

DIVISION III

CONSTRUCTION SPECIFICATIONS

PART 301 - RIGHT-OF-WAY CLEARING AND RESTORING

- 301.1 Work under this item shall include the removal and reconstruction or replacement of all obstructions affected by the construction of the project, including, but not limited to fences, retaining walls, patios, trash burners, signs, mail boxes, out-buildings, landscaping, etc. Any such obstructions that are not to be reconstructed are so designated on the drawings. Such shall be removed and disposed of by the contractor. All obstructions to be replaced or reconstructed shall be restored to substantially the same condition as existed prior to the construction except as otherwise noted. The Contractor shall remove and dispose of all debris, restore the grade of the surface of the earth as reasonably as may be done to the grade existing prior to construction, and upon completion of the work shall leave the site in as neat, clean and orderly condition as nearly as it was prior to construction as may be reasonably done. Contractor shall document by photographing all concrete and asphalt driveway crossings and marking the location by street address on each photo. Photographs shall be filed with Engineering Services Department prior to commencing work. All costs of photography shall be included in Bid Item 301a, Right-of-way clearing and restoring.
- 301.2 Passable surfaces across or along the construction vicinity shall be maintained at all times with gravel, steel mat or plate, or temporary bituminous surfacing material where a sidewalk, driveway, parking lot, street or alley previously existed. Pavement damaged by the Contractor's equipment shall be replaced to original condition. Gravel surfaces shall be replaced with the same.
- 301.3 If an obstruction is of public ownership, the Contractor shall notify the appropriate agency, and obtain any necessary permit or license forty-eight hours before beginning any operations affecting the obstruction. All work shall conform to the current standards and specifications of that agency, and shall be approved by the agency before completion of the project. At the Contractor's request, the Engineer will furnish information as to what licenses or permits are required.
- 301.4 **PAYMENT:** Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per linear foot. Total footage shall be the total length of pipe, not including bores, fittings, or specials, as included in other items. No additional payment shall be made for alterations of utility mains, service lines, or appurtenances, unless specifically provided for elsewhere in the Contract Documents.

PART 302 - EXCAVATION AND BACKFILL, UNCLASSIFIED

- 302.1 The work under this item shall include all earth, shale, gravel, loose rock, solid rock, debris, junk and/or other material excavated or otherwise removed in the

preparation of the trench; all work in connection with the excavation, removal and subsequent handling and disposal of such material, regardless of its type, character, or condition; subgrade preparation, all sheeting, piling, shoring, bracing, and dewatering of trenches; protection of adjacent property; backfilling; sand cushion; grade base stabilization; all specified backfill consolidation; and other work necessary or required.

- 302.2 The trench shall be excavated so that the pipe can be laid to the alignment and grades shown on the drawings, or as directed by the Inspector. In dense or built-up areas or where unstable soils exist, the trench shall be excavated a maximum of one hundred (100) feet in advance of pipe laying. In open areas or where soil conditions permit, the trench excavation may be unlimited in advance of pipe laying, as approved by the Engineer. Opening of trenches in excess of the maximum requires specific approval of the Engineer. Trenches shall be dry when the trench bottom is prepared. The trench bottom shall be shaped so that even bearing is obtained for the barrel of the pipe with the bells unsupported. The standard trench width as shown on the attached Standard Detail, shall not be exceeded at any elevation below a point twelve inches above the top of the pipe. If for any reason this portion of the trench exceeds the permitted width and if the Inspector shall determine that cradling or encasement then is required, said concrete cradle or encasement shall be installed. Any part of the bottom of the trench excavated more than four inches below the specified grade shall be corrected with approved material thoroughly compacted as directed by the Inspector. In the event suitable material is not available, sand shall be used. When rock is encountered and concrete cradle is required, it shall be excavated four inches below the bottom of the pipe and the trench refilled to grade with sand. When quicksand or other unstable earth is encountered, the Contractor shall excavate to sufficient depth to permit backfilling with Class "A" crushed stone in order to provide a stable base for the pipe. Trench safety shall be in accordance with applicable OSHA, State, and local regulations.
- 302.3 Bedding of pipe shall be as shown on the attached Standard Details. Sand shall be placed in the trench simultaneously on both sides of the pipe to an elevation of six inches above the top of the pipe, being carefully worked and hand-tamped around the pipe in order to consolidate the sand and assure excellent bedding. Backfill material shall not be placed in the trench covering the sand cushion without prior approval of the Inspector.
- 302.4 For large diameter (18" and above) flexible pipe, bedding shall be in accordance with the Bedding Detail for Large Diameter Flexible Pipe. The pipe shall be bedded in soil-cement, installed over a 6-inch sand cushion. The bedding shall be installed to the top of the pipe for the full width of the excavated trench. The soil-cement shall consist of a mixture of sand, portland cement, and water. Each cubic yard of soil cement shall contain 1-1/2 sacks of cement and approximately 70 gallons of water. Precautions shall be taken to prevent flotation. Movable trench supports shall not extend lower than the top of the pipe.
- 302.5 When the type of backfill material is not indicated on the Drawings or specified, the backfill may be made with the excavated material, provided that such

material, in the opinion of the Inspector is suitable for backfilling. In the event that excavated material is not suitable, sand or other approved material shall be used. From six inches above the pipe to eighteen inches above the pipe, the trench shall be backfilled by hand or by mechanical methods approved by the Inspector. Special care shall be used in placing this portion of the backfill to avoid damaging or moving the pipe. The remainder of the trench may be backfilled by mechanical methods. Backfilling operation shall be completed within one hundred (100) feet or less of the finished line at all times, as directed by the Inspector.

302.6 Unless otherwise directed by the Engineer, all trenches excavated across any sidewalk, driveway, parking lot or other paved area, across any traveled portion of unpaved streets or alleys, across any proposed roadways or proposed roadway fills, and as shown on the drawings shall be bedded and backfilled with 1-1/2" Type A Aggregate Base (see 213.2), placed in 8-inch maximum lifts and compacted to 95% Standard Proctor Density, as measured by the Nuclear Density Method. Compaction shall be done by a vibratory hand tamper. Trenches excavated across existing street or alley paving shall be backfilled in accordance with the standard detail for Pavement Removal and Replacement. For excavations where there is more than 6 feet of cover over the top of the pipe and where the trench width is sufficient for use of heavy compaction equipment, an engineered fill using a suitable compactable material may be used in lieu of aggregate base, if approved in writing by the Director of Engineering Services Department. If the backfilling has been completed and the backfill material does not meet the requirements for compaction, all the material shall be removed and hauled from the job site and the trenches refilled with material as specified above. Failure of backfill shall be corrected immediately, as directed by the Engineer.

