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# GENERAL NOTES

**THESE PLANS ARE UNFINISHED AND UNAPPROVED AND ARE NOT TO BE USED FOR ANY TYPE OF CONSTRUCTION OR THE ACQUISITION OF RIGHT OF WAY.**

REVISED	STATE	STATE		SHEET NO.
		ROUTE	PROJECT	
	VA.	151	HSIP-062-S01, RW-201 M-501	2

DESIGN FEATURES RELATING TO CONSTRUCTION OR TO REGULATION AND CONTROL OF TRAFFIC MAY BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AS DEEMED NECESSARY BY THE DEPARTMENT

## GRADING

- G-1 The grade line denotes top of finished pavement unless shown otherwise on typical sections or plans.
- G-2 Earthwork quantities on this project are based on anticipated settlement and may require adjusting during construction. Payment will be made only for quantities actually moved.
- G-4 The cost of removal of all existing concrete items located in the area to be graded, including, but not limited to the following, shall be included in the price bid for regular excavation: curb & gutter, sidewalk, pipes, inlets, concrete entrances
- G-5 The excavation of unsuitable material as specified on these plans is based on previously conducted subsurface soil investigation. If, during construction, it is deemed necessary to change the depth more than one foot, or the limits of such excavation, such change is to be made at the direction of the Engineer and measurement and payment shall be made in accordance with Section 303 of the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications.
- G-6 The borrow material for this project shall be a minimum CBR\_\_\_\_\_ or as approved by the Materials Engineer.

- I-7 Where Standard slope roundoffs would damage trees, bushes or other desirable vegetation, they shall be omitted when so ordered by the Engineer.
- I-9 When no centerline alignment is shown for a proposed entrance, the entrance shall be constructed in the same location as the existing entrance.
- I-16 The "underground utilities" survey data on this project has been provided by consultant and copies are available from the Department.
- I-18 All pavement markings and traffic flow arrows shown on the roadway construction plans are schematic only. The actual location and application of pavement markings shall be in accordance with Section 704 of the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications, MUTCD, sequence of construction/traffic control plans, pavement marking plan sheets - thru - and as directed by the Engineer.
- I-19 The following outside sources, under contract with VDOT, have provided information on this project:
  - Hydraulic Design - Rummel, Klepper & Kahl, LLP
  - Roadway Design - Rummel, Klepper & Kahl, LLP
  - Utility Design - VDOT
  - Utility Designation - VDOT
  - Utility Location - VDOT
  - Survey - VDOT
  - Bridge Design - N/A

If questions or problems arise during construction, please contact the Project Designer. DO NOT CONTACT THE OUTSIDE SOURCES.

- I-20 The Official Electronic pdf Version of the plans will override the paper copies or prints of specific layers.
 

Portions of this plan assembly have been CADD generated. To assist in the construction of the project electronic files will be available to the prime contractor during bids and after award of the contract.
- I-21 All electronic plan assemblies will include the construction plans in two formats: pdf files and MicroStation format (.dgn) files. Only the pdf files will be considered as part of the official plan assembly.
 

The MicroStation format (.dgn) files are furnished only as information for the contractor. These plans are developed in layers (levels) to aid in readability. However, the construction items may or may not be in the proper layering scheme as described in the VDOT CADD Manual. The MicroStation files will only match the scanned files if all required levels are turned on. A MicroStation Software license is required to be able to read these files.

## DRAINAGE

- D-1 The horizontal location of all drainage structures shown on these plans is approximate only, with the exception of structures showing specific stations and storm sewers.
- D-2 The horizontal location and invert elevations shown for proposed culverts and storm sewer outfall pipes are based on existing survey data and required design criteria. If during construction, it is found that the horizontal location or invert elevations shown on the plans differ significantly from the horizontal location or elevations of the stream or swale in which the culvert or storm sewer outfall pipe is to be placed, the Engineer shall confer with, and get approval from, the applicable District Drainage Engineer before installing the culvert or storm sewer outfall pipe.
- D-3 The "H" dimensions shown on plans for drop inlets and junction boxes and the "L.F." dimensions shown for manholes are for estimating purposes and are based on the proposed invert elevations shown for the structure and the anticipated top (rim) elevation based on existing or proposed finished grade. The actual "H" or "L.F." dimensions are to be determined by the contractor from field conditions.
- D-6 Pipes shall conform to any of the allowable types shown on sheet number \_\_\_\_\_ within the applicable height of cover limitations.
 

For strength, sheet thickness, or class designation, available sizes, height of cover limitations and other restrictions for a particular pipe type or height of cover, see the VDOT Road and Bridge Standard PC-1. Structural plate pipe may be substituted for corrugated pipe of the same size, provided the substitution complies with the applicable sections of the VDOT Road and Bridge Standards PC-1.
- D-8 Where open joint pipe is to be used, no joint shall be opened a distance exceeding 25% of the spigot length. Sealing of the pipe joint shall be in accordance with Section 302 of the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications.
- D-9 A pipe joint length different from that stated on the plans may be used. An adjustment in the percentage of open joint (not to exceed 25% of the spigot length) or amount of bevel shall be made that will obtain the radius stated on the plans. Extra payment for this adjustment will not be allowed. The proposed adjustment shall be approved by the Engineer prior to installation of the pipe line.
- D-10 The proposed riprap may be omitted by the Engineer if the slope designated for placement of riprap is found to be comprised of solid rock or closely consolidated boulders with soundness, size and weight equal to, or exceeding, the specifications for the proposed riprap.
- D-12 All existing drainage facilities labeled "to be abandoned" shall be left in place, backfilled and plugged in accordance with the VDOT Road and Bridge Standard PP-1. Basis of Payment will be in C.Y. (m<sup>3</sup>) of Flowable Backfill.
- D-13 Existing drainage facilities being utilized as a part of the drainage system, and designated on the plans "To Be Cleaned Out" shall be cleaned as directed by the Engineer. The cost incidental to this shall be included in the contract price for other items.
- D-14 Proposed drop inlets with a height (H) less than the standard minimum shown in the VDOT Road and Bridge Standards shall be considered and paid for as Standard Drop Inlets for the type specified.

