-needed work. The type of work identified in the Contract is for locations that have not yet been determined.

The Contract duration is for 12 months. Time charges and work will start on the date stated on the Work Authorization letter. The Contract will be in effect until the work on the last callout is completed.

#### Item 4 – Scope of Work

Schedule and perform all work to ensure proper drainage during construction or maintenance operations. All labor, tools, equipment, and supervision required, to ensure drainage, removal, and handling of water shall be considered incidental work.

#### Item 5 – Control of Work

Inform the Engineer and the respective utility companies, when it becomes apparent that the utility lines will interfere with the work in progress.

Arrange the operations so that no consecutive exit or entrance ramps will be closed at the same time, unless directed.

Maintain all operations, including equipment and personnel within TxDOT right-of-way at all times.

#### Item 7 – Legal Relations and Responsibilities

No significant traffic generator events identified.

The Contractor will abide by Section 7.2.5. Use of Blue Warning Lights related to vehicle lighting. Vehicles equipped with unauthorized lighting will not be permitted to operate on Department Highways.

Comply with all OSHA and EPA regulations as well as all local laws, ordinances, federal and state requirements.

Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) regulations prohibit operations that bring people or equipment within 10 ft. of an energized electrical line. Where workers and/or equipment may be close to an energized electrical line, notify the electrical power company and make all necessary adjustments to ensure the safety of workers near the energized line.

Do not discharge any liquid pollutant from vehicles onto the roadside. Immediately clean spills and dispose in compliance with local, state, and federal regulations to the satisfaction of the Engineer at no additional cost to the Department.

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#### Item 8 – Prosecution and Progress

This project is to be completed in **365** calendar days in accordance with **Section 8.3.1.5**, **"Calendar Day."** 

The Contractor must provide enough manpower and equipment to accomplish the required work under this contract during the hours agreed upon by the Contractor and Engineer. Failure to do so will constitute grounds for a Noncompliance Penalty.

Work must start within 72 hours of notification or by the time agreed upon with the Engineer.

A Noncompliance Penalty will be assessed for each instance the Contractor is in noncompliance. A noncompliance instance is defined by any of the following:

- 1. Contractor fails to begin work at the specified time or location(s);
- 2. Contractor fails to complete work by the time agreed upon with the Engineer;
- 3. Contractor does not have all the necessary resources (i.e. personnel, equipment, and material) to fulfill the requirement of the Item(s) called out at the specified time or location(s).
- 4. Contractor fails to submit proper material documentation for material sources by the time agreed upon with the Engineer.

The Noncompliance Penalty will be deducted from any money due or to become due for any completed Item(s) or work. The Noncompliance Penalty will be assessed as follows: \$1,000 per instance, per location.

Contractor work activities will be limited to the allowed lane closure times defined as daytime hours of 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Monday through Friday or nighttime hours of 9 P.M. to 6 A.M. Sunday through Thursday, unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.

US54, SL375, SS601 and, IH10 work activities are required to be performed during nighttime hours or as directed by the Engineer.

#### Item 9 – Measurement and Payment

If requested, the Contractor will be aware that the Department will pay for any material on hand (MOH) in accordance with established policies and procedures. If MOH is authorized for payment, the Contractor will be required to stock all material at an approved site, inventory, and submit MOH adjustments on a monthly basis.

The Contractor must submit Material on Hand (MOH) payment requests at least 3 working days before the end of the month for payment on that month's estimate.

#### Item 502 – Barricades, Signs, and Traffic Handling

The contractor and his employees will wear fluorescent orange safety vests, safety shoes/boots, eye protection and hard hats while outside vehicles within the Department's right of way and

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will comply with Item 7.2.4. Public Safety and Convenience, and Item 7.2.6. Barricades, Signs and Traffic Handling.

The contractor must have enough manpower and equipment to perform any revised traffic control as directed by the Engineer.

Use flashing arrow boards on all tapers for each lane closure.

The contractor may be required to furnish and place additional TMAs, Flaggers, Pilot Cars, or Truck Mounted forward facing arrow boards not shown on the TCP plan sheets, as directed by the Engineer.

Rumble strips will be required as shown on standard WZ (RS) – 22 when directed by the Engineer and shall be subsidiary to the various bid items.

In addition to providing a Contractor's Responsible Person and a phone number for emergency contact, have an employee(s) available to respond to emergencies on the project and for taking corrective measures within 30 minutes.

Notify and coordinate with the Department officials when major traffic changes are to be made. Advance notification for the following week's work must be made by 5 P.M. on Wednesdays.

Contractor assumes the responsibility for any additional barricade signs and devices of any approved contractor-initiated changes to the sequence of work or Traffic Control Plans.

Some signs, barricades, and channelization devices may not be shown at the precise or measured position. Place the barricades, devices, or signs, with approval, in positions to meet field conditions.

Remove signs that do not apply to current conditions at the end of each day's work (do not lay down signs within clear zone).

In accordance with Section 7.2.6.1 of the 2014 Texas Department of Transportation Standard Specifications for Construction and Maintenance of Highways, Streets and Bridges, the Contractor will designate, in writing, a Contractor Responsible Person (CRP) and a CRP alternate to take full responsibility for the set-up, maintenance, and necessary corrective measures of the traffic control plan. The CRP or CRP alternate must be present at site and implement the initial set up of every traffic control phase/stage, at each location, and/or each call out, for the entire duration of the contract.

At the written request of the Engineer, immediately remove the CRP or CRP alternate from the project if, in the opinion of the Engineer, is not competent, not present at initial TCP set-ups, or does not perform in a proper, skillful, or safe manner. These individuals shall not be reinstated without written consent of the Engineer.

CRP and CRP alternate must be trained using Department approved training. Provide a copy of the certificate of completion to the Engineer for project records. Refer to **Table 1** for Department approved Training.

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Provider	Course Number	Course Title	Duration	Notes
American Traffic Safety Services Association	TCS	Traffic Control Supervisor	2 Days	
National Highway Institute	133112 133113	<ol> <li>Design and Operation of Work Zone Traffic Control</li> <li>Work Zone Traffic Control for Maintenance Operations</li> </ol>	1 Day 1 Day	Both classes are required to meet minimum required training.
National Highway Institute	133112A	Design and Operation of Work Zone Traffic Control	3 Days	
Texas Engineering Extension Service	HWS410	Contractor's Responsible Person for Temporary Traffic Control	16 Hours	Please note the name has changed.
University of Texas Arlington Division for Enterprise Development	WKZ421	Traffic Control Supervisor	16 Hours	Contact UTA for training needs.

All contractor workers involved with the traffic control implementation and maintenance must participate and complete a department approved training course. Provide a copy of the certificate of completion to the Engineer for project records. Refer to Table 2 for Department approved Training.

	Table 2: Other Work Zone Personnel						
Provider	Course Number	Course Title	Duration	Notes			
American Traffic Safety Services Association	ТСТ	Traffic Control Technician	1 Day				
Texas Engineering Extension Service	HWS002	Work Zone Traffic Control	16 Hours	Identical to HWS-410. Counts for 3-year CRP requirement.			
National Highway Institute	133116	Maintenance of Traffic for Technicians	5 Hours	Web based			
National Highway Institute	134109-I	Maintenance Training Series: Basics of Work Zone Traffic Control	1 Hour	Free, Web based			
University of Texas at Arlington Division for Enterprise Development	WKZ 100	Work Zone Safety: Temporary Traffic Control	4 Hour	Please note the name has changed. Free Web based.			
TxDOT/AGC Joint Development	N/A N/A	Safe Workers Awareness Highway Construction Work Zone Hazards	16 Minutes 18 Minutes	Videos available through the AGC of Texas Offices. English and Spanish.			
AGC America	N/A	Highway Work Zone Safety Training	1 Day				
Texas Engineering Extension Service	HWS400	Temporary Traffic Control Worker	4 Hours	Contact TEEX if interested in class.			
TxDOT/AGC Joint Development	N/A	Work Zone Fundamentals	10 Minutes Approx.	Videos available through the AGC of Texas Offices. English and Spanish.			

Contractor may choose to train workers involved with the traffic control implementation and maintenance with a contractor developed training in lieu of Department approved training. Contractor developed training must be equivalent to the Department approved training. Provide the Engineer a copy of the course curriculum for pre-approval, prior to conducting the contractor developed training. Provide the Engineer a copy of the log of attendees after training completion for project records.

CONTROL: 6465-24-001

COUNTY: VARIOUS

HIGHWAY: VARIOUS

#### Item 666 – Retroreflectorized Pavement Markings

Use a pilot line for final striping.

Air blasting is required as pavement surface preparation.

In those areas where existing pavement markings are to be covered or removed, field locate and record the existing pavement markings by survey or other approved method by the Engineer as directed. Place final striping on these locations.

#### Item 672 – Raised Pavement Markers

Use a pilot line for final pavement markers and remove pilot line after all striping is complete. Remove pilot line in accordance with the methods specified in Item 677, "Eliminating Existing Pavement Markings and Markers," and will be subsidiary to this Item.

Air blasting is required for pavement surface preparation.

Do not place raised pavement markers when the pavement surface temperature is below 60°F.

Completely remove all existing raised pavement markers from pavement where raised pavement markers are proposed as shown in the plans. This will include all RPMs in the surrounding area of the proposed RPM. Removal of raised pavement markers is subsidiary to various bid items

Raised pavement marking spacing must be in compliance with the requirements as shown on the plans.

#### Item 677 – Eliminating Existing Pavement Markings Markers

Use water blasting as the method for removal of existing pavement markings, unless otherwise approved by the Engineer.

#### Item 6185 – Truck Mounted Attenuator (TMA) and Trailer Attenuator (TA)

The contractor will be responsible for determining if one or more operations will be ongoing at the same time to determine the total number of TMA's needed for the project. TMA's will be used and positioned per the applicable Traffic Control Plan standard or as directed by the Engineer. Additional TMA's required by the Engineer will be provided by the contractor.

All TMA Operators must participate in a TMA workshop to be conducted by the El Paso District Safety Office on the proper use of TMAs, prior to work. All TMA Operators must participate in a TMA workshop provided by the Department or equivalent approved by the Engineer. A truck mounted attenuator completion card will be issued to TMA Operators that successfully complete the TMA workshop. The workshop completion card must be carried by TMA Operators at all times while working on Department right of way.

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It is the responsibility of the contractor to acquire the TCP and TMA Operator's workshop completion prior to the authorization to begin work. No time suspension will be granted, and no traffic control work will be allowed without the workshop completion card.

The supporting vehicle for the TMA shall have a minimum gross (i.e., ballasted) vehicular weight of 19,000 pounds.

Truck-Mounted Attenuators (TMA) must be NCHRP 350 or MASH compliant and will require preapproval by the Department. Attachment of TMA will be in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.

NCHRP 350 Level 3 compliant TMA's may be used on any Department facility.

#### ITEM 7148 – LANE CLOSURES

Time charges begin when the contractor arrives at the location and time as directed by the Engineer. Time charges end when the last traffic control device is removed from the roadway.

Rumble Strips will not be paid for directly but shall be subsidiary to Item 7148, as shown on standard sheet WZ (RS)-22.

The Contractor must have enough manpower and equipment to perform any revised traffic control as directed by the Engineer.

Use flashing arrow boards on all tapers for each lane closure, as shown on TxDOT standards.

The Contractor may be required to furnish and place additional TMA's, Flaggers, Pilot Cars, Truck Mounted forward facing arrow boards, or Work Zone Rumble Strips not shown on the TCP plan sheets, as directed by the Engineer.

The Department will notify the Contractor in advance of any conflicting scheduled lane closures for roadway routine maintenance or repair.

Lane closures identified by the Department as emergencies shall be accomplished within one hour from verbal notification.

CONTROL : 6465-24-001 PROJECT : RMC - 646524001 HIGHWAY : IH0010 COUNTY : EL PASO

#### TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

#### GOVERNING SPECIFICATIONS AND SPECIAL PROVISIONS

ALL SPECIFICATIONS AND SPECIAL PROVISIONS APPLICABLE TO THIS PROJECT ARE IDENTIFIED AS FOLLOWS:

STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS: ADOPTED BY THE TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF ------ TRANSPORTATION NOVEMBER 1, 2014. STANDARD SPECIFICATIONS ARE INCORPORATED INTO THE CONTRACT BY REFERENCE.

ITEMS 1 TO 9 INCL., GENERAL REQUIREMENTS AND COVENANTS

ITEM 500 MOBILIZATION

ITEM 666 RETROREFLECTORIZED PAVEMENT MARKINGS (316)(502)(662)(677) (678)<6438>

ITEM 672 RAISED PAVEMENT MARKERS (677)(678)

ITEM 677 ELIMINATING EXISTING PAVEMENT MARKINGS AND MARKERS (300) (302)(316)<3096>

ITEM 678 PAVEMENT SURFACE PREPARATION FOR MARKINGS (677)

SPECIAL PROVISIONS: SPECIAL PROVISIONS WILL GOVERN AND TAKE ----- PRECEDENCE OVER THE SPECIFICATIONS ENUMERATED HEREON WHEREVER IN CONFLICT THEREWITH.

SPECIAL PROVISION "NONDISCRIMINATION" (000---002) SPECIAL PROVISION "CERTIFICATE OF INTERESTED PARTIES (FORM 1295)" (000 - -1019)SPECIAL PROVISION "SCHEDULE OF LIQUIDATED DAMAGES" (000--1243) SPECIAL PROVISION "NOTICE OF CONTRACTOR PERFORMANCE EVALUATIONS" (000---659) SPECIAL PROVISIONS TO ITEM 2 (002---013)(002---014)(002---015) SPECIAL PROVISIONS TO ITEM 3 (003---011) (003---013) SPECIAL PROVISION TO ITEM 4 (004 - - - 001)SPECIAL PROVISIONS TO ITEM 5 (005---002)(005---003) 6 (006---001)(006---012) SPECIAL PROVISIONS TO ITEM 7 (007---004)(007---010)(007---011) SPECIAL PROVISIONS TO ITEM (007---013) 

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#### SPECIAL SPECIFICATIONS:

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ITEM 3096 ASPHALTS, OILS, AND EMULSIONS
ITEM 6001 PORTABLE CHANGEABLE MESSAGE SIGN
ITEM 6158 TRAILER MOUNTED SOLAR POWERED RADAR SPEED CONTROL MONITOR
ITEM 6185 TRUCK MOUNTED ATTENUATOR (TMA) AND TRAILER ATTENUATOR (TA)
ITEM 6438 MOBILE RETROREFLECTIVITY DATA COLLECTION FOR PAVEMENT
MARKINGS
ITEM 7148 LANE CLOSURES (HOURLY)

GENERAL: THE ABOVE-LISTED SPECIFICATION ITEMS ARE THOSE UNDER WHICH ----- PAYMENT IS TO BE MADE. THESE, TOGETHER WITH SUCH OTHER PERTINENT ITEMS, IF ANY, AS MAY BE REFERRED TO IN THE ABOVE-LISTED SPECIFICATION ITEMS, AND INCLUDING THE SPECIAL PROVISIONS LISTED ABOVE, CONSTITUTE THE COMPLETE SPECIFI-CATIONS FOR THIS PROJECT.

# **CHILD SUPPORT STATEMENT**

Under Section 231.006, Family Code, the vendor or applicant certifies that the individual or business entity named in this contract, bid, or application is not ineligible to receive the specified grant, loan, or payment and acknowledges that this contract may be terminated and payment may be withheld if this certification is inaccurate.

# CONFLICT OF INTEREST CERTIFICATION

Pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 2261.252(b), the Department is prohibited from entering into contracts in which Department officers and employees have a financial interest.

By signing the Contract, the Contractor certifies that it is not prohibited from entering into a Contract with the Department as a result of a financial interest as defined under Texas Government Code Section 2261.252(b), and that it will exercise reasonable care and diligence to prevent any actions or conditions that could result in a conflict of interest with the Department.

The Contractor also certifies that none of the following individuals, nor any of their family members within the second degree of affinity or consanguinity, owns 1% or more interest or has a financial interest as defined under Texas Government Code Section 2261.252(b) in the Contractor:

- Any member of the Texas Transportation Commission; and
- The Department's Executive Director, General Counsel, Chief of Procurement and Field Support Operations, Director of Procurement, and Director of Contract Services.

Violation of this certification may result in action by the Department.

### **E-VERIFY CERTIFICATION**

Pursuant to Texas Transportation Code §223.051, all TxDOT contracts for construction, maintenance, or improvement of a highway must include a provision requiring Contractors and subcontractors to use the U.S. Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system to determine employment eligibility. By signing the contract, the Contractor certifies that prior to the award of the Contract:

- the Contractor has registered with and will, to the extent permitted by law, utilize the United States Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system during the term of the Contract to determine the eligibility of all persons hired to perform duties within Texas during the term of the agreement; and
- the Contractor will require that all subcontractors also register with and, to the extent permitted by law, utilize the United States Department of Homeland Security's E-Verify system during the term of the subcontract to determine the eligibility of all persons hired to perform duties within Texas during the term of the agreement.

Violation of this requirement constitutes a material breach of the Contract, subjects a subcontractor to removal from the Contract, and subjects the Contractor or subcontractors to possible sanctions in accordance with Title 43, Texas Administrative Code, Chapter 10, Subchapter F, "Sanctions and Suspension for Ethical Violations by Entities Doing Business with the Department."

### **Certification Regarding Disclosure of Public Information**

Pursuant to Subchapter J, Chapter 552, Texas Government Code, contractors executing a contract with a governmental body that results in the expenditure of at least \$1 million in public funds must:

- 1) preserve all contracting information\* as provided by the records retention requirements applicable to Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) for the duration of the contract,
- 2) on request of TxDOT, promptly provide any contracting information related to the contract that is in the custody or possession of the entity, and
- 3) on completion of the contract, either:
  - A. provide, at no cost to TxDOT, all contracting information related to the contract that is in the custody or possession of the entity, or
  - B. preserve the contracting information related to the contract as provided by the records retention requirements applicable to TxDOT

The requirements of Subchapter J, Chapter 552, Government Code, may apply to this contract, and the contractor or vendor agrees that the contract can be terminated if the contractor or vendor knowingly or intentionally fails to comply with a requirement of that subchapter.

By entering into Contract, the Contractor agrees to:

- provide, or make available, to TxDOT and any authorized governmental investigating or auditing agency all records, including electronic and payment records related to the contract, for the same period provided by the records retention schedule applicable to TxDOT, and
- ensure that all subcontracts include a clause requiring the same.