302.7 PAYMENTS: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per cubic yard. Volume will be computed as follows: standard trench width as listed in Standard Detail No. 315; length of line, as the actual horizontal measurement along the centerline of the ditch; depth of excavation as the actual depth of ditch from the original ground surface to the flow line of the pipe as shown in the construction notes. Average end-area method of computing volume will be used. No payment for excavation will be made for material excavated outside the neat lines of the standard trench width. No additional payment will be made for: sand cushion; backfilling; compaction of backfill; crushed stone used for backfill under existing and/or proposed roadways, roadway fills, streets, alleys, driveways, sidewalks, parking lots or as shown on the Drawings; removing and replacing top soils and obstruction, tunneling of trees, storm sewers or other obstructions; blasting; bracing and shoring; dewatering; pumping and draining; grade base stabilization; removal of excess excavated material; or restoration of the site. It is mutually understood that subterranean water, quicksand, or other unstable earth may be encountered and the Contractor has taken such into consideration in making this bid. Where such is encountered, Contractor will be required to excavate to sufficient depth to permit backfilling with crushed stone in order to provide a stable base for the pipe. Extra payment will not be made because of

such additional excavation or because it is necessary to excavate wider than the standard trench width; or for crushed stone.

PART 303 - MOBILIZATION/DEMobilIZATION

303.1 Mobilization/Demobilization shall be bid as Each and THE AMOUNT BID SHALL NOT EXCEED TEN PERCENT (10%) OF THE SUM OF ALL BID ITEM EXTENSIONS EXCLUDING MOBILIZATION/DEMobilIZATION. This work shall consist of the performance of construction preparatory operations, including the movement of personnel and equipment to the project site and for the establishment of the Contractor's offices, buildings, and other facilities necessary to begin work on a substantial phase of the Contract. The Engineer's field office and laboratory is a separate pay item and is not included in this work.

303.2 PAYMENT

303.2.1 Payment shall be full compensation for performing the work specified and the furnishing of all materials, labor, tools, equipment, and incidentals necessary to mobilize and subsequently demobilize the construction preparatory operations.

303.2.2 Payment for this item will be made in two installments unless the first estimate submitted is also the final estimate, in which case the total will be paid. The first payment of 50 percent of the lump sum Contract price will be included in the pay estimate which reflects fifty percent completion of the work.

An additional fifteen percent (15%) of the price bid for mobilization/demobilization may be included in the pay estimate which reflects fifty percent (50%) completion of the work.

303.2.3 The final twenty five percent (35 - 50%) of the price bid for mobilization/demobilization may be included on the final pay estimate. No additional payment will be made for demobilization.

PART 304 - CONTRACTOR CONSTRUCTION STAKING

304.1 This work shall consist of furnishing, placing, and maintaining construction layout stakes necessary for the proper prosecution and inspection of the work under the contract.

304.1.1 Contractor shall exercise care in the preservation of stakes and benchmarks and have them reset when they are damaged, lost, displaced, or removed. Contractor shall use licensed land surveyor in the State of Oklahoma and suitable equipment for the layout work required.

304.1.2 Contractor shall set all additional stakes needed, such as offset stakes, reference point stakes, slope stakes, pavement, curb line and grade stakes, stakes for bridges, sewers, roadway drainage, pipe underdrains, paved gutter, fence, culverts, or other structures – and any other horizontal or vertical controls

necessary to secure a correct layout of the work. Stake centerline/control line of temporary features, such as shoo-fly detours. Contractor shall make stakes for line and grade adequate to maintain the specified tolerances for the operation being performed and satisfactory to Engineer. Mark the station number and the distance from the centerline of construction on all grade stakes.

304.1.3 Contractor shall furnish platforms and equipment necessary for proper and safe access for checking the staking, and when significant errors occur, resurvey to satisfaction of the Engineer.

304.1.4 Contractor shall notify Engineer immediately of plan errors. Special surveys necessary to determine corrective action shall be responsibility of Engineer.

304.2 PAYMENT

304.2.1 Payment shall be by Each for Contractor Construction Staking, and shall be full compensation for furnishing all materials, equipment, labor, and incidentals to complete the work as specified, including profile measurements of connecting features.

304.2.2 Payment for this item of work shall be on the following schedule:

25 percent on the first payment estimate
25 percent when 10 percent of the contract work is complete
25 percent when 50 percent of the contract work is complete
20 percent when 75 percent of the contract work is complete
5 percent when all construction features have been verified as properly placed and completed

PART 305 - PIPE, VITRIFIED CLAY

305.1 The work under this item shall include furnishing, delivery, and placing and jointing of vitrified clay pipe (VCP) in the trench in specific conformity with the line and levels given.

305.2 The pipe shall be laid on a firm trench bottom, true to the lines and grades shown on the Drawings and/or as given in the field by the Inspector. Pipe shall be protected during handling against impact shocks and free fall. The laying of pipe in finished trenches shall be commenced at the lowest point, with the spigot ends pointing in the direction of flow. Pipe shall be laid continuously through new manholes if both inlet and outlet pipes are of the same size and in line. Upon completion of the manhole the invert shall be shaped. The ends of adjoining pipes shall butt against each other for their entire circumference in such a manner that there is no shoulder or unevenness of any kind. If Contractor uses batterboards instead of laser level, a top line shall be maintained over a span of three grade stakes when laying pipe. As each batterboard is erected, the top line shall be sighted to assure the accuracy of the grade stakes and the batterboards'

settings. Any errors, discrepancies, or displacement of grade stakes shall be called to the attention of the Inspector for correction.

- 305.3 Prior to making pipe joints, all surfaces of the portion of the pipe to be jointed shall be cleaned and dried. Jointing shall be done in strict accordance with the manufacturer's recommended procedure. Trenches shall be kept water-free during jointing and for a sufficient period thereafter to allow the joint to become fully set and completely resistant to water penetration. There shall be no realignment of the pipe after the joint is completed unless the pipe is removed and a completely new joint constructed.
- 305.4 Double joints of eight inch pipe may be prepared and laid, provided the double joints are prepared by jointing the pipe in a vertical position using a straight edge inside the pipe to align the joint. Double joints shall not be placed in a horizontal position prior to laying unless suitably supported in racks. Double joints of pipe shall be supported at the middle joint, as well as the ends, when the pipes are lowered into the trench.
- 305.5 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per linear foot of the pipe specified in the Proposal, and placed as shown on the Drawings. Total footage shall be the actual horizontal measurement along the centerline of the pipe. No additional payment shall be made for vertical pipe or fittings used with drop manholes.

PART 306 - PIPE, REINFORCED CONCRETE

- 306.1 The work under this item shall include furnishing, delivery, placing and jointing of reinforced concrete pipe (RCP) in the trench in specific conformity with the lines and levels given.
- 306.2 For water and sewer lines, the Reinforced Concrete Pressure Pipe, Steel Cylinder Type, AWWA C-300, shall govern the installation as applicable. The method of bedding shall be as shown on the attached Standard Bedding Detail. Bedding for pretensioned concrete pipe shall be in accordance with Standard Bedding Detail for Pretensioned Concrete Pressure Pipe. The Drawings show the plan and grade for the pipeline. The Contractor shall submit detailed drawings to the Engineer for approval, showing the proposed method of laying the pipe to these grades. All pipelines to be crossed shall be located by the Contractor before these drawings are prepared. The ends of the pipes to be jointed shall be cleaned immediately prior to jointing and the rubber gasket thoroughly lubricated with vegetable soap before it is placed in position on the spigot end. Extreme care shall be taken in moving the spigot end of the pipe into the bell end of previously laid pipe. If the gasket is damaged or moved out of place, the new pipe shall be removed and a new gasket applied before rejoining. Any soap remaining on the exposed concrete surfaces inside or outside the pipe shall be completely removed. Fittings or specials included as pipe shall be blocked in accordance with the attached Standard Detail.