## PAVEMENT

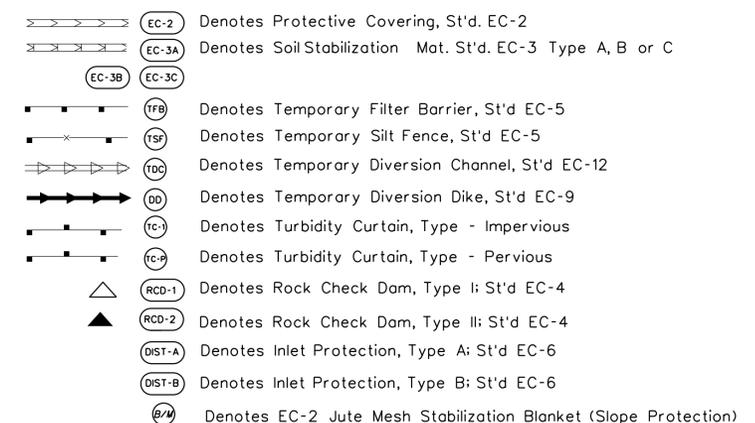
- P-2 The pavement materials on this project will be paid for on a tonnage basis. The weight will vary in accordance with the specific gravity of the aggregates and the asphaltic content of the mix actually used to secure the design depth. The weight of the asphalt concrete is based on 95% of the theoretical maximum density.

## INCIDENTALS

- I-5 That portion of the right of way lying within the Clear Zone or within a minimum of 10 feet (3m), from the edge of pavement or surfacing or within the limits of the construction slopes beyond 10 feet (3m), shall be cleared and grubbed in accordance with the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications, Section 301, where sufficient right of way or construction easement is provided.

## EROSION AND SILTATION CONTROL

- E-1 If the removal of Brush Silt Barrier is specified by the plans or required by the Engineer, the cost of removal and disposal of brush shall be in accordance with Section 109 of the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications.
- E-2 Rock for Check Dams, Inlet Protection, Erosion Control Stone and Riprap shall be in accordance with Section 203 and Section 414 of the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications.
- E-3 The following symbols are used to depict Erosion Control items in the plan assembly:



## STORMWATER MANAGEMENT

- S-1 CLEARING AND GRUBBING OF SWM BASIN SITE - The area where the dam is to be constructed and the area upstream of the dam, to an elevation equal to the crest of the dam (maximum ponded water elevation), shall be cleared and grubbed in accordance with Section 301 of the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications.
- S-2 SWM BASIN DAM CONSTRUCTION - The dam for detention basins (no permanent pool) shall conform to the details contained in the plans and shall be constructed in accordance with Section 303 of the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications. The native material on which the dam will set shall meet the specifications for AASHTO Type A-4 or finer material. Where the native material does not meet this requirement, the area beneath the dam is to be excavated a minimum of 4' and backfilled with a material meeting the AASHTO Type A-4 or finer classification unless otherwise specified in the plans. The material used for the embankment of the dam shall be AASHTO Type A-4 or finer or otherwise specified in the plans. Dams with foundation and embankment material not meeting the above requirements or dams greater than 15' in height, or dams for retention basins (permanent pool) shall incorporate a membrane-lined trench, a homogenous embankment with seepage controls, a zoned embankment or other such approved designs as specified in the plans.
- S-3 SWM BASIN OUTLET PIPE - The pipe culvert under or through the dam for detention basins (no permanent pool) shall be reinforced concrete pipe with rubber gaskets in accordance with Section 232 and 212 of the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications. A concrete cradle shall extend the full length of the pipe culvert in accordance with the Standard Drawings. The connection between the pipe culvert and the SWM-1 Drainage Structure (or other control structure) shall be made watertight as approved by the Engineer and the cost shall be included in the price bid for pipe.
- S-4 The SWM-1 Drainage Structure (or other control structure) shall have 4" high numbers and 1" wide stripes painted at 1' intervals as shown on the Standard Drawings or detail sheets. The numbers and stripes are to be installed at the time of the initial installation of the SWM-1 Drainage Structure (or other control structure). Paint and application shall be in accordance with Section 231 and 411 of the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications and the cost is to be included in the price bid for the applicable structure.
- S-5 All SWM Basins designated for use as temporary sediment basins shall be constructed during the initial phase of earth moving activities or as specified by the plans or directed by the Engineer. During project construction, the SWM-1 Drainage Structure (or other control structure) shall be modified in accordance with the Standard Drawings or plan details in order to provide a temporary sediment basin with both a "wet" storage volume (permanent pool) and a "dry" storage volume. Sediment accumulated in the basin shall be removed when the volume of the "wet" storage (permanent pool) has been reduced by 50%. Sediment shall be disposed of in accordance with Section 106.04 of the applicable VDOT Road and Bridge Specifications. When project construction is complete to a stage where no additional sediment from the project is expected to enter the basin, as determined by the Engineer, the basin shall be cleaned out and restored to the original design elevations, the area stabilized and all temporary modifications to the SWM-1 Drainage Structure (or other control structure) removed.