\* As defined in Government Code §552.003, "Contracting information" means the following information maintained by a governmental body or sent between a governmental body and a vendor, contractor, potential vendor, or potential contractor:

- 1) information in a voucher or contract relating to the receipt or expenditure of public funds by a governmental body;
- 2) solicitation or bid documents relating to a contract with a governmental body;
- 3) communications sent between a governmental body and a vendor, contractor, potential vendor, or potential contractor during the solicitation, evaluation, or negotiation of a contract;
- 4) documents, including bid tabulations, showing the criteria by which a governmental body evaluates each vendor, contractor, potential vendor, or potential contractor responding to a solicitation and, if applicable, an explanation of why the vendor or contractor was selected; and

5) communications and other information sent between a governmental body and a vendor or contractor related to the performance of a final contract with the governmental body or work performed on behalf of the governmental body.

#### CERTIFICATION TO NOT BOYCOTT ISRAEL

Pursuant to Texas Government Code §2271.002, the Department must include a provision requiring a written verification affirming that the Contractor does not boycott Israel, as defined in Government Code §808.001, and will not boycott Israel during the term of the contract. This provision applies to a contract that:

- 1) is with a Contractor that is not a sole proprietorship,
- 2) is with a Contractor with 10 or more full-time employees, and
- 3) has a value of \$100,000 or more.

By signing the contract, the Contractor certifies that it does not boycott Israel and will not boycott Israel during the term of this contract. "Boycott" means refusing to deal with, terminating business activities with, or otherwise taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations specifically with Israel, or with a person or entity doing business in Israel or in an Israeli-controlled territory, but does not include an action made for ordinary business purposes.

Violation of this certification may result in action by the Department.

#### CERTIFICATION TO NOT BOYCOTT ENERGY COMPANIES

Pursuant to Texas Government Code §2274.002, the Department must include a provision requiring a written verification affirming that the Contractor does not boycott energy companies, as defined in Government Code §809.001, and will not boycott energy companies during the term of the contract. This provision applies to a contract that:

- 1) is with a Contractor that is not a sole proprietorship,
- 2) is with a Contractor with 10 or more full-time employees, and
- 3) has a value of \$100,000 or more.

By signing the contract, the Contractor certifies that it does not boycott energy companies and will not boycott energy companies during the term of this contract. "Boycott" means taking any action that is intended to penalize, inflict economic harm on, or limit commercial relations with a company because the company: (1) engages in the exploration, production, utilization, transportation, sale, or manufacturing of fossil fuel-based energy and does not commit or pledge to meet environmental standards beyond applicable federal and state law; or (2) does business with a company described by (1).

Violation of this certification may result in action by the Department.

#### CERTIFICATION TO NOT DISCRIMINATE AGAINST FIREARM ENTITIES OR FIREARM TRADE ASSOCIATIONS

Pursuant to Texas Government Code §2274.002, the Department must include a provision requiring a written verification affirming that the Contractor:

- 1) does not have a practice, policy, guidance, or directive that discriminates against a firearm entity or firearm trade association, as defined in Government Code §2274.001, and
- 2) will not discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association during the term of the contract.

This provision applies to a contract that:

- 1) is with a Contractor that is not a sole proprietorship,
- 2) is with a Contractor with 10 or more full-time employees, and
- 3) has a value of \$100,000 or more.

By signing the contract, the Contractor certifies that it does not discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association as described and will not do so during the term of this contract. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association" means, with respect to the entity or association, to: (1) refuse to engage in the trade of any goods or services with the entity or association based solely on its status as a firearm entity or firearm trade association; (2) refrain from continuing an existing business relationship with the entity or association based solely on its status as a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association; or (3) terminate an existing business relationship with the entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or firearm trade association. "Discriminate against a firearm entity or platform that restrict or prohibit the listing or selling of ammunition, firearms, or firearm accessories; (2) a company's refusal to engage in the trade of any goods or services, decision to refrain from continuing an existing business relationship, or decision to terminate an existing business relationship to comply with federal, state, or local law, policy, or regulations or a directive by a regulatory agency, or

Violation of this certification may result in action by the Department.

### Special Provision to Item 000 Nondiscrimination



#### 1. DESCRIPTION

All recipients of federal financial assistance are required to comply with various nondiscrimination laws including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended, (Title VI). Title VI forbids discrimination against anyone in the United States on the grounds of race, color, or national origin by any agency receiving federal funds.

Texas Department of Transportation, as a recipient of Federal financial assistance, and under Title VI and related statutes, ensures that no person shall on the grounds of race, religion (where the primary objective of the financial assistance is to provide employment per 42 U.S.C. § 2000d-3), color, national origin, sex, age or disability be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or otherwise be subjected to discrimination under any Department programs or activities.

#### 2. DEFINITION OF TERMS

Where the term "contractor" appears in the following six nondiscrimination clauses, the term "contractor" is understood to include all parties to contracts or agreements with the Texas Department of Transportation.

#### 3. NONDISCRIMINATION PROVISIONS

During the performance of this contract, the contractor agrees as follows:

- 3.1. **Compliance with Regulations**. The Contractor shall comply with the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination in Federally-assisted programs of the Department of Transportation (hereinafter, "DOT") Title 49, Code of Federal Regulations, Part 21, as they may be amended from time to time, (hereinafter referred to as the Regulations), which are herein incorporated by reference and made a part of this contract.
- 3.2. **Nondiscrimination**. The contractor, with regard to the work performed by it during the contract, shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in the selection and retention of subcontractors, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment. The contractor shall not participate either directly or indirectly in the discrimination prohibited by section 21.5 of the Regulations, including employment practices when the contract covers a program set forth in Appendix B of the Regulations.
- 3.3. Solicitations for Subcontracts, Including Procurements of Materials and Equipment: In all solicitations either by competitive bidding or negotiation made by the contractor for work to be performed under a subcontract, including procurements of materials or leases of equipment, each potential subcontractor or supplier shall be notified by the contractor of the contractor's obligations under this contract and the Regulations relative to nondiscrimination on the grounds of race, color, or national origin.
- 3.4. Information and Reports: The contractor shall provide all information and reports required by the Regulations or directives issued pursuant thereto, and shall permit access to its books, records, accounts, other sources of information, and its facilities as may be determined by the Recipient or the Texas Department of Transportation to be pertinent to ascertain compliance with such Regulations, orders and instructions. Where any information required of a contractor is in the exclusive possession of another who fails or refuses to furnish this information the contractor shall so certify to the Recipient, or the Texas Department of Transportation as appropriate, and shall set forth what efforts it has made to obtain the information.

- 3.5. **Sanctions for Noncompliance**. In the event of the contractor's noncompliance with the nondiscrimination provisions of this contract, the Recipient shall impose such contract sanctions as it or the Texas Department of Transportation may determine to be appropriate, including, but not limited to:
  - withholding of payments to the contractor under the contract until the contractor complies, and/or
  - cancellation, termination or suspension of the contract, in whole or in part.
- 3.6. Incorporation of Provisions. The contractor shall include the provisions of paragraphs (1) through (6) in every subcontract, including procurements of materials and leases of equipment, unless exempt by the Regulations, or directives issued pursuant thereto. The contractor shall take such action with respect to any subcontract or procurement as the Recipient or the Texas Department of Transportation may direct as a means of enforcing such provisions including sanctions for non-compliance: Provided, however, that, in the event a contractor becomes involved in, or is threatened with, litigation with a subcontractor or supplier as a result of such direction, the contractor may request the Recipient to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the Recipient, and, in addition, the contractor may request the United States to enter into such litigation to protect the interests of the United States.

### Special Provision 000 Certificate of Interested Parties (Form 1295)



Submit a notarized Form 1295, "Certificate of Interested Parties," in the following instances:

- at Contract execution for Contracts awarded by the Commission;
- at Contract execution for Contracts awarded by the District Engineer or Chief Engineer with an award amount of \$1,000,000 or more; at any time an existing Contract awarded by the District Engineer or Chief Engineer increases in value to \$1,000,000 or more due to changes in the Contract; at any time there is an increase of \$1,000,000 or more to an existing Contract (change orders, extensions, and renewals); or
- at any time there is a change to the information in Form 1295, when the form was filed for an existing Contract.

Form 1295 and instructions on completing and filing the form are available on the Texas Ethics Commission website.

# Special Provision 000 Important Notice to Contractors



For Dollar Amount	of Original Contract	Dollar Amount of Daily Contract Administration Liquidated	
From More Than	To and including	Damages per Working Day	
0	1,000,000	618	
1,000,000	3,000,000	832	
3,000,000	5,000,000	940	
5,000,000	15,000,000	1317	
15,000,000	25,000,000	1718	
25,000,000	50,000,000	2411	
50,000,000	Over 50,000,000	4265	

In addition to the amount shown in Table 1, the Liquidated Damages will be increased by the amount shown in Item 8 of the General Notes for Road User Cost (RUC), when applicable.

# Special Provision 000 Notice of Contractor Performance Evaluations



#### 1. GENERAL

In accordance with Texas Transportation Code §223.012, the Engineer will evaluate Contractor performance based on quality, safety, and timeliness of the project.

#### 2. DEFINITIONS

2.1. **Project Recovery Plan (PRP)**—a formal, enforceable plan developed by the Contractor, in consultation with the District, that documents the cause of noted quality, safety, and timeliness issues and specifies how the Contractor proposes to correct project-specific performance deficiencies.

In accordance with Title 43, Texas Administrative Code (TAC), §9.23, the District will request a PRP if the Contractor's performance on a project is below the Department's acceptable standards and will monitor the Contractor's compliance with the established plan.

2.2. **Corrective Action Plan (CAP)**—a formal, enforceable plan developed by the Contractor, and proposed for adoption by the Construction or Maintenance Division, that documents the cause of noted quality, safety, and timeliness issues and specifies how the Contractor proposes to correct statewide performance deficiencies.

In accordance with 43 TAC §9.23, the Division will request a CAP if the average of the Contractor's statewide final evaluation scores falls below the Department's acceptable standards for the review period and will monitor the Contractor's compliance with the established plan.

#### 3. CONTRACTOR EVALUATIONS

In accordance with Title 43, Texas Administrative Code (TAC) §9.23, the Engineer will schedule evaluations at the following intervals, at minimum:

- Interim evaluations—at or within 30 days after the anniversary of the notice to proceed, for Contracts extending beyond 1 yr., and
- Final evaluation—upon project closeout.

In case of a takeover agreement, neither the Surety nor its performing Contractor will be evaluated.

In addition to regularly scheduled evaluations, the Engineer may schedule an interim evaluation at any time to formally communicate issues with quality, safety, or timeliness. Upon request, work with the Engineer to develop a PRP to document expectations for correcting deficiencies.

Comply with the PRP as directed. Failure to comply with the PRP may result in additional remedial actions available to the Engineer under Item 5, "Control of the Work." Failure to meet a PRP to the Engineer's satisfaction may result in immediate referral to the Performance Review Committee for consideration of further action against the Contractor.

The Engineer will consider and document any events outside the Contractor's control that contributed to the failure to meet performance standards or comply with a PRP, including consideration of sufficient time.

Follow the escalation ladder if there is a disagreement regarding an evaluation or disposition of a PRP. The Contractor may submit additional documentation pertaining to the dispute. The District Engineer's decision

on a Contractor's evaluation score and recommendation of action required in a PRP or follow up for noncompliance is final.

#### 4. DIVISION OVERSIGHT

Upon request of the Construction or Maintenance Division, develop and submit for Division approval a proposed CAP to document expectations for correcting deficiencies in the performance of projects statewide.

Comply with the CAP as directed. The CAP may be modified at any time up to completion or resolution after written approval of the premise of change from the Division. Failure to meet an adopted or revised adopted CAP to the Division's satisfaction within 120 days will result in immediate referral to the Performance Review Committee for consideration of further action against the Contractor.

The Division will consider and document any events outside the Contractor's control that contributed to the failure to meet performance standards or comply with a CAP, including consideration of sufficient time and associated costs as appropriate.

#### 5. PERFORMANCE REVIEW COMMITTEE

The Performance Review Committee, in accordance with 43 TAC §9.24, will review at minimum all final evaluations, history of compliance with PRPs, any adopted CAPs including agreed modifications, any information about events outside a Contractor's control contributing to the Contractor's performance, and any documentation submitted by the Contractor and may recommend one or more of the following actions:

- take no action,
- reduce the Contractor's bidding capacity,
- prohibit the Contractor from bidding on one or more projects,
- immediately suspend the Contractor from bidding for a specified period of time, by reducing the Contractor's bidding capacity to zero, or
- prohibit the Contractor from being awarded a Contract on which they are the apparent low bidder.

The Deputy Executive Director will determine any further action against the Contractor.

#### 6. APPEALS PROCESS

In accordance with 43 TAC §9.25, the Contractor may appeal remedial actions determined by the Deputy Executive Director.

#### Special Provision to Item 2 Instructions to Bidders



Item 2, "Instructions to Bidders" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Article 3., "Issuing Proposal Forms," is supplemented by the following:

The Electronic State Business Daily (ESBD), the Integrated Contractor Exchange (iCX) system, and the project proposal are the official sources of advertisement and bidding information for the State and Local Lettings. Bidders should bid the project using the information found therein, including any addenda. These sources take precedence over information from other sources, including TxDOT webpages, which are unofficial and intended for informational purposes only.

### Special Provision to Item 2 Instructions to Bidders



Item 2, "Instructions to Bidders," of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Section 2.8.2., "Proposal Guaranty," third paragraph is replaced by the following.

It is the Bidder's responsibility to ensure the electronic bid bond is issued in the name or Department vendor identification numbers of the Bidder or Bidders.

### Special Provision to Item 2 Instructions to Bidders



Item 2, "Instructions to Bidders," of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

#### Article 2.3., "Issuing Proposal Forms," is supplemented by the following:

the Bidder or affiliate of the Bidder that was originally determined as the apparent low Bidder on a project but was deemed nonresponsive for failure to register or participate in the Department of Homeland Security's (DHS) E-Verify system as specified in Article 2.15., "Department of Homeland Security (DHS) E-Verify System," is prohibited from rebidding that specific project.

Article 2.7., "Nonresponsive Bid," is supplemented by the following:

the Bidder failed to participate in the Department of Homeland Security's (DHS) as specified in Article 2.15., "Department of Homeland Security (DHS) E-Verify System."

#### Article 2.15., "Department of Homeland Security (DHS) E-Verify System," is added.

The Department will not award a Contract to a Contractor that is not registered in the DHS E-Verify system. Remain active in E-Verify throughout the life of the Contract. In addition, in accordance with paragraph six of Article 8.2., "Subcontracting," include this requirement in all subcontracts and require that subcontractors remain active in E-Verify until their work is completed.

If the apparent low Bidder does not appear in the DHS E-Verify system before award, the Contractor must submit documentation showing that they are compliant within 5 calendar days after bid opening. A Contractor that fails to comply or respond within the deadline will be declared nonresponsive. The Bidder forfeiting the proposal guaranty will not be considered in future proposals for the same work unless there has been a substantial change in the scope of the work.

The Department may recommend that the Commission:

- reject all bids, or
- award the Contract to the new apparent low Bidder, if the Department is able to verify the Bidder's participation in the DHS E-Verify system.

If the Department is unable to verify the new apparent low Bidder's participation in the DHS E-Verify system:

- the new apparent low Bidder will not be deemed nonresponsive,
- the new apparent low Bidder's guaranty will not be forfeited,
- the Department will reject all bids,
- the new apparent low Bidder will remain eligible to receive future proposals for the same project, and
- the proposal guaranty of the original low bidder will become the property of the State, not as a penalty, but as liquidated damages.

#### Special Provision to Item 3 Award and Execution Contract



Item 3, Award and Execution of Contract," of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Section 4.3, "Insurance." The first sentence is voided and replaced by the following:

For construction and building Contracts, submit a certificate of insurance showing coverages in accordance with Contract requirements. For routine maintenance Contracts, refer to Article 8, "Beginning of Work."

Article 8, "Beginning of Work." The first sentence is supplemented by the following:

For a routine maintenance Contract, do not begin work until a certificate of insurance showing coverages in accordance with the Contract requirements is provided and accepted.

### Special Provision to Item 3 Award and Execution of Contract



Item 3, "Award and Execution of Contract" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

#### Section 4.3 "Insurance" is being amended by the following:

Table 2 Insurance Requirements				
Type of Insurance	Amount of Coverage			
Commercial General Liability Insurance	Not Less Than:			
	\$600,000 each occurrence			
Business Automobile Policy	Not Less Than:			
	\$600,000 combined single limit			
Workers' Compensation	Not Less Than:			
	Statutory			
All Risk Builder's Risk Insurance	100% of Contract Price			
(For building-facilities contracts only)				

# Special Provision to Item 4 Scope of Work



Item 4, "Scope of Work" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Article 4.4., "Changes in the Work", is supplemented by the following:

When mutually agreed in writing, the Engineer may extend the Contract if the Contractor has satisfactorily fulfilled the terms and conditions of the Contract. The extension may be for an additional period of 1 year and may include additional quantities up to the original bid quantities plus any quantities added by change order. The extension will meet the terms and conditions of the Contract. Execute the extension prior to the final acceptance of the Contract unless agreed upon by the Engineer. The Contract and the extension will be prosecuted consecutively. Only one extension will be allowed.

# Special Provision to Item 5 Control of the Work



Item 5, "Control of the Work," of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Article 5.1, "Authority of Engineer," is voided and replaced by the following.

The Engineer has the authority to observe, test, inspect, approve, and accept the work. The Engineer decides all questions about the quality and acceptability of materials, work performed, work progress, Contract interpretations, and acceptable Contract fulfillment. The Engineer has the authority to enforce and make effective these decisions.

The Engineer acts as a referee in all questions arising under the terms of the Contract. The Engineer's decisions will be final and binding.

The Engineer will pursue and document actions against the Contractor as warranted to address Contract performance issues. Contract remedies include, but are not limited to, the following:

- conducting interim performance evaluations requiring a Project Recovery Plan, in accordance with Title 43, Texas Administrative Code (TAC) §9.23,
- requiring the Contractor to remove and replace defective work, or reducing payment for defective work,
- removing an individual from the project,
- suspending the work without suspending working day charges,
- assessing standard liquidated damages to recover the Department's administrative costs, including additional projectspecific liquidated damages when specified in the Contract in accordance with 43 TAC §9.22,
- withholding estimates,
- declaring the Contractor to be in default of the Contract, and
- in case of a Contractor's failure to meet a Project Recovery Plan, referring the issue directly to the Performance Review Committee for consideration of further action against the Contractor in accordance with 43 TAC §9.24.