- 306.3 For sanitary and storm sewers, the methods of laying pipe, foundation, and grade specified under Pipe, Vitrified Clay, shall apply. All pipe shall be installed with the mark "C-76" visible on the top of the pipe. The ends of the pipes to be jointed shall be cleaned immediately prior to joining and the rubber gasket. Extreme care shall be taken in moving the spigot end of the pipe into the bell end of previously laid pipe. If the gasket is damaged or moved out of place, the new pipe shall be removed and a new gasket applied before rejoining.
- 306.4 For all lines, after the pipe has been jointed, a band at least five-and-one-half inches wide shall be placed around the outside of the pipe at the joint. This band shall serve as a form for placing 1:1 cement mortar grout in the external recess formed by the face of the groove and the shoulder of the tongue. If a reinforced paper joint band is used, it shall be drawn up tight around the pipe and the backfill tamped against it up to the spring line before pouring the grout. If a cloth band is used, it shall be wired around the outside of the pipe, and the grout poured before backfilling. On all pipes, the joint space remaining on the inside of the pipe shall be filled with a stiff mixture of 1:1 cement mortar which shall be troweled in place to produce a continuous, smooth, flush surface across the joint.
- 306.5 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per lineal foot of pipe of the type specified in the Proposal, and placed as shown on the Drawings. Total footage shall be the actual horizontal measurement along the centerline of the pipe. No additional payment shall be made for vertical pipe or fittings used with drop manholes, for fittings or specials included as pipe, or for concrete blocking or interior coatings.

PART 307 - PIPE, DUCTILE IRON

- 307.1 The work under this item shall include furnishing, delivery, placing, and jointing of Ductile Iron pipe in the trench in specific conformity with the lines and levels given. All Ductile Iron pipe shall be wrapped with a loose fitting, slip-on polyethylene film. The polyethylene film shall be slipped over the end of the pipe length that has been raised above the ground at the trench side. After the joint on the pipe is made up, the one-foot length shall be slipped over the joint to form an over-or-under lap of the adjacent polyethylene tube at this point. The loosely fitting film shall then be neatly folded over the top of the joint and held in place with tape. The loosely fitting tube extending along the pipe shall be drawn up snugly and folded along the top and held in place by using short pieces of plastic tape at intervals not to exceed four (4) feet. Fittings, valves and corporation stops shall be wrapped with a section of polyethylene material split to form a flat sheet, using plastic tape to hold the material around the appurtenance. For all pipe, the American National Standard for Installation of Gray and Ductile Cast-Iron Water Mains and Appurtenances, AWWA C-600 shall govern the installation as applicable. The method of bedding shall be as shown on the attached Standard Detail for Thrust Blocks and Trench Conditions, and Standard Detail for Pavement Removal and Replacements as applicable.

- 307.2 For water lines, all angled fittings or specials included as pipe shall be restrained, or blocked in accordance with the attached Standard Detail, the size to be determined by the Engineer.
- 307.3 Detectable Mylar marking tape for location of DIP water pipe shall be required. Detectable Mylar marking tape shall be 2-inches wide, blue in color with a continuous black lettered imprint stating, "Caution: Water Line Below". Tape shall be equal to Lineguard Tape III as manufactured by Lineguard, Inc. of Wheaton, Illinois.
- 307.4 Detectable Mylar tape shall be buried above DIP water lines at a depth of 10-inches below the surface.
- 307.5 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per linear foot of pipe of the type specified in the Proposal, and placed as shown on the Drawings. Total footage shall be the actual horizontal measurement along the centerline of the pipe. No additional payment shall be made for vertical pipe or fittings used with drop manholes, for fittings or specials included as pipe, interior coatings, or for concrete blocking.

Payment for any ductile iron pipe designated "restrained Joint" shall include cost of all components necessary to restrain joints of pipe.

PART 308 - PIPE, STEEL

- 308.1 The work under this item shall include furnishing, delivery, placing, and jointing of steel pipe in the trench in specific conformity with the lines and levels given. For all lines, American National Standard for Installation of Gray and Ductile Cast-Iron Water Mains and Appurtenances, AWWA C-200 shall govern the installation, as applicable. The method of bedding shall be as shown on the attached Standard Bedding Detail for Steel Pipe. The Drawings show the plan and grade for the pipeline. The Contractor shall submit detailed drawings to the Engineer for approval, showing his proposed method of laying the pipe to these grades. All pipelines to be crossed shall be located before these drawings are prepared. Fittings or specials included as pipe shall be blocked in accordance with the attached Standard Detail for Thrust Blocks and Trench Conditions.
- 308.2 If joints are field-welded, they shall develop the full strength of the pipe. The Contractor shall file with the Engineer a description of the method of welding which he proposes to use, the name of the individual or company who will do the welding, and a statement regarding the previous experience of such individual or company in this particular line of work. Testing shall be in accordance with Section 3.3 of AWWA C206. If requested, coupons shall be cut across the field welds and tested by a testing company approved by the Engineer and at the contractor's expense. The line may be welded continuously with provisions for slack in the line, or in sections to be lowered in the trench and connected by a position weld.

- 308.3 If joints are to be mechanically coupled, sections up to 240 feet may be coupled and lowered carefully into the ditch. Electrical continuity shall be provided at all joints. Preparation for, protection of, and repair of pipe coating and lining, and coating of mechanical couplings shall conform to the applicable section of these specifications.
- 308.4 Field replacement of the cement-mortar interior lining shall be in accordance with the AWWA Standard for Cement-Mortar Lining of Water Pipelines, 4-Inch and Larger, In Place, AWWA C602.
- 308.5 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per linear foot of pipe of the type specified in the Proposal, and placed as shown on the drawings. Total footage shall be the actual horizontal measurement along the centerline of the pipe. No additional payment shall be made for vertical pipe or fittings used with drop manholes, for fittings or specials included as pipe, or for concrete blocking.
- Payment for any steel pipe designated "restrained joint" shall include cost of all components to restrain joints of pipe.

PART 309 - POLYVINYL CHLORIDE (PVC) PIPE, WATER SERVICE

- 309.1 When PVC pipe is delivered to the jobsite it shall not be exposed to sunlight for more than three (3) weeks. PVC pipe exposed to sunlight for more than three (3) weeks shall be covered with an opaque protective covering. The pipe shall be left stacked and no more pipe than can be installed in one day shall be strung along the jobsite.
- 309.2 When a length of PVC pipe is cut, the plain end shall be beveled to the same configuration as the factory beveled end. The end shall be beveled using a pipe beveling tool, portable sander, or abrasive disc. After beveling, stop marks shall be applied to the plain end at a distance from the end corresponding to the original stop marks.
- 309.3 Both Bell End and Plain End of PVC pipe shall be thoroughly cleaned before connecting pipes.
- 309.4 Elastomeric Gaskets shall be placed into bell with colored side of the gasket to the outside.
- 309.5 Before connecting PVC pipes, the plain end shall be lubricated with an approved lubricant. The bell end of PVC pipe shall not be lubricated.
- 309.6 When connecting, the plain end pipe shall be inserted into the bell end pipe and then pushed until stop marks on plain end are flush with end of bell.
- 309.7 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per linear foot of pipe of the type specified in the Proposal, and placed as shown on the

Drawings. Total footage shall be the actual horizontal measurement along the centerline of the pipe. No additional payment shall be made for vertical pipe or fittings or specials included as pipe, or for concrete blocking.

Payment for any PVC pipe designated "restrained joint" shall include cost of all components to restrain joints of pipe.

PART 310 - LOCATOR WIRE AND DETECTABLE MARKING TAPE

- 310.1 A Number 8 bare copper conductor wire or Number 12 copper-clad steel (CCS) wire, 21% conductivity, for the purpose of locating PVC pipe shall be buried along the top of the pipe, and connected at each end to a fire hydrant by Cadweld Brazing just above the ground.
- 310.2 Detectable Mylar marking tape for location of PVC water pipe shall be required in areas as designated by the Engineer, more generally in commercial zones and open areas. Detectable Mylar marking tape shall be 2-inches wide, Blue in color with a continuous black lettered imprint stating "Caution: Water Line Below". Tape shall be equal to Lineguard Tape III as manufactured by Lineguard, Inc. of Wheaton, Illinois.
- 310.3 Detectable Mylar Tape shall be buried above PVC water lines at a depth of 10-inches below the surface.
- 310.4 Payment for tape and wire shall be included with unit price payment for PVC pipe.

PART 311 - TAPPING OF PVC PIPE FOR SERVICE CONNECTIONS

- 311.1 Standard water service connections shall be made by using bronze service clamps as per standard drawings. The couplings shall be provided with factory installed brass bushings which conform to ASTM B62 and AWWA C800 for standard corporation stop threads. Bushings must match the corporation stops. Direct tapping of PVC water pipe will not be allowed.

PART 312 - FITTINGS

- 312.1 The work under this item shall include all of the requirements specified under the item of pipe, in that "pipe" is understood to also mean "bends, tees, crosses, sleeves, outlet assemblies and other specified fittings." Unless otherwise specified, outlet assemblies shall consist of a flanged or mechanized (MJ) outlet constructed into the wall of steel or concrete pipe. If ductile iron pipe is used, the outlet shall consist of a tee with the outlet flanged. If a gate valve is shown on the Drawings to be attached to the outlet, the line side end shall be flanged and the opposite end shall be bell or mechanical joint according to the item for valves. All bends, tees, crosses, outlet assemblies, and plugs shall be blocked with

concrete as shown on the attached Standard Detail, except where the fittings have flanged, welded, or harnessed joints, the Inspector may, under certain conditions, delete the blocking. Concrete blocking shall be placed so that joints are accessible for repair.

- 312.2 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per fitting, of the type specified in the Proposal, and placed as shown on the drawings. Only fittings specifically noted in the Proposal are included in this item. No additional payment shall be made for excavation, backfilling, or concrete blocking.

Payment for any fittings designated "restrained" shall include cost of all components to restrain joints of fittings.

PART 313 - POLYVINYL CHLORIDE (PVC) PIPE, SEWER SERVICE

- 313.1 The work under this item shall include furnishing, delivery, placing, and jointing PVC sewer pipe in the trench in specific conformity with the line and levels given. Installation shall be in accordance with ASTM D2321, Underground Installation of Flexible Thermoplastic Sewer Pipe, except as modified by these specifications.
- 313.2 Pipe shall be protected during unloading and installation against impact shocks and free fall. After unloading and before installation, pipe shall be stored on flat level ground with no rocks or other objects under the pipe. PVC pipe that appears to be faded as a result of ultraviolet aging shall not be allowed. PVC pipe exposed to sunlight for more than three (3) weeks shall be covered with an opaque protective covering. The pipe shall be left stacked and no more pipe than can be installed in one day shall be strung along the jobsite.
- 313.3 The pipe shall be laid on a firm trench bottom, true to the lines and grades shown on the drawings and/or as given in the field by the Inspector. Pipe shall be protected during handling against impact shocks and free fall. The laying of pipe in finished trenches shall be commenced at the lowest point, with the spigot ends pointing in the direction of flow. Pipe shall be laid continuously through new manholes if both inlet and outlet pipes are of the same size and in line. Upon completion of the manhole, the invert shall be shaped. The ends of adjoining pipes shall butt against each other for their entire circumference in such manner that there is no shoulder or unevenness of any kind. The pipe grade shall be obtained by using laser or batterboards and a "top line". A top line shall be maintained over a span of three grade stakes when laying pipe. As each batterboard is erected, the top and the batterboards settings. Any error, discrepancies, or displacement of grade stakes shall be called to the attention of the Inspector for correction.
- 313.4 Prior to making pipe joints, all surfaces of the portion of the pipe to be jointed shall be cleaned and dried. Jointing shall be done in strict accordance with the manufacturer's recommended procedure.

- 313.5 At connections to manholes or other concrete structures, where the pipe is to be grouted or cast into the wall, a tight fitting rubber water stop gasket shall be installed around the pipe. The outer sealing surface of the pipe shall be planed smooth. The pipe section with the gasket shall be grouted or cast into the manhole wall. Only pipe with a smooth outer wall or concentric ribs shall be used for cast or grouted in place connections. Where A-Lock type gaskets are used, only smooth outer wall pipe shall be used.
- 313.6 Approximately 30 days after backfilling the contractor shall measure vertical ring deflection for all pipe. The deflection testing shall be performed in the presence of the Engineer or his designated representative. Maximum ring deflection of the installed pipe shall be limited to 5 percent of the base inside diameter. All pipe which exceeds the allowable deflection shall be replaced or corrected by the contractor at no additional cost. The Contractor shall provide all mandrels and necessary equipment to perform the tests. Deflection shall be tested using a Go/No/Go Deflection Test Gauge conforming to the standard detail or as manufactured by Cherne Industries, Inc., or equal in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
- 313.7 Any flushing of PVC sewer lines will be performed by the City, but the Contractor will lend assistance as may be required. Any infiltration of flushing water or other leaks into the sewer shall not be acceptable, and the contractor shall immediately correct the cause of the leak in a manner acceptable to the Engineer.
- 313.8 Where air testing of PVC pipe is specified, it shall be air tested in accordance with the City of Tulsa standard air test procedure. The air testing will be performed by the City.
- 313.9 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per linear foot of the pipe specified in the Proposal, and placed as shown on the Drawings. Total footage shall be the actual horizontal measurement along the centerline of the pipe. No additional payment shall be made for vertical pipe or fittings used with drop manholes.

PART 314 - MANHOLE

- 314.1 The work under this item shall include all excavation, furnishing all materials required, construction, pipe connection thereto, finishing and backfilling of new standard or drop manholes. Construction of manholes shall progress as rapidly as installation of the line permits, and as directed by the Inspector. Brick manholes are not intended for new construction and shall be allowed only as approved by Engineer.
- 314.2 Excavation for manholes shall be made with vertical sides and minimum dimensions permitting construction of the manhole in accordance with the attached Standard Details. Manholes are to be built to an elevation not less than that of the existing ground surface, or as shown on the drawings.