The Engineer will consider and document any events outside the Contractor's control that contributed to the failure to meet performance standards, including consideration of sufficient time.

Follow the issue escalation ladder if there is disagreement regarding the application of Contract remedies.

### Special Provision to Item 5 Control of the Work



Item 5, "Control of the Work" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

# Article 5.4, "Coordination of Plans, Specifications, and Special Provisions," the last sentence of the last paragraph is replaced by the following:

Failure to promptly notify the Engineer will constitute a waiver of all contract claims against the Department for misunderstandings or ambiguities that result from the errors, omissions, or discrepancies.

#### Special Provision to Item 6 Control of Materials



For this project, Item 6, "Control of Materials," of the Standard Specifications, is hereby amended with respect to the clauses cited below, and no other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed hereby.

Article 4., "Sampling, Testing, and Inspection," is supplemented by the following:

Meet with the Engineer and choose either the Department or a Department-selected Commercial Lab (CL) for conducting the subset of project-level sampling and testing shown in Table 1, "Select Guide Schedule Sampling and Testing." Selection may be made on a test by test basis. CLs will meet the testing turnaround times shown (includes test time and time for travel/sampling and reporting) and in all cases issue test reports as soon as possible.

If the Contractor chooses a Department-selected CL for any Table 1 sampling and testing:

- notify the Engineer, District Lab, and the CL of project scheduling that may require CL testing;
- provide the Engineer, District Lab, and CL at least 24 hours' notice by phone and e-mail;
- reimburse the Department for CL Table 1 testing using the contract fee schedule for the CL (including mileage and travel/standby time) at the minimum guide schedule testing frequencies;
- reimburse the Department for CL Table 1 testing above the minimum guide schedule frequencies for retesting when minimum frequency testing results in failures to meet specification limits;
- agree with the Engineer and CL upon a policy regarding notification for testing services;
- give any cancellation notice to the Engineer, District Lab, and CL by phone and e-mail;
- reimburse the Department a \$150 cancellation fee to cover technician time and mileage charges for
  previously scheduled work cancelled without adequate notice, which resulted in mobilization of
  technician and/or equipment by the CL; and
- all CL charges will be reimbursed to the Department by a deduction from the Contractor's monthly pay estimate.

If the CL does not meet the Table 1 turnaround times, testing charge to the Contractor will be reduced by 50% for the first late day and an additional 5% for each succeeding late day.

Approved CL project testing above the minimum testing frequencies in the Guide Schedule of Sampling and Testing, and not as the result of failing tests, will be paid by the Department.

Other project-level Guide Schedule sampling and testing not shown on Table 1 will be the responsibility of the Department.

 Table 1

 Select Guide Schedule Sampling and Testing (Note 1)

TxDOT Test	Test Description	Turn- Around Time (Calendar days)
	SOILS/BASE	
Tex-101-E	Preparation of Soil and Flexible Base Materials for Testing (included in other tests)	
Tex-104-E	Liquid Limit of Soils (included in 106-E)	
Tex-105-E	Plastic Limit of Soils (included in 106-E)	
Tex-106-E	Calculating the Plasticity Index of Soils	7
Tex-110-E	Particle Size Analysis of Soils	6
Tex-113-E	Moisture-Density Relationship of Base Materials	7
Tex-114-E	Moisture-Density Relationship of Subgrade and Embankment Soil	7
Tex-115-E	Field Method for In-Place Density of Soils and Base Materials	2
Tex-116-E	Ball Mill Method for the Disintegration of Flexible Base Material	5
Tex-117-E, Part II	Triaxial Compression Tests For Disturbed Soils and Base Materials (Part II)	6
Tex-113-E w/ Tex-117-E	Moisture-Density Relationship of Base Materials with Triaxial Compression Tests For Disturbed Soils and Base Materials (Part II)	10
Tex-140-E	Measuring Thickness of Pavement Layer	2
Tex-145-E	Determining Sulfate Content in Soils - Colorimetric Method	4
	HOT MIX ASPHALT	
Tex-200-F	Sieve Analysis of Fine and Coarse Aggregate (dry, from ignition oven with known correction factors)	1 (Note 2)
Tex-203-F	Sand Equivalent Test	3
Tex-206-F, w/ Tex-207-F, Part I, w/ Tex-227-F	(Lab-Molded Density of Production Mixture – Texas Gyratory) Method of Compacting Test Specimens of Bituminous Mixtures with Density of Compacted Bituminous Mixtures, Part I - Bulk Specific Gravity of Compacted Bituminous Mixtures, with Theoretical Maximum Specific Gravity of Bituminous Mixtures	1 (Note 2)
Tex-207-F, Part I <b>&amp;/or</b> Part VI	(In-Place Air Voids of Roadway Cores) Density of Compacted Bituminous Mixtures, Part I- Bulk Specific Gravity of Compacted Bituminous Mixtures <b>&amp;/or</b> Part VI - Bulk Specific Gravity of Compacted Bituminous Mixtures Using the Vacuum Method	1 (Note 2)
Tex-207-F, Part V	Density of Compacted Bituminous Mixtures, Part V- Determining Mat Segregation using a Density-Testing Gauge	3
Tex-207-F, Part VII	Density of Compacted Bituminous Mixtures, Part VII - Determining Longitudinal Joint Density using a Density-Testing Gauge	4
Tex-212-F	Moisture Content of Bituminous Mixtures	3
Tex-217-F	Deleterious Material and Decantation Test for Coarse Aggregate	4
Tex-221-F	Sampling Aggregate for Bituminous Mixtures, Surface Treatments, and LRA (included in other tests)	
Tex-222-F	Sampling Bituminous Mixtures (included in other tests)	
Tex-224-F	Determination of Flakiness Index	3
Tex-226-F	Indirect Tensile Strength Test (production mix)	4
Tex-235-F	Determining Draindown Characteristics in Bituminous Materials	3
Tex-236-F (Correction Factors)	Asphalt Content from Asphalt Paving Mixtures by the Ignition Method (Determining Correction Factors)	4
Tex-236-F	Asphalt Content from Asphalt Paving Mixtures by the Ignition Method (Production Mixture)	1 (Note 2)
Tex-241-F w/ Tex-207-F, Part I, w/ Tex-227-F	(Lab-Molded Density of Production Mixture – Superpave Gyratory) Superpave Gyratory Compacting of Specimens of Bituminous Mixtures (production mixture) with Density of Compacted Bituminous Mixtures, Part I - Part I - Bulk Specific Gravity of Compacted Bituminous Mixtures, with Theoretical Maximum Specific Gravity of Bituminous Mixtures	1 (Note 2)
Tex-242-F	Hamburg Wheel-Tracking Test (production mix, molded samples)	3
Tex-244-F	Thermal Profile of Hot Mix Asphalt	1
Tex-246-F	Permeability of Water Flow of Hot Mix Asphalt	3
Tex-280-F	Flat and Elongated Particles	3
Tex-530-C	Effect of Water on Bituminous Paving Mixtures (production mix)	4

	AGGREGATES			
Tex-400-A	Sampling Flexible Base, Stone, Gravel, Sand, and Mineral Aggregates	3		
Tex-410-A	Abrasion of Coarse Aggregate Using the Los Angeles Machine	5		
Tex-411-A	Soundness of Aggregate by Use of Sodium Sulfate or Magnesium Sulfate	12		
Tex-461-A	Degradation of Coarse Aggregate by Micro-Deval Abrasion	5		
	CHEMICAL			
Tex-612-J	Acid Insoluble Residue for Fine Aggregate	4		
	GENERAL			
HMA Production Sp	ecialist [TxAPA – Level 1-A] (\$/hr)			
HMA Roadway Spec	cialist [TxAPA – Level 1-B] (\$/hr)			
Technician Travel/S	tandby Time (\$/hr)			
Per Diem (\$/day - m	neals and lodging)			
Mileage Rate (\$/mile from closest CL location)				
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# Special Provision to Item 6 Control of Materials



Item 6, "Control of Materials" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Article 6.10., "Hazardous Materials," is voided and replaced by the following:

Comply with the requirements of Article 7.12., "Responsibility for Hazardous Materials."

Notify the Engineer immediately when a visual observation or odor indicates that materials on sites owned or controlled by the Department may contain hazardous materials. Except as noted herein, the Department is responsible for testing, removing, and disposing of hazardous materials not introduced by the Contractor. The Engineer may suspend work wholly or in part during the testing, removing, or disposing of hazardous materials, except in the case where hazardous materials are introduced by the Contractor.

Use materials that are free of hazardous materials. Notify the Engineer immediately if materials are suspected to contain hazardous materials. If materials delivered to the project by the Contractor are suspected to contain hazardous materials, have an approved commercial laboratory test the materials for the presence of hazardous materials as approved. Remove, remediate, and dispose of any of these materials found to contain hazardous materials. The work required to comply with this section will be at the Contractor's expense if materials are found to contain hazardous materials. Working day charges will not be suspended and extensions of working days will not be granted for activities related to handling hazardous material introduced by the Contractor. If suspected materials are not found to contain hazardous materials, the Department will reimburse the Contractor for hazardous materials testing and will adjust working day charges if the Contractor can show that this work impacted the critical path.

**10.1. Painted Steel Requirements**. Coatings on existing steel contain hazardous materials unless otherwise shown on the plans. Remove paint and dispose of steel coated with paint containing hazardous materials is in accordance with the following:

**10.1.1. Removing Paint From Steel** For contracts that are specifically for painting steel, Item 446, "Field Cleaning and Painting Steel" will be included as a pay item. Perform work in accordance with that item.

For projects where paint must be removed to allow for the dismantling of steel or to perform other work, the Department will provide for a separate contractor (third party) to remove paint containing hazardous materials prior to or during the Contract. Remove paint covering existing steel shown not to contain hazardous materials in accordance with Item 446, "Field Cleaning and Painting Steel."

**10.1.2. Removal and Disposal of Painted Steel.** For steel able to be dismantled by unbolting, paint removal will not be performed by the Department. The Department will remove paint, at locations shown on the plans or as agreed, for the Contractor's cutting and dismantling purposes. Utilize Department cleaned locations for dismantling when provided or provide own means of dismantling at other locations.

Painted steel to be retained by the Department will be shown on the plans. For painted steel that contains hazardous materials, dispose of the painted steel at a steel recycling or smelting facility unless otherwise shown on the plans. Maintain and make available to the Engineer invoices and other records obtained from the facility showing the received weight of the steel and the facility name. Dispose of steel that does not contain hazardous material coatings in accordance with federal, state and local regulations.

**10.2.** Asbestos Requirements. The plans will indicate locations or elements where asbestos containing materials (ACM) are known to be present. Where ACM is known to exist or where previously unknown ACM has been found, the Department will arrange for abatement by a separate contractor prior to or during the Contract. Notify the Engineer of proposed dates of demolition or removal of structural elements with ACM at least 60 days before beginning work to allow the Department sufficient time for abatement.

The Department of State Health Services (DSHS), Asbestos Programs Branch, is responsible for administering the requirements of the National Emissions Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants, 40 CFR Part 61, Subpart M and the Texas Asbestos Health Protection Rules (TAHPR). Based on EPA guidance and regulatory background information, bridges are considered to be a regulated "facility" under NESHAP. Therefore, federal standards for demolition and renovation apply.

The Department is required to notify the DSHS at least 10 working days (by postmarked date) before initiating demolition or renovation of each structure or load bearing member shown on the plans. If the actual demolition or renovation date is changed or delayed, notify the Engineer in writing of the revised dates in sufficient time to allow for the Department's notification to DSHS to be postmarked at least 10 days in advance of the actual work.

Failure to provide the above information may require the temporary suspension of work under Article 8.4., "Temporary Suspension of Work or Working Day Charges," due to reasons under the control of the Contractor. The Department retains the right to determine the actual advance notice needed for the change in date to address post office business days and staff availability.

**10.3. Lead Abatement.** Provide traffic control as shown on the plans, and coordinate and cooperate with the third party and the Department for managing or removing hazardous materials. Work for the traffic control shown on the plans and coordination work will not be paid for directly but will be subsidiary to pertinent Items.

# Special Provision to Item 7 Legal Relations and Responsibilities



Item 7, "Legal Relations and Responsibilities," of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Section 7.7.2., "Texas Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Permits and Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plans (SWP3)," is voided and replaced by the following:

- 7.2. Texas Pollution Discharge Elimination System (TPDES) Permits and Storm Water Pollution Prevention Plans (SWP3).
- 7.2.1. Projects with less than one acre of soil disturbance including required associated project specific locations (PSL's) per TPDES GP TXR 150000.

No posting or filing will be required for soil disturbances within the right of way. Adhere to the requirements of the SWP3.

7.2.2. Projects with one acre but less than five acres of soil disturbance including required associated PSL's per TPDES GP TXR 150000.

The Department will be considered a primary operator for <u>Operational Control Over Plans and Specifications</u> as defined in TPDES GP TXR 150000 for construction activity in the right of way. The Department will post a small site notice along with other requirements as defined in TPDES GP TXR 150000 as the entity of having operational control over plans and specifications for work shown on the plans in the right of way.

The Contractor will be considered a Primary Operator for <u>Day-to-Day Operational Control</u> as defined in TPDES GP TXR 150000 for construction activity in the right of way. In addition to the Department's actions, the Contractor will post a small site notice along with other requirements as defined in TPDES GP TXR 150000 as the entity of having day-to-day operational control of the work shown on the plans in the right of way. This is in addition to the Contractor being responsible for TPDES GP TXR 150000 requirements for on- right of way and off- right of way PSL's. Adhere to all requirements of the SWP3 as shown on the plans. The Contractor will be responsible for Implement the SWP3 for the project site in accordance with the plans and specifications, TPDES General Permit TXR150000, and as directed.

# 7.2.3. Projects with 5 acres or more of soil disturbance including required associated PSL's per TPDES GP TXR 150000.

The Department will be considered a primary operator for <u>Operational Control Over Plans and Specifications</u> as defined in TPDES GP TXR 150000 for construction activities in the right of way. The Department will post a large site notice, file a notice of intent (NOI), notice of change (NOC), if applicable, and a notice of termination (NOT) along with other requirements per TPDES GP TXR 150000 as the entity having operational control over plans and specifications for work shown on the plans in the right of way.

The Contractor will be considered a primary operator for <u>Day-to-Day Operational Control</u> as defined in TPDES GP TXR 150000 for construction activities in the right of way. In addition to the Department's actions, the Contractor shall file a NOI, NOC, if applicable, and NOT and post a large site notice along with other requirements as the entity of having day-to-day operational control of the work shown on the plans in the right of way. This is in addition to the Contractor

being responsible for TPDES GP TXR 150000 requirements for on- right of way and off- right of way PSL's. Adhere to all requirements of the SWP3 as shown on the plans.

### Special Provision to Item 7 Legal Relations and Responsibilities



Item 7, "Legal Relations and Responsibilities," of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Section 7.2.4., "Public Safety and Convenience." The first paragraph is deleted and replaced by the following.

Ensure the safety and convenience of the public and property as provided in the Contract and as directed. Keep existing roadways open to traffic or construct and maintain detours and temporary structures for safe public travel. Manage construction to minimize disruption to traffic. Maintain the roadway in a good and passable condition, including proper drainage and provide for ingress and egress to adjacent property.

If the construction of the project requires the closing of a highway, as directed, coordinate the closure with the Engineer and work to ensure all lanes and ramps possible are available during peak traffic periods before, during, and after significant traffic generator events to avoid any adverse economic impact on the municipalities during:

- dates or events as shown on the plans, and
- other dates as directed.

#### Special Provision to Item 007 Legal Relations and Responsibilities



Item 7, "Legal Relations and Responsibilities," of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below.

Section 2.6., "Barricades, Signs, and Traffic Handling," the first paragraph is voided and replaced by the following:

2.6. **Barricades, Signs, and Traffic Handling.** Comply with the requirements of Item 502 "Barricades, Signs, and Traffic Handling," and as directed. Provide traffic control devices that conform to the details shown on the plans, the TMUTCD, and the Department's Compliant Work Zone Traffic Control Device List maintained by the Traffic Safety Division. When authorized or directed, provide additional signs or traffic control devices not required by the plans.

Section 2.6.1., "Contractor Responsible Person and Alternative," is voided and replaced by the following:

2.6.1. **Contractor Responsible Person and Alternative.** Designate in writing, a Contractor's Responsible Person (CRP) and an alternate to be the representative of the Contractor who is responsible for taking or directing corrective measures regarding the traffic control. The CRP or alternate must be accessible by phone 24 hr. per day and able to respond when notified. The CRP and alternate must comply with the requirements of Section 2.6.5., "Training."

Section 2.6.2, "Flaggers," the first paragraph is voided and replaced by the following:

2.6.2. **Flaggers.** Designate in writing, a flagger instructor who will serve as a flagging supervisor and is responsible for training and assuring that all flaggers are qualified to perform flagging duties. Certify to the Engineer that all flaggers will be trained and make available upon request a list of flaggers trained to perform flagging duties.

Section 2.6.5, "Training," is voided and replaced by the following:

2.6.5. **Training.** Train workers involved with the traffic control using Department-approved training as shown on the "Traffic Control Training" Material Producer List.

> Coordinate enrollment, pay associated fees, and successfully complete Department-approved training or Contractor-developed training. Training is valid for the period prescribed by the provider. Except for law enforcement personnel training, refresher training is required every 4 yr. from the date of completion unless otherwise specified by the course provider. The Engineer may require training at a frequency instead of the period prescribed based on the Department's needs. Training and associated fees will not be measured or paid for directly but are considered subsidiary to pertinent Items.

> Certify to the Engineer that workers involved in traffic control and other work zone personnel have been trained and make available upon request a copy of the certification of completion to the Engineer. Ensure the following is included in the certification of completion:

- name of provider and course title,
- name of participant,
- date of completion, and
- date of expiration.