- 314.3 New manholes shall be constructed around existing lines without disturbance to the line. When the manhole is completed, the existing pipe shall be removed from the invert of the manhole. Care shall be taken in removing the pipe to prevent any stoppage. Immediately upon completion of the manhole, all waste mortar and debris shall be removed from the bottom and invert. When the walls are completed, a standard manhole frame and cover shall be set in place. Above the base, manhole inverts shall be carefully constructed of solid concrete to maintain proper velocities. Changes in pipe grade, alignment or size shall be made by transition sections of the invert, determined by the lower half of the inlet and outlet pipes, but not greater than that of the outlet pipe. All inverts shall be plastered, troweled, and brushed to a smooth, clean surface. Inlet and outlet pipes shall not project beyond the interior wall of the manhole and shall be free from all sharp masonry.
- 314.4 During construction, each manhole step shall be set in place on the inside of the manhole, beginning eighteen inches above the bottom and placed not more than fifteen inches apart. No steps shall be placed closer than eighteen inches to the manhole top or farther than 27" to the manhole top. If concrete masonry units are used for the walls, special cut step blocks shall be installed to receive the steps. Steps shall be built firmly into the wall, allowing the steps to project five inches inside the manhole. If five-inch concrete masonry units are used, the ends of the steps projecting beyond the outside wall shall be cut off flush with the wall, and plastered over. The centerline of the steps shall be as shown on the attached Standard Detail for Manholes. Four-and-one-half-inch steps shall be used for brick manholes and twelve-inch steps for precast manholes.
- 314.5 The use of concrete masonry units shall not be allowed in connection with pipes larger than eight inches in diameter. If concrete masonry units five inches thick are used, the manhole shall not be located within any dedicated street or alley, or any other location subject to vehicular traffic; and shall not exceed twelve feet in depth. The foregoing restrictions as to location and depth shall not apply if eight-inch concrete masonry units, brick, or precast manholes are used.
- 314.6 For brick manholes, a single rowlock course shall be turned over each pipe. Every unit shall have a full mortar joint on the bottom and sides, which shall be formed in one operation by placing sufficient mortar on the bed and forcing the unit into it. Horizontal joints shall not exceed three-eighths inch and vertical joints on the inside of the manhole shall not exceed one-quarter inch in thickness. All joints on the inside are to be rubbed full and struck as the manholes are built up. Walls shall be constructed in horizontal courses with vertical joints staggered. When the manhole top is above the proposed graded elevation, the taper shall be drawn in the manhole top to twenty-four inches I.D. at a point one foot below said proposed elevation and the remainder constructed with brick as a twenty-four inch cylinder. The inside and outside walls of the manholes are to be plastered with one-quarter inch of mortar to give a smooth and regular finish.
- 314.6.1 Testing of Manholes shall be done in accordance with Part 109.2 of the City of Tulsa Specifications.

314.7 PRE-CAST MANHOLES

- 314.7.1 Pre-cast manholes with cast-in-place base slabs will be permitted for all standard and drop manhole installations. Cast-in-place base slab shall be placed on a minimum of 6-inches of compacted Class A crushed stone.
- 314.7.2 Pre-cast manholes with integral pre-cast floors will be permitted for standard and drop manhole installations. Pre-cast manholes of twelve feet (12') depth or greater shall have an extended base. Pre-cast floors shall be placed on a minimum of 18-inches of compacted Class A crushed stone.
- 314.7.3 A drop manhole is required when the difference in elevation between an inlet pipe's crown and the outlet pipe's crown is two feet (2') or greater. The drop leg of a manhole shall be constructed such that the crown of the drop pipe matches the crown of the outlet pipe at the manhole. The drop will not be required if the crown of the drop leg cannot be constructed to match the crown of the outlet pipe.
- 314.7.4 Pre-cast manholes shall conform to the specifications for Pre-Cast Reinforced Concrete Manhole Sections, ASTM C478. Joint construction shall be in accordance with the standard specification for Reinforced Concrete Pipe except that no exterior grout band is required. No more than eight (8) inches of concentric rings shall be used to bring the manhole to finished grade. Each concrete concentric ring shall have a bitumastic sealer joint, not exceeding three-eighths (3/8) inch in thickness. Inside joints shall be rubbed full and struck.
- 314.7.5 Cost of sealed manhole rims and lids shall be included in cost of manhole.
- 314.8 **PAYMENT:** Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per manhole of the type specified in the Proposal, and placed as shown on the drawings. If the manhole depth, measured from the invert to the top of the cover, exceeds six feet, the additional depth shall be paid for at the unit price bid per vertical foot of manhole depth over six feet. No additional payment will be made for excavation, backfilling, pipe or concrete bottoms or interior coatings. Separate payment will be made for each drop manhole. No additional payment will be made for multiple drops at a manhole. Separate payment will be made at the unit price bid per vertical foot of drop manhole depth over six feet.

PART 315 - CONNECTION

- 315.1 The work under this item shall include all excavation, furnishing all materials required, construction, finishing, and backfilling of connections to existing mains, valves, manholes, special connections, service line re-connections, plugs, or in-line tees for future connections, as indicated on the Drawings or as directed by the Inspector.
- 315.2 The drawing shows details of the various connections and they shall be made in accordance with the details or as directed by the Engineer. On water mains,

Contractor shall make the pressure and wet connections to existing mains, as shown on the drawing, unless specifically noted otherwise.

- 315.3 Connections to existing manholes shall be made by cutting into the manhole at the specified grade and inserting the pipe. Pipe installation shall be done in accordance with Standard Detail No. 405 using A-LOK or Z-LOK rubber gasket, or the pipe may be grouted in place with hydrophilic waterstop formed around the pipe and the cold joint. Acceptable hydrophilic compound is ADEKA P-201, or approved equal. Joint shall be watertight. Contractor shall not break into any existing sewer unless the Inspector is present and the work done shall be under the direction of the Inspector. Inlet and outlet pipes at the invert shall not project beyond the interior walls of the manholes. The manhole base shall be cut and reconstructed in such a manner that a proper invert section is maintained. All waste mortar, debris, and sharp edges shall be removed from the joints, bottom, and invert. Contractor shall remove and replace the manhole steps in the proper location and in accordance with Part 314.4 and Note #9 of Standard Detail No. 357, if they are not properly located after the connection is made. Any and all diversion or pumping of water or sewerage in a wet connection is included in this item.
- 315.4 Methods of construction shall be the same for house line reconnections as for main sewers. Ductile iron pipe shall be used for all lines in parking areas, across open or closed storm sewers, across backfilled ditches, or within public rights-of-way. PVC shall be used in all other locations, unless ductile iron pipe is specifically required by the Engineer. All reconnections shall be constructed in conformance with the Plumbing Code of the City of Tulsa, unless modified herein. New pipe used shall be of the same diameter as the existing line.
- 315.5 Plugs shall be constructed of manhole brick and mortar, extending at least one foot into the line plugged from the manhole. The plug shall be watertight and troweled to a smooth finish on the interior of the manhole.
- 315.6 In-line tee fittings shall be installed for future service connections, as shown on the plans, in accordance with the Standard Detail for in-line tees. The tee shall be capped with a screw plug of either bronze, brass or a detectable plastic, marked by a non-magnetic, mylar tape, and stapled to both sides of a nominal 2" x 4" marker, 8' long, 4' buried, and 4' exposed, directly above fitting plug. The mylar tape shall be minimum 2-1/2" width, green in color, marked "Caution, Sanitary Sewer Below," as manufactured by Terra Tape or Line Guard.
- 315.7 After new water mains have been tested and chlorinated, the Contractor shall excavate around the new main for the service transfer. The existing mains and new mains shall remain in service during the transfer of services. The Contractor shall tap the new main and install a new corporation stop, service clamp, bend, tubing, and required fittings. The new service shall be connected to the existing meter after the service has been tested for leakage. The excavated area shall be backfilled and restored to original condition. Where galvanized service lines are encountered, they shall be replaced with copper and/or PEX. Where long services are replaced, they shall be bored under existing pavement. Open

cutting will not be permitted unless approved by the Engineer. Copper tubing shall be Type K soft annealed conforming to ASTM B 88, PEX tubing shall be UPONOR Aqua PEX Blue 5206 conforming to ASTM F876/F877/F2023.

- 315.8 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid for each type of connection constructed, or in-line tee for future connection, as specified on the Proposal, or as directed by the Engineer. No additional payment will be made for excavation, backfilling, furnishing and placing of concrete, flowable fill, removing and replacing of manhole steps, if necessary, or for the diversion or pumping of water or sewerage necessary to make the connection. Payment for water service transfers shall be made at the unit price bid for pipe and fittings under the appropriate connection bid item and shall include all necessary excavation, backfill, right-of-way clearing and restoring, materials, and labor.

PART 316 - LAMPHOLE

- 316.1 The work under this Item shall include all excavation, furnishing all materials required, construction, pipe connection thereto, finishing and backfilling of new lampholes. Lampholes shall be located and constructed as shown on the Drawings, or as directed by the Inspector. When the concrete lamphole frame base is completed, a standard lamphole frame is to be set in place and closed with a lamphole cover.
- 316.2 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per lamphole constructed as specified on the Proposal. No additional payment will be made for excavation, backfilling, or pipe.

PART 317 - VALVE

- 317.1 The work under this item shall include furnishing, delivery, and installation of valves at the locations shown on the Drawings, and in accordance with the attached Standard Details. The American National Standard for Installation of Gray and Ductile Cast-Iron Water Mains and Appurtenances, AWWA C-600 shall govern the installation, as applicable. If the paint is damaged, the valve shall be cleaned by wire brushing and given two coats of black asphalt paint.
- 317.2 Gate valves shall be set with the stems plumb. Ball valves shall be set with the handwheels horizontal. Air relief valves shall be set so that the square operating nut on the two-inch valve can be operated from the top. Check valves shall be set horizontally. Construction standards for air relief and check valve vaults shall be the same as for manholes.
- 317.3 Fire hydrants shall be set so that the bottom of the steamer nozzle is not less than eighteen (18) inches nor more than twenty-one (21) inches above the finish grade of the ground. Breakable bolts damaged in the installation shall be replaced in kind. If the Mueller hydrant is used, the oil reservoirs shall be filled before the hydrant is set. Concrete blocking shall be placed so that the drain and

joints are accessible. Restraining glands may be used in lieu of concrete blocking for fire hydrants. Fire hydrant and stem extensions shall be provided and installed as necessary, in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations.

- 317.4 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per valve, of the type specified on the Proposal, and placed as shown on the Drawings. If fire hydrant and stem extension are required, they shall be paid for at the unit price bid for each different length of extension used. The unit price bid for air relief and check valves shall include the valve vault. No additional payment shall be made for: excavation; backfilling; concrete blocking; the pipe length between the line and the fire hydrant, except where the pipe is shown on the Drawings in a separate profile; crushed rock for drains; air relief valve piping vaults; or restraining glands on fire hydrants in lieu of cement blocking.

Payment for any valve designated "restrained joint" shall include cost of restraining glands.

PART 318 - VALVE BOX

- 318.1 The work under this item shall include furnishing, transporting, and installation of valve boxes at the locations shown on the Drawings. The American National Standard for Installation of Gray and Ductile Cast-Iron Water Mains and Appurtenances, AWWA C-600, shall govern the installation, as applicable.
- 318.2 Valve box shall include SW services' Debris Cap or equal.
- 318.3 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit bid price per valve box and debris cap and placed as shown on plans. Any valve box extension shall be paid under separate bid time. No additional payment shall be made.

PART 319 - ENCASUREMENT, CONCRETE

- 319.1 The work under this item shall include the installation of concrete encasement as shown on the Drawings or as directed by the Inspector, in accordance with the attached Standard Detail. Care shall be taken to assure that placing of encasement does not deflect the pipe from the proper grade and alignment.
- 319.2 Sanitary sewers shall be encased when the depth of cut from the original ground elevation to the flow line of the pipe is four (4) feet or less. Concrete encasement necessitated by trench widths more than the maximum as shown on the attached Standard Detail for Thrust Blocks and Trench Conditions shall be placed as directed by the Inspector.
- 319.3 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per cubic yard of concrete placed as encasement. All concrete encasement required because of excessive trench width shall be placed at the expense of the

Contractor. No payment will be made for concrete used as fill or in excess of the theoretical quantity computation based on the attached Standard Detail for Thrust Blocks and Trench Conditions.

PART 320 - CRADLE, CONCRETE

- 320.1 The work under this item shall include the installation of concrete cradle as shown on the Drawings or as directed by the Inspector, in accordance with the attached Standard Detail for Thrust Blocks and Trench Conditions. Care shall be taken to assure that placing of cradle does not deflect the pipe from the proper grade and alignment.
- 320.2 **PAYMENT:** Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per cubic yard of concrete placed as cradle. All concrete cradle required because of excessive trench width shall be placed at the expense of the Contractor. No payment will be made for concrete used as fill or in excess of the theoretical quantity computation based on the attached Standard Detail for Thrust Blocks and Trench Conditions.

PART 321 - PIERS, REINFORCED CONCRETE

- 321.1 The work under this item shall include all materials, forming, construction and finishing of reinforced concrete piers, and necessary pipe anchorage. Piers shall be located and constructed as shown on the Drawings. Forms shall be made to conform to the shape of the pier and securely braced. Reinforcing steel shall be bent as detailed and securely tied in place. Bearing area for the pipe shall be made to fit the outside diameter of the pipe and shall support the pipe at the proper grade. Steel strapping and bolts shall be installed and painted with one heavy coat of coal tar or asphalt paint after bolting in place. Any honeycomb or other unevenness in the concrete shall be patched with cement mortar immediately after form removal.
- 321.2 **PAYMENT:** Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per cubic yard of concrete placed as reinforced concrete piers in accordance with the attached Standard Details, at the location shown on the Drawings, or as directed by the Engineer. No additional payment will be made for excavation, forming, bracing, dewatering, backfilling, or pipe anchorage.