Where Contractor-developed training or a Department-approved training course does not produce a certification, maintain a log of attendees. Make the log available upon request. Ensure the log is legible and includes the following:

- printed name and signature of participant,
- name and title of trainer, and
- date of training.
- 2.6.5.1. **Contractor-developed Training.** Develop and deliver Contractor-developed training meeting the minimum requirements established by the Department. The outline for this training must be submitted to the Engineer for approval at the preconstruction meeting. The CRP or designated alternate may deliver the training instead of the Department-approved training. The work performed and materials furnished to develop and deliver the training will not be measured or paid for directly but will be considered subsidiary to pertinent ltems.
- 2.6.5.1.1. Flagger Training Minimum Requirements. A Contractor's certified flagging instructor is permitted to train other flaggers.
- 2.6.5.1.2. **Optional Contractor-developed Training for Other Work Zone Personnel.** For other work zone personnel, the Contractor may provide training meeting the curriculum shown below instead of Department-approved training.

Minimum curriculum for Contractor-provided training is as follows:

Contractor-developed training must provide information on the use of personnel protection equipment, occupational hazards and health risks, and other pertinent topics related to traffic management. The type and amount of training will depend on the job duties and responsibilities. Develop training applicable to the work being performed. Develop training to include the following topics.

- The Life You Save May Be Your Own (or other similar company safety motto).
- Purpose of the training.
  - It's the Law.
  - To make work zones safer for workers and motorist.
  - To understand what is needed for traffic control.
  - To save lives including your own.
- Personal and Co-Worker Safety.
  - High Visibility Safety Apparel. Discuss compliant requirements; inspect regularly for fading and reduced reflective properties; if night operations are required, discuss the additional and appropriate required apparel in addition to special night work risks; if moving operations are underway, discuss appropriate safety measures specific to the situation and traffic control plan.
  - Blind Areas. A blind area is the area around a vehicle or piece of construction equipment not
    visible to the operators, either by line of sight or indirectly by mirrors. Discuss the "Circle of Safety"
    around equipment and vehicles; use of spotters; maintain eye contact with equipment operators;
    and use of hand signals.
  - Runovers and Backovers. Remain alert at all times; keep a safe distance from traffic; avoid turning your back to traffic and if you must then use a spotter; and stay behind protective barriers, whenever possible. Note: It is not safe to sit on or lean against a concrete barrier, these barriers can deflect four plus feet when struck by a vehicle.
  - Look out for each other, warn co-workers.
  - Be courteous to motorists.
  - Do not run across active roadways.
  - Workers must obey traffic laws and drive courteously while operating vehicles in the work zones.
  - Workers must be made aware of company distracted driving policies.
- Night Time Operations. Focus should be placed on projects with a nighttime element.

- **Traffic Control Training.** Basics of Traffic Control.
  - Identify work zone traffic control supervisor and other appropriate persons to report issues to when they arise.
  - Emphasize that work zone traffic control devices must be in clean and in undamaged condition. If devices have been hit but not damaged, put back in their correct place and report to traffic control supervisor. If devices have been damaged, replace with new one and report to traffic control supervisor. If devices are dirty, faded or have missing or damaged reflective tape clean or replace and report to traffic control supervisor. Show examples of non-acceptable device conditions. Discuss various types of traffic control devices to be used and where spacing requirements can be found.
  - **Channelizing Devices and Barricades with Slanted Stripes.** Stripes are to slant in the direction you want traffic to stay or move to; demonstrate this with a device.
  - Traffic Queuing. Workers must be made aware of traffic queuing and the dangers created by it. Workers must be instructed to immediately notify the traffic control supervisor and other supervisory personnel if traffic is queuing beyond advance warning sign and devices or construction limits.
  - Signs. Signs must be straight and not leaning. Report problems to the traffic control supervisor or other as designated for immediate repair. Covered signs must be fully covered. If covers are damaged or out of place, report to traffic control supervisor or other as designated.

### Special Provision to Item 7 Legal Relations and Responsibilities



Item 7, "Legal Relations and Responsibilities" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Article 7.20., "Security Incidents," is added.

- 20.1. Reporting of Security Incidents. Immediately notify the Department's <u>Cyber Security Operations Center</u> (<u>CSOC</u>) via the Report Cybersecurity Incident Page on www.txdot.gov, of any potential cybersecurity incident or breach involving Department data. A breach of system security is the unauthorized acquisition of computerized data that compromises the security, confidentiality, or integrity of sensitive personal information maintained by a person, including data that is encrypted if the person accessing the data has the key required to decrypt the data.
- **20.2.** Liability for costs incurred. The Department reserves the right to hold the Contractor liable for all costs incurred by the Department to resolve a security incident introduced by the Contractor, their Subcontractors, or their Suppliers.

# Special Provision to Item 8 Prosecution and Progress



Item 8, "Prosecution and Progress" of the Standard Specification is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Article 8.2., "Subcontracting," is supplemented by the following paragraph, which is added as paragraph six to this article:

The Contractor certifies by signing the Contract that the Contractor will not enter into any subcontract with a subcontractor that is not registered in the Department of Homeland Security's (DHS) E-Verify system. Require that all subcontractors working on the project register and require that all subcontractors remain active in the DHS E-Verify system until their work is complete on the project.

# Special Provision to Item 8 Prosecution and Progress



Item 8, "Prosecution and Progress" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clause cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Article 8.7.2., "Wrongful Default," is revised and replaced by the following:

If it is determined after the Contractor is declared in default, that the Contractor was not in default, the rights and obligations of all parties will be the same as if termination had been issued for the convenience of the public as provided in Article 8.8 "Termination of Contract."

### Special Provision to Item 8 Prosecution and Progress



Item 8, "Prosecution and Progress" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Article 3., "Computation of Contract Time for Completion." The second paragraph is voided and replaced by the following:

The development of the conceptual time determination is intended to establish the number of working days on the Contract. Upon request, the Engineer will provide the conceptual time determination schedule to the Contractor for informational purposes only. The schedule assumes generic resources, production rates, sequences of construction, and average weather conditions based on historic data. Schedule labor, equipment, procurement of materials, subcontractor work, and all other necessary means to prosecute the work within the number of working days specified by the Contract.

### Special Provision to Item 009 Measurement and Payment



Item 009 "Measurement and Payment" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

#### Article 9.5., "PROGRESS PAYMENTS" is supplemented with the following:

It is the Department's desire to pay a Contractor for work through the last working day of the month; however, the use of early cut-off dates for monthly estimates and MOH is a project management practice to manage workload at the Area Office level. Approval for using early cut-off dates is at the District's discretion. The earliest cut-off date for estimates is the 25<sup>th</sup> of the month.

#### Article 9.6., "PAYMENT FOR MATERIAL ON HAND (MOH)" first paragraph is amended as follows:

If payment for MOH is desired, request compensation for the invoice cost of acceptable nonperishable materials that have not been used in the work before the request, and that have been delivered to the work location or are in acceptable storage places. Nonperishable materials are those that do not have a shelf life or whose characteristics do not materially change when exposed to the elements. Include only materials that have been sampled, tested, approved, or certified, and are ready for incorporation into the work. Only materials which are completely constructed or fabricated on the Contractor's order for a specific Contract and are so marked and on which an approved test report has been issued are eligible. Payment for MOH may include the following types of items: concrete traffic barrier, precast concrete box culverts, concrete piling, reinforced concrete pipe, and illumination poles. Any repairs required after fabricated materials have been approved for storage will require approval of the Engineer before being made and will be made at the Contractor's expense. Include only those materials and products, when cumulated under an individual item or similar bid items, that have an invoice cost of at least \$1,000 in the request for MOH payment (e.g. For MOH eligibility, various sizes of conductor are considered similar bid items and may be cumulated to meet the threshold; for small roadside signs, the sign supports, mounting bolts, and the sign face is considered one bid item or similar bid items for more than one pay item for sign supports.) Requests for MOH are to be submitted at least two days before but not later than the estimate cutoff date unless otherwise agreed. If there is a need to request MOH after the established cut-off date, the district can make accommodation as the need arises. This needed accommodation is to be the exception, though, and not the rule.

# Special Provision to Item 9 Measurement and Payment



Item 9, "Measurement and Payment" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Section 7.1.4.3., "Standby Equipment Costs," is voided and replaced by the following:

- 7.1.4.3. **Standby Equipment Costs.** Payment for standby equipment will be made in accordance with Section 9.7.1.4., "Equipment." The 15% markup will be paid when standby is associated with extra work but will not be paid when standby is associated with damages.
- Section 7.1.4.3.1., "Contractor-Owned Equipment," is voided and replaced by the following:

7.1.4.3.1. Contractor-Owned Equipment. For Contractor-owned equipment:

Standby will be paid at 50% of the monthly Rental Rate Blue Book rate after the regional and age adjustment factors have been applied. Operating costs will not be allowed. Calculate the standby rate as follows.

Standby rate = (FHWA hourly rate - operating costs) × 50%

- If an hourly rate is needed, divide the monthly Rental Rate Blue Book rate by 176.
- No more than 8 hr. of standby will be paid during a 24-hr. day period, nor more than 40 hr. per week.
- Standby costs will not be allowed during periods when the equipment would have otherwise been idle.

# Special Provision to Item 300 Asphalt, Oils, and Emulsions



Item 300, "Asphalt, Oils, and Emulsions" of the Standard Specifications is replaced by Special Specification <u>3096</u>, "Asphalts, Oils, and Emulsions." All Item 300 Special Provisions are no longer available, beginning with the April 2022 letting.

# Special Provision to Item 302 Aggregates for Surface Treatments



Item 302, "Aggregates for Seal Coats," of the Standard Specifications, is hereby amended with respect to the clauses cited below, and no other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed hereby.

Section 2.1., "Aggregate.	" Tables 2 and 3 are voided and r	replaced by the following.
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		Table 2 Aggregate Gradation Requirements (Cumulative % Retained <sup>1</sup> )							
					Grade				
Sieve	1	2	3S <sup>2</sup>		3	4S <sup>2</sup>	4	5S <sup>2</sup>	5
Sieve				Non- Lightweight	Lightweight				
1"	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
7/8"	0–2	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
3/4"	20–35	0–2	0	0	0	-	-	-	-
5/8"	85–100	20–40	0–5	0–5	0–2	0	0	-	-
1/2"	-	80–100	55–85	20–40	10–25	0–5	0–5	0	0
3/8"	95–100	95–100	95–100	80–100	60–80	60–85	20–40	0–5	0–5
1/4"	-	-	-	95–100	95–100	-	-	65–85	-
#4	-	-	-	-	-	95–100	95–100	95–100	50–80
#8	99–100	99–100	99–100	98–100	98–100	98–100	98–100	98–100	98–100

Round test results to the nearest whole number.

2. Single-size gradation.

	Aggregate Quality R	Requirement <sup>1</sup>		
Property	Test Method	Minimum	Maximum	
SAC	AQMP	As shown on the plans		
Deleterious Material <sup>2</sup> , %	Tex-217-F, Part I	-	2.0	
Decantation, %	<u>Tex-406-A</u>	-	1.5	
Flakiness Index, %	<u>Tex-224-F</u>	-	17	
Gradation	Tex-200-F, Part I	Table 2 Requirements		
Los Angeles Abrasion, %	<u>Tex-410-A</u>	-	35	
Magnesium Sulfate Soundness, 5 Cycle, %	<u>Tex-411-A</u>	-	25	
Micro-Deval Abrasion, %	<u>Tex-461-A</u>	Note 3		
Coarse Aggregate Angularity <sup>4</sup> , 2 Crushed Faces, %	<u>Tex-460-A</u> , Part I	85 -		
Additic	onal Requirements for L	ightweight Aggregate		
Dry Loose Unit Wt., Ib./cu. ft.	<u>Tex-404-A</u>	35	60	
Pressure Slaking, %	<u>Tex-431-A</u>	-	6.0	
Freeze-Thaw Loss, %	<u>Tex-432-A</u>	-	10.0	
Water Absorption, 24hr., %	Tex-433-A	-	12.0	

#### Table 3 Aggregate Quality Requirements

1. Material requirements are listed below, unless otherwise shown on the plans.

2. Not required for lightweight aggregate.

3. Used to estimate the magnesium sulfate soundness loss in accordance with Section 2.1.1.

4. Only required for crushed gravel.

#### Section 2.1.1., "Micro-Deval Abrasion," is added.

The Engineer will perform a minimum of one Micro-Deval abrasion test in accordance with <u>Tex-461-A</u> for each coarse aggregate source per project that has a Rated Source Soundness Magnesium (RSSM) loss value greater than 15 as listed in the BRSQC. The Engineer may waive all Micro-Deval testing based on a satisfactory test history of the same aggregate source.

The Engineer will estimate the magnesium sulfate soundness loss for each coarse aggregate source, when tested, using the following formula.

Mg<sub>est.</sub> = (RSSM)(MD<sub>act</sub>/RSMD)

where:  $Mg_{est}$  = magnesium sulfate soundness loss  $MD_{act}$  = actual Micro-Deval percent loss RSMD = Rated Source Micro-Deval

When the estimated magnesium sulfate soundness loss is greater than the maximum magnesium sulfate soundness loss specified, the coarse aggregate source will not be allowed for use unless otherwise approved by the Engineer. The Engineer may require additional testing before granting approval.

Section 2.2., "Precoating." The third paragraph is voided and replaced by the following.

The Engineer retains the right to remove precoat material from aggregate samples in accordance with <u>Tex-210-F</u>, or as recommended by the Construction Division, and test the aggregate to verify compliance with Table 2 and Table 3 requirements. Gradation testing may be performed with precoat intact.

#### Section 2.3., "Sampling," is added.

Personnel who conduct sampling and witnessing of sampling must be certified by the Department-approved certification program. Supply the Engineer with a list of certified personnel and copies of their current certificates before beginning construction and when personnel changes are made. At any time during the project, the Engineer may perform production tests as deemed necessary in accordance with Item 5, "Control of the Work."

The Engineer will sample aggregate from stockpiles located at the production site, intermediate distribution site, or project location in accordance with <u>Tex-221-F</u>, Section 3.2.3. The Engineer will split each sample into 2 equal portions in accordance with <u>Tex-200-F</u>, Section 3.3, and label these portions "Engineer" and "Contractor" or "Supplier." Witness the sampling and splitting, and take immediate possession of the samples labeled "Contractor" or "Supplier".

#### Section 2.4., "Reporting and Responsibilities," is added.

The Engineer will provide test results to the Contractor and Supplier within 10 working days from the date the stockpile was sampled for sources listed on the Department's Bituminous Rated Source Quality Catalog (BRSQC), unless otherwise directed. The Engineer will provide test results for the LA Abrasion (<u>Tex-410-A</u>) and Magnesium Sulfate Soundness (<u>Tex-411-A</u>) tests within 30 calendar days for sources not listed on the BRSQC, or for sources not meeting the requirements of Section 2.1.1., "Micro-Deval Abrasion." The Engineer will report to the other party within 24 hours when any test result does not meet the requirements listed in Table 2 or Table 3.

# Special Provision to Item 316 Seal Coat



Item 316, "Seal Coat" of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Section 4.8, "Asphalt Placement" is supplemented by the following:

4.8.5. Collect all samples in accordance with Tex-500-C, "Sampling Bituminous Materials, Pre-Molded Joint Fillers, and Joint Sealers" from the distributor and with witness by the Engineer.

At least once per project, collect split samples of each binder grade and source used. The Engineer will submit one split sample to MTD for testing and retain the other split sample.

In addition, collect one sample of each binder grade and source used on the project for each production day. The Engineer will retain these samples.

The Engineer will keep all retained samples for one yr., for hot-applied binders and cutback asphalts; or for two mo., for emulsified asphalts. The Engineer may submit retained samples to MTD for testing as necessary or as requested by MTD.

# Special Provision to Item 502 Barricades, Signs and Traffic Handling



Item 502, "Barricades, Signs and Traffic Handling" of the Standard Specifications, is hereby amended with respect to the clauses cited below, and no other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed hereby.

Article 502.1., "Description," is supplemented by the following:

Temporary work-zone (TWZ) traffic control devices manufactured after December 31, 2019, must have been successfully tested to the crashworthiness requirements of the 2016 edition of the Manual for Assessing Safety Hardware (MASH). Such devices manufactured on or before this date and successfully tested to NCHRP Report 350 or the 2009 edition of MASH may continue to be used throughout their normal service lives. An exception to the manufacture date applies when, based on the project's date of letting, a category of MASH-2016 compliant TWZ traffic control devices are not approved, or are not self-certified after the December 31, 2019, date. In such case, devices that meet NCHRP-350 or MASH-2009 may be used regardless of the manufacture date.

Such TWZ traffic control devices include: portable sign supports, barricades, portable traffic barriers designated exclusively for use in temporary work zones, crash cushions designated exclusively for use in temporary work zones, longitudinal channelizers, truck and trailer mounted attenuators. Category I Devices (i.e., lightweight devices) such as cones, tubular markers and drums without lights or signs attached however, may be self-certified by the vendor or provider, with documentation provided to Department or as are shown on Department's Compliant Work Zone Traffic Control Device List.

Article 502.4., "Payment," is supplemented by the following:

Truck mounted attenuators and trailer attenuators will be paid for under Special Specification, "Truck Mounted Attenuator (TMA) and Trailer Attenuator (TA)." Portable Changeable Message Signs will be paid for under Special Specification, "Portable Changeable Message Sign." Portable Traffic Signals will be paid for under Special Specification, "Portable Traffic Signals."

# Special Provision to Item 666 Retroreflectorized Pavement Markings



Item 666, "Retroreflectorized Pavement Markings," of the Standard Specifications is amended with respect to the clauses cited below. No other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Section 2.3., "Glass Traffic Beads." The first paragraph is voided and replaced by the following:

Furnish drop-on glass beads in accordance with DMS-8290, "Glass Traffic Beads," or as approved. Furnish a double-drop of Type II and Type III drop-on glass beads for longitudinal pavement markings where each type bead is applied separately in equal portions (by weight), unless otherwise approved. Apply the Type III beads before applying the Type II beads. Furnish Type II beads for work zone pavement markings and transverse markings or symbols.

Section 4.3.1., "Type I Markings.," is supplemented by the following:

**4.3.1.3. Spot Striping.** Perform spot striping on a callout basis with a minimum callout quantity as shown on the plans.

Section 4.3.2., "Type II Markings.," is supplemented by the following:

**4.3.2.1. Spot Striping.** Perform spot striping on a callout basis with a minimum callout quantity as shown on the plans.

Section 4.4., "Retroreflectivity Requirements.," is voided and replaced by the following.

Type I markings for Contracts totaling more than 20,000 ft. of pavement markings must meet the following minimum retroreflectivity values for all longitudinal edgeline, centerline or no passing barrier-line, and lane line markings when measured any time after 3 days, but not later than 10 days after application.

- White markings: 250 millicandelas per square meter per lux (mcd/m<sup>2</sup>/lx)
- Yellow markings: 175 mcd/m<sup>2</sup>/lx

Retroreflectivity requirements for Type I markings are not required for Contracts with less than 20,000 ft. of pavement markings or Contracts with callout work, unless otherwise shown on the plans.

Section 4.5., "Retroreflectivity Measurements.," is voided and replaced by the following:

Use a mobile retroreflectometer to measure retroreflectivity for Contracts totaling more than 50,000 ft. of pavement markings, unless otherwise shown on the plans. For Contracts with less than 50,000 ft. of pavement markings, mobile or portable retroreflectometers may be used at the Contractor's discretion. Coordinate with and obtain authorization from the Engineer before starting any retroreflectivity data collection.

Section 4.5.1., "Mobile Retroreflectometer Measurements." The last paragraph is voided and replaced by the following.

Restripe again at the Contractor's expense with a minimum of 0.060 in. (60 mils) of Type I marking material if the average of these measurements falls below the minimum retroreflectivity requirements. Take measurements every 0.1 miles a minimum of 10 days after this third application within that mile segment for that series of markings. If the markings do not meet minimum retroreflectivity after this third application, the Engineer may require removal of all existing markings, a new application as initially specified, and a repeat of the application process until minimum retroreflectivity requirements are met.

Section 4.5.2., "Portable Retroreflectometer Measurements." The first and second paragraphs are voided and replaced by the following.

Provide portable measurement averages for every 1.0 mile unless otherwise specified or approved. Take a minimum of 20 measurements for each 1-mi. section of roadway for each series of markings (e.g., edgeline, center skip line, each line of a double line) and direction of traffic flow when using a portable reflectometer. Measure each line in both directions for centerlines on two-way roadways (i.e., measure both double solid lines in both directions and measure all center skip lines in both directions). The spacing between each measurement must be at least 100 ft. The Engineer may decrease the mileage frequency for measurements if the previous measurements provide satisfactory results. The Engineer may require the original number of measurements if concerns arise.

Restripe at the Contractor's expense with a minimum of 0.060 in. (60 mils) of Type I marking material if the averages of these measurements fail. Take a minimum of 10 more measurements after 10 days of this second application within that mile segment for that series of markings. Restripe again at the Contractor's expense with a minimum of 0.060 in. (60 mils) of Type I marking material if the average of these measurements falls below the minimum retroreflectivity requirements. If the markings do not meet minimum retroreflectivity after this third application, the Engineer may require removal of all existing markings, a new application as initially specified, and a repeat of the application process until minimum retroreflectivity requirements are met.

Section 4.6. "Performance Period." The first sentence is voided and replaced by the following:

All longitudinal markings must meet the minimum retroreflectivity requirements within the time frame specified. All markings must meet all other performance requirements of this specification for at least 30 calendar days after installation.

Article 6. "Payment." The first two paragraphs are voided and replaced by the following.

The work performed and materials furnished in accordance with this Item and measured as provided under "Measurement" will be paid for at the unit price bid for "Pavement Sealer" of the size specified; "Retroreflectorized Pavement Markings" of the type and color specified and the shape, width, size, and thickness (Type I markings only) specified, as applicable; "Retroreflectorized Pavement Markings with Retroreflective Requirements" of the types, colors, sizes, widths, and thicknesses specified; "Retroreflectorized Profile Pavement Markings" of the various types, colors, shapes, sizes, and widths specified; or "Reflectorized Pavement Marking (Call Out)" of the shape, width, size, and thickness (Type I markings only) specified, as applicable; or "Pavement Sealer (Call Out)" of the size specified.

This price is full compensation for materials, application of pavement markings, equipment, labor, tools, and incidentals.

## **Special Provision to Special Specification 3096** Asphalts, Oils, and Emulsions



Special Specification 3096, "Asphalts, Oils, and Emulsions," is amended with respect to the clause cited below. No other clause or requirements of this Item are waived or changed.

Section 3096.2.2., Table 3 Polymer-Modified Asphalt Cement has been voided and replaced by the following:

		Poly	mer-Mo	dified A	sphalt C	ement							
Property	Test				Po	lymer-M	odified	l Viscos	ity Gra	de			
	Procedure	AC-12	2-5TR	NT	·HA <sup>1</sup>	AC-	15P	AC-2	0XP	AC-10	-2TR	AC-2	0-5TR
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Polymer		T	TR		-		SBS		S	TR		TR	
Polymer content, % (solids basis)	Tex-533-C	5.0	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	2.0	-	5.0	-
	or <u>Tex-</u> <u>553-C</u>												
Dynamic shear, G*/sin $\delta$ , 82°C, 10 rad/s, kPa	T 315	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dynamic shear, G*/sin $\delta$ , 64°C, 10 rad/s, kPa	T 315	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	_	1.0	-
Dynamic shear, G*/sin $\delta$ , 58°C, 10 rad/s, kPa	T 315	1.0	-	-	-	-	_	-	-	1.0	_	-	-
Viscosity													
140°F, poise	T 202	1,200	- 1	-	-	1,500	-	2,000	-	1,000	-	2,000	-
275°F, poise	T 202	-	- 1	-	_	-	8.0	-	_	-	8.0	-	10.0
275°F, Pa-s	T 316	-	-	-	4.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Penetration, 77°F, 100 g, 5 sec.	T 49	110	150	-	25	100	150	75	115	95	130	75	115
Elastic recovery, 50°F, %	Tex-539-C	55				55	-	55	-	30	-	55	-
Polymer separation	Tex-540-C	No	ne	-	_	No	ne	No	ne	No	ne	No	ne
Flash point, C.O.C., °F	T 48	425		425		425	-	425	-	425	-	425	-
Tests on residue from RTFOT	T 240												
aging and pressure aging:	and R 28												
Creep stiffness	T 313												
Ś, -18°C, MPa		-	300	-	-	-	300	-	300	-	300	-	300
m-value, -18°C		0.300	-	-	-	0.300	- 1	0.300	_	0.300	-	0.300	-

Table 3
olymer-Modified Asphalt Ceme
Polyma

1. This is a hot-applied TRAIL product.

#### Section 3096.2.5., Diluted Emulsions tables has been added.

Diluted Emulsions. Provide emulsified asphalt that is homogeneous, does not separate after thorough mixing, and meets the requirements for the specified type and grade in Tables 12A, and 12B, where the suffixes 50/50, 40/60, and 30/70 mean 50% emulsion diluted with 50% water; 40% emulsion diluted with 60% water, and 30% emulsion diluted with 70% water, respectively. For example, CSS-1H 40/60 means 40% CSS-1H diluted with 60% water and AE-P 30/70 means 30% AE-P diluted with 70% water.

		ed CSS-1H									
		Type-Grade Diluted Slow-Setting									
Ducast	Test										
Property	Procedure	CSS-1	H 50/50	CSS-1	H 40/60	CSS-1H 30/70					
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max				
Viscosity, Saybolt Furol											
77°F, sec.	T 72	Repo	rt Only	Report Only		Report Only					
Distillation test:											
Residue by distillation, % by wt.	T 59	30	-	24	-	18	-				
Oil distillate, % by volume of emulsion		-	0.5	-	0.5	-	0.5				
Tests on residue from distillation:											
Penetration, 77°F, 100 g, 5 sec.	T 49	40	110	40	110	40	110				
Solubility, %	T 44	97.5	-	97.5	-	97.5	-				
Ductility, 77°F, 5 cm/min., cm	T 51	80	-	80	-	80	-				

## Table 12A

# Table 12B Diluted AE-P

		Type–Grade Diluted Slow-Setting								
Bronorty	Test									
Property	Procedure	AE-P	<b>50/50</b>	AE-P	40/60	AE-P	30/70			
		Min	Max	Min	Min	Max	Min			
Viscosity, Saybolt Furol	T 72									
122°F, sec.		Report Only		Repor	rt Only Repo		t Only			
Asphalt emulsion distillation to 500°F										
followed by Cutback asphalt distillation of	T 59 & T 78									
residue to 680°F:										
Residue after both distillations, % by wt.		20	-	16	-	12	-			
Total oil distillate from both distillations, %		12.5	20	10.0	16	7.5	12			
by volume of emulsion										
Tests on residue after all distillations:										
Solubility, %	T 44	97.5	-	97.5	-	97.5	-			
Float test, 122°F, sec.	T 50	50	200	50	200	50	200			

# Special Provision to Special Specification 6185 Truck Mounted Attenuator (TMA) and Trailer Attenuator (TA)



Item 6185, "Truck Mounted Attenuator (TMA) and Trailer Attenuator (TA)" of the Standard Specifications, is hereby amended with respect to the clauses cited below, and no other clauses or requirements of this Item are waived or changed hereby.

Article 4. "Measurement", is voided and replaced by the following:

- 4.1. **Truck Mounted Attenuator/Trailer Attenuator (Stationary).** This Item will be measured by the day. TMA/TAs must be set up in a work area and operational before a calendar day can be considered measureable. A day will be measured for each TMA/TA set up and operational on the worksite.
- 4.2. **Truck Mounted Attenuator/Trailer Attenuator (Mobile Operation).** This Item will be measured by the hour or by the day. The time begins once the TMA/TA is ready for operation at the predetermined site and stops when notified by the Engineer. When measurement by the hour is specified, a minimum of 4 hr. will be paid each day for each operating TMA/TA used in a mobile operation. When measurement by the day is specified, a day will be measured for each TMA/TA set up and operational on the worksite.

# Special Specification 3096 Asphalts, Oils, and Emulsions



## 1. DESCRIPTION

Provide asphalt cements, cutback and emulsified asphalts, performance-graded asphalt binders, and other miscellaneous asphalt materials as specified on the plans.

## 2. MATERIALS

Provide asphalt materials that meet the stated requirements when tested in conformance with the referenced Department, AASHTO, and ASTM test methods. Use asphalt containing recycled materials only if the recycled components meet the requirements of Article 6.9., "Recycled Materials." Provide asphalt materials that the Department has preapproved for use in accordance with <u>Tex-545-C</u>, "Asphalt Binder Quality Program."

Inform the Department of all additives or modifiers included in the asphalt binder as part of the facility quality plan, as required by <u>Tex-545-C</u>, "Asphalt Binder Quality Program," and provide that information to Department personnel. The Department reserves the right to prohibit the use of any asphalt additive or modifier.

Limit the use of polyphosphoric acid to no more than 0.5% by weight of the asphalt binder.

The use of re-refined engine oil bottoms is prohibited.

Acronyms used in this Item are defined in Table 1.

	Table1
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	Acronyms							
Acronym	Definition							
	Test Procedure Designations							
Tex	Department							
T or R	AASHTO							
D	ASTM							
	Polymer Modifier Designations							
Р	polymer-modified							
SBR or L	styrene-butadiene rubber (latex)							
SBS	styrene-butadiene-styrene block co-polymer							
TR tire rubber (from ambient temperature grinding of truck and								
passenger tires)								
AC	asphalt cement							
AE	asphalt emulsion							
AE-P	asphalt emulsion prime							
A-R	asphalt-rubber							
С	cationic							
EAP&T	emulsified asphalt prime and tack							
EBL	emulsified bonding layer							
FDR	full depth reclamation							
H-suffix	harder residue (lower penetration)							
HF	high float							
HY	high yield							
MC	medium-curing							
MS	medium-setting							
PCE	prime, cure, and erosion control							
PG	performance grade							
RC	rapid-curing							
RS	rapid-setting							
S-suffix	stockpile usage							
SCM	special cutback material							
SS	slow-setting							
SY	standard vield							
TRAIL	tracking resistant asphalt interlayer							

2.1. **Asphalt Cement**. Provide asphalt cement that is homogeneous, water-free, and nonfoaming when heated to 347°F, and meets the requirements in Table 2.

		As	sphalt	Cemer	t						
	Test				V	iscosit	y Grac	le			
Property	Test	AC	0.6	AC-1.5		AC-3		AC-5		AC	-10
	Procedure	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Viscosity	T 202										
140°F, poise		40	80	100	200	250	350	400	600	800	1,200
275°F, poise		0.4	-	0.7	-	1.1	-	1.4	-	1.9	-
Penetration, 77°F, 100g, 5 sec.	T 49	350	_	250	_	210	_	135	-	85	_
Flash point, C.O.C., °F	T 48	425	-	425	-	425	-	425	-	450	-
Solubility in trichloroethylene, %	T 44	99.0	_	99.0	_	99.0	_	99.0	-	99.0	_
Spot test	Tex-509-C	Ne	eg.	Ne	eg.	Ne	eg.	Ne	eg.	Ne	eg.
Tests on residue from RTFOT:	T 240										
Viscosity, 140°F, poise	T 202	-	180	-	450	-	900	-	1,500	-	3,000
Ductility, <sup>1</sup> 77°F 5 cm/min., cm	T 51	100	-	100	-	100	-	100	-	100	-

Table 2 sphalt Ceme

 If AC-0.6 or AC-1.5 ductility at 77°F is less than 100 cm, material is acceptable if ductility at 60°F is more than 100 cm.

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2.2.

**Polymer-Modified Asphalt Cement**. Provide polymer-modified asphalt cement that is smooth, homogeneous, and meets the requirements Table 3. Supply samples of the base asphalt cement and polymer additives if requested.

Property	Test					Polymer-		Viscosity	Grade								
	Procedure	AC-12	2-5TR	NT-	HA <sup>1</sup>	AC-		AC-2		AC-10	-2TR	AC-20	-5TR				
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max				
Polymer		TI	۲	-	-	SE	3S	SB	IS	TF	२	TF	२				
Polymer content, %	<u>Tex-533-C</u>	5.0	-	-	-	3.0	-	-	-	2.0	-	5.0	-				
(solids basis)	or <u>Tex-553-C</u>																
Dynamic shear,	T 315			1.0	-												
G*/sinδ, 82°C,																	
10 rad/s, kPa																	
Dynamic shear,	T 315	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-	1.0	-				
G*/sinδ, 64°C,																	
10 rad/s, kPa																	
Dynamic shear,	T 315	1.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.0	-	-	-				
G*/sinδ, 58°C,																	
10 rad/s, kPa																	
Viscosity																	
140°F, poise	T 202	1,200	-			1,500	-	2,000	-	1,000	-	2,000	-				
275°F, poise	T 202			-	4,000	-	8.0	-	-	-	8.0	-	10.0				
Penetration, 77°F,	T 49	110	150	-	25	100	150	75	115	95	130	75	115				
100 g, 5 sec.																	
Ductility, 5cm/min.,	T 51					-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
39.2°F, cm																	
Elastic recovery,	<u>Tex-539-C</u>	55	-			55	-	55	-	30	-	55	-				
50°F, %																	
Softening point, °F	T 53	113	-	170	-	-	-	120	-	110	-	120	-				
Polymer separation,	<u>Tex-540-C</u>	No	ne			No	ne	No	ne	Noi	ne	No	ne				
5 hr.					1		-						-				
Flash point, C.O.C.,	T 48	425	-	425	-	425	-	425	-	425	-	425	-				
°F																	
Tests on residue	T 240																
from RTFOT aging	and R 28																
and pressure aging:																	
Creep stiffness	T 313																
S, -18°C, MPa		-	300	-	-	-	300	-	300	-	300	-	300				
m-value, -18°C		0.300	-	-	-	0.300	-	0.300	-	0.300	-	0.300	-				

Table 3
Polymer-Modified Asphalt Cement
Delumer Medifi

1. Non-Tracking Hot Applied Tack Coat - TRAIL product

2.3.

**Cutback Asphalt**. Provide cutback asphalt that meets the requirements of Tables 4, 5, and 6, for the specified type and grade. Supply samples of the base asphalt cement and polymer additives if requested.

Property	Test Procedure			Туре–0	Grade		
		RC	-250	RC	-800	RC-	3000
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Kinematic viscosity, 140°F, cSt	T 201	250	400	800	1,600	3,000	6,000
Water, %	D95	_	0.2	_	0.2	_	0.2
Flash point, T.O.C., °F	T 79	80	-	80	-	80	-
Distillation test:	T 78						
Distillate, percentage by volume of total							
distillate to 680°F							
to 437°F		40	75	35	70	20	55
to 500°F		65	90	55	85	45	75
to 600°F		85	-	80	-	70	-
Residue from distillation, volume %		70	-	75	-	82	-
Tests on distillation residue:							
Viscosity, 140°F, poise	T 202	600	2,400	600	2,400	600	2,400
Ductility, 5 cm/min., 77°F, cm	T 51	100	-	100	-	100	-
Solubility in trichloroethylene, %	T 44	99.0	-	99.0	-	99.0	-
Spot test	Tex-509-C	N	eg.	Ne	eg.	Ne	eg.

Table 4 Rapid-Curing Cutback Asphalt

	Medium-Curing Cutback Asphalt													
Property	Test				Тур	e–Grade								
	Procedure	MC	C-30	MC	250	MC-	800	MC-	3000					
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max					
Kinematic viscosity, 140°F, cSt	T 201	30	60	250	500	800	1,600	3,000	6,000					
Water, %	D95	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	0.2					
Flash point, T.O.C., °F	T 79	95	-	122	-	140	-	149	-					
Distillation test: Distillate, percentage by volume of total distillate to 680°F to 437°F to 500°F to 600°F Residue from distillation, volume %	T 78	- 30 75 50	35 75 95 –	- 5 60 67	20 55 90 –	- - 45 75	- 40 85 -	- - 15 80	- 15 75 -					
Tests on distillation residue: Viscosity, 140°F, poise Ductility, 5 cm/min., 77°F, cm Solubility in	T 202 T 51 T 44	300 100 99.0	1,200 _ _	300 100 99.0	1,200 _ _	300 100 99.0	1,200 _ _	300 100 99.0	1,200 - -					
trichloroethylene, % Spot test	<u>Tex-509-C</u>	N	eg.	Ne	eg.	Ne	g.	Ne	eg.					