PART 322 - CONDUIT, BORED

- 322.1 The work under this item shall include the installation of railroad, street, or other crossings by boring utilizing steel conduit as shown on the Drawings. The conduit pipe shall be installed to the line and grades given.
- 322.2 **PAYMENT:** Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per lineal foot of steel conduit, of the size specified in the Proposal, and placed as shown

on the Drawings. All carrier pipe shall be paid for under other items. No additional payment shall be made for excavation, backfilling, boring, tunneling, dewatering, bulkheads, end seals, spacers, bore pits, or vent pipes where required.

PART 323 - STRUCTURE, SPECIAL

323.1 The work under this item shall include the furnishing of all materials and performing all work necessary to complete any special structures shown on the Drawings.

323.2 **PAYMENT:** Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid for each structure as specified in the Proposal, and constructed as shown on the Drawings. Pipe, fittings, valves and other appurtenances will be paid for under other items. No additional payment will be made for excavation, backfill, foundations, or any particular element of construction or interior coatings.

PART 324 - MATERIALS FURNISHED BY CONTRACTOR AND INSTALLED BY CITY

324.1 The work under this item shall include furnishing and hauling of materials to the site of work. All necessary clearing, excavation, other site preparation, backfill and restoration, shall be performed by the contractor so that the City may install the materials in place with a minimum amount of delay. The Contractor shall furnish assistance to the City in installing the materials so that they may be readily installed. The City's responsibility shall be only for the actual installation of the materials. All other work shall be performed by the Contractor.

324.2 **PAYMENT:** Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per material item of the type specified in the Proposal and actually installed per Drawings. Only materials specifically noted in the Proposal are included in this item. All necessary clearing, excavation, other site preparation, backfill and restoration will be paid for under other bid items.

PART 325 - SODDING AND SEEDING

325.1 Where the installation of water, sanitary or storm sewer mains traverse developed areas, residential or commercial, the Contractor shall restore all damaged sod turf using same type and variety. The restoration of sod turf shall be by either Sod Replacement or Hydromulch Seeding, as directed by the Engineer. Replacement sod shall match existing sod in type and variety.

325.1.1 Only that turf in one residential block may be removed at any time. Where residential blocks are not involved, only that turf in approximately 500 linear feet of trench excavation may be removed at any time. The Contractor shall restore all turf damaged by the construction. Payment for turf restoration will be per square yard, based on the length of main installed through an area.

- 325.2 Sod Replacement: Remove the sod turf with approved cutting equipment. Store the turf in an area where construction operations will not damage it and apply sufficient water to preserve the root system. Replace the sod turf after the trench has been backfilled and compacted. As an alternate to this method, the Contractor may furnish and install new solid slab grass sod of the same type as that which was removed. The new sod shall be moist when excavated from the source and kept moist until planted. Sod shall consist of vegetative parts (rhizomes, stolons, and roots) with an appreciable quantity of adhering soil. Sod that becomes dry shall be discarded. Sodded areas shall be thoroughly watered after placement.
- 325.3 Hydromulch Seeding: Remove, store, and replace topsoil. Apply seed, fertilizer, and mulch together in homogeneously mixed slurry. Fertilizer shall be 10-20-10 and shall be applied at a rate of 10 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. Mulch shall be wood fiber and applied at a rate of 46 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. Grass seed shall be either hulled Bermuda applied at a rate of 2 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. or K-31 fescue applied at a rate of 8 lbs. per 1,000 sq. ft. as directed. Mulch shall be kept moist for a minimum of 10 days or until seeds have germinated and rooted. Watering shall be provided as required to maintain the grass.
- 325.4 The Contractor shall obtain a construction meter from the Connection Control Division and pay all required fees for any watering. The Contractor shall maintain all sodded or seeded areas until acceptance of the contract.
- 325.5 PAYMENT: Payment for Sod Replacement or Hydromulch Seeding will be made at the unit price bid per square yard and shall include all necessary top soil replacement, fertilizing, watering, and maintenance. The square yard pay quantity will be measured parallel to the pipe through the area being restored.

PART 326 - STREET WASH DOWN

- 326.1 The Contractor shall, at the written direction of the engineer, wash down streets to control dust and clean the streets in the area of construction. Contractor shall obtain a construction meter from the Connection Control Division of the Water and Sewer Department and shall pay all required fees for obtaining and using the meter.
- 326.2 PAYMENT: Payment for street wash down shall be made at the unit price bid per linear foot of street. No payment will be made for street washing without prior written instructions from the Engineer.

PART 327 - TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES

- 327.1 The Contractor shall furnish and install traffic control devices when construction is performed upon or adjacent to any street, alley, sidewalk, residence, public ground, or other location that is subject to pedestrian or vehicular traffic. Traffic control devices shall include safety fencing, barricades, signs, barrels, warning lights, arrow panels, flagmen, high level devices, etc.

- 327.2 Traffic Control Devices shall conform to the latest edition of the Manual on Uniform Traffic Control Devices.
- 327.3 Safety fence shall be an open mesh type, high-density plastic material, 48-inches in height, and colored International Safety Orange. Fence shall be supported by fence posts spaced at no more than 10 feet.
- 327.4 PAYMENT: Payment for safety fence shall be at the unit price bid per linear foot based on the total footage used for the duration of the project. No additional payment will be made for moving the fence as the job site changes. Payment for Type I, II, and III Barricades with flashing light; warning signs with flashing lights, 16 sq. ft. and over, and below 16 sq. ft.; barrels with steady burn light; advance warning arrow panels; and high level warning devices shall be made at the unit price bid per sign day. One sign day is one traffic control device in place for one day. Flagmen shall be paid for at the unit price bid per man-day. One man-day is one man flagging for one full eight (8) hour period. No payment will be made for cones.

PART 328 - BORE

- 328.1 Waterline installed under existing concrete or asphalt driveways shall be bored. The diameter of the bore shall be a maximum of 2-inches larger than the outside diameter of the pipe bell. If the carrier pipe is ductile iron it shall be polyethylene wrapped and taped at one (1) foot intervals through the entire length of the bore. If the Engineer determines that boring is not possible, the driveway shall be open cut and the pavement replaced as directed by the Engineer.
- 328.2 PAYMENT: Payment for crossings by boring shall be at the unit price bid per linear foot as measured from edge to edge of the driveway. All carrier pipe shall be paid for under other items. No additional payment shall be made for excavation, backfilling, boring, tunneling, dewatering or sand fill, or bore pits.

PART 329 - PAVEMENT, REMOVAL AND REPLACEMENT

- 329.1 Work under this item includes removal and replacement of concrete or asphalt for sidewalks, driveways, parking lots, curbs, streets, alleys, and the like. Pavement crossed at right angles shall be saw cut, removed, and replaced as shown on the standard drawings or as directed by the Engineer for the type of pavement indicated on the proposal. Pavement crossed diagonally shall be squared by saw cutting at right angles to the paved area. If a construction joint is within three (3) feet of a proposed saw line, the pavement shall be replaced to the joint as directed by the Engineer. New concrete pavement shall bridge the top of the trench by a minimum of one (1) foot on each side. All paving shall conform to the standards and specifications of the Tulsa Office of the City Engineer and ODOT. All street cuts shall be approved by the Office of the City Engineer and a Permit shall be obtained before work may begin.