Table 5

	Special-Use Cuth	Special-Use Cutback Asphalt												
Property	Test			Туре	–Grade									
	Procedure	MC-2	400L	SC	CMI	SC	CM II							
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max							
Kinematic viscosity, 140°F, cSt	T 201	2,400	4,800	500	1,000	1,000	2,000							
Water, %	D95	-	0.2	-	0.2	-	0.2							
Flash point, T.O.C., °F	T 79	150	-	175	-	175	_							
Distillation test:	T 78													
Distillate, percentage by volume of														
total distillate to 680°F														
to 437°F		-	-	-	-	-	-							
to 500°F		-	35	-	0.5	-	0.5							
to 600°F		35	80	20	60	15	50							
Residue from distillation, volume %		78	-	76	-	82	-							
Tests on distillation residue:														
Polymer		SE	BR		-		-							
Polymer content, % (solids basis)	<u>Tex-533-C</u>	2.0	-	-	-	-	-							
Penetration, 100 g, 5 sec., 77°F	T 49	150	300	180	-	180	-							
Ductility, 5 cm/min., 39.2°F, cm	T 51	50	-	-	-	-	-							
Solubility in trichloroethylene, %	T 44	99.0	_	99.0		99.0	_							

Table 6

2.4.

**Emulsified Asphalt**. Provide emulsified asphalt that is homogeneous, does not separate after thorough mixing, and meets the requirements for the specified type and grade in Tables 7, 8, 9, 10, and 10A-C.

Data a carta	Test		Emuis	ified Asp	nait	Turne	) un al a				
Property	Procedure	Rapid-S	Sotting		Mediun	Type–G n-Settina	brade		Slow	Setting	
	Tiocedule	HFR	<u> </u>	M			-300	SS-1			-1H
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Viscosity, Saybolt Furol	T 72	WIIII	Max	WIIII	Max		Max		max		Max
77°F. sec.	172	_	_	_	_	75	400	20	100	20	100
122°F, sec.		150	400	100	300	-	-		-	_	-
Sieve test, %	T 59	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	_	0.1	-	0.1
Miscibility	T 59	_	0.1	-	-	_		Pa	ass	Pa	ISS
Cement mixing, %	T 59	_	_	_	_	_	_	-	2.0	-	2.0
Coating ability and water	T 59								2.0		2.0
resistance:											
Dry aggregate/after spray		_		-	-	Good/	Fair	-	-	-	-
Wet aggregate/after spray		_			_	Fair/	Fair	-	-	-	-
Demulsibility, 35 mL of 0.02	T 59	50	-	-	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
N CaCl <sub>2</sub> , %											
Storage stability, 1 day, %	T 59	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1
Freezing test, 3 cycles <sup>1</sup>	T 59	_		Pa	ISS	_		Pa	ISS	Pa	ISS
Distillation test:	T 59										
Residue by distillation, %		65	-	65	-	65	-	60	-	60	-
by wt.											
Oil distillate, % by volume		-	0.5	-	0.5	-	5	-	0.5	-	0.5
of emulsion											
Tests on residue from											
distillation:											
Penetration, 77°F, 100 g,	Т 49	100	140	120	160	300	-	120	160	70	100
5 sec.											
Solubility in	Т 44	97.5	-	97.5	-	97.5	-	97.5	-	97.5	-
trichloroethylene, %	T 64	400		100				400			
Ductility, 77°F, 5 cm/min.,	T 51	100	-	100	-	-	-	100	-	80	-
CM Float toat 140°E and	T 50	1.200				1.200					
Float test, 140°F, sec.		1	-	-	-	1,200	-	-	-	-	-

Table 7 Emulsified Asphalt

1. Applies only when the Engineer designates material for winter use.

#### Table 8 Cationic Emulsified Asphalt

Property	Test						Тур	e-Grade					
	Procedure		Rapid-	Setting			Medium	-Setting			Slow-S	Setting	
		CF	RS-2	CRS	S-2H	CM	IS-2	CMS	S-2S	CSS	S-1	CSS	-1H
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Viscosity, Saybolt Furol	T 72												
77°F, sec.		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	20	100	20	100
122°F, sec.		150	400	150	400	100	300	100	300	-	-	-	-
Sieve test, %	T 59	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1
Cement mixing, %	T 59	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	2.0
Coating ability and water resistance:	T 59												
Dry aggregate/after spray			-	-	-	Good	d/Fair	Good	d/Fair	-		-	-
Wet aggregate/after spray			-	-	-	Fair	/Fair	Fair	/Fair	-		-	
Demulsibility, 35 mL of 0.8%	T 59	70	-	70	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sodium dioctyl sulfosuccinate, %													
Storage stability, 1 day, %	T 59	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1
Particle charge	T 59	Pos	sitive	Pos	itive	Pos	sitive	Pos	itive	Posi	tive	Posi	tive
Distillation test:													
Residue by distillation, % by wt.	T 59	65	-	65	-	65	-	65	-	60	-	60	-
Oil distillate, % by volume of	1 55	-	0.5	-	0.5	-	7	-	5	-	0.5	-	0.5
emulsion													
Tests on residue from distillation:													
Penetration, 77°F, 100 g, 5 sec.	T 49	120	160	70	110	120	200	300	-	120	160	70	110
Solubility in trichloroethylene, %	T 44	97.5	-	97.5	-	97.5	-	97.5	-	97.5	-	97.5	-
Ductility, 77°F, 5 cm/min., cm	T 51	100	-	80	-	100	-		-	100	-	80	-

Property	Test					Тур	e-Grade				
	Procedure	Rapid-	Setting		Medium	-Setting			Slow	Setting	
		HFR	S-2P	AES	150P	AES	300P	AES-3	300S	SS-1P	
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Viscosity, Saybolt Furol	T 72										
77°F, sec.		-	-	75	400	75	400	75	400	30	100
122°F, sec.		150	400					-	-	-	-
Sieve test, %	T 59	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1
Miscibility	T 59		_	-	-	-	-	-		F	ass
Coating ability and water resistance:											
Dry aggregate/after spray	T 59		-	Good	d/Fair	Good	d/Fair	Good/F	air		_
Wet aggregate/after spray			-	Fair	/Fair	Fair	/Fair	Fair/F	air		-
Demulsibility, 35 mL of 0.02 N CaCl <sub>2</sub> ,	T 59	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
%											
Storage stability, 1 day, %	T 59	-	1	-	1	-	1	I	1	-	1
Breaking index, g	<u>Tex-542-C</u>	-	-								
Distillation test:1	T 59										
Residue by distillation, % by wt.		65	-	65	-	65	-	65	-	60	-
Oil distillate, % by volume of		-	0.5	-	3	-	5	-	7	-	0.5
emulsion											
Tests on residue from distillation:											
Polymer content, wt. % (solids	<u>Tex-533-C</u>	3.0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-
basis)											
Penetration, 77°F, 100 g, 5 sec.	T 49	90	140	150	300	300	-	300	-	100	140
Solubility in trichloroethylene, %	T 44	97.0	-	97.0	-	97.0	-	97.0	-	97.0	-
Viscosity, 140°F, poise	T 202	1,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,300	-
Float test, 140°F, sec	T 50	1,200	-	1,200	-	1,200	-	1,200	-	-	-
Ductility, <sup>2</sup> 39.2°F, 5 cm/min., cm	T 51	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	-
Elastic recovery,2 50°F, %	<u>Tex-539-C</u>	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tests on RTFO curing of distillation	T 240										
	Tev 526.0			50		50		20			
Elastic recovery, 50°F, %	<u>Tex-536-C</u>	-	—	50	-	50	-	30	-	-	-

Table 9 Polymer-Modified Emulsified Asphalt

Exception to T 59: Bring the temperature on the lower thermometer slowly to 350°F ±10°F. Maintain at this temperature for 20 min. Complete total distillation in 60 min. (±5 min.) from the first application of heat.
 HFRS-2P must meet one of either the ductility or elastic recovery requirements.

Table 10	
Polymer-Modified Cationic Emulsified Asphal	t

Property	Test	Polyme	-iviouini	ed Cationi	CEIIIUISI		III Type–G	rade					
rioperty	Procedure			Rapid-S	ottina		Type=0	laue	Medium	Setting	1	Slow	Setting
	Trocedure	CRS	.2P	CHFR		CRS-	2TR	CMS	S-1P <sup>3</sup>		1 S-2P <sup>3</sup>		Setting S 1P
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Viscosity, Saybolt Furol	T 72												
77°F, sec.		_	_	_	_	_	_	10	100	_	_	20	100
122°F, sec.		150	400	100	400	150	500	_	_	50	400	_	_
Sieve test. %	T 59	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1	_	0.1	-	0.1	_	0.1
Demulsibility, 35 ml of 0.8% sodium	T 59	70	-	60	-	40	-	_	-	_	-	-	-
dioctyl sulfosuccinate, %	1.00	10		00		10							
Storage stability, 1 day, %	T 59	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-	1
Breaking index, g	Tex-542-C	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Particle charge	T 59	Posi	tive	Posi	tive	Posit	ive	Pos	sitive	Po	sitive	Po	sitive
Distillation test1:	T 59												
Residue by distillation, % by weight		65	-	65	-	65	-	30	-	60	-	62	-
Oil distillate, % by volume of emulsion		-	0.5	-	0.5	-	3	-	0.5	-	0.5	-	0.5
Tests on residue from distillation:													
Polymer content, wt. % (solids basis)	Tex-533-C	3.0	-	3.0	-	5.07	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-
Penetration, 77°F, 100 g, 5 sec.	T 49	90	150	80	130	90	150	30	-	30	-	55	90
Viscosity, 140°F, poise	T 202	1,300	-	1,300	-	1,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Solubility in trichloroethylene, %	T44	97.0	-	95.0	-	98	-	-	-	-	-	97.0	-
Softening point, °F	T 53	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	135	-
Ductility, 77°F, 5 cm/min., cm	T 51	-	-	-	-	40	-	-	-	-	-	70	-
Float test, 140°F, sec.	T 50	-	-	1,800	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ductility, <sup>2</sup> 39.2°F, 5 cm/min., cm	T 51	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Elastic recovery, <sup>2</sup> 50°F, %	Tex-539-C	55	-	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tests on residue from evaporative	R 78,												
recovery:	Procedure												
	В												
Nonrecoverable creep compliance of	T 350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2.0	-	4.0	-	-
residue, 3.2 kPa, 52°C, kPa-1													
Tests on rejuvenating agent:													
Viscosity, 140°F, cSt	T 201	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	175	50	175	-	-
Flash point, C.O.C., °F	T 48	-	-	-	-	-	-	380	-	380	-	-	-
Saturates, % by weight	D 2007	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	-	30	-	-
Solubility in n-pentane, % by weight	D 2007	-	-	-	-	-	-	99	-	99	-	-	-
Tests on rejuvenating agent after RTFO	T 240												
Weight Change, %		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6.5	-	6.5	-	-
Viscosity Ratio		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3.0	-	3.0	-	-
Tests on latex4:													
Tensile strength, die C dumbbell, psi	D 412 <sup>5</sup>	-	-	-	-	-	-	800	-	800	-	-	-
Change in mass after immersion in	D 471	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	406	-	406	-	-
rejuvenating agent, %													

1. Exception to T 59: Bring the temperature on the lower thermometer slowly to 350°F (±0°F). Maintain at this temperature for 20 min. Complete total distillation in 60 min. (±5 min.) from the first application of heat.

2. CRS-2P must meet one of either the ductility or elastic recovery requirements.

With all precertification samples of CMS-1P or CMS-2P, submit certified test reports showing that the rejuvenating agent and latex meet the stated requirements. Submit samples of these raw materials if requested by the Engineer.

4. Preparation of latex specimens: use any substrate and recovery method which produces specimens of uniform dimensions and which delivers enough material to achieve desired residual thickness.

5. Cut samples for tensile strength determination using a crosshead speed of 20 in. per minute.

6. Specimen must remain intact after exposure and removal of excess rejuvenating agent.

7. Modifier type is tire rubber.

Property	Test Procedure	NT-	HRE	NT-RR	E	NT-	SRE
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Viscosity, Saybolt Furol	T 72	15	-	15	-	10	100
77° F, sec.							
Storage stability, 1 Day, %	T 59	-	1	-	1	-	1
Settlement, 5-day, %	T 59	-	5	-	5	-	5
Sieve test, %	T 59	-	0.30	-	0.30	-	0.1
Distillation test:2	T 59						
Residue by distillation, % by wt.		50	-	58	-	50	-
Oil distillate, by volume of emulsion		-	1.0	-	1.0	-	1.0
Test on residue from distillation:							
Penetration, 77°F, 100 g, 5 sec.	T 49	-	20	15	45	40	90
Solubility in trichloroethylene, %	T 44	97.5	-	97.5	-	97.5	-
Softening point, °F	T 53	150	-	-	-	-	-
Dynamic shear, G*/sin(δ), 82°C, 10 rad/s, kPa	T 315	1.0	-	-	-	-	-

Table 10A
Non-Tracking Tack Coat Emulsion <sup>1</sup>

1. Due to the hardness of the residue, these emulsions should be heated to 120-140°F before thoroughly mixing as the emulsion is being prepared for testing.

 Exception to T 59: Bring the temperature on the lower thermometer slowly to 350°F ± 10°F. Maintain at this temperature for 20 min. Complete total distillation in 60 ± 5 min. from first application of heat.

Spray Applied Underseal Memo	brane Polymer-Modified	Emuisions (Eb	3L)
Property	Test Procedure	Min	Max
Viscosity @ 77°F, SSF	T 72	20	100
Storage Stability <sup>1</sup> , %	T 59	-	1
Demulsibility <sup>2</sup>	T 59	55	-
Anionic emulsions – 35 mL of 0.02 N CaCl2, %			
Cationic emulsions – 35 mL of 0.8% sodium			
dioctyl sulfosuccinate, %			
Sieve Test <sup>3</sup> , %	T 59	-	0.05
Distillation Test <sup>4</sup>	T 59		
Residue by distillation, % by wt.		63	
Oil portion of distillate, % by vol.			0.5
Test on Residue from Distillation			
Elastic Recovery @ 50°F, 50 mm/min., %	Tex-539-C	60	-
Penetration @ 77°F, 100 g, 5 sec., 0.1 mm	T 49	80	130
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Table10B Spray Applied Underseal Membrane Polymer-Modified Emulsions (EBL)

1. After standing undisturbed for 24 hr., the surface must be smooth, must not exhibit a white or milky colored substance, and must be a homogeneous color throughout.

2. Material must meet demulsibility test for emulsions.

3. May be required by the Engineer only when the emulsion cannot be easily applied in the field.

4. The temperature on the lower thermometer should be brought slowly to 350°F ± 10°F and maintained at this temperature for 20 min. The total distillation should be completed in 60 ± 5 min. from the first application of heat.

Property	Test Procedure	Standard	Yield (SY)	High	Yield (HY)
		Min	Max	Min	Max
Sieve test, %	T 59	-	0.1	-	0.1
Viscosity Saybolt Furol @ 77°F, sec.	T 59	20	100	20	100
Distillation test1:	T 59				
Residue by distillation, % by wt.		60	-	63	-
Oil portion of distillate, % by vol.		-	0.5	-	0.5
Test on residue from distillation:	T 49				
Penetration @ 77°F, dmm		55	95	120	-
Test on rejuvenating agent:					
BWOA, % <sup>2</sup>	***	-	-	2	-
Viscosity @ 140°F, cSt	T 201	-	-	50	175
Flash Point, COC, °F	T 48	-	-	380	-
Solubility in n-pentane, % by wt.	D2007	-	-	99	-

Table 10C	
Full-Depth Reclamation Emulsion (	FDR EM)

 The temperature on the lower thermometer should be brought slowly to 350°F ±10°F and maintained at this temperature for 20 min. The total distillation should be completed in 60 ± 5 min. from the first application of heat.

2. BWOA = By weight of asphalt. Provide a manufacturer's certificate of analysis (COA) with the percent of rejuvenator added.

2.5.

**Specialty Emulsions.** Provide specialty emulsion that is either asphalt-based or resin-based and meets the requirements of Table 11 or Table 11A.

Specialty Emulsions									
Property	Test Procedure			Type-0	Grade				
			Medium-	Setting		Slow-	Setting		
		AE	·P	EA	P&T	P			
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max		
Viscosity, Saybolt Furol	T 72								
77°F, sec.		-	-	-	-	10	100		
122°F, sec.		15	150	-	-	-	-		
Sieve test, %	T 59	-	0.1	-	0.1	-	0.1		
Miscibility <sup>2</sup>	T 59	-		Pass		Pass			
Demulsibility, 35 mL of 0.10 N CaCl <sup>2</sup> , %	T 59	-	70	-	-	-	-		
Storage stability, 1 day, %	T 59	-	1	-	1	-	-		
Particle size, <sup>5</sup> % by volume < 2.5 μm	<u>Tex-238-F<sup>3</sup></u>	-	-	90	-	90	-		
Asphalt emulsion distillation to 500°F									
followed by Cutback asphalt distillation of	T 59 & T 78								
residue to 680°F:									
Residue after both distillations, % by wt.		40	-	-	-	-	-		
Total oil distillate from both distillations, %		25	40	-	-	-	-		
by volume of emulsion									
Residue by distillation, % by wt.	T 59	-	-	60	-	-	-		
Residue by evaporation, <sup>4</sup> % by wt.	T 59	-	-	-	-	60	-		
Tests on residue after all distillations:									
Viscosity, 140°F, poise	T 202	-	-	800	-	-	-		
Kinematic viscosity, <sup>5</sup> 140°F, cSt	T 201	-	-	-	-	100	350		
Flash point C.O.C., °F	T 48	-	-	-	-	400	-		
Solubility in trichloroethylene, %	T 44	97.5	-	-	-	-	-		
Float test, 122°F, sec.	T 50	50	200	-	-	-	-		

Table 11 Specialty Emulsio

1. Supply with each shipment of PCE:

 a copy of a lab report from an approved analytical lab, signed by a lab official, indicating the PCE formulation does not meet any characteristics of a Resource Conservation Recovery Act (RCRA) hazardous waste;

a certification from the producer that the formulation supplied does not differ from the one tested and that no listed RCRA hazardous wastes or Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs) have been mixed with the product; and

a Safety Data Sheet.

3.

2. Exception to T 59: In dilution, use 350 mL of distilled or deionized water and a 1,000-mL beaker.

Use <u>Tex-238-F</u>, beginning at "Particle Size Analysis by Laser Diffraction," with distilled or deionized water as a medium and no dispersant, or use another approved method.

4. Exception to T 59: Leave sample in the oven until foaming ceases, then cool and weigh.

5. PCE must meet either the kinematic viscosity requirement or the particle size requirement.

Hard Residue Surface Sealant									
Property	Test	Min	Max						
	Procedure								
Viscosity, Krebs unit, 77°F, Krebs units	D 562	45	75						
Softening point, °F	Tex-505-C <sup>1</sup>	250	Ι						
Uniformity	D 2939	Pa	SS <sup>2</sup>						
Resistance to heat	D 2939	Pa	SS <sup>3</sup>						
Resistance to water	D 2939	Pa	SS <sup>4</sup>						
Wet flow, mm	D 2939	-	0						
Resistance to Kerosene (optional) <sup>5</sup>	D 2939	Pass <sup>6</sup>							
Ultraviolet exposure, UVA-340, 0.77 W/m <sup>2</sup> ,	G 154	Pa	SS <sup>8</sup>						
50°C chamber, 8 hr. UV lamp, 5 min. spray,									
3 hr. 55 min. condensation, 1,000 hr. total									
exposure <sup>7</sup>									
Abrasion loss, 1.6 mm thickness, liquid only, %	ISSA TB-100	Ι	1.0						
Residue by evaporation, % by weight	D 2939	33	-						
Tests on residue from evaporation:									
Penetration, 77°F, 100 g, 5 sec.	T 49	15	30						
Flash point, Cleveland open cup, °F	T 48								
Tests on base asphalt before emulsification									
Solubility in trichloroethylene, %	T 44	98	-						

Table 11A Hard Residue Surface Sealant

1. Cure the emulsion in the softening point ring in a 200°F  $\pm$  5°F oven for 2 hr.

2. Product must be homogenous and show no separation or coagulation that cannot be overcome by moderate stirring.

3. No sagging or slippage of film beyond the initial reference line.

4. No blistering or re-emulsification.

5. Recommended for airport applications or where fuel resistance is desired.

- 6. No absorption of Kerosene into the clay tile past the sealer film. Note sealer surface condition and loss of adhesion.
- 7. Other exposure cycles with similar levels of irradiation and conditions may be used with Department approval.
- 8. No cracking, chipping, surface distortion, or loss of adhesion. No color fading or lightening.
- 2.6. **Recycling Agent**. Recycling agent and emulsified recycling agent must meet the requirements in Table 12. Additionally, recycling agent and residue from emulsified recycling agent, when added in the specified proportions to the recycled asphalt, must meet the properties specified on the plans.

Recy	cling Agent ar	nd Emulsif	ied Recycl	ing Agent			
Property	Test Procedure	Recyclir	ng Agent	Recyclin	sified ng Agent A-1)	Émul Recyclir	Modified sified ng Agent A-1P)
		Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max
Viscosity, Saybolt Furol, 77°F, sec.	T 72	-	-	15	100	15	110
Sieve test, %	T 59	-	-	-	0.1	-	0.1
Miscibility <sup>1</sup>	T 59	-	-	No coa	gulation		
Residue by evaporation, <sup>2</sup> % by wt.	T 59	_	-	60	-	I	_
Distillation test:	T 59						
Residue by distillation, % by wt.						60	65
Oil distillate, % by volume of emulsion						-	2
Penetration of Distillation Residue at	T 49					110	190
39.2°F, 100 g, 5 sec.							
Tests on recycling agent or residue from							
evaporation:							
Flash point, C.O.C., °F	T 48	400	-	400	-	400	-
Kinematic viscosity,	T 201						
140°F, cSt		75	200	75	200		
275°F, cSt		-	10.0	-	10.0		

Table 12

Exception to T 59: Use 0.02 N CaCl2 solution in place of water. 1.

Exception to T 59: Maintain sample at 300°F until foaming ceases, then cool and weigh. 2.

2.7. Crumb Rubber Modifier. Crumb rubber modifier (CRM) consists of automobile and truck tires processed by ambient temperature grinding.

CRM must be:

- free from contaminants including fabric, metal, and mineral and other nonrubber substances;
- free-flowing; and
- nonfoaming when added to hot asphalt binder.

Ensure rubber gradation meets the requirements of the grades in Table 13 when tested in accordance with Tex-200-F, Part I, using a 50-g sample.

Table 13

	CRM Gradations												
Sieve Size	Grad	Grade A		de B	Grad	e C	Grade D	Grade E					
(% Passing)	Min	Max	Min	Max	Min	Max							
#8	100	-	-	-	-	-	As shown on the plans						
#10	95	100	100	-	-	-		As shown on					
#16	-	-	70	100	100	-			As approved				
#30	-	-	25	60	90	100		As approved					
#40	-	-	-	-	45	100							
#50	0	10	-	-	-	-							
#200	-	-	0	5	-	-							

2.8.

Crack Sealer. Provide polymer-modified asphalt-emulsion crack sealer meeting the requirements of Table 14. Provide rubber-asphalt crack sealer meeting the requirements of Table 15.

Property	Test Procedure	Min	Max							
Rotational viscosity, 77°F, cP	D 2196, Method A	10,000	25,000							
Sieve test, %	T 59	-	0.1							
Storage stability, 1 day, %	T 59	-	1							
Evaporation	<u>Tex-543-C</u>									
Residue by evaporation, % by wt.		65	-							
Tests on residue from evaporation:										
Penetration, 77°F, 100 g, 5 sec.	Т 49	35	75							
Softening point, °F	T 53	140	-							
Ductility, 39.2°F, 5 cm/min., cm	T 51	100	-							

Table 14 Polymer-Modified Asphalt-Emulsion Crack Sealer

Table 15 Rubber-Asphalt Crack Sealer

Property	Test	Cla	ss A	Class B						
	Procedure	Min	Max	Min	Max					
CRM content, Grade A or B, % by wt.	<u>Tex-544-C</u>	22	26	-	_					
CRM content, Grade B, % by wt.	<u>Tex-544-C</u>	-	-	13	17					
Virgin rubber content, <sup>1</sup> % by wt.		-	-	2	-					
Flash point, <sup>2</sup> C.O.C., °F	T 48	400	-	400	_					
Penetration, <sup>3</sup> 77°F, 150 g, 5 sec.	T 49	30	50	30	50					
Penetration, <sup>3</sup> 32°F, 200 g, 60 sec.	T 49	12	-	12	_					
Softening point, °F	T 53	-	-	170	_					
Bond Test, non-immersed, 0.5 in specimen,										
50% extension, 20°F <sup>4</sup>	D5329		-		ISS					
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1. Provide certification that the Min % virgin rubber was added.

2. Agitate the sealing compound with a 3/8- to 1/2 in. (9.5- to 12.7 mm) wide, square-end metal spatula to bring the material on the bottom of the cup to the surface (i.e., turn the material over) before passing the test flame over the cup. Start at one side of the thermometer, move around to the other, and then return to the starting point using 8 to 10 rapid circular strokes. Accomplish agitation in 3 to 4 sec. Pass the test flame over the cup immediately after stirring is completed.

3. Exception to T 49: Substitute the cone specified in D 217 for the penetration needle.

4. Allow no crack in the crack sealing materials or break in the bond between the sealer and the mortar blocks over 1/4 in. deep for any specimen after completion of the test.

2.9. Asphalt-Rubber Binders. Provide asphalt-rubber (A-R) binders that are mixtures of asphalt binder and CRM, which have been reacted at elevated temperatures. Provide A-R binders meeting D6114 and containing a minimum of 15% CRM by weight. Provide Types I or II, containing CRM Grade C, for use in hot-mixed aggregate mixtures. Provide Types II or III, containing CRM Grade B, for use in surface treatment binder. Ensure binder properties meet the requirements of Table 16.

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2.10.

**Performance-Graded Binders**. Provide PG binders that are smooth and homogeneous, show no separation when tested in accordance with <u>Tex-540-C</u>, and meet the requirements of Table 17.

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T 48

T 179

T 49

Separation testing is not required if:

Property

Apparent viscosity, 347°F, cP

Penetration, 77°F, 100 g, 5 sec.

Tests on residue from Thin-Film

200 g, 60 sec., % of original

Retained penetration ratio, 39.2°F,

Softening point, °F

Resilience, 77°F, %

Oven Test:

Flash point, C.O.C., °F

Penetration, 39.2°F, 200 g, 60 sec.

- a modifier is introduced separately at the mix plant either by injection in the asphalt line or mixer,
- the binder is blended on site in continuously agitated tanks, or
- binder acceptance is based on field samples taken from an in-line sampling port at the hot-mix plant after the addition of modifiers.

#### Table 17 Performance-Graded Binders

					Pe	rtorma	nce-Gra											
Property and Test Method								Pe		nce Grad	е							
	PG 58 PG 64					PG 70				PG 76				PG 82				
	-22	-28	-34	-16	-22	-28	-34	-16	-22	-28	-34	-16	-22	-28	-34	-16	-22	-28
Average 7-day max pavement design temperature, °C1		58				64			-	70			7	6			82	
Min pavement design temperature, °C1	-22	-28	-34	-16	-22	-28	-34	-16	-22	-28	-34	-16	-22	-28	-34	-16	-22	-28
						Ori	ginal Bin	der										
Flash point, T 48, Min, °C									23	30								
Viscosity, T 316 <sup>2, 3</sup> :									11	35								
Max, 3.0 Pas, test temperature, °C									1.	50								
Dynamic shear, T 3154:																		
Ğ*/sin(δ), Min, 1.00 kPa, Max, 2.00 kPa²,		58				64			-	70			7	6			82	
Test temperature @ 10 rad/sec., °C																		
Elastic recovery, D6084, 50°F, % Min <sup>8</sup>	-	-	30	-	-	30	50	-	30	50	60	30	50	60	70	50	60	70
					Rollin	g Thin-	Film Ove	n ( <u>Tex-5(</u>	) <mark>6-C</mark> )									
Mass change, T 240, Max, %									1	.0								
Dynamic shear, T 315:																		
Ġ*/sin(δ), Min, 2.20 kPa, Max, 5.00 kPa <sup>7</sup> ,		58				64		70		76			82					
Test temperature @ 10 rad/sec., °C																		
MSCR, T350, Recovery, 0.1 kPa, High Temperature, % Min <sup>8</sup>	-	-	20	-	-	20	30	-	20	30	40	20	30	40	50	30	40	50
				Pre	essure A	Aging V	essel (PA	V) Resid	lue (R 2	8)								
PAV aging temperature, °C									1(	00								
Dynamic shear, T 315:																		
G <sup>*</sup> sin(δ), Max, 5,000 kPa	25	22	19	28	25	22	19	28	25	22	19	28	25	22	19	28	25	22
Test temperature @ 10 rad/sec., °C																		
Creep stiffness, T 313 <sup>5, 6</sup> :																		
S, max, 300 MPa,	10	-18	04	<u> </u>	10	-18	04	<u> </u>	10	10	04	<u> </u>	-12	-18	24	~	10	10
<i>m</i> -value, Min, 0.300	-12	-1ŏ	-24	-6	-12	-10	-24	-6	-12	-18	-24	-6	-12	-1ŏ	-24	-6	-12	-18
Test temperature @ 60 sec., °C																		
Direct tension, T 3146:																		
Failure strain, min, 1.0% Test temperature @ 1.0 mm/min., °C	-12	-18	-24	-6	-12	-18	-24	-6	-12	-18	-24	-6	-12	-18	-24	-6	-12	-18

1. Pavement temperatures are estimated from air temperatures and using an algorithm contained in a Department-supplied computer program, may be provided by the Department, or by following the procedures outlined in AASHTO MP 2 and PP 28.

 This requirement may be waived at the Department's discretion if the supplier warrants that the asphalt binder can be adequately pumped, mixed, and compacted at temperatures that meet all applicable safety, environmental, and constructability requirements. At test temperatures where the binder is a Newtonian fluid, any suitable standard means of viscosity measurement may be used, including capillary (T 201 or T 202) or rotational viscometry (T 316).

3. Viscosity at 135°C is an indicator of mixing and compaction temperatures that can be expected in the lab and field. High values may indicate high mixing and compaction temperatures. Additionally, significant variation can occur from batch to batch. Contractors should be aware that variation could significantly impact their mixing and compaction operations. Contractors are therefore responsible for addressing any constructability issues that may arise.

4. For quality control of unmodified asphalt binder production, measurement of the viscosity of the original asphalt binder may be substituted for dynamic shear measurements of G\*/sin(δ) at test temperatures where the asphalt is a Newtonian fluid. Any suitable standard means of viscosity measurement may be used, including capillary (T 201 or T 202) or rotational viscometry (T 316).

5. Silicone beam molds, as described in AASHTO TP 1-93, are acceptable for use.

6. If creep stiffness is below 300 MPa, direct tension test is not required. If creep stiffness is between 300 and 600 MPa, the direct tension failure strain requirement can be used instead of the creep stiffness requirement. The m value requirement must be satisfied in both cases.

7. Maximum values for unaged and RTFO aged dynamic shear apply only to materials used as substitute binders, as described in Item 340, "Dense-Graded Hot-Mix Asphalt (Small Quantity)", Item 341, "Dense-Graded Hot-Mix Asphalt, and Item 344, "Superpave Mixtures."

8. Elastic Recovery (ASTM D6084) is not required unless MSCR (AASHTO T 350) is less than the minimum % recovery. Elastic Recovery must be used for the acceptance criteria in this instance.

#### EQUIPMENT

3.

Provide all equipment necessary to transport, store, sample, heat, apply, and incorporate asphalts, oils, and emulsions.

4.

## CONSTRUCTION

**Typical Material Use.** Use materials shown in Table 18, unless otherwise determined by the Engineer.

Table18							
Typical Material Use							
Material Application	Typically Used Materials						
Hot-mixed, hot-laid asphalt mixtures	PG binders, A-R binders Types I and II						
Surface treatment	AC-5, AC-10, AC-15P, AC-20XP, AC-10-2TR, AC-20-5TR, HFRS-2, MS-2, CRS-2, CRS-2H, CRS-2TR, CMS-2P HFRS-2P, CRS-2P, CHFRS-2P, A-R binders Types II and III						
Surface treatment (cool weather)	AC12-5TR, RC-250, RC-800, RC-3000, MC-250, MC-800, MC-3000, MC-2400L, CMS-2P						
Precoating	AC-5, AC-10, PG 64-22, SS-1, SS-1H, CSS-1, CSS-1H						
Tack coat	PG Binders, SS-1H, CSS-1H, EAP&T, TRAIL, EBL						
Fog seal	SS-1, SS-1H, CSS-1, CSS-1H, CMS-1P						
Hot-mixed, cold-laid asphalt mixtures	AC-0.6, AC-1.5, AC-3, AES-300, AES-300P, CMS-2, CMS-2S						
Patching mix	MC-800, SCM I, SCM II, AES-300S						
Recycling	AC-0.6, AC-1.5, AC-3, AES-150P, AES-300P, recycling agent, emulsified recycling agent						
Crack sealing	SS-1P, polymer mod AE crack sealant, rubber asphalt crack sealers (Class A, Class B)						
Microsurfacing	CSS-1P						
Prime	MC-30, AE-P, EAP&T, PCE						
Curing membrane	SS-1, SS-1H, CSS-1, CSS-1H, PCE						
Erosion control	SS-1, SS-1H, CSS-1, CSS-1H, PCE						
FDR -Foaming	PG 64-22, FDR EM-SY, FDR EM-HY						

4.1. **Storage and Application Temperatures**. Use storage and application temperatures in accordance with Table 19. Store and apply materials at the lowest temperature yielding satisfactory results. Follow the manufacturer's instructions for any agitation requirements in storage. Manufacturer's instructions regarding recommended application and storage temperatures supersede those of Table 19.

Storage and Application Temperatures									
	Applicat	Storage							
Type-Grade	Recommended Range (°F)	Max Allowable (°F)	Max (°F)						
AC-0.6, AC-1.5, AC-3	200–300	350	350						
AC-5, AC-10	275–350	350	350						
AC-15P, AC-20-5TR, AC12-5TR and AC10-2TR	300–375	375	360						
RC-250	125–180	200	200						
RC-800	170–230	260	260						
RC-3000	215–275	285	285						
MC-30, AE-P	70–150	175	175						
MC-250	125–210	240	240						
MC-800, SCM I, SCM II	175–260	275	275						
MC-3000, MC-2400L	225–275	290	290						
HFRS-2, MS-2, CRS-2, CRS-2H, HFRS-2P, CRS-2P, CMS-2, CMS-2S, AES-300, AES-300S, AES-150P, AES-300P, CRS-2TR	120–160	180	180						
SS-1, SS-1H, CSS-1, CSS-1H, PCE, EAP&T, SS-1P, RS-1P, CRS-1P, CSS-1P, recycling agent, emulsified recycling agent, polymer mod AE crack sealant	50–130	140	140						
PG binders	275–350	350	350						
Rubber asphalt crack sealers (Class A, Class B)	350–375	400	-						
A-R binders Types I, II, and III	325-425	425	425						

Table19 Storage and Application Temperatures

## 5. MEASUREMENT AND PAYMENT

The work performed, materials furnished, equipment, labor, tools, and incidentals will not be measured or paid for directly but is subsidiary or is included in payment for other pertinent Items.

# Special Specification 6001 Portable Changeable Message Sign



## 1. DESCRIPTION

Furnish, operate, and maintain portable trailer mounted changeable message sign (PCMS) units.

#### 2. MATERIALS

Furnish new or used material in accordance with the requirements of this Item and the details shown on the plans. Provide a self-contained PCMS unit with the following:

- Sign controller
- Changeable Message Sign
- Trailer
- Power source

Paint the exterior surfaces of the power supply housing, supports, trailer, and sign with Federal Orange No. 22246 or Federal Yellow No. 13538 of Federal Standard 595C, except paint the sign face assembly flat black.

- 2.1. **Sign Controller**. Provide a controller with permanent storage of a minimum of 75 pre-programmed messages. Provide an external input device for random programming and storage of a minimum of 75 additional messages. Provide a controller capable of displaying up to 3 messages sequentially. Provide a controller with adjustable display rates. Enclose sign controller equipment in a lockable enclosure.
- 2.2. **Changeable Message Sign**. Provide a sign capable of being elevated to at least 7 ft. above the roadway surface from the bottom of the sign. Provide a sign capable of being rotated 360° and secured against movement in any position.

Provide a sign with 3 separate lines of text and 8 characters per line minimum. Provide a minimum 18 in. character height. Provide a 5 × 7 character pixel matrix. Provide a message legibility distance of 600 ft. for nighttime conditions and 800 ft. for normal daylight conditions. Provide for manual and automatic dimming light sources.