- 329.2 All concrete pavement removal shall be a minimum of 3 feet by 3 feet. Concrete shall be High Early Strength Class P5 as per ODOT Section 701A with a minimum 28 day compressive strength of 5,000 psi.
- 329.3 Concrete shall meet the existing concrete depth with a minimum depth of 8" for streets, 6" for commercial Driveways, 6" for residential driveways, and 4" for sidewalks. Edges of cut shall be sawcut full depth. No traffic shall be allowed on the street replacement for 24 hours after placing of concrete. Twenty-four hours after placing of concrete, all butt joints must be sawed a minimum of 2", cleaned and sealed with joint sealer, ODOT Section 701A.08(e). If curb and gutter are removed, they shall be replaced to the standards and specifications of the typical existing curb and gutter. When one or more longitudinal construction joints are removed, the joints shall be re-established in accordance with the City of Tulsa standards for concrete pavement. When a pavement section is removed along an existing longitudinal construction joint, the pavement shall be dowelled to the adjacent pavement.
- 329.4 All asphalt shall be Type S4 as per ODOT Section 708. The asphalt shall be compacted to a 92% maximum density as determined by AASHTO T-209 method. Spreading and finishing of asphalt shall meet ODOT Section 411.04(I). Edges of cut shall be saw cut full depth. Prior to placement of asphalt in cut, a tack coat shall be uniformly applied. Tack coat shall be an asphalt rubber, meeting the specifications of ASTM D1190. Optional tack coat meeting ODOT requirements. All surface edge joints of cut/overlay shall be sealed with an asphalt rubber meeting minimum specifications of ASTM D1190. Asphalt rubber shall be squeegeed into edge joints. Optional edge seal shall meet ODOT requirements. Emulsion shall be squeegeed into edge joint and blotted with dry concrete screenings. If curb and gutter are removed, they shall be replaced to the standards and specifications of the typical existing curb and gutter. Macadamized or oiled surfaces shall be replaced with asphalt.
- 329.5 Materials for asphalt shall meet the following ODOT requirements:
- 329.6 **PAYMENT:** Payment for removal and replacement of concrete or asphalt pavement shall be at the unit price bid per square yard. The pay quantity of square yards will be computed using the standard pay width for the type of pavement replaced and the length of the pavement cut along the centerline of the pipe. The pay quantity will include pavement replaced due to the proximity of a construction joint if the specified criteria is meet. For diagonal crossings, the pay quantity will include the areas replaced due to squaring. Payment for saw cut shall be at the unit price bid per linear foot. Payment for curb and gutter shall be at the unit price bid per linear foot. Payment for dowells shall be at the unit price bid per each. No payment will be made for disposal of broken pavement, temporary surfaces, excavation, preparation of subgrade, forms, or reinforcing. No payment will be made for removal or replacement of gravel. No payment will be made for the replacement of pavement damaged by the Contractor's

equipment movement. No payment will be made for joint sealer, tack coats, or edge sealing.

PART 330 - EROSION CONTROL MEASURES

- 330.1 The contractor is responsible to insure that measures are taken to minimize erosion and sedimentation problems. Measures include straw bale dikes, silt fence, silt dikes and inlet protection including but not limited to the following:
- a) Place straw bale dikes in bar ditches at 500 ft. intervals on relatively flat grades and 200 ft. intervals on grades over 5%.
 - b) Place sediment sumps upstream of straw bales. Remove sediment on a regular basis.
 - c) Keep excavation and silt off of streets.
 - d) In areas where water line are being constructed adjacent to improved streets, measures shall be taken which will minimize siltation and excavation accumulating in existing storm sewers. Straw bales should be placed around inlets. Precautions should be taken during heavy rains to assure that a flooding condition is not created.
 - e) Straw mulch can be used as an effective means of erosion control.
 - f) Erosion control measures shall be placed at the toe of slope of all cut and fill areas.
- 330.2 Straw bales shall be standard rectangular size, approximately 18" x 20" x 36", and shall be securely bound with wire. Bales shall be firmly anchored with wood or metal stakes approximately 3 feet long. A sediment sump shall be placed immediately upstream of each bale. Contractor shall clean and maintain sediment sumps throughout the maintenance period.
- 330.3 The contractor shall furnish and install straw mulch as directed. Mulch shall be applied at a rate of 1½ tons per acre. Mulch shall be securely anchored in place.
- 330.4 Payment for straw bales or other erosion control measures will be at the unit price bid and shall include the cost of sediment sumps and anchoring. Payment for straw mulch will be at the unit price bid per square yard and shall include the cost of anchoring.

PART 331 - WATER TABLE CRADLE

- 331.1 The work under this item shall include furnishing and installing Water Table Cradle as shown on the drawings or as directed by the Engineer and in accordance with the Standard Detail for Water Table Cradle.

- 331.2 The trench excavation shall be completely dewatered to provide a dry and stable trench bottom. The trench shall be excavated to a minimum of 18" below the bottom of the pipe. If additional base stabilization is required crushed stone, 3 1/2" to 1 1/2" (Gradation No. 1), shall be installed on the trench bottom, prior to the installation of water table cradle. Minimum trench widths for flexible pipe installations shall be as shown in the Standard Detail No. 367.
- 331.3 Geotextile filter fabric shall be installed on the trench bottom and walls. Crushed stone shall be installed in the trench directly on the filter fabric to a height of 12 inches above the top of the pipe. The crushed stone bedding material shall be carefully worked and compacted around the pipe. The filter fabric shall be placed over the top of the crushed stone with a minimum 24" lap. All fabric joints shall be lapped a minimum of 18". Water Table Cradle shall be installed for the full excavated width of the trench.
- 331.4 Crushed stone for Water Table Cradle shall be Gradation No. 57, 1" to No. 4. The Geotextile Filter Fabric shall be a nonwoven, needlepunch constructed fabric composed of petrochemical based polymers that are chemically and biologically inert. The fabric unit weight shall be not less than 13 ounces per square yard with a Mullen Burst Strength (ASTM D-3786) of not less than 600 psi.
- 331.5 PAYMENT
- 331.5.1 Payment for Water Table Cradle will be made at the unit price bid per linear foot for the specified diameter of pipe. The unit price shall include the cost of all labor, equipment, and materials required. No additional payment will be made for dewatering or crushed stone required for additional base stabilization.

PART 332 - CONDUIT, OPEN CUT

- 332.1 The work under this item shall include the installation of railroad, street, or other crossings by open cut utilizing conduit as shown on the Drawings. The conduit pipe shall be installed to the line and grades given, and shall be installed in accordance with standard bedding detail for semi-rigid pipe.
- 332.2 The carrier pipe shall be installed with spacers, and end seals or bulkheads as shown in Standard No. 307.
- 332.3 PAYMENT: Payment for this item shall be made at the unit price bid per lineal foot of conduit, of the size specified in the Proposal, and placed as shown on the Drawings. All carrier pipe shall be paid for under other items. No additional payment shall be made for excavation, dewatering, backfill, spacers, bulkheads, end seals, or vent pipes where required.

SECTION END