The following are descriptions for 3 screen types of PCMS:

- Character Modular Matrix. This screen type comprises of character blocks.
- **Continuous Line Matrix**. This screen type uses proportionally spaced fonts for each line of text.
- Full Matrix. This screen type uses proportionally spaced fonts, varies the height of characters, and displays simple graphics on the entire sign.
- 2.3. **Trailer**. Provide a 2 wheel trailer with square top fenders, 4 leveling jacks, and trailer lights. Do not exceed an overall trailer width of 96 in. Shock mount the electronics and sign assembly.
- 2.4. **Power Source**. Provide a diesel generator, solar powered power source, or both. Provide a backup power source as necessary.
- 2.5. **Cellular Telephone**. When shown on the plans, provide a cellular telephone connection to communicate with the PCMS unit remotely.

## 3. CONSTRUCTION

Place or relocate PCMS units as shown on the plans or as directed. The plans will show the number of PCMS units needed, for how many days, and for which construction phases.

Maintain the PCMS units in good working condition. Repair damaged or malfunctioning PCMS units as soon as possible. PCMS units will remain the property of the Contractor.

#### 4. MEASUREMENT

This Item will be measured by each PCMS or by the day used. All PCMS units must be set up on a work area and operational before a calendar day can be considered measurable. When measurement by the day is specified, a day will be measured for each PCMS set up and operational on the worksite.

#### 5. PAYMENT

The work performed and materials furnished in accordance with this Item and measured as provided under "Measurement" will be paid for at the unit price bid for "Portable Changeable Message Sign." This price is full compensation for PCMS units; set up; relocating; removing; replacement parts; batteries (when required); fuel, oil, and oil filters (when required); cellular telephone charges (when required); software; and equipment, materials, tools, labor, and incidentals.

# Special Specification 6158

## Trailer Mounted Solar Powered Radar Speed Control Monitor



## 1. DESCRIPTION

Provide, maintain and remove upon completion of work, trailer mounted solar powered radar speed control monitors as shown on the plans or as directed.

#### 2. EQUIPMENT

Provide a trailer mounted solar powered radar speed detection radar unit with light emitting diode (LED) display panel. Unit must be used by the Contractor to alert motorists of work zone speeds and excessive speed for their safety and that of the Contractor's and Department's personnel. Any unit furnished under this specification must be in good working condition.

Use equipment in accordance with the manufacturer's directions.

- 2.1. **Batteries.** Provide unit equipped with a minimum of two, heavy duty, deep cycle batteries which will power the unit 24 hr. a day for a minimum of 12 days without the assistance of the solar panels.
- 2.2. Battery Regulator and Recharging System. Provide unit equipped with an internal controller that regulates the amount of current delivered to the batteries and prevents overcharging. The manufacturer's standard charger must also be provided to recharge the batteries from a standard 120 VAC source.
- 2.3. **Solar Panels.** Provide unit equipped with solar panels which generates sufficient power to enable the system to continually recharge the batteries.
- 2.4. **Radar Device.** Ensure unit is equipped with the manufacturer's radar device that measures speed in miles per hour.

Provide radar device that detects speeds of oncoming vehicles only from a minimum distance of one-quarter mile.

Provide radar that detects speeds from 10 to 99 mph.

Provide radar that can operate in ambient temperatures from -22 to 140°F (-30 to 60°C).

Provide radar device that detects speeds in the stationary mode.

2.5. **Display Panel.** Provide a display panel that contains LED technology which displays oncoming vehicle speeds in miles per hour from 10 to 99 mph.

Provide a display panel that consists of two characters, each a minimum of 18 in. in height. Provide a display that is amber in color and visible from a minimum of 600 ft.

Provide a display panel that is equipped with a photocell that automatically adjusts the display for day and night operation.

Provide a display panel that is equipped to alert motorist when they are traveling over the posted speed, either by flashing the traveling speed, changing the display color, or by "blanking" out the display.

Provide a display panel that is equipped with an operator-set high speed cutoff feature.

2.6. **Trailer Requirements.** Provide a trailer unit that is equipped with a heavy duty, all steel unitized or electrically welded, tubular or C-channel frames.

Ensure that the rear of the trailer is equipped with a red tail lamp, a red stop lamp, a turn indicator, and a red reflector on each side at the same level and as widely spaced laterally as practicable.

Provide a trailer that is equipped with a siren and strobe light that will alert workers of an oncoming speeding vehicle.

#### 3. WORK METHODS

The unit provided must meet or exceed all federal and state safety, health, lighting and noise regulations and standards in effect and applicable to equipment furnished at the time of manufacture.

#### 4. MEASUREMENT

This Item will be measured by each trailer mounted solar powered speed control monitor, furnished, installed, and made fully operational.

#### 5. PAYMENT

The work performed and materials furnished in accordance with this Item and measured as provided under "Measurement" will be paid for at the unit price bid for "Trailer Mounted Solar Assisted and Battery Powered Radar Speed Control Monitor." This price is full compensation for trailer mounted solar assisted and battery powered radar speed control monitor unit; set up; relocating; removing; replacement parts; solar panels, batteries (when required); and equipment, materials, tools, labor and incidentals.

## **Special Specification 6185**

# Truck Mounted Attenuator (TMA) and Trailer Attenuator (TA)



#### 1. DESCRIPTION

Furnish, operate, maintain and remove upon completion of work, Truck Mounted Attenuator (TMA) or Trailer Attenuator (TA).

#### 2. MATERIALS

Furnish, operate and maintain new or used TMAs or TAs. Assure used attenuators are in good working condition and are approved for use. A list of approved TMA/TA units can be found in the Department's Compliant Work Zone Traffic Control Devices List. The host vehicle for the TMA and TA must weigh a minimum of 19,000 lbs. Host vehicles may be ballasted to achieve the required weight. Any weight added to the host vehicle must be properly attached or contained within it so that it does not present a hazard and that proper energy dissipation occurs if the attenuator is impacted from behind by a large truck. The weight of a TA will not be considered in the weight of the host vehicle but the weight of a TMA may be included in the weight of the host vehicle. Upon request, provide either a manufacturer's curb weight or a certified scales weight ticket to the Engineer.

#### 3. CONSTRUCTION

Place or relocate TMA/TAs as shown on the plans or as directed. The plans will show the number of TMA/TAs needed, for how many days or hours, and for which construction phases.

Maintain the TMA/TAs in good working condition. Replace damaged TMA/TAs as soon as possible.

#### 4. MEASUREMENT

- 4.1. **Truck Mounted Attenuator/Trailer Attenuator (Stationary).** This Item will be measured by the each or by the day. TMA/TAs must be set up in a work area and operational before a calendar day can be considered measurable. When measurement by the day is specified, a day will be measured for each TMA/TA set up and operational on the worksite.
- 4.2. **Truck Mounted Attenuator/Trailer Attenuator (Mobile Operation).** This Item will be measured by the hour. The time begins once the TMA/TA is ready for operation at the predetermined site and stops when notified by the Engineer. A minimum of 4 hr. will be paid each day for each operating TMA/TA used in a mobile operation.

#### 5. PAYMENT

The work performed and materials furnished in accordance with this Item and measured as provided under "Measurement" will be paid for at the unit price bid for "Truck Mounted Attenuators/Trailer Attenuators (Stationary)," or "Truck Mounted Attenuators/Trailer Attenuators (Mobile Operation)." This price is full compensation for furnishing TMA/TA: set up; relocating; removing; operating; fuel; and equipment, materials, tools, labor, and incidentals.

# Special Specification 6438 Mobile Retroreflectivity Data Collection for



## 1. DESCRIPTION

**Pavement Markings** 

Furnish mobile retroreflectivity data collection (MRDC) for pavement markings on roadways as shown on the plans or as designated by the Engineer. Conduct MRDC on dry pavement only. Provider is defined as the Contractor or Subcontractor who collects the MRDC data.

## 2. EQUIPMENT AND PERSONNEL

- 2.1. **Mobile Retroreflectometer**. Provide a self-propelled, mobile retroreflectometer certified by the Texas A&M Transportation Institute (TTI) Mobile Retroreflectometer Certification Program.
- 2.2. **Portable Retroreflectometer**. Provide a portable retroreflectometer that uses 30-meter geometry meeting the requirements described in ASTM E 1710. Maintain, service, and calibrate all portable retroreflectometers according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- 2.3. **Operating Personnel for Mobile Retroreflectometer**. Provide all personnel required to operate the mobile retroreflectometer and portable retroreflectometer. Ensure MRDC system operator has a current certification from the TTI Mobile Retroreflectometer Certification Program to conduct MRDC with the certified mobile retroreflectometer provided.
- 2.4. Additional Personnel. Provide any other personnel necessary to compile, evaluate, and submit MRDC.
- 2.5. Safety Equipment. Supply and operate all required safety equipment to perform this service.

## 3. MRDC DOCUMENTATION AND TESTING

Document all MRDC by county and roadway or as directed by the Engineer. Submit all data to the Department and to the TTI Mobile Retroreflectometer Certification Program no later than three working days after the day the data is collected. Submit all raw data collected in addition to all other data submitted. Provide data files in Microsoft Excel format or a format approved by the Engineer. Provide measurement notification and field tests as specified. Verification and referee testing may be conducted at the Department's discretion.

- 3.1. **Preliminary Documentation Sample**. Submit a sample data file, video, and map of MRDC data in the required format 10 working days before beginning any work. The format must meet specification and be approved by the Engineer before any work may begin.
- 3.2. Initial Documentation Review and Approval. The Department will review documentation submitted for the first day of MRDC, and if it does not meet specification requirements, will not allow further MRDC until deficiencies are corrected. The Department will inform the Provider no later than three working days after submittal if the first day of MRDC does not meet specification requirements. Time charges will continue unless otherwise directed by the Engineer.
- 3.3. Data File. Provide data files with the following:
  - date;
  - district number;

- county;
- Project CSJ number;
- name of mobile retroreflectometer operator;
- route number with reference markers or other reference information provided by the Engineer to indicate the location of beginning and end data collection points on that roadway;
- cardinal direction;
- line type (single solid, single broken, double solid, etc.);
- line color;
- file name corresponding to video;
- data for each centerline listed separately;
- average reading taken for each 0.1-mi. interval (or interval designated by the Engineer);
- accurate GPS coordinates (within 20 ft.) for each interval;
- color-coding for each interval indicating passing or failing, unless otherwise directed by the Engineer (passing and failing thresholds provided by the Engineer);
- graphical representation of the MRDC (y-axis showing retroreflectivity and x-axis showing intervals) corresponding with each data file;
- distance in miles driven while measuring the pavement markings;
- event codes (pre-approved by the Engineer) indicating problems with measurement;
- portable retroreflectometer field check average reading and corresponding mobile average reading for that interval when applicable; and
- upper validation threshold (may be included separately with the raw data but must be clearly identified with the data collected using that threshold).

3.4. **Map**. Provide a map in an electronic format approved by the Engineer with each MRDC submission that includes the following information:

- date;
- district number;
- county;
- color-coded 1-mi. intervals (or interval length designated by the Engineer) for passing and failing retroreflectivity values or retroreflectivity threshold values provided by the Engineer; and
- percentage of passing and failing intervals, if required by the Engineer.

Video. Provide a high-quality DVD or electronic video file with the following information:

- date and corresponding data file name on label;
- district number;
- county;

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- route number with reference markers or other designated reference information to indicate the location of beginning and end collection points on that roadway; and
- retroreflectivity values presented on the same screen with the following information:
  - date;
  - location;
  - starting and ending mileage;
  - total miles;
  - retroreflectivity readings; and
  - upper validation thresholds (may be included separately with the raw data but must be clearly identified with the data collected using that threshold).
- 3.6. Field Comparison Checks with a Portable Retroreflectometer. Take a set of field comparison readings with the portable retroreflectometer at least once every 4 hr. while conducting MRDC or at the frequency designated by the Engineer. Take a minimum of 20 readings, spread out over the interval measured. List the average portable retroreflectometer reading next to the mobile average reading for that interval with the

reported MRDC data. Request approval from the Engineer to take field comparison readings on a separate roadway, when measuring a roadway where portable retroreflectometer readings are difficult to take. Take the off-location field comparison readings at no additional cost. Submit the portable retroreflectometer printout of all the readings taken for the field comparison check with the corresponding MRDC data submitted. The mobile average reading must be within ±15% of the portable average reading. The Engineer may require new MRDC for some or all of the pavement markings measured in a 4-hr. interval before a field comparison check not meeting the ±15% range. Provide the new MRDC at no extra cost to the Department. The Engineer may take readings with a Department portable retroreflectometer to ensure accuracy at any time. The Department's Materials and Tests Division (MTD) will take comparison readings and serve as the referee if there is a significant difference between the Engineer's portable readings and the Provider's mobile and handheld readings. For best results, take field comparison readings on a fairly flat and straight roadway when possible.

- 3.7. Periodic Field Checks at Pre-Measured Locations. When requested by the Engineer, measure with the mobile unit and report to the Engineer immediately after measurement the average retroreflectivity values for a designated pre-measured test location. The Engineer will have taken measurements at the test location within 10 days of the test. The test location will not include pavement markings less than 30 days old. If the measured averages do not fall within ±15% of the pre-measured averages, further calibration and comparison measurements may be required before any further MRDC. Submit the results of the field check with the MRDC report for that day.
- 3.8. **Measurement Notification**. Provide notification via email to <u>Mobileretro@tamu.edu</u> with a carbon copy to the Engineer a minimum of 24 hr. before mobile retroreflectivity data collection to allow for scheduling verification testing when needed.
- 3.9. Verification Testing. The Engineer or a third party may perform retroreflectivity verification testing within seven days of the Provider's retroreflectivity readings. The Provider-submitted retroreflectivity data will be compared to the verification test data to determine acceptability of the Provider's mobile retroreflectometer data. Comparison of the data will result in one of the two scenarios below:
  - Provider's Data is Validated if the difference between Provider's and Engineer-third party data is 20% or less, then the Provider's data is validated. The Provider's data will be used for acceptance.
  - Provider's Data is not Validated if the difference between Provider's and Engineer-third party data is more than 20%, then the Provider's data is not validated. The Engineer-third party data will be used for acceptance and the Provider will be required to take corrective action before additional Provider data collection and may require re-certification of the mobile retroreflectometer. If the Engineer determines that the Provider's data might be correct then, referee testing may be requested by the Engineer.
- 3.10. **Referee Testing.** MTD will perform referee testing using portable retroreflectometers to determine if the markings need to be restriped to meet the required retroreflectivity level. The referee test results will be final. Referee testing will be conducted on the verification test sections using the method for portable retroreflectometers specified in Item 666, "Reflectorized Pavement Markings."

#### 4. FINAL REPORT

Submit a final report in the format specified by the Engineer to the Department's Traffic Engineering representative within one calendar week after the service is complete. The final report must contain a list of all problems encountered (pre-approved event codes) and the locations where problems occurred during MRDC.

#### 5. MEASUREMENT

When mobile retroreflectivity data collection for pavement markings is specified on the plans to be a pay item, measurement will be by the mile driven while measuring pavement markings.

#### PAYMENT

6.

Unless otherwise specified on the plans, the work performed, materials furnished, equipment, labor, tools, and incidentals will not be paid for directly, but will be considered subsidiary to bid items of the Contract. When mobile retroreflectivity data collection for pavement markings is specified on the plans to be a pay item, the work performed in accordance with this Item and measured as provided under "Measurement" will be paid for at the unit price bid for "Mobile Retroreflectivity Data Collection." This price is full compensation for providing summaries of readings to the Engineer, equipment calibration and prequalification, equipment, labor, tools, and incidentals.

# Special Specification 7148 Lane Closures (Hourly)



## 1. DESCRIPTION

Install, maintain, and remove lane closures as shown on the plans, or as directed. This Specification is intended for lane closures approximately 24 hr. in duration or less.

#### 2. MATERIALS

Furnish material in accordance with the following:

- Section 7.2.6., "Barricades, Signs, and Traffic Handling"
- Section 502.4.2., "Law Enforcement Personnel"

#### 3. CONSTRUCTION

Comply with the requirements of Article 7.2., "Safety," and Item 502, "Barricades, Signs, and Traffic Handling."

The "Type" of lane closure to be implemented will be as described in Table 1 and on the plans.

Table 1

Types of Lane Closure						
Туре	Description	Unit				
1	1 Lane Closure – 2 Lane Road, One Lane-Two Way Operation	HR				
2	1 Lane Closure – 2 Lane Road, Traffic Shift Operation	HR				
3	1 Lane Closure – 4 Lane Road	HR				
4	2 Lane Closure – 4 Lane Road	HR				
5	Freeway 1 Lane Closure	HR				
6	Freeway 2 Lane Closure	HR				
7	Freeway 3 Lane Closure	HR				
8	Freeway 4 Lane Closure	HR				
9	Exit or Entrance Ramp Closure	HR				
10	Freeway Closure Sequence Daytime Only	HR				
11	Complete Freeway Closure	HR				
12	One Lane Frontage Road Closure	HR				
13	Two Lane Frontage Road Closure	HR				
14	One Lane Connecting Ramp Closure	HR				
15	Two Lane Connecting Ramp Closure	HR				
16	Work Area on Shoulder	HR				
17	Turn Around Closure	HR				
18	Mobile Operations	HR				

Additional items used for lane closures will be as described in Table 2 and on the plans.

Table 2	
Additional Lane Closure	Items

	Туре		Unit								
ĺ	19	Furnish Additional Flagger	HR								
	20	Pilot Vehicle and Operator	HR								
	21	Furnish Additional Arrow Board	HR								

#### MEASUREMENT

Lane closures and additional lane closure items will be measured by the hour.

4.

Time charges begin when the contractor arrives at the location and time as directed by the Engineer. Time charges end when the last traffic control device is removed from the roadway.

#### PAYMENT

5.

The work performed and materials furnished in accordance with the Item and measured as provided under "Measurement" will be paid for at the unit price bid for "Lane Closure," of the type specified. This price is full compensation for furnishing all materials, equipment, labor, tools, supplies, and incidentals.

Law enforcement personnel will be paid in accordance with Item 502.

Any truck mounted attenuator required by these lane closures or mobile operations will be paid for under Special Specification, "Truck Mounted Attenuator (TMA)."

Any portable changeable message signs required by these lane closures will be paid for under Special Specification "Portable Changeable Message Sign